

Do: International Rescue



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Features



- Word - international characters
- Word - translation features
- Word - text encoding
- Excel - dealing with international names
- Excel - dealing with international dates
- If time allows...
Mystery bonus feature

Word international characters



- Two stage keystrokes
- Hold down control and press special character key
- Let go of all keys
- Within 10 seconds, press required letter

<https://support.office.com/en-gb/article/Keyboard-shortcuts-for-international-characters-108fa0c1-fb8e-4aae-9db1-d60407d13c35>

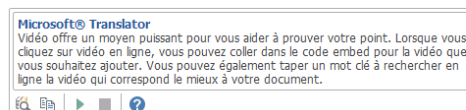
Ctrl + Shift + ~ followed by **n** gives **ñ**

Mini Translator



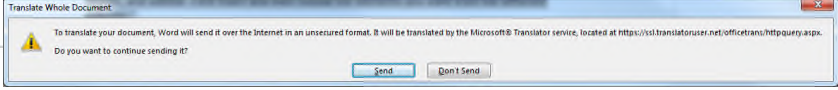
- Select text
- Translation in popup window
- Audio available via text to speech (download)

Or www.bing.com/translate




Video provides a powerful way to help you prove your point. When you click Online Video, you can paste in the embed code for the video you want to add. You can also type a keyword to search online for the video that best fits your document.

Translate Document



- Document is sent elsewhere



- Neural Machine Translation web page

The cicada, having sung all summer, was very unclear when the kiss was not a single piece of fly or worm. She was screaming at the ant her neighbor, begging her to lend her some grain to survive until the new season. I will pay you, she said, before August, animal faith, interest and principal. The ant is not lender: this is its slightest defect. What

The cicada, having sung all summer, found himself quite lacking when the wind came: not a single morsel of fly or worm. She went screaming famine at the Ant its neighbor, praying to lend him some grain to survive until the new season. I'll pay you, she told him, before August, faith of animal, interest and principal. The Ant is not lending: that's

Text Encoding - ASCII v UTF-8

- 128 specified [characters](#) into seven-bit integers

Ascii	Char	Ascii	Char	Ascii	Char	Ascii	Char
0	Null	32	Space	64	è	96	`
1	Start of heading	33	!	65	A	97	a
2	Start of text	34	"	66	B	98	b
3	End of text	35	#	67	C	99	c
4	End of transmit	36	\$	68	D	100	d
5	Enquiry	37	%	69	E	101	e
6	Acknowledge	38	&	70	F	102	f
7	Audible bell	39	'	71	G	103	g
8	Backspace	40	(	72	H	104	h
9	Horizontal tab	41	)	73	I	105	i
10	Line feed	42	*	74	J	106	j
11	Vertical tab	43	+	75	K	107	k
12	Form feed	44	,	76	L	108	l
13	Carriage return	45	-	77	M	109	m
14	Shift in	46	.	78	N	110	n
15	Shift out	47	/	79	O	111	o
16	Data link escape	48	0	80	P	112	p
17	Device control 1	49	1	81	Q	113	q
18	Device control 2	50	2	82	R	114	r
19	Device control 3	51	3	83	S	115	s
20	Device control 4	52	4	84	T	116	t
21	Msg. acknowledge	53	5	85	U	117	u
22	Synchronous idle	54	6	86	V	118	v
23	End trans. block	55	7	87	W	119	w
24	Cancel	56	8	88	X	120	x
25	End of medium	57	9	89	Y	121	y
26	Substitution	58	:	90	Z	122	z
27	Escape	59	;	91	[	123	{
28	File separator	60	<	92	\	124	|
29	Group separator	61	=	93	]	125	}
30	Record separator	62	>	94	^	126	~
31	Unit separator	63	?	95	_	127	Forward del.

Text Encoding - UTF-8



- 1,112,064 valid code points
- Variable-length and uses 8-bit code units
- Incorporates ASCII and all of Unicode
- Designed in 1992 on a placemat in a New Jersey diner by Ken Thompson
- Focussed on Basic Multilingual Plane

Basic Multilingual Plane

00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	0A	0B	0C	0D	0E	0F
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	1A	1B	1C	1D	1E	1F
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	2A	2B	2C	2D	2E	2F
30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	3A	3B	3C	3D	3E	3F
40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	4A	4B	4C	4D	4E	4F
50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	5A	5B	5C	5D	5E	5F
60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	6A	6B	6C	6D	6E	6F
70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	7A	7B	7C	7D	7E	7F
80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	8A	8B	8C	8D	8E	8F
90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	9A	9B	9C	9D	9E	9F
A0	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	A6	A7	A8	A9	AA	AB	AC	AD	AE	AF
B0	B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	B8	B9	BA	BB	BC	BD	BE	BF
C0	C1	C2	C3	C4	C5	C6	C7	C8	C9	CA	CB	CC	CD	CE	CF
D0	D1	D2	D3	D4	D5	D6	D7	D8	D9	DA	DB	DC	DD	DE	DF
E0	E1	E2	E3	E4	E5	E6	E7	E8	E9	EA	EB	EC	ED	EE	EF
F0	F1	F2	F3	F4	F5	F6	F7	F8	F9	FA	FB	FC	FD	FE	FF

- Latin script
- Non-Latin European scripts
- African scripts
- Middle Eastern and Southwest Asian scripts
- South and Central Asian scripts
- Southeast Asian scripts
- East Asian scripts
- CJK characters
- Indonesian and Oceanic scripts
- American scripts
- Notational systems
- Symbols
- Private use
- UTF-16 surrogates
- Unallocated code points

As of Unicode 9.0

UTF-8 can produce all the following...



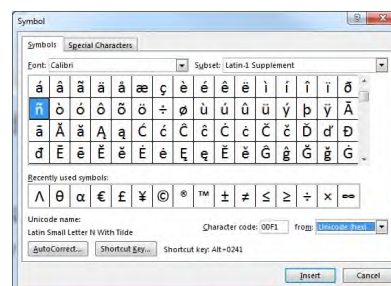
1. **English:** The quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog.
2. **Jamaican:** Chruu, a kwik di kwik brong fox a jom p huova di liezi daag de, yu no siit?
3. **Irish:** "An bfuil do croi ag bualad ó faitíos an grá a meall lena póg éada ó síl do leasa tú?" "D'fhuascaíl íosa Ú rmhac na hÓige Beannaite pór Éava agus Ádaim."
4. **Dutch:** Pa's wijze lynx bezag vroom het fikse aquaduct.
5. **German:** Falsches Üben von Xylophonmusik quält jeden größeren Zwerg. (1)
6. **German:** Im finsternen Jagdchloß am offenen Felsque llwaffer patzte der affig-flatterhafte kauzig-höfliche Bäcker über feinem veriffthen kniffligen C-Xylophon. (2)
7. **Norwegian:** Blåbærsyltetøy ("blueberry jam", includes every extra letter used in Norwegian). (2)
8. **Swedish:** Flygande bäckasiner söka strax hvilå på mjuka tuvor.
9. **Icelandic:** Sævör grét áðan því úlpan var ónýt.
10. **Finnish:** (5) Törkylempijävongahdus (This is a perfect pangram, every letter appears only once. Translating it is an art on its own, but I'll say "rude lover's yelp". :-D)
11. **Finnish:** (5) Albert osti fagottin ja töräytti puhkuvan melodian. (Albert bought a bassoon and hooted an impressive melody.)
12. **Finnish:** (5) On sangein hauskaa, että polkupyörä on maanteiden jokapäiväinen ilmiö. (It's pleasantly amusing, that the bicycle is an everyday sight on the roads.)
13. **Polish:** Pchnąc w tę łódź jeża lub osiem skrzyń fig.
14. **Czech:** Příliš žluťoučký kůň úpěl ďábelské kódy.
15. **Slovak:** Starý kôň na hrbie kníh žuje tíško povádnuté ruže, na stĺpe sa dateľ učí kvákať novú ódu o živote.
16. **Greek (monotonic):** Ξεκρεπάω την ψυχροθήρα βδελυγμία
17. **Greek (polytonic):** Ξεκρεπάω την ψυχροθήρα βδελυγμία
18. **Russian:** Съешь же ещё этих мягких французских булок да выпей чаю.
19. **Russian:** В чашках юга жил-был цитрус? Да, но фальшивый экземпляр! ёь.
20. **Bulgarian:** Жълтата дюля беше щастлива, че пухът, който цъфна, замръзна като гъон.
21. **Sami (Northern):** Vuol Ruota gedggiid leat márga luosa ja čuoŋža.
22. **Hungarian:** Árvidűrő tükörfurógép.
23. **Spanish:** El pingüino Wenceslao hizo kilómetros bajo exhaustiva lluvia y frío, añoraba a su querido cachorro.
24. **Portuguese:** O próximo voo à noite sobre o Atlântico, põe frequentemente o único médico. (3)
25. **French:** Les naïfs ægithales hâtifs pondant à Noël où il gèle sont sûrs d'être déçus en voyant leurs drôles d'œufs abîmés.
26. **Esperanto:** Ĝhoŝango ĉiujgude.
27. **Hebrew:** תבוב קרפד עץ טוב בגן.
28. **Japanese (Hiragana):**

いろはにほへど ちりぬるを
わがよたれぞ つねならむ
うぬのおくやま けふこえて
あさきゆめみじ ゑひもせす (4)

Insert Symbol

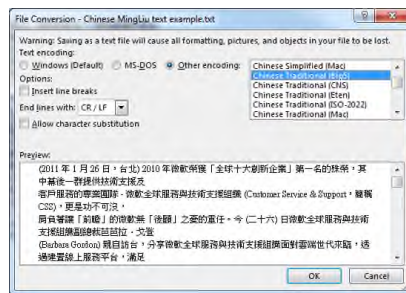
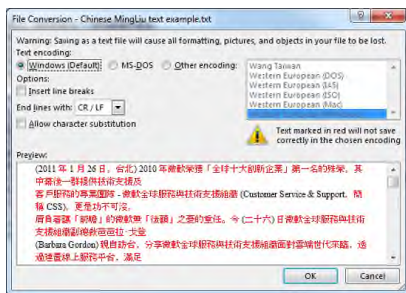


- Available in all Office programs
- Unicode (many) v ASCII (fewer)
- What's available depends on font choice
e.g. Calibri v Cambria Math
- $\frac{1}{4}$ ® © ™ € via autocorrect or special keystroke



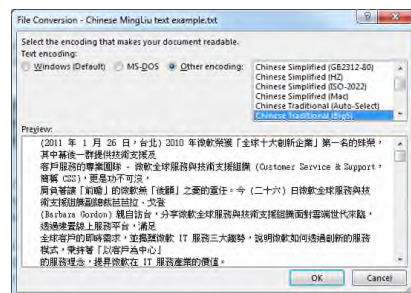
Unicode and other encoding

- File Save As, plain text



Unicode and other encoding

- File, Open (for non Unicode)



Names in Excel

- Use Data, Text to Columns to split names

Tidy up manually as required

- Microsoft Fuzzy Lookup Add-In

<https://www.microsoft.com/en-gb/download/details.aspx?id=15011>

Microsoft Fuzzy Lookup AddIn

First Name	Surname	First Name	Surname
Adam	Radwick	Adam	Radwick
Zoe	Domas	Z	Domas
Adam	Domas	AR	Domas
Zoe	Radwick	Zoe	Maiden
Phil	Kendal	Phillip	Kendal
Adam	Beraud	Adam	Béraud
Zoe van der	Berg	Zoe	van der Berg

First Name	Surname	First Name	Surname	Similarity
Adam	Radwick	Adam	Radwick	1.0000
Zoe	Domas	Z	Domas	0.4500
Adam	Domas	Adam	Radwick	0.4500
Zoe	Radwick	Adam	Radwick	0.6333
Phil	Kendal	Phillip	Kendal	0.8791
Adam	Beraud	Adam	Béraud	1.0000
Zoe van der	Berg	Zoe	van der Berg	1.0000

Fuzzy Lookup

Left Table: Table1
Right Table: Table2

Left Columns: First Name, Surname
Right Columns: First Name, Surname

Match Columns:
Left Columns: First Name, S...
Right Columns: First Name, S...
Configuration: Default

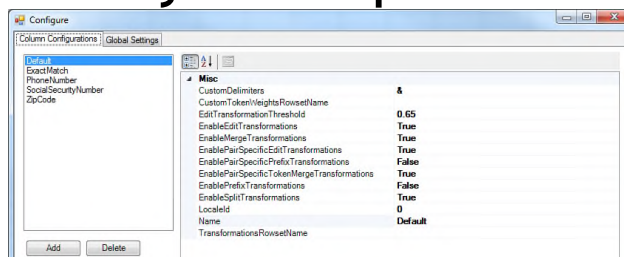
Output Columns:
 Table1.First Name
 Table1.Surname
 Table2.First Name
 Table2.Surname
 FuzzyLookup.Similarity
 FuzzyLookup.SimilarityXml

Number of Matches: 1/2
 Similarity Threshold:

Microsoft Fuzzy Lookup AddIn



- Not an exact science
- May be best to start with a low value to gauge its responses
- Can be configured



Names in Excel



- Ingrid Guðmundsdóttir
Given name, father/mother's name+daughter/son
Lists sorted by given name (never use "Ms Guðmundsdóttir")
- María-Jose Fernández Marqués
Last two both family names, but... "Señorita Fernández" is correct
- Thanom Dhanarajata
Thailand nicknames - "Nok" (bird)

Names in Excel



- Difficult designing forms asking for names
- Could try: Family Name, Other/given names
But wouldn't work for Iceland...
- Or: Full Name, What should we call you?


<https://www.w3.org/International/questions/qa-personal-names>

Dates in Excel



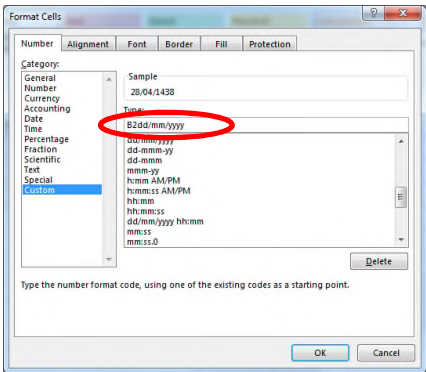
- Sometimes inherit/import US dates
09/21/01
- CELL function can spot this
`=CELL("format",A50)`
- UK dates result in **D1**, US dates in **D4**
`=TEXT(A50,"dd/mm/yy")`
`=DATE(100+RIGHT(B50,2),MID(B50,4,2),LEFT(B50,2))`

Dates in Excel




- Hijrah - the prophet's escape to Medina, 622 (CE)
Start of **Hijri** era - uses Islamic Lunar Calendar
- In Excel, special date prefix
B2dd/mm/yy

26/01/2017	Gregorian Calendar
28/04/1438	Hijri Calendar



Dates in Excel



- Some other calendars supported
- Need to know language and calendar identifiers

יום חמישי, טבת 28 5777	Hebrew Lunar Calendar
04 28 5777	
Yom Chamishi, Tevet 28 5777	
木曜日, 1月 26 29	Japanese Emperor Era Calendar
01 26 29	

8040D/9 (Hebrew), 30411 (Japanese)

Sample	יום חמישי, טבת 28 5777
Type:	[S-108040D]dddd, mmmm dd yyyy

Mail Merge



- Recipient list including language and gender
- Type message in each language
- Use IF... THEN... ELSE for, e.g., gender specific
- { IF { Mergefield Language } = “Eng” “<Eng letter>” “<Other letter>” }

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8uGJlWWmueQ>

Thank you for coming!



- Materials from the talk on **do:** blog site