General Punctuation

Range: 2000-206F

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	200	201	202	203	204	205	206
0	NQ SP 2000	2010	2020	%00	2040	2050	WJ 2060
1	MQ SP 2001	NB 2011	2021	%000	 2041	* * 2051	f()
2	EN SP 2002	2012	2022	2032	* ** 2042	% 2052	2062
3	EM SP 2003	2013	2023	2033	2043	2053	2063
4	3/M S P	2014	• 2024	2034	2044	2054	2064
5	4/M S P	2015	• • 2025	2035	E 2045	*	
6	6/M S P		• • •	"	}	•:	
7	2006 F S P	2016	2026	2036	??	2056	
8	2007 P SP	2017	2027	2037	2047	2057	
9	2008 T H S P 2009	2018 9 2019	2028 P SEP 2029	2038	2048 !? 2049	2058	
Α	2009 H S P J	9 201A	LRE 202A	> 203A	2049 204A	• • 205A	[S S 206A
В	ZW SP	e 201B	[RLE]	203B	204B	205B	A S S 3
С	ZW N J 200C	6 6 201C	PDF 202C	11 203C	■ II 204C	## 205C	I AFS
D	[ZW] 200D	9 9	202D	?	I 204D	• • • 205D	A AFS
Е	[LRM] 200E	99 201E	[RLO]	203E	* 204E	• • • • 205E	N A D S 206E
F	200E [RLM] 200F	201E	INNB SP 202F	203E	• • • 204F	205E [MM] [SP] 205F	206E [NO] DS 206F

For additional general punctuation characters see also Basic Latin, Latin-1, Supplemental Punctuation and CJK Symbols and Punctuation.

Spaces

2000 NQ SP **EN QUAD**

= 2002 🔛 en space

2001 MQ SP **EM QUAD**

= mutton quad

= 2003 [₹] em space

2002 **EN SPACE**

= nut

• half an em

≈ 0020 sp space

2003 **EM SPACE**

= mutton

• nominally, a space equal to the type size in

• may scale by the condensation factor of a font

≈ 0020 sp space

2004 THREE-PER-EM SPACE

= thick space

≈ 0020 sp space

2005 4/M SP FOUR-PER-EM SPACE

= mid space

≈ 0020 sp space

2006 SIX-PER-EM SPACE

> in computer typography sometimes equated to thin space

≈ 0020 sp space

FIGURE SPACE 2007

• space equal to tabular width of a font

• this is equivalent to the digit width of fonts with fixed-width digits

≈ <noBreak> 0020 SP

2008 \$ PUNCTUATION SPACE

• space equal to narrow punctuation of a font

≈ 0020 sp space

2009 TH THIN SPACE

• a fifth of an em (or sometimes a sixth)

→ 202F narrow no-break space

≈ 0020 sp space

200A SP HAIR SPACE

• thinner than a thin space

• in traditional typography, the thinnest space

available

≈ 0020 sp space

ZERO WIDTH SPACE 200B

• commonly abbreviated ZWSP

• this character is intended for invisible word separation and for line break control; it has no width, but its presence between two characters does not prevent increased letter spacing in

justification

Format characters

ZERO WIDTH NON-JOINER 200C

commonly abbreviated ZWNJ

200D **ZERO WIDTH JOINER**

commonly abbreviated ZWJ

200E **LEFT-TO-RIGHT MARK**

• commonly abbreviated LRM

200F **RIGHT-TO-LEFT MARK**

commonly abbreviated RLM

Dashes

2010 **HYPHEN**

→ 002D - hyphen-minus

→ 00AD SHY soft hyphen

2011 NON-BREAKING HYPHEN

→ 002D - hyphen-minus

→ 00AD SHY soft hyphen

≈ <noBreak> 2010 -

2012 FIGURE DASH

2013 **EN DASH**

2014 **EM DASH**

• may be used in pairs to offset parenthetical text

→ 2E3A [2M] two-em dash

→ 30FC — katakana-hiragana prolonged sound

mark

2015 — HORIZONTAL BAR

= quotation dash

• long dash introducing quoted text

General punctuation

2016 □ DOUBLE VERTICAL LINE

• used in pairs to indicate norm of a matrix

→ 20E6 \$\psi\$ combining double vertical stroke

overlay

→ 2225 **|** parallel to **DOUBLE LOW LINE** 2017

• this is a spacing character

 \rightarrow 005F _ low line

→ 0333 o combining double low line

≈ 0020 sp 0333 <u>o</u>

Quotation marks and apostrophe

Use of quotation marks differs by language. The character names cannot reflect actual usage for all languages.

2018 **LEFT SINGLE QUOTATION MARK**

= single turned comma quotation mark

• this is the preferred character (as opposed to 201B')

ightarrow 0027 ' apostrophe ightarrow 028B ' modifier letter turned comma

→ 275B • heavy single turned comma quotation

mark ornament

2019 RIGHT SINGLE QUOTATION MARK

= single comma quotation mark

• this is the preferred character to use for

apostrophe

→ 0027 ' apostrophe → 02BC' modifier letter apostrophe

→ 275C • heavy single comma quotation mark

ornament

201A SINGLE LOW-9 QUOTATION MARK

= low single comma quotation mark

• used as opening single quotation mark in some

languages

201B SINGLE HIGH-REVERSED-9 OUOTATION MARK

= single reversed comma quotation mark

• has same semantic as 2018 ', but differs in appearance

→ 02BD 'modifier letter reversed comma

201C	"	LEFT DOUBLE QUOTATION MARK	2029	P	PARAGRAPH SEPARATOR
		 double turned comma quotation mark this is the preferred character (as opposed to 201F ") 	202A	LRE	 may be used to represent this semantic unambiguously LEFT-TO-RIGHT EMBEDDING
		→ 0022 " quotation mark	2027	[::::]	• commonly abbreviated LRE
		→ 275D ⁶⁶ heavy double turned comma quotation mark ornament	202B	RLE	RIGHT-TO-LEFT EMBEDDING • commonly abbreviated RLE
		→ 301D " reversed double prime quotation mark	202C	PDF	POP DIRECTIONAL FORMATTING
201D	,,	RIGHT DOUBLE QUOTATION MARK	202D	LRO	 commonly abbreviated PDF LEFT-TO-RIGHT OVERRIDE
		= double comma quotation mark			• commonly abbreviated LRO
		→ 0022 " quotation mark → 2033 " double prime	202E	RLO	RIGHT-TO-LEFT OVERRIDE
		→ 275E • heavy double comma quotation mark	2025	NNR!	• commonly abbreviated RLO
		ornament	202F	NNB SP	NARROW NO-BREAK SPACE • commonly abbreviated NNBSP
201E		→ 301E ″ double prime quotation mark			• a narrow form of a no-break space, typically the
2016	,,	DOUBLE LOW-9 QUOTATION MARK = low double comma quotation mark			width of a thin space or a mid space
		• used as opening double quotation mark in			→ 00A0 space
		some languages			→ 2005 four-per-em space → 2009 thin space
2015	٠,	→ 301F // low double prime quotation mark			≈ $<$ noBreak> 0020 $ $ sP
201F		DOUBLE HIGH-REVERSED-9 QUOTATION MARK = double reversed comma quotation mark	Gene	ral n	unctuation
		• has same semantic as 201C ", but differs in	2030		PER MILLE SIGN
		appearance		,00	= permille, per thousand
Gene	ral p	unctuation			• used, for example, in measures of blood alcohol
2020	†	DAGGER			content, salinity, etc. → 0025 % percent sign
		= obelisk, obelus, long cross			→ 0609 /- arabic-indic per mille sign
2021	‡	→ 2E38 ‡ turned dagger DOUBLE DAGGER	2031	‰	PER TEN THOUSAND SIGN
2021	+	= diesis, double obelisk			= permyriad
2022	•	BULLET			• percent of a percent, rarely used
		= black small circle			→ 0025 % percent sign → 060A /- arabic-indic per ten thousand sign
		→ 00B7 · middle dot	2032	,	PRIME
		→ 2024 . one dot leader → 2219 • bullet operator			= minutes, feet
		→ 25D8 inverse bullet			→ 0027 ' apostrophe
		→ 25E6 • white bullet			→ 00B4 ′ acute accent
2023	٠	TRIANGULAR BULLET	2033	"	→ 02B9 ′ modifier letter prime DOUBLE PRIME
		→ 220E ■ end of proof → 25B8 ► black right-pointing small triangle	2000		= seconds, inches
2024		ONE DOT LEADER			→ 0022 " quotation mark
2021	•	• also used as an Armenian semicolon (mijaket)			→ 02BA " modifier letter double prime
		→ 00B7 · middle dot			→ 201D" right double quotation mark
		→ 2022 • bullet			→ 3003 ″ ditto mark → 301E ″ double prime quotation mark
		→ 2219 • bullet operator ≈ 002E . full stop			≈ 2032′ 2032′
2025		TWO DOT LEADER	2034	""	TRIPLE PRIME
2020	••	≈ 002E . 002E .			= lines (old measure, 1/12 of an inch)
2026		HORIZONTAL ELLIPSIS	2035	,	≈ 2032′2032′2032′ REVERSED PRIME
		= three dot leader	2000		→ 0060 ` grave accent
		→ 22EE : vertical ellipsis → FE19 : presentation form for vertical	2036	"	REVERSED DOUBLE PRIME
		horizontal ellipsis			→ 301D " reversed double prime quotation
		≈ 002E. 002E. 002E.			mark
2027	•	HYPHENATION POINT	2037	***	≈ 2035 ` 2035 ` REVERSED TRIPLE PRIME
		• visible symbol used to indicate correct positions for word breaking, as in diction-aries	2001		≈ 2035 \ 2035 \ 2035 \
Fa	-4 -l-	- ·	2038	^	CARET
2028		ATACTERS			→ 2303 ^ up arrowhead
2020	SEP	LINE SEPARATORmay be used to represent this semantic			→ A788 _ modifier letter low circumflex accent
		unambiguously			

Quotation marks			2049	!?	EXCLAMATION QUESTION MARK
-			2049	1.4	~ 2049 FE0E text style
2039	<	SINGLE LEFT-POINTING ANGLE QUOTATION			~ 2049 FE0F emoji style
		MARK = left pointing single guillemet			≈ 0021! 003F?
		usually opening, sometimes closing	_	_	
		→ 003C < less-than sign	Gene	ral p	unctuation
		→ 2329 〈 left-pointing angle bracket	204A	٦	TIRONIAN SIGN ET
		→ 3008 < left angle bracket			• Irish Gaelic, Old English,
203A	>	SINGLE RIGHT-POINTING ANGLE QUOTATION			→ 0026 & ampersand
200/	,	MARK	204B	P	REVERSED PILCROW SIGN
		= right pointing single guillemet			→ 00B6 ¶ pilcrow sign
		• usually closing, sometimes opening	204C	■	BLACK LEFTWARDS BULLET
		→ 003E > greater-than sign	204D	D	BLACK RIGHTWARDS BULLET
		→ 232A \right-pointing angle bracket	204E	*	LOW ASTERISK
		→ 3009 > right angle bracket			→ 002A * asterisk
Gana	מובי				→ 0359 * combining asterisk below
	-	unctuation	204F	;	REVERSED SEMICOLON
203B	Ж	REFERENCE MARK			→ 003B; semicolon
		= Japanese kome	2050	\Box	CLOSE UP
		= Urdu paragraph separator			• editing mark
		→ 0FBF * tibetan ku ru kha bzhi mig can → 200AD ※ cjk unified ideograph-200AD	2051	*	TWO ASTERISKS ALIGNED VERTICALLY
		. ,	2052	7.	COMMERCIAL MINUS SIGN
Doub	le pu	unctuation for vertical text			= abzüglich (German), med avdrag av (Swedish),
203C	!!	DOUBLE EXCLAMATION MARK			piska (Swedish, "whip")
		→ 0021! exclamation mark			a common glyph variant and fallback
		~ 203C FE0E text style			representation looks like ./.
		~ 203C FE0F emoji style			 may also be used as a dingbat to indicate correctness
		≈ 0021! 0021!			• used in Finno-Ugric Phonetic Alphabet to
Gene	ral p	unctuation			indicate a related borrowed form with different
203D	?	INTERROBANG			sound
		→ 0021! exclamation mark			→ 0025 % percent sign
		→ 003F ? question mark			→ 066A ¹ /- arabic percent sign
		→ 2E18 i, inverted interrobang	2053	~	SWUNG DASH
203E	_	OVERLINE			→007E ~ tilde
		= spacing overscore	2054	_	INVERTED UNDERTIE
		≈ 0020 sp 0305 ¯	2055	*	FLOWER PUNCTUATION MARK
203F	_	UNDERTIE			= phul, puspika
		= Greek enotikon			 used as a punctuation mark with Syloti Nagri,
		→ 2323 — smile			Bengali and other Indic scripts
2040		CHARACTER TIE			→ 274B * heavy eight teardrop-spoked
		= z notation sequence concatenation			propeller asterisk
		→ 2322 ~ frown	Archa	ic pu	unctuation
2041	λ		2056	•:	THREE DOT PUNCTUATION
		• proofreader's mark: insert here	Gene	ral p	unctuation
		→ 22CC × right semidirect product	2057	////	QUADRUPLE PRIME
2042	* **	ASTERISM	2001		≈ 2032′ 2032′ 2032′
2043	-	HYPHEN BULLET			
2044	/	FRACTION SLASH	Archa	ic pu	unctuation
		= solidus (in typography)	2058	\div	FOUR DOT PUNCTUATION
		• for composing arbitrary fractions	2059	::	FIVE DOT PUNCTUATION
		→ 002F / solidus			= Greek pentonkion
00.1-	_	→ 2215 / division slash			= quincunx
2045	E	LEFT SQUARE BRACKET WITH QUILL			→ 2684 🗵 die face-5
2046	}	RIGHT SQUARE BRACKET WITH QUILL	205A		TWO DOT PUNCTUATION
Doub	le pu	ınctuation for vertical text			• historically used to indicate the end of a
2047	??				sentence or change of speaker
	• •	≈ 003F ? 003F ?			• extends from baseline to cap height
2048	?!	QUESTION EXCLAMATION MARK			→ FE30 : presentation form for vertical two dot
	••	≈ 003F? 0021!			leader
					→ 1015B:greek acrophonic epidaurean two

- 205B FOUR DOT MARK
 - used by scribes in the margin as highlighter
 - this is centered on the line, but extends beyond top and bottom of the line
- 205C DOTTED CROSS
 - used by scribes in the margin as highlighter mark
- 205D TRICOLON
 - = Epidaurean acrophonic symbol three
 - → 22EE : vertical ellipsis → 2AF6: triple colon operator
 - → FE19 : presentation form for vertical horizontal ellipsis
- 205E i VERTICAL FOUR DOTS
 - used in dictionaries to indicate legal but undesirable word break
 - glyph extends the whole height of the line

Space

- 205F MEDIUM MATHEMATICAL SPACE
 - abbreviated MMSP
 - four-eighteenths of an em
 - ≈ 0020 sp space

Format character

- 2060 WJ WORD JOINER
 - commonly abbreviated WJ
 - a zero width non-breaking space (only)
 - intended for disambiguation of functions for byte order mark
 - → FEFF zero width no-break space

Invisible operators

- 2061 FUNCTION APPLICATION
 - contiguity operator indicating application of a function
- 2062 X INVISIBLE TIMES
 - contiguity operator indicating multiplication
- 2063 , INVISIBLE SEPARATOR
 - = invisible comma
 - contiguity operator indicating that adjacent mathematical symbols form a list, e.g. when no visible comma is used between multiple indices
- + INVISIBLE PLUS 2064
 - contiguity operator indicating addition

Deprecated

Use of these characters is strongly discouraged.

- 206A INHIBIT SYMMETRIC SWAPPING
- 206B **ACTIVATE SYMMETRIC SWAPPING** A S **S**
- 206C INHIBIT ARABIC FORM SHAPING AFS 206D AFS **ACTIVATE ARABIC FORM SHAPING**
- 206E NATIONAL DIGIT SHAPES
- 206F NO DS NOMINAL DIGIT SHAPES