

## General Punctuation

**Range: 2000–206F**

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












































































































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





















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



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


### Spaces

- 2000  EN QUAD  
≡ 2002  en space
- 2001  EM QUAD  
= mutton quad  
≡ 2003  em space
- 2002  EN SPACE  
= nut  
• half an em  
≈ 0020  space
- 2003  EM SPACE  
= mutton  
• nominally, a space equal to the type size in points  
• may scale by the condensation factor of a font  
≈ 0020  space
- 2004  THREE-PER-EM SPACE  
= thick space  
≈ 0020  space
- 2005  FOUR-PER-EM SPACE  
= mid space  
≈ 0020  space
- 2006  SIX-PER-EM SPACE  
• in computer typography sometimes equated to thin space  
≈ 0020  space
- 2007  FIGURE SPACE  
• space equal to tabular width of a font  
• this is equivalent to the digit width of fonts with fixed-width digits  
≈ <noBreak> 0020  space
- 2008  PUNCTUATION SPACE  
• space equal to narrow punctuation of a font  
≈ 0020  space
- 2009  THIN SPACE  
• a fifth of an em (or sometimes a sixth)  
→ 202F  narrow no-break space  
≈ 0020  space
- 200A  HAIR SPACE  
• thinner than a thin space  
• in traditional typography, the thinnest space available  
≈ 0020  space





### Format characters

- 200B  ZERO WIDTH SPACE  
• 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
- 200C  ZERO WIDTH NON-JOINER  
• 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  
→ 061C  arabic letter mark

### Dashes

- 2010 - HYPHEN  
→ 002D - hyphen-minus  
→ 00AD  soft hyphen
- 2011  NON-BREAKING HYPHEN  
→ 002D - hyphen-minus  
→ 00AD  soft hyphen  
≈ <noBreak> 2010 -
- 2012 — FIGURE DASH
- 2013 — EN DASH
- 2014 — EM DASH  
• may be used in pairs to offset parenthetical text  
→ 2E3A  two-em dash  
→ 30FC — katakana-hiragana prolonged sound mark
- 2015 — HORIZONTAL BAR  
= quotation dash  
• long dash introducing quoted text

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- 2016 || DOUBLE VERTICAL LINE  
• used in pairs to indicate norm of a matrix  
→ 20E6  combining double vertical stroke overlay  
→ 2225 || parallel to  
→ 23F8 || double vertical bar
- 2017 = DOUBLE LOW LINE  
• this is a spacing character  
→ 005F \_ low line  
→ 0333  combining double low line  
≈ 0020  0333 

### 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 ‘)  
→ 0027 ' apostrophe  
→ 02BB ‘ 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 QUOTATION 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  
= double turned comma quotation mark  
• this is the preferred character (as opposed to 201F “)  
→ 0022 " quotation mark  
→ 275D “ heavy double turned comma quotation mark ornament  
→ 301D ⁞ reversed double prime quotation mark
- 201D ” RIGHT DOUBLE QUOTATION MARK  
= double comma quotation mark  
→ 0022 " quotation mark  
→ 2033 ⁞ double prime  
→ 275E “ heavy double comma quotation mark ornament  
→ 301E ⁞ double prime quotation mark
- 201E „ DOUBLE LOW-9 QUOTATION MARK  
= low double comma quotation mark  
• used as opening double quotation mark in some languages  
→ 2E42 „ double low-reversed-9 quotation mark  
→ 301F ⁞ low double prime quotation mark
- 201F “ DOUBLE HIGH-REVERSED-9 QUOTATION MARK  
= double reversed comma quotation mark  
• has same semantic as 201C “, but differs in appearance

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- 2020 † DAGGER  
= obelisk, long cross, oblong cross  
→ 2E38 † turned dagger
- 2021 ‡ DOUBLE DAGGER  
= diesis, double obelisk  
→ 2E4B ‡ triple dagger
- 2022 • BULLET  
= black small circle  
→ 00B7 · middle dot  
→ 2024 . one dot leader  
→ 2219 • bullet operator  
→ 25D8 ◻ inverse bullet  
→ 25E6 ◦ white bullet
- 2023 ▶ TRIANGULAR BULLET  
→ 220E ■ end of proof  
→ 25B8 ▶ black right-pointing small triangle
- 2024 . ONE DOT LEADER  
• also used as an Armenian semicolon (mijaket)  
→ 00B7 · middle dot  
→ 2022 • bullet  
→ 2219 • bullet operator  
≈ 002E . full stop
- 2025 .. TWO DOT LEADER  
≈ 002E . 002E .
- 2026 ... HORIZONTAL ELLIPSIS  
= three dot leader  
→ 22EE ∴ vertical ellipsis  
→ FE19 ⋮ presentation form for vertical horizontal ellipsis  
≈ 002E . 002E . 002E .
- 2027 · HYPHENATION POINT  
• visible symbol used to indicate correct positions for word breaking, as in dic-tion-ar-ies

**Format characters**

- 2028 ⚭ LINE SEPARATOR  
• may be used to represent this semantic unambiguously
- 2029 ¶ PARAGRAPH SEPARATOR  
• may be used to represent this semantic unambiguously
- 202A ↪ LEFT-TO-RIGHT EMBEDDING  
• commonly abbreviated LRE
- 202B ↩ RIGHT-TO-LEFT EMBEDDING  
• commonly abbreviated RLE
- 202C ↲ POP DIRECTIONAL FORMATTING  
• commonly abbreviated PDF
- 202D ↲ LEFT-TO-RIGHT OVERRIDE  
• commonly abbreviated LRO
- 202E ↩ RIGHT-TO-LEFT OVERRIDE  
• commonly abbreviated RLO
- 202F ⁝ NARROW NO-BREAK SPACE  
• commonly abbreviated NNBS  
• a narrow form of a no-break space, typically the width of a thin space or a mid space  
→ 00A0 ⁝ no-break space  
→ 2005 ⁝ four-per-em space  
→ 2009 ⁝ thin space  
≈ <noBreak> 0020 ⁝

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- 2030 ‰ PER MILLE SIGN  
= permille, per thousand  
• used, for example, in measures of blood alcohol content, salinity, etc.  
→ 0025 ‰ percent sign  
→ 0609 ‰ arabic-indic per mille sign
- 2031 ‰ PER TEN THOUSAND SIGN  
= permyriad  
• percent of a percent, rarely used  
→ 0025 ‰ percent sign  
→ 060A ‰ arabic-indic per ten thousand sign
- 2032 ′ PRIME  
= minutes, feet  
→ 0027 ′ apostrophe  
→ 00B4 ´ acute accent  
→ 02B9 ´ modifier letter prime
- 2033 ″ DOUBLE PRIME  
= seconds, inches  
→ 0022 ″ quotation mark  
→ 02BA ″ modifier letter double prime  
→ 201D ″ right double quotation mark  
→ 3003 ″ ditto mark  
→ 301E ⁞ double prime quotation mark  
≈ 2032 ′ 2032 ′
- 2034 ‴ TRIPLE PRIME  
= lines (old measure, 1/12 of an inch)  
≈ 2032 ′ 2032 ′ 2032 ′
- 2035 ` REVERSED PRIME  
→ 0060 ` grave accent
- 2036 ⁞ REVERSED DOUBLE PRIME  
→ 301D ⁞ reversed double prime quotation mark  
≈ 2035 ` 2035 `
- 2037 ⁝ REVERSED TRIPLE PRIME  
≈ 2035 ` 2035 ` 2035 `

- 2038 ^ CARET  
 → 2303 ^ up arrowhead  
 → A788 ˘ modifier letter low circumflex accent

**Quotation marks**

- 2039 < SINGLE LEFT-POINTING ANGLE QUOTATION MARK  
 = left pointing single guillemet  
 • usually opening, sometimes closing  
 → 003C < less-than sign  
 → 2329 ‹ left-pointing angle bracket  
 → 3008 ‹ left angle bracket
- 203A > SINGLE RIGHT-POINTING ANGLE QUOTATION MARK  
 = right pointing single guillemet  
 • usually closing, sometimes opening  
 → 003E > greater-than sign  
 → 232A › right-pointing angle bracket  
 → 3009 › right angle bracket

**General punctuation**

- 203B ※ REFERENCE MARK  
 = Japanese kome  
 = Urdu paragraph separator  
 → 0FBF ༎ tibetan ku ru kha bzhi mig can  
 → 200AD 𑌀 cjk unified ideograph-200AD

**Double punctuation for vertical text**

- 203C !! DOUBLE EXCLAMATION MARK  
 → 0021 ! exclamation mark  
 ≈ 0021 ! 0021 !

**General punctuation**

- 203D ? INTERROBANG  
 → 0021 ! exclamation mark  
 → 003F ? question mark  
 → 2E18 ̡ inverted interrobang  
 → 1F679 ̢ heavy interrobang ornament
- 203E ‾ OVERLINE  
 = spacing overscore  
 ≈ 0020 ̄ 0305 ̅
- 203F ‿ UNDERTIE  
 = Greek enotikon  
 → 2323 ‿ smile
- 2040 ‿ CHARACTER TIE  
 = z notation sequence concatenation  
 → 2322 ‿ frown
- 2041 ˆ CARET INSERTION POINT  
 • proofreader's mark: insert here  
 → 22CC ˆ right semidirect product
- 2042 ✱ ASTERISM
- 2043 ▪ HYPHEN BULLET  
 → 002D - hyphen-minus
- 2044 / FRACTION SLASH  
 = solidus (in typography)  
 • for composing arbitrary fractions  
 → 002F / solidus  
 → 2215 / division slash

**Brackets**

- 2045 [ LEFT SQUARE BRACKET WITH QUILL  
 → 2E20 } left vertical bar with quill
- 2046 ] RIGHT SQUARE BRACKET WITH QUILL

**Double punctuation for vertical text**

- 2047 ?? DOUBLE QUESTION MARK  
 ≈ 003F ? 003F ?

- 2048 ?! QUESTION EXCLAMATION MARK  
 ≈ 003F ? 0021 !
- 2049 !? EXCLAMATION QUESTION MARK  
 ≈ 0021 ! 003F ?

**General punctuation**

- 204A ȷ TIRONIAN SIGN ET  
 • Irish Gaelic, Old English, ...  
 → 0026 & ampersand  
 → 1F670 ȷ script ligature et ornament
- 204B ¶ REVERSED PILCROW SIGN  
 → 00B6 ¶ pilcrow sign  
 → 2E4D ¶ paragraphus mark
- 204C ◄ BLACK LEFTWARDS BULLET
- 204D ► BLACK RIGHTWARDS BULLET
- 204E \* LOW ASTERISK  
 → 002A \* asterisk  
 → 0359 ⁂ combining asterisk below
- 204F ; REVERSED SEMICOLON  
 • also used in Sindhi  
 → 003B ; semicolon  
 → 061B ؛ arabic semicolon
- 2050 ○ CLOSE UP  
 • editing mark  
 → AB5B ˘ modifier breve with inverted breve
- 2051 \*\* TWO ASTERISKS ALIGNED VERTICALLY
- 2052 % COMMERCIAL MINUS SIGN  
 = abzüglich (German), med avdrag av (Swedish), piska (Swedish, "whip")  
 • a common glyph variant and fallback representation looks like ./.  
 • may also be used as a dingbat to indicate correctness  
 • used in Finno-Ugric Phonetic Alphabet to indicate a related borrowed form with different sound  
 → 0025 % percent sign  
 → 066A ٪ arabic percent sign  
 → 00F7 ÷ division sign
- 2053 ~ SWUNG DASH  
 → 007E ~ tilde
- 2054 ‾ INVERTED UNDERTIE
- 2055 \* FLOWER PUNCTUATION MARK  
 = phul, puspika  
 • used as a punctuation mark with Syloti Nagri, Bengali and other Indic scripts  
 → 274B \* heavy eight teardrop-spoked propeller asterisk

**Archaic punctuation**

- 2056 ∴ THREE DOT PUNCTUATION  
 → 10FB ∴ georgian paragraph separator

**General punctuation**

- 2057 ⁂ QUADRUPLE PRIME  
 ≈ 2032 ' 2032 ' 2032 ' 2032 '



**Archaic punctuation**

See also historic punctuation with multiple dots in the range 2E2A-2E2D.



- 2058 ∴ FOUR DOT PUNCTUATION
- 2059 ∴ FIVE DOT PUNCTUATION  
 = Greek pentonkion  
 = quincunx  
 → 2684 ☒ die face-5

- 205A ∷ TWO DOT PUNCTUATION
- historically used to indicate the end of a sentence or change of speaker
  - extends from baseline to cap height
  - FE30 ∷ presentation form for vertical two dot leader
  - 1015B ∷ greek acrophonic epidaurean two
- 205B ∷∷ FOUR DOT MARK
- used by scribes in the margin as highlighter mark
  - 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 ∷∷∷ VERTICAL FOUR DOTS
- used in dictionaries to indicate legal but undesirable word break
  - glyph extends the whole height of the line
  - 2E3D ∷∷∷ vertical six dots





**Space**

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





**Format character**

- 2060  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  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
- 2064  INVISIBLE PLUS
- contiguity operator indicating addition




**Format characters**

- 2066  LEFT-TO-RIGHT ISOLATE
- 2067  RIGHT-TO-LEFT ISOLATE
- 2068  FIRST STRONG ISOLATE
- 2069  POP DIRECTIONAL ISOLATE

**Deprecated**

*Use of these characters is strongly discouraged.*

- 206A  INHIBIT SYMMETRIC SWAPPING
- 206B  ACTIVATE SYMMETRIC SWAPPING
- 206C  INHIBIT ARABIC FORM SHAPING

- 206D  ACTIVATE ARABIC FORM SHAPING
- 206E  NATIONAL DIGIT SHAPES
- 206F  NOMINAL DIGIT SHAPES