

ISO/IEC JTC 1/SC2/WG2 IRG Ideographic Rapporteur Group

Source/Contributor Identifier: The Unicode Consortium

Meeting: IRG #18 (Tokyo)

Title: IRG Hanyu Da Zidian data errata

Keywords: (none)

Status: For incorporation into SuperCJK

Short description: Corrects errors in SuperCJK Hanyu Da Zidian positions

Proposed Conclusion/Requested Action:

The data should be evaluated and incorporated into SuperCJK

Arguments/Text of Contribution:

Follows

Richard Cook of the University of California, Berkeley, has examined the kIRGHanyuDaZidian field of the Unihan database, which is ported directly from the IRG's SuperCJK data. He has identified 587 errors and omissions and has sent a plain text file to Unicode describing the correct data.

The text file can be made available to the editor at any point.

We request that the IRG incorporate these data into the IRG's SuperCJK data. The Hanyu Da Zidian is an important reference work. Since some Unicode characters are now identified on the basis of their inclusion in the Hanyu Da Zidian, it would be unfortunate for errors in that data to persist.

We have already incorporated these data in the Unicode Consortium's Unihan database; they will be released as such with the next release of the Unihan database.