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I recently became aware of the China (PRC) standard SJ/T 11239-2001 (see the attachment to this PDF file). This standard includes 2,501 hanzi, and one report suggests that two-thirds of its characters are already encoded in UCS. This means that slightly more than 1,000 of the hanzi in this standard are not yet in UCS, and thus unencoded.

According to China, how relevant or useful is this particular standard? And, should the characters that have been determined to be not-yet-encoded be considered for a future CJK Unified Ideographs extension?

That is all.