

Universal Multiple-Octet Coded Character Set
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1. **CNS 11643:2007/Amd.2:2025, Planes 3-7**

At the end of 2024, the BSMI (Bureau of Standards, Metrology and Inspection) has completed the revision of CNS 11643, planes 3 to 7, which are expected to be published in 2025 as a supplemental addendum. The codebook glyphs for these five planes are from the MOE (Ministry of Education). The MOE invited experts in philology to revise some of the glyphs after discussing issues such as consistency of components and the glyph of literary sources, while BSMI completed the revision of CNS 11643 in the new version of the glyphs. The website of the Full Font Database (全字庫) will be updated in tandem with the new version of CNS 11643. Please refer to IRGN2778 and IRGN2779 for the parts of glyphs and codepoints that need to be updated or changed.

2. **Cross-Agency Support for CNS 11643 Revisions**

The revision process of the ideographs of CNS 11643, planes 3 to 7, was quite cautious. After the font adjustment was completed, the BSMI invited major user agencies such as the Household Registration Office, Land Administration Office, Immigration Office, Labor Insurance Office, National Health Insurance Office, and National Tax Office to participate in the discussion so that each agency could understand the changes in the new version of the standard. As the

change in character codes may affect the systems of various agencies, after careful evaluation by each agency, everyone agreed to cooperate with the revision within an acceptable range and to convert the database in the future.

3. CNS 11643 Plane 10

The revision of CNS 11643 will be reviewed based on funding conditions. Therefore, the plane 10 is planned to be revised this year, and the new version is expected to be announced in 2026.

4. CJK Components Review Tool

According to the IRG#63 meeting recommendation (M63.17), TCA studied N2733R. Considering the convenience of experts in discussing and reviewing the parts, it was decided to set up a "Component Review Online Tool " to make it easier for all parties to discuss (<https://comp.cmex.org.tw/indexS.jsp>). TCA has added the CNS 11643-2 component data to the website, and experts from TCA and China are currently compiling and adding component data on an on-going basis. Anyone interested in component encoding is welcome to join the discussion.

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