

# Language Codes

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| Language Code | Language Name                  |
|---------------|--------------------------------|
| aar           | Afar                           |
| abk           | Abkhaz                         |
| ace           | Achinese                       |
| ach           | Acoli                          |
| ada           | Adangme                        |
| ady           | Adygei                         |
| afa           | Afroasiatic (Other)            |
| afh           | Afrihili (Artificial language) |
| afz           | Afrikaans                      |
| ain           | Ainu                           |
| -ajm          | Aljamía                        |
| aka           | Akan                           |
| akk           | Akkadian                       |
| alb           | Albanian                       |
| ale           | Aleut                          |
| alg           | Algonquian (Other)             |
| alt           | Altai                          |
| amh           | Amharic                        |
| ang           | English, Old (ca. 450-1100)    |
| anp           | Angika                         |
| apa           | Apache languages               |
| ara           | Arabic                         |
| arc           | Aramaic                        |
| arg           | Aragonese                      |
| arm           | Armenian                       |
| arn           | Mapuche                        |
| arp           | Arapaho                        |
| art           | Artificial (Other)             |
| arw           | Arawak                         |
| asm           | Assamese                       |
| ast           | Bable                          |
| ath           | Athapascan (Other)             |
| aus           | Australian languages           |
| ava           | Avaric                         |
| ave           | Avestan                        |
| awa           | Awadhi                         |
| aym           | Aymara                         |

|      |                                 |
|------|---------------------------------|
| aze  | Azerbaijani                     |
| bad  | Banda languages                 |
| bai  | Bamileke languages              |
| bak  | Bashkir                         |
| bal  | Baluchi                         |
| bam  | Bambara                         |
| ban  | Balinese                        |
| baq  | Basque                          |
| bas  | Basa                            |
| bat  | Baltic (Other)                  |
| bej  | Beja                            |
| bel  | Belarusian                      |
| bem  | Bemba                           |
| ben  | Bengali                         |
| ber  | Berber (Other)                  |
| bho  | Bhojpuri                        |
| bih  | Bihari (Other)                  |
| bik  | Bikol                           |
| bin  | Edo                             |
| bis  | Bislama                         |
| bla  | Siksika                         |
| bnt  | Bantu (Other)                   |
| bos  | Bosnian                         |
| bra  | Braj                            |
| bre  | Breton                          |
| btk  | Batak                           |
| bua  | Buriat                          |
| bug  | Bugis                           |
| bul  | Bulgarian                       |
| bur  | Burmese                         |
| byn  | Bilin                           |
| cad  | Caddo                           |
| cai  | Central American Indian (Other) |
| -cam | Khmer                           |
| car  | Carib                           |
| cat  | Catalan                         |
| cau  | Caucasian (Other)               |
| ceb  | Cebuano                         |
| cel  | Celtic (Other)                  |
| cha  | Chamorro                        |
| chb  | Chibcha                         |

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|-----|-----------------------------------------------|
| che | Chechen                                       |
| chg | Chagatai                                      |
| chi | Chinese                                       |
| chk | Chuukese                                      |
| chm | Mari                                          |
| chn | Chinook jargon                                |
| cho | Choctaw                                       |
| chp | Chipewyan                                     |
| chr | Cherokee                                      |
| chu | Church Slavic                                 |
| chv | Chuvash                                       |
| chy | Cheyenne                                      |
| cmc | Chamic languages                              |
| cnr | Montenegrin                                   |
| cop | Coptic                                        |
| cor | Cornish                                       |
| cos | Corsican                                      |
| cpe | Creoles and Pidgins, English-based (Other)    |
| cpf | Creoles and Pidgins, French-based (Other)     |
| cpp | Creoles and Pidgins, Portuguese-based (Other) |
| cre | Cree                                          |
| crh | Crimean Tatar                                 |
| crp | Creoles and Pidgins (Other)                   |
| csb | Kashubian                                     |
| cus | Cushitic (Other)                              |
| cze | Czech                                         |
| dak | Dakota                                        |
| dan | Danish                                        |
| dar | Dargwa                                        |
| day | Dayak                                         |
| del | Delaware                                      |
| den | Slavey                                        |
| dgr | Dogrib                                        |
| din | Dinka                                         |
| div | Divehi                                        |
| doi | Dogri                                         |
| dra | Dravidian (Other)                             |
| dsb | Lower Sorbian                                 |
| dua | Duala                                         |
| dum | Dutch, Middle (ca. 1050-1350)                 |
| dut | Dutch                                         |

|      |                                |
|------|--------------------------------|
| dyu  | Dyula                          |
| dzo  | Dzongkha                       |
| efi  | Efik                           |
| egy  | Egyptian                       |
| eka  | Ekajuk                         |
| elx  | Elamite                        |
| eng  | English                        |
| enm  | English, Middle (1100-1500)    |
| epo  | Esperanto                      |
| -esk | Eskimo languages               |
| -esp | Esperanto                      |
| est  | Estonian                       |
| -eth | Ethiopic                       |
| ewe  | Ewe                            |
| ewo  | Ewondo                         |
| fan  | Fang                           |
| fao  | Faroese                        |
| -far | Faroese                        |
| fat  | Fanti                          |
| fij  | Fijian                         |
| fil  | Filipino                       |
| fin  | Finnish                        |
| fiu  | Finno-Ugrian (Other)           |
| fon  | Fon                            |
| fre  | French                         |
| -fri | Frisian                        |
| frm  | French, Middle (ca. 1300-1600) |
| fro  | French, Old (ca. 842-1300)     |
| frr  | North Frisian                  |
| frs  | East Frisian                   |
| fry  | Frisian                        |
| ful  | Fula                           |
| fur  | Friulian                       |
| gaa  | Gã                             |
| -gae | Scottish Gaelic                |
| -gag | Galician                       |
| -gal | Oromo                          |
| gay  | Gayo                           |
| gba  | Gbaya                          |
| gem  | Germanic (Other)               |
| geo  | Georgian                       |

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|------|-------------------------------------|
| ger  | German                              |
| gez  | Ethiopic                            |
| gil  | Gilbertese                          |
| gla  | Scottish Gaelic                     |
| gle  | Irish                               |
| glg  | Galician                            |
| glv  | Manx                                |
| gmh  | German, Middle High (ca. 1050-1500) |
| goh  | German, Old High (ca. 750-1050)     |
| gon  | Gondi                               |
| gor  | Gorontalo                           |
| got  | Gothic                              |
| grb  | Grebo                               |
| grc  | Greek, Ancient (to 1453)            |
| gre  | Greek, Modern (1453-)               |
| grn  | Guarani                             |
| gsw  | Swiss German                        |
| -gua | Guarani                             |
| guj  | Gujarati                            |
| gwi  | Gwich'in                            |
| hai  | Haida                               |
| hat  | Haitian French Creole               |
| hau  | Hausa                               |
| haw  | Hawaiian                            |
| heb  | Hebrew                              |
| her  | Herero                              |
| hil  | Hiligaynon                          |
| him  | Western Pahari languages            |
| hin  | Hindi                               |
| hit  | Hittite                             |
| hmn  | Hmong                               |
| hmo  | Hiri Motu                           |
| hrv  | Croatian                            |
| hsb  | Upper Sorbian                       |
| hun  | Hungarian                           |
| hup  | Hupa                                |
| iba  | Iban                                |
| ibo  | Igbo                                |
| ice  | Icelandic                           |
| ido  | Ido                                 |
| iii  | Sichuan Yi                          |

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|------|------------------------------------------------------------|
| ijo  | Ijo                                                        |
| iku  | Inuktitut                                                  |
| ile  | Interlingue                                                |
| ilo  | Iloko                                                      |
| ina  | Interlingua (International Auxiliary Language Association) |
| inc  | Indic (Other)                                              |
| ind  | Indonesian                                                 |
| ine  | Indo-European (Other)                                      |
| inh  | Ingush                                                     |
| -int | Interlingua (International Auxiliary Language Association) |
| ipk  | Inupiaq                                                    |
| ira  | Iranian (Other)                                            |
| -iri | Irish                                                      |
| iro  | Iroquoian (Other)                                          |
| ita  | Italian                                                    |
| jav  | Javanese                                                   |
| jbo  | Lojban (Artificial language)                               |
| jpn  | Japanese                                                   |
| jpr  | Judeo-Persian                                              |
| jrb  | Judeo-Arabic                                               |
| kaa  | Kara-Kalpak                                                |
| kab  | Kabyle                                                     |
| kac  | Kachin                                                     |
| kal  | Kalâtdlisut                                                |
| kam  | Kamba                                                      |
| kan  | Kannada                                                    |
| kar  | Karen languages                                            |
| kas  | Kashmiri                                                   |
| kau  | Kanuri                                                     |
| kaw  | Kawi                                                       |
| kaz  | Kazakh                                                     |
| kbd  | Kabardian                                                  |
| kha  | Khasi                                                      |
| khi  | Khoisan (Other)                                            |
| khm  | Khmer                                                      |
| kho  | Khotanese                                                  |
| kik  | Kikuyu                                                     |
| kin  | Kinyarwanda                                                |
| kir  | Kyrgyz                                                     |
| kmb  | Kimbundu                                                   |
| kok  | Konkani                                                    |

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|------|--------------------------|
| kom  | Komi                     |
| kon  | Kongo                    |
| kor  | Korean                   |
| kos  | Kosraean                 |
| kpe  | Kpelle                   |
| krc  | Karachay-Balkar          |
| krl  | Karelian                 |
| kro  | Kru (Other)              |
| kru  | Kurukh                   |
| kua  | Kuanyama                 |
| kum  | Kumyk                    |
| kur  | Kurdish                  |
| -kus | Kusaie                   |
| kut  | Kootenai                 |
| lad  | Ladino                   |
| lah  | Lahnd                    |
| lam  | Lamba (Zambia and Congo) |
| -lan | Occitan (post 1500)      |
| lao  | Lao                      |
| -lap | Sami                     |
| lat  | Latin                    |
| lav  | Latvian                  |
| lez  | Lezgian                  |
| lim  | Limburgish               |
| lin  | Lingala                  |
| lit  | Lithuanian               |
| lol  | Mongo-Nkundu             |
| loz  | Lozi                     |
| ltz  | Luxembourgish            |
| lua  | Luba-Lulua               |
| lub  | Luba-Katanga             |
| lug  | Ganda                    |
| lui  | Luiseño                  |
| lun  | Lunda                    |
| luo  | Luo (Kenya and Tanzania) |
| lus  | Lushai                   |
| mac  | Macedonian               |
| mad  | Madurese                 |
| mag  | Magahi                   |
| mah  | Marshallese              |
| mai  | Maithili                 |

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|------|-------------------------------|
| mak  | Makasar                       |
| mal  | Malayalam                     |
| man  | Mandingo                      |
| mao  | Maori                         |
| map  | Austronesian (Other)          |
| mar  | Marathi                       |
| mas  | Maasai                        |
| -max | Manx                          |
| may  | Malay                         |
| mdf  | Moksha                        |
| mdr  | Mandar                        |
| men  | Mende                         |
| mga  | Irish, Middle (ca. 1100-1550) |
| mic  | Micmac                        |
| min  | Minangkabau                   |
| mis  | Miscellaneous languages       |
| mkh  | Mon-Khmer (Other)             |
| -mla | Malagasy                      |
| mlg  | Malagasy                      |
| mlt  | Maltese                       |
| mnc  | Manchu                        |
| mni  | Manipuri                      |
| mno  | Manobo languages              |
| moh  | Mohawk                        |
| -mol | Moldavian                     |
| mon  | Mongolian                     |
| mos  | Mooré                         |
| mul  | Multiple languages            |
| mun  | Munda (Other)                 |
| mus  | Creek                         |
| mwj  | Mirandese                     |
| mwr  | Marwari                       |
| myn  | Mayan languages               |
| myv  | Erzya                         |
| nah  | Nahuatl                       |
| nai  | North American Indian (Other) |
| nap  | Neapolitan Italian            |
| nau  | Nauru                         |
| nav  | Navajo                        |
| nbl  | Ndebele (South Africa)        |
| nde  | Ndebele (Zimbabwe)            |

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|-----|--------------------------------|
| ndo | Ndonga                         |
| nds | Low German                     |
| nep | Nepali                         |
| new | Newari                         |
| nia | Nias                           |
| nic | Niger-Kordofanian (Other)      |
| niu | Niuean                         |
| nno | Norwegian (Nynorsk)            |
| nob | Norwegian (Bokmål)             |
| nog | Nogai                          |
| non | Old Norse                      |
| nor | Norwegian                      |
| nqo | N'Ko                           |
| nso | Northern Sotho                 |
| nub | Nubian languages               |
| nwc | Newari, Old                    |
| nya | Nyanja                         |
| nym | Nyamwezi                       |
| nyn | Nyankole                       |
| nyo | Nyoro                          |
| nzi | Nzima                          |
| oci | Occitan (post-1500)            |
| oji | Ojibwa                         |
| ori | Oriya                          |
| orm | Oromo                          |
| osa | Osage                          |
| oss | Ossetic                        |
| ota | Turkish, Ottoman               |
| oto | Otomian languages              |
| paa | Papuan (Other)                 |
| pag | Pangasinan                     |
| pal | Pahlavi                        |
| pam | Pampanga                       |
| pan | Panjabi                        |
| pap | Papiamento                     |
| pau | Palauan                        |
| peo | Old Persian (ca. 600-400 B.C.) |
| per | Persian                        |
| phi | Philippine (Other)             |
| phn | Phoenician                     |
| pli | Pali                           |

|      |                               |
|------|-------------------------------|
| pol  | Polish                        |
| pon  | Pohnpeian                     |
| por  | Portuguese                    |
| pra  | Prakrit languages             |
| pro  | Provençal (to 1500)           |
| pus  | Pushto                        |
| que  | Quechua                       |
| raj  | Rajasthani                    |
| rap  | Rapanui                       |
| rar  | Rarotongan                    |
| roa  | Romance (Other)               |
| roh  | Raeto-Romance                 |
| rom  | Romani                        |
| rum  | Romanian                      |
| run  | Rundi                         |
| rup  | Aromanian                     |
| rus  | Russian                       |
| sad  | Sandawe                       |
| sag  | Sango (Ubangi Creole)         |
| sah  | Yakut                         |
| sai  | South American Indian (Other) |
| sal  | Salishan languages            |
| sam  | Samaritan Aramaic             |
| san  | Sanskrit                      |
| -sao | Samoan                        |
| sas  | Sasak                         |
| sat  | Santali                       |
| -scc | Serbian                       |
| scn  | Sicilian Italian              |
| sco  | Scots                         |
| -scr | Croatian                      |
| sel  | Selkup                        |
| sem  | Semitic (Other)               |
| sga  | Irish, Old (to 1100)          |
| sgn  | Sign languages                |
| shn  | Shan                          |
| -sho | Shona                         |
| sid  | Sidamo                        |
| sin  | Sinhalese                     |
| sio  | Siouan (Other)                |
| sit  | Sino-Tibetan (Other)          |

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|------|----------------------|
| sla  | Slavic (Other)       |
| slo  | Slovak               |
| slv  | Slovenian            |
| sma  | Southern Sami        |
| sme  | Northern Sami        |
| smi  | Sami                 |
| smj  | Lule Sami            |
| smn  | Inari Sami           |
| smo  | Samoan               |
| sms  | Skolt Sami           |
| sna  | Shona                |
| snd  | Sindhi               |
| -snh | Sinhalese            |
| snk  | Soninke              |
| sog  | Sogdian              |
| som  | Somali               |
| son  | Songhai              |
| sot  | Sotho                |
| spa  | Spanish              |
| srđ  | Sardinian            |
| srn  | Sranan               |
| srp  | Serbian              |
| srr  | Serer                |
| ssa  | Nilo-Saharan (Other) |
| -sso | Sotho                |
| ssw  | Swazi                |
| suk  | Sukuma               |
| sun  | Sundanese            |
| sus  | Susu                 |
| sux  | Sumerian             |
| swa  | Swahili              |
| swe  | Swedish              |
| -swz | Swazi                |
| syc  | Syriac               |
| syr  | Syriac, Modern       |
| -tag | Tagalog              |
| tah  | Tahitian             |
| tai  | Tai (Other)          |
| -taj | Tajik                |
| tam  | Tamil                |
| -tar | Tatar                |

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|------|-------------------------------|
| tat  | Tatar                         |
| tel  | Telugu                        |
| tem  | Temne                         |
| ter  | Terena                        |
| tet  | Tetum                         |
| tgk  | Tajik                         |
| tgl  | Tagalog                       |
| tha  | Thai                          |
| tib  | Tibetan                       |
| tig  | Tigré                         |
| tir  | Tigrinya                      |
| tiv  | Tiv                           |
| tkl  | Tokelauan                     |
| tlh  | Klingon (Artificial language) |
| tli  | Tlingit                       |
| tmh  | Tamashek                      |
| tog  | Tonga (Nyasa)                 |
| ton  | Tongan                        |
| tpi  | Tok Pisin                     |
| -tru | Truk                          |
| tsi  | Tsimshian                     |
| tsn  | Tswana                        |
| tso  | Tsonga                        |
| -tsw | Tswana                        |
| tuk  | Turkmen                       |
| tum  | Tumbuka                       |
| tup  | Tupi languages                |
| tur  | Turkish                       |
| tut  | Altaic (Other)                |
| tlv  | Tuvaluan                      |
| twi  | Twi                           |
| tyv  | Tuvinian                      |
| udm  | Udmurt                        |
| uga  | Ugaritic                      |
| uig  | Uighur                        |
| ukr  | Ukrainian                     |
| umb  | Umbundu                       |
| und  | Undetermined                  |
| urd  | Urdu                          |
| uzb  | Uzbek                         |
| vai  | Vai                           |

|     |                       |
|-----|-----------------------|
| ven | Venda                 |
| vie | Vietnamese            |
| vol | Volapük               |
| vot | Votic                 |
| wak | Wakashan languages    |
| wal | Wolayta               |
| war | Waray                 |
| was | Washoe                |
| wel | Welsh                 |
| wen | Sorbian (Other)       |
| wln | Walloon               |
| wol | Wolof                 |
| xal | Oirat                 |
| xho | Xhosa                 |
| yao | Yao (Africa)          |
| yap | Yapese                |
| yid | Yiddish               |
| yor | Yoruba                |
| ypk | Yupik languages       |
| zap | Zapotec               |
| zbl | Blissymbolics         |
| zen | Zenaga                |
| zha | Zhuang                |
| znd | Zande languages       |
| zul | Zulu                  |
| zun | Zuni                  |
| zxx | No linguistic content |
| zza | Zaza                  |