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Ideographic Rapporteur Group (IRG)

Recommendations of IRG Meeting #43

Source : IRG Meeting #43
Place   : San Jose, California, USA
Date   : 2014-11-17 to 2014-11-21

IRG Meeting #43, attended by experts accredited by the national bodies or liaison organizations for China, Hong Kong, Japan, Republic of Korea (ROK), USA/Unicode, TCA, Vietnam, the SAT Project, independent experts from USA, and the SC2/WG2 Convener, has made the following recommendations:

Recommendation IRG M43.1: Future Meeting Schedule
Unanimous

The IRG recommends to adopt the following future meeting schedule:

IRG #44   Seoul, Korea (Republic of) (2015-06-15~19)
IRG #45   HK Polytechnic Univ., Hong Kong SAR (2015-11-16~20)
IRG #46   Beijing, China (Tentatively 2016-05-23~27)
IRG #47   Seeking Host (2016-10-17~21 or 24~28)

Due to re-scheduled SC2/WG2 #64 to 2015-10-19~23, IRG re-confirmed to not change the schedule for IRG #45.

Recommendation IRG M43.2: Horizontal Extension of H Source for existing characters
Unanimous
Action: Hong Kong SAR

By request from the SC2/WG2 Convener, IRG recommends Hong Kong SAR to consider recording user requests in HKSAR, and create a process to add H Source

references for characters used in Hong Kong SAR that correspond to existing characters in ISO/IEC 10646.

Recommendation IRG M43.3: CJK Extension F1 Project (IRG N 2017 and its feedback, IRG N2040, IRG N2041, IRG N2042 and IRG N2045)

Unanimous

The IRG accepts the Extension F1 and Ext C Editorial Report (IRG N2042). IRG instructs its Rapporteur to report to the WG2 Project Editor regarding the request to drop 50 SAT sources, along with 11 additional characters whose unification with existing characters were confirmed. Extension F1 was accepted by SC2/WG2 as "CJK Unified Ideographs Extension F" (revised code chart IRG N2045).

Recommendation IRG M43.4: CJK Extension F2 Project (IRG N2018 and its feedback, IRG N2043, and IRG N2044)

Unanimous

The IRG accepts the Extension F2 and Misc Editorial Report (IRG N2043). The IRG endorses the following work schedule for the review of CJK_F2:

- 2014-12-26: ROK send updated fonts (based on the review during IRG #43) in bitmap (delta file) to the IRG Chief Editor.
- 2015-01-16: IRG Chief Editor distributes the draft data file (Excel) of CJK_F2v3.0 to IRG members' chief editors.
- 2015-01-23: IRG members' chief editors send feedback to IRG Chief Editor.
- 2015-01-30: IRG Chief Editor distributes CJK_F2v3.0.
- 2015-04-03: IRG members' chief editors submit review comments to IRG Chief Editor.
- 2015-04-17: IRG Chief Editor distributes draft consolidated comments.
- 2015-04-24: IRG members' chief editors send feedback to IRG Chief Editor.
- 2015-04-30: IRG Chief Editor distributes consolidated comments.
- 2015-05-29: IRG members' chief editors send responses and lists of updated glyphs (but not-yet-reviewed) and bitmap fonts to the IRG Rapporteur for IRG #44 discussion.

Recommendation IRG M43.5: Other editorial issues regarding the existing code charts (IRG N2015, IRG N2022, IRG N2021, IRG N2034 and IRG N2037)

Unanimous

The IRG re-confirmed the defects in the existing code charts as documented in IRG N2021 and IRG N2037. These defects were already accepted by SC2/WG2 and have

been sent to the SC2/WG2 Project Editor for correction. The IRG further endorses the following review schedule:

- 2014-12-31: IRG member bodies to review ROK's proposed horizontal extension (IRG N2034) and provide feedback to ROK if any.

Recommendation IRG M43.6: Discussions related to the IRG Working Document Series (IRG N2013_TCAFeedback with Appendixes A through D, IRG N2019 and its feedback, IRG N2020 and its feedback, IRG N2048, and IRG N2049)

Unanimous

The IRG accepts the updated IWDS. The IRG reviewed feedback and proposals of additions to the UCV list. The IRG further endorses the following review schedule:

- 2014-12-31: IRG member bodies to review the feedback for updating the UCV and NUC lists (i.e., IRG N2013_TCAFeedback with Appendixes A through D, IRG N2048, and IRG N2049).
- 2015-04-30: IRG Rapporteur, Mr. Suzuki will coordinate with IWDS editor to update UCV/NUC list based on IRG N2019Feedback from HKSARG.

Recommendation IRG M43.7: Updated CJK Radical Table that includes Extension F1 and F2 (IRG N2036)

Unanimous

The IRG accepted the updated CJK radical table that includes Extension F1 and F2. The IRG also encourages its member bodies to utilize this table as a reference for code chart review, and to provide feedback if any defect is found.

Recommendation IRG M43.8: Request of co-hosting ad-hoc meetings for Asian Minority and Historic Scripts (IRG N2046)

Unanimous

By request from the SC2/WG2 Convener, the IRG accepts in principle co-hosting ad-hoc meetings for Asian minority and historic scripts related to ideographs after the IRG meeting proper ends if appropriate experts are able to attend. IRG Rapporteur agrees to help coordinate meeting arrangements.

Recommendation IRG M43.9: Appreciation

By Acclamation

The IRG would like to express its sincere appreciation to the IRG#43 meeting hosts, Adobe Systems Incorporated and The Unicode Consortium. The IRG would also like to thank Dr. Ken Lunde for his excellent logistics, arrangements, and hospitality.

The IRG also thanks Dr. Ken Lunde and Dr. Lu Qin, for their informative presentations on Pan-CJK font development and IVD usage in Hong Kong, respectively.

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