

Joining letter sets for Y1/P2

diagonal join to ascender

This join is used to join letters in this box ...

a c d e h i k l m n t u

to letters in this box.

b f h k l t

diagonal join, no ascender

This join is used to join letters in this box ...

a c d e h i k l m n t u

to letters in these boxes.

e i j m n p r u v w y

**a c d g o q s*

horizontal join, no ascender

This join is used to join letters in this box ...

o v w

to letters in these boxes.

e i j m n p r u v w y

**a c d g o q s*

horizontal join to ascender

This join is used to join letters in this box ...

o v w

to letters in this box.

b f h k l t

break letters

These letters do not join.

g j x y z

These letters do not join yet.

b f p r s q

* anticlockwise letters

Joining letter sets for Y2/P3

diagonal join to ascender (e.g. *at*)

This join is used to join letters in this box . . .

a c d e h i k l m n s t u

to letters in this box.

b f h k l t

diagonal join, no ascender (e.g. *da*)

This join is used to join letters in this box . . .

a c d e h i k l m n q s t u

to letters in this box.

e i j m n p r u v w y
**a c d g o q s*

horizontal join, no ascender (e.g. *wo*)

This join is used to join letters in this box . . .

f o r v w

to letters in this box.

e i j m n p r u v w y
**a c d g o q s*

horizontal join to ascender (e.g. *sh*)

This join is used to join letters in this box . . .

f o r v w

to letters in this box.

b f h k l t

break letters

These letters do not join.

g j x y z

These letters do not join yet.

b p

* anticlockwise letters

Joining letter sets for Y3/P4

diagonal join to ascender (e.g. *at*)

This join is used to join letters in this box . . .

a b c d e h i k l m n p s t u

to letters in this box.

b f h k l t

diagonal join, no ascender (e.g. *da*)

This join is used to join letters in this box . . .

a b c d e h i k l m n p q s t u

to letters in this box.

e i j m n p r u v w y
**a c d g o q s*

horizontal join, no ascender (e.g. *wo*)

This join is used to join letters in this box . . .

f o r v w

to letters in this box.

e i j m n p r u v w y
**a c d g o q s*

horizontal join to ascender (e.g. *sh*)

This join is used to join letters in this box . . .

f o r v w

to letters in this box.

b f h k l t

break letters

These letters do not join.

g j x y z

* anticlockwise letters

Joining letter sets for Y4/P5

diagonal join to ascender (e.g. *at*)

This join is used to join letters in this box . . .

a b c d e h i k l m n p s t u

to letters in this box.

b f h k l t

diagonal join, no ascender (e.g. *da*)

This join is used to join letters in this box . . .

a b c d e h i k l m n p q s t u

to letters in this box.

e i j m n p r u v w y

** a c d g o q s*

horizontal join, no ascender (e.g. *wo*)

This join is used to join letters in this box . . .

f o r v w

to letters in this box.

e i j m n p r u v w y

** a c d g o q s*

horizontal join to ascender (e.g. *sh*)

This join is used to join letters in this box . . .

f o r v w

to letters in this box.

b f h k l t

break letters

Joins are not made from these letters.

g j y

Joins are not made to or from these letters.

x z

* anticlockwise letters

Joining letter sets for Y5&6/P6&7

diagonal join to ascender (e.g. *at*)

This join is used to join letters in this box . . .

a b c d e h i k l m n p s t u

to letters in this box.

b f h k l t

diagonal join, no ascender (e.g. *da*)

This join is used to join letters in this box . . .

a b c d e h i k l m n p q s t u

to letters in this box.

e i j m n p r u v w y

** a c d g o q s*

horizontal join, no ascender (e.g. *wo*)

This join is used to join letters in this box . . .

f o r v w

to letters in this box.

e i j m n p r u v w y

** a c d g o q s*

horizontal join to ascender (e.g. *sh*)

This join is used to join letters in this box . . .

f o r v w

to letters in this box.

b f h k l t

break letters

Joins are not made from these letters.

g j y

Joins are not made to or from these letters.

x z

* anticlockwise letters

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