

ISO 639-3 Change Requests Series 2022

Summary of Outcomes

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Summary of requested changes

Altogether 35 Change Requests were posted. One was withdrawn by the submitter and one is still pending awaiting further information. One informative change was implemented immediately and 32 requests were considered, totaling 57 explicit changes in the code set. Of the 32 change requests, 5 were rejected, 26 were fully approved, and one was changed and approved.

Of the 57 explicit changes to individual codes, 10 were rejected and 47 accepted. The accepted changes can be analyzed as follows:

- Deprecations (Retirements):
 - 1 deprecated as non-existent;
 - 3 deprecated as duplicate of another code;
 - 7 retired by merging into another code
 - 3 split languages.
- new languages:
 - 8 newly created languages not previously associated with another language in the code set;
 - 1 previously deprecated language created again
 - 11 languages created as a result of splits.
- Updates:
 - 5 name updates, either change to a name form or addition of a name form
 - 7 denotation updates when a dialect was merged into a primary language
 - 1 type update from extinct to historical language

The history of any change request may be viewed on its documentation page which uses the pattern:

<https://iso639-3.sil.org/request/2022-001>

Likewise, the history of any code element may be viewed on its documentation page which uses the pattern (where the final three letters are the code of interest):

<https://iso639-3.sil.org/code/tdg>

Deprecations (retirements) from other than a split of a language code element

Change Request number	Identifier	Reference Name	Retirement Reason	Outcome
2022-011	zkb	Koibal	Duplicate of Khakas [kjh]	Adopted
2022-012	tpw	Tupí	Duplicate of Tupinamba [tpn]	Adopted
2022-013	kgm	Karipúna	Duplicate of Palikur [plu]	Adopted
2022-015	slq	Salchuq	Nonexistent	Adopted
2022-001	tmk	Northwestern Tamang	Merged into [tdg] Western Tamang	Adopted
2022-006	ajp	South Levantine Arabic	Merged into [apc} North Levantine Arabic	Adopted
2022-008	pmk	Pamlico	Merged into [crr] Carolina Algonquian	Adopted
2022-009	prp	Parsi	Merged into [guj] Gujarati	Adopted
2022-010	xss	Assan	Merged into [zko] Kott	Adopted
2022-014	szd	Seru	Merged into [uki] Ukit	Adopted
2022-016	nom	Nocamán	Merged into [cbr] Cashibo-Cacataibo	Adopted

Deprecations (retirements) and creations from code element splits

Change Request number	Identifier	Reference Name	New Language	Change Requested	Outcome
2022-022	bsf	Bauchi		Split into Guda-Wayam Bauchi [gwy], Asamburu Bauchi [rbu],Bandeke Bauchi [adk], Supana Bauchi [sup], and Rubu Bauchi [rbu]	Rejected
2022-022	rbu		Rubu Bauchi		Rejected
2022-022	gwy		Guda-Wayam Bauchi		Rejected
2022-022	szu		Asamburu Bauchi		Rejected
2022-022	sup		Supana Bauchi		Rejected
2022-022	adk		Bandeke Bauchi		Rejected

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2022-023	plj	Polci		Split into Pesse [pze], Dir-Nyamzak-Mbarimi [nzm], Zul [zlu], and Buli [uly]	Adopted
2022-023	nzm	Dir-Nyamzak-Mbarimi	Dir-Nyamzak-Mbarimi		Adopted
2022-023	uly	Buli	Buli		Adopted
2022-023	pze	Pesse	Pesse		Adopted
2022-023	zlu	Zul	Zul		Adopted
2022-024	ksa	Shuwa-Zamani		Split into [rsw] Rishiwa and [izm] Kizamani	Adopted
2022-024	izm	Kizamani	Kizamani		Adopted
2022-024	rsw	Rishiwa	Rishiwa		Adopted
2022-030	zua	Zeem		Split into [tvi] Tulai, [dyr] Dyarim, [dsk] Dokshi, [cxh] Cha'ari, and [zem] Zeem	Adopted
2022-030	tvi	Tulai	Tulai		Adopted
2022-030	dyr	Dyarim	Dyarim		Adopted
2022-030	dsk	Dokshi	Dokshi		Adopted
2022-030	cxh	Cha'ari	Cha'ari		Adopted
2022-030	zem	Zeem	Zeem		Adopted

Entirely new code elements

Change Request number	Identifier	Reference Name	Outcome
2022-002	lgs	Guinea-Bissau Sign Language	Adopted
2022-004	vjk	Bajjika	Adopted
2022-017	lvl	Lwel	Adopted
2022-018	ykh	Khamnigan Mongol	Adopted
2022-019	ycr	Yilan Creole	Adopted
2022-020	wtb	Matambwe	Adopted
2022-025	ikh	Ikhin-Arokho	Adopted
2022-026	ohk	Aokho	Rejected
2022-028	lkp	Lekpeti	Rejected
2022-033	ech	Echie	Rejected
2022-034	eud	Eudeve	Adopted

Previously deprecated code element created again

Change Request number	Identifier	Reference Name	Outcome
2022-027	dzd	Daza	Adopted

Updates: Name, Scope, Macrolanguage membership, Denotation changes

Asterisks indicate an additional reference name.

Change Request number	Identifier	Reference Name	Attribute Changed	Old Value	New Value	Outcome
2022-001	tdg	Western Tamang	Denotation	Western Tamang	Update to include Northwestern Tamang [tmk]	Adopted
2022-005	wnb	Mokati	Name	Wanambre	Mokati	Adopted
2022-006	apc	Levantine Arabic	Name	North Levantine Arabic	Levantine Arabic	Adopted
2022-006	apc	Levantine Arabic	Denotation	North Levantine Arabic	Update by inclusion of [ajp] South Levantine Arabic	Adopted
2022-007	juc	Jurchen	Type		Change from extinct to historical	Adopted
2022-008	crr	Carolina Algonquian	Denotation	Carolina Algonquian	Expand to include [pmk] Pamlico	Adopted
2022-009	guj	Gujarati	Denotation	Gujarati	Expand by including [prp] Parsi	Adopted
2022-010	zko	Kott	Denotation	Kott	Expand to include Assan [xss]	Adopted
2022-014	umi	Ukit	Denotation	Ukit	expand to include [szd] Seru	Adopted
2022-016	cbr	Cashibo-Cacataibo	Denotation	Cashibo-Cacataibo	Expand to include [nom] Nocaman	Adopted
2022-021	krp	Durop	Name	Korop	Durop	Adopted
2022-029	loh	Laarim	Name	Narim	Laarim	Adopted
2022-031	lag	Rangi	Name	Langi	Rangi and change to reference name	Adopted