



# **Korean LGP Status Update**

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## Agenda

- Introduction and a list of Hangul Syllables for K-LGR v0.3
- A list of Hangul Syllables , Hanja characters for K-LGR v0.3
- Review of C (Chinese) and K (Korean) Var Groups
- Timeline of KLGP activities



## 1. Introduction

- Characters to be included in "kore" (Korean Label)
  - o Both Hangeul (Hangul) and Hanja are included.



## 2. K-LGR v0.3

A list of Hangul Syllables for K−LGR v0.3 (2015.08.13.)

o 11,172 Hangul Syllbles (U+AC00 ~ U+D7A3)

A list of Hanja characters for K−LGR v0.3 (2015.08.13.)

Source of Hanja Character Set	# chars
1) KS X 1001 (268 comptb. chars excluded)	4,620
2) KPS 9566	4,653
3) IICORE - K column marked	4,743
4) IICORE - KP column marked (= KPS 9566)	4,653
5) Qualifying Test of Korean Hanja Proficiency (한국 한자 능력 검정 시험)	4,641
K-LGR v0.3 (2015.08.13.): Hanja List	4,819



## 3. Review of C (Chinese) and K (Korean) Variant Groups

- o C-LGR (2015.04.30.): 3093 variant groups (a variant group is composed of two or more variants)
- o K-LGR v0.3 (2015.08.13.): 37 variant groups

#### Analysis of 3093 C (Chinese) variant groups

- o extracted 303 variant groups where there are two or more K characters
  - K character is a character belonging to K-LGR v0.3 (2015.08.13.)
- o Korea classified 303 variant groups into three categories



## 3. Review of C (Chinese) and K (Korean) Variant Groups(2)

K position	# variant groups
acceptable	44
partially acceptable	1
unacceptable*	258
total	303

- \* The characters in C variant groups have different meaning and/or sound in Korea.
  - Therefore it seems difficult for K to accept.



## 3. Review of C (Chinese) and K (Korean) Variant Groups(3)

- A special class of variant groups in C-LGR
  - o About 56 "Simplitional chars": [= SIMPLIfied + tradiTIONAL]
    - Currently, the char is a simplified char in China.
    - However, the char has been used for a long time before PRC announced simp. chars in 1964 in Korea, China, …
  - o An example of Simplitional char: 机
    - 1) In China:
    - 机: Currently, Simplified char, "machine".
    - 机: simplified from Traditional char 機 (machine).
    - 2) In Korea: the two chars are distinct
    - 机: desk (reading "gwe")
    - 機: machine (reading "gi")



## 3. Review of C (Chinese) and K (Korean) Variant Groups(4)

- Analysis of 37 K (Korean) variant groups and Related 37 C variant groups
  - o In all 37 K variants groups composed of two characters, there are two C characters
    - C character is a character belonging to C-LGR.
  - o Korea classified 37 Related C variant groups into three categories as shown below.

K position RE: related C variant groups	# of Related C variant groups
acceptable	33
Unacceptable *	3
need to review	1
total	37



#### 3. Review of C (Chinese) and K (Korean) Variant Groups(5)

- o E.g.1, Related C variant group
  - (O 4EC7 仇)(O 8B8E 讎)(O 8B90 讐)(X 96E0 雠)
  - --> K position: There is much difference in meaning in K between 4EC7 and (8B8E = 8B90).
- o E.g., 2: Related C variant group
  - (O 88CF 裏) (O 88E1 裡) (O 91CC 里)
  - --> C included 91CC since it is a simplified char of traditional characters 88CF and 88E1.
  - --> K position: There is much difference in meaning in K between 91CC and (88CF = 88E1).



## 3. Review of C (Chinese) and K (Korean) Variant Groups(6)

- Possible errors in C-LGR-1 (2015.04.30.)
  - o KLGP reviewed C-LGR-1 (2015.04.30.) and found possible errors.
  - o sent to C members on July 16, 2015 and a few more times later. In two cases, there seem symmetry and/or transitivity issues (problems).
    - 矿(77FF) 礦(7926) 砿(783F) 鉱(9271) 鑛(945B)
    - 铁(94C1) 鐵(9435) 鉄(9244) 銕(9295) 鐡(9421)



## 3. Review of C (Chinese) and K (Korean) Variant Groups(7)

A mixture of trad. and simp. chars.





- CGP will allow a HSBC domain mixed of simplified and traditional chars @ ICANN meeting in Buenos Aires.
- o left figure: only traditional chars.
- o right figure: only simplified chars.
- o a figure of HSBC domain mixed of simplified and traditional chars?



#### 4. KGP's Activities history

2013

Dec: organization of Korean LGP

2014

Mar: Participate CJK joint meeting @ ICANN49 Singapore

Jun: Participate ICANN50 London and KGP status update

Jul: 1st KGP meeting

Aug: 2<sup>nd</sup> KGP meeting

Oct: Participate ICANN51 LA and KGP status update

2015

Jan: 3<sup>rd</sup> KGP meeting and re-composition KGP

Feb: Participate ICANN52 Singapore and KGP status update

Apr : 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> KGP meeting (reorganization of KGP)

May: 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> KGP meeting(K-LGR-1 v0.1) and CJK Joint meeting in Seoul

Jun: 8<sup>th</sup> KGP meeting(K-LGR-1 v0.2) and participate ICANN53 BA

Jul: 9th KGP meeting, workshop and Participate APrIGF Macau

Aug: 10<sup>th</sup> KGP meeting(K-LGR-1 v0.3)

Sep : 11<sup>th</sup> KGP meeting

Oct : Call for formal Generation Panel to ICANN and participate ICANN54 Dublin



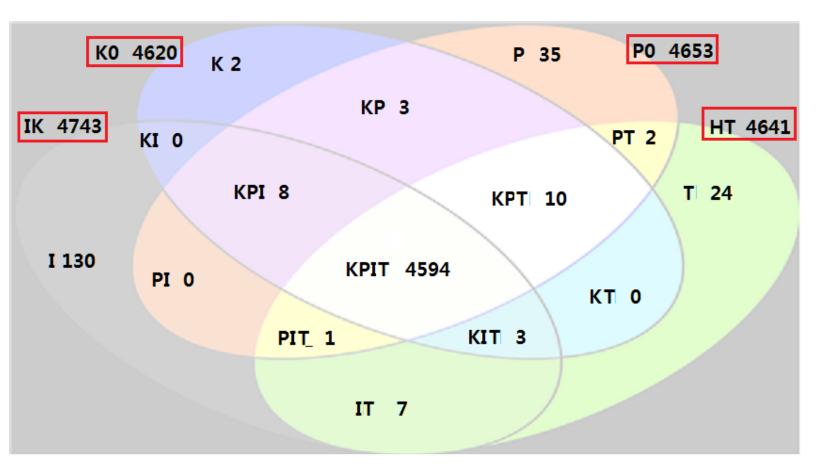
#### 5. Timeline of KLGP activities



- . review of K and C var. groups sent to C members (in Sep. 2015)
- . responses to IP comments sent to IP/CJK members (in Sep. 2015)
- . application of KLGP will be sent to ICANN (in Oct. 2015)



#### Appendix. Hanja in K0, P0, IICORE/K, HT (Hanja Test)



Venn Diagram of 4 sets showing number of Hanja chars: (K-LGR v0.3, 2015.08.13.)
K0 (KS X 1001), P0 (KPS 9566), IK (IICORE: K), HT (Hanja Test) klgp168\_2b\_v03

