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Introduction

About

Introducing UN-11, a rare cut of the Swiss classic by Adrian Frutiger faithfully digitized and carefully re-engineered for today's typographic universe.

In 1961, IBM unveiled the Selectric Typewriter, featuring a revolutionary type 'golf ball' that replaced the traditional typebar mechanism. To expand their font catalog and promote this new technology, IBM enlisted Adrian Frutiger to adapt his iconic Univers, modifying it to suit the machine's specific constraints and metrics. The result was an alternate version of Univers with unit-based spacing, marking an exciting and distinct departure from conventional monospaced type. To Frutiger, the font's charmingly uneven rhythm uniquely combined mechanical precision with a human touch.

Today, UN-11's idiosyncrasies stand out in a world of polished interfaces, rounded corners, and total easing. Throughout history, versions of Univers have been adapted for various typesetting technologies, from letterpress to phototype to PostScript, but none with quite the same unique flair as this. UN-11 is finally available, finely tuned for contemporary print and screen environments.

Credits

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Technical Data

Encoding: Latin Extended

Version: 1.0

File Formats: OTF, TTF, WOFF, WOFF2

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IBM Selectric golf ball featuring Univers

Regular

Italic

Bold

Regular

Solar
System

Regular

NASA® Mars

Exploration

SATCAT: (M) [20]

Rover-2™

378272 [2025]

Regular

**Speed of Sound:
(in dry air) at 20°C
343 miles/sec**

Italic

***Speed of Light:
299,792,458 m/sec
186,000 miles/sec***

Sand, mineral, rock, or soil particles that range in diameter from 0.02 to 2 mm (0.0008–0.08 in). Most of the rock-forming minerals that occur on the Earth's surface are found in sand, but only a limited number are common in this form. Although in some localities feldspar, calcareous material, iron ores, and volcanic glass are dominant constituents of sand, quartz is by far the commonest, for several reasons: it is abundant in rocks, is comparatively hard, has practically no cleavage so that it is not readily worn down, is nearly insoluble in water, Sand, mineral, rock, or soil particles that range in diameter from 0.02 to 2 mm (0.0008–0.08 inch). Most of the rock-forming minerals that occur on the Earth's surface are found in sand, but only a limited number are

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Gamma ray, 0,01 Nanometer, electromagnetic radiation of the shortest wavelength and highest energy. Gamma rays are produced in the disintegration of radioactive atomic nuclei and in the decay of certain subatomic particles. The commonly accepted definitions of the gamma-ray and X-ray regions of the electromagnetic spectrum include some wavelength overlap, with gamma-ray radiation having wavelengths that are generally shorter than a few tenths of an angstrom (10⁻¹⁰ metre) and gamma-ray photons having energies that are greater than tens of thousands of electron volts (eV). There is no theoretical upper limit to the energies of gamma-ray photons and no lower limit to gamma-ray wavelengths; observed energies presently extend up to a few trillion electron volts – these extremely high-energy photons are produced

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in astronomical sources through currently unidentified mechanisms. The term gamma ray was coined by British physicist Ernest Rutherford in 1903 following early studies of the emissions of radioactive nuclei. Just as atoms have discrete energy levels associated with different configurations of the orbiting electrons, atomic nuclei have energy level structures determined by the configurations of the protons and neutrons that constitute the nuclei. While energy differences between atomic energy levels are typically in the 1- to 10-eV range, energy differences in nuclei usually fall in the 1-keV (thousand electron volts) to 10-MeV (million electron volts) range. When a nucleus makes a transition from a high-energy level to a lower-energy level, a photon is emitted to carry off the excess energy; nuclear energy-level differences correspond to photon wavelengths in the

Bold

DIN

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Metric System

DIN A4:

210×297mm

Imperial System

US Letter:

8.5×11.0 in

Unit Conversion Chart

2.54 Centimeters = 1 Inch

16 Ounces / 454 Grams

$\frac{1}{2}$ Gallon (2 Liquid Quarts)

2 Furlongs \approx $\frac{1}{4}$ Mile

1,000 Years is 1 Millennium

1 "Warhol" = 15 minutes

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Das Deutsche Institut für Normung e.V. (DIN) ist die bedeutendste nationale Normungsorganisation in der Bundesrepublik Deutschland. Sie wurde am 22. Dezember 1917 unter dem Namen „Normenausschuß der deutschen Industrie“ gegründet. Eine erste Umbenennung erfolgte 1926 zu „Deutscher Normenausschuß“, um auszudrücken, dass sich das Arbeitsgebiet nicht mehr auf die Industrie beschränkte. Der heutige Name „DIN Deutsches Institut für Normung e.V.“ wurde 1975 im Zusammenhang mit dem zwischen der Organisation und der Bundesrepublik Deutschland abgeschlossenen Normenvertrag gewählt. Eine unter der Leitung von Arbeitsausschüssen dieser Normungsorganisation erarbeitete Norm wird als DIN-Norm bezeichnet. Das Deutsche Institut für Normung ist ein eingetragener Verein, wird privatwirtschaftlich getragen und bei seinen europäischen

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und internationalen Normungsaktivitäten von der Bundesrepublik Deutschland als einzige nationale Normungsorganisation unterstützt. Es bietet den sogenannten „interessierten Kreisen“ (Hersteller, Handel, Industrie, Wissenschaft, Verbraucher, Prüfinstitute und Behörden) ein Forum, im Konsensverfahren Normen zu erarbeiten. Der interessierte Kreis der Verbraucher wird durch den Verbraucherrat des DIN vertreten. Das DIN ist Mitglied der Europäischen Bewegung Deutschlands. Das Deutsche Institut für Normung e.V. (DIN) ist die bedeutendste nationale Normungsorganisation in der Bundesrepublik Deutschland. Sie wurde am 22. Dezember 1917 unter dem Namen „Normenausschuß der deutschen Industrie“ gegründet. Eine erste Umbenennung erfolgte 1926 zu „Deutscher Normenausschuß“, um auszudrücken, dass sich das Arbeitsgebiet nicht

Uniwidth Metrics

Duplex

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Alternate Number & Letter Sets

I II III IV V VI VII VIII IX X L C D M

Roman Numbers

A B C D E F G H I J K
L M N O P Q R S T U V
W X Y Z

Circled Letters

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20

Square Numbers

Stacked Alternates

N^o1 IBM™ 9½
F**k

N_o1 IBM_T_M 9½ F**k

Unit based spacing

U n i t

8 6 3 4

S y s t e m

6 6 4 4 5 9

OpenType Features

Stylistic Set 1: Stacked

½ Kilometer

WD-40™

Total: Nº 207

½ Kilometer

WD-40^T_M

Total: ñ 207

Ordinals

1^a

2^o

1^a

2^o

Case Sensitive Forms

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¡MUY BIEN!

RE: SUBJECT

LIGHT-YEAR

« MERCI »

⟨DANKE⟩

[SIC]

(PARENTHESES)

{A, B}

INFO@SOURCETYPE

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Contextual Alternates

23:55

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Tabular Figures

100 EUR

111 CHF

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Fractions

2 1/2

2½

Superscript

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Language Support

A	Afrikaans	Kalenjin	Sango
	Albanian	Kamba	Sangu
	Asu	Kikuyu	Sardinian
B	Basque	Kinyarwanda	Scottish Gaelic
	Bemba	Kurdish	Sena
	Bena	L Latvian	Shambala
	Bosnian	Lithuanian	Shona
C	Catalan	Lojban	Slovak
	Cebuano	Low German	Slovenian
	Chiga	Lower Sorbian	Soga
	Colognian	Luo	Somali
	Cornish	Luxembourgish	South Ndebele
	Corsican	Luyia	Southern Sotho
	Croatian	M Machame	Spanish
	Czech	Makhuwa-Meetto	Sundanese
D	Danish	Makonde	Swahili
	Dutch	Malagasy	Swati
E	Embu	Malay	Swedish
	English	Maltese	Swiss German
	Esperanto	Manx	T Taita
	Estonian	Māori	Taroko
F	Faroese	Meru	Teso
	Filipino	Morisyen	Tsonga
	Finnish	N North Ndebele	Tswana
	French	Northern Sotho	Turkish
	Friulian	Norwegian Bokmål	Turkmen
G	Galician	Norwegian Nynorsk	U Upper Sorbian
	German	Nyanja	V Vunjo
	Gusii	Nyankole	W Walloon
H	Hungarian	O Occitan	Walser
I	Icelandic	Oromo	Welsh
	Ido	P Polish	Western Frisian
	Indonesian	Portuguese	Wolastoqey
	Interlingua	R Rejang	X Xhosa
	Irish	Romanian	Z Zulu
	Italian	Romansh	
J	Javanese	Rombo	
	Jju	Rundi	
K	Kabuverdianu	Rwa	
	Kalaallisut	S Samburu	

