

THE BIBLE - ALPHABETS AND NUMERICAL VALUES

OV	H e b r e w						Syr	G r e e k							
		ARL	TNR	NV	P	Name			ARL		TNR		NV	P	Name
1	א	א	א	1	(a)	Alef	ܐ	Α	A	α	A	α	1	A	Alpha
2	ב	ב	ב	2	B, V	Bet	ܒ	Β	B	β	B	β	2	B, V	Beta
3	ג	ג	ג	3	G	Gimel	ܓ	Γ	Γ	γ	Γ	γ	3	G	Gamma
4	ד	ד	ד	4	D	Dalet	ܕ	Δ	Δ	δ	Δ	δ	4	D	Delta
5	ה	ה	ה	5	H	He	ܗ	Ε	E	ε	E	ε	5	E	Epsilon
6	ו	ו	ו	6	W, V	Vav	ܘ		F, Ϛ	F, Ϛ	F, Ϛ	F, Ϛ	6	W	Digamma*
7	ז	ז	ז	7	Z	Zayin	ܙ	Ζ	Z	ζ	Z	ζ	7	Z	Zeta
8	ח	ח	ח	8	H, X	Chet	ܚ	Η	H	η	H	η	8	E	Eta
9	ט	ט	ט	9	T	Tet	ܛ	Θ	Θ	θ	Θ	θ	9	Th	Theta
10	י	י	י	10	J, I, Y	Yod	ܝ	Ι	Ι	ι	Ι	ι	10	I, J	Iota
11	כ	כ	כ	20	K, X	Kaph	ܟ	Κ	K	κ	Κ	κ	20	K	Kappa
12	ל	ל	ל	30	L	Lamed	ܠ	Λ	Λ	λ	Λ	λ	30	L	Lambda
13	מ	מ	מ	40	M	Mem	ܡ	Μ	M	μ	M	μ	40	M	Mu
14	נ	נ	נ	50	N	Nun	ܢ	Ν	N	ν	Ν	ν	50	N	Nu
15	ס	ס	ס	60	S	Samekh	ܣ	Ξ	Ξ	ξ	Ξ	ξ	60	Ks	Xi
16	ע	ע	ע	70	(o)	Ayin	ܥ	Ο	O	ο	O	ο	70	O	Omicron
17	פ	פ	פ	80	P, F	Pe	ܦ	Π	Π	π	Π	π	80	P	Pi
18	צ	צ	צ	90	Ts	Tsade	ܥ		Ϟ, ϟ	Ϟ, ϟ	Ϟ, ϟ	Ϟ, ϟ	90	K, Q	Qoppa
19	ק	ק	ק	100	K, Q	Qoph	ܩ	Ρ	P	ρ	P	ρ	100	R	Rho
20	ר	ר	ר	200	R	Resh	ܩ	Σ	Σ	σ, Ϛ	Σ	σ, Ϛ	200	S	Sigma
21	ש	ש	ש	300	S, Sh	Shin	ܩ	Τ	T	τ	T	τ	300	T	Tau
22	ת	ת	ת	400	T	Tav	ܩ	Υ	Υ	υ	Υ	υ	400	U, Y	Upsilon
23								Φ	Φ	φ	Φ	φ	500	Ph	Phi
24								Χ	Χ	χ	Χ	χ	600	Kh	Chi
25								Ψ	Ψ	ψ	Ψ	ψ	700	Ps	Psi
26								Ω	Ω	ω	Ω	ω	800	O	Omega
27									Ͱ, ͱ	Ͱ, ͱ	Ͱ, ͱ	Ͱ, ͱ	900	Ts	Sampi

The **ancient Hebrew alphabet** has **22** letters (from Alef to Tav). The earliest characters originally consisted of symbols (first column), from which the today's digital signs originated. 5 of them have special end forms (e.g., Kaph). The letters Alef (1) and Ayin (16) have a sound that does not occur in our language, so their pronunciation is in brackets. Although the Syriac (Syr; Aramaic) language is similar, it has produced completely new letters over the centuries (see Peshitta).

The **ancient Greek alphabet** has **27** letters. In addition to the **24** main letters (from Alpha to Omega) in which the **NT** was written, there were **3** more characters in the early form of the Greek alphabet; i.e. in the alphabetic ("Milesian") system of Greek numerals: Digamma* (F, Ϛ; [w]; since the Middle Ages Stigma in the appearance of a snake: Ϛ, Ϛ; NV 6), Qoppa (NV 90) and Sampi (NV 900). Both alphabets have together **22+27=49 (7x7)** letters. The whole Bible (**OT** and **NT**) was written on **22+27=49 (7x7)** scrolls.

Abbreviations: (**OV**): Ordinal value, the order of the letters in the alphabet. (**NV**): numerical value (Gematria = Interpretation of words by numbers). (**P**): Pronunciation or Transcription. The letters may look different in some sources because they are often shown in multiple fonts, e.g. Arial (**ARL**) or Times New Roman (**TNR**). In Greek, there are uppercase or lowercase letters.