

ROMANIZATION SYSTEM OF THE GREEK ALPHABET

A	α = a αι = ai αυ = av αυ (see note 1)	'Αρτα 'Αθήναι Μαυροβούνι	'Arta Athinaí Mavrovouni
B	β = v β (see note 2)	Βόλος	Vólos
Γ	γ = g γγ = ng γκ = g (initially) γ = nk (medially) γχ = nkh	Γαράζον 'Αγγελόκαστρον Γκοριτσά Λαγκάδα 'Αγκίαλος	Garázon Angelókastron Goritsa Lankáda Ankhialos
Δ	δ = d	Δάφνη-Δένδρα	Dáfni-Déndra
E	ε = e ει = i ευ = ev ευ (see note 3)	'Ερέτρια Γύθειον Λευκάς	Erétria Gythion Levkas
Z	ζ = z	Ζεμενόν	Zemenon
H	η = i (4) ηυ = iv	'Ηράκλειον	Iráklion
Θ	θ = th	Θεσπιαί	Thespiiai
I	ι = i	'Ιρία	Iria

K κ = k	Καλαμάκι	Kalamáki
see also γκ		
Λ λ = l	Λίμνη	Límni
M μ = m	Μαραθών	Marathon
μπ = b (initially)	Μπέχρος	Békros
= mp (medially)	Τέμπη	Témpi
N ν = n	Νεστάνη	Nestáni
ντ } = d (initially)	Ντία	Día
= nt (medially)	Παντάνασσα	Pantánassa
ντζ = ntz	Βιντζέτζος	Vintzétzos
Ξ ξ = x	Ξάνθη	Xánthi
Ο ο = o	*Οθος	Othos
οι = oi	Οίτη	Oíti
ου = ou	Βούναγρον	Vounagron
Π π = p	Παῦλος	Pavlos
see also μπ		
Ρ ρ = r	Μερόπη	Merópi
Σ σ = s	*Άσσος	Assos
Τ τ = t	Τίρυνς	Tíryns
τζ = tz		
see also ντ		

Υ υ = y	Υλίκη-Μύλος	Ylíki-Mýlos
<u>see also</u> χυ, ευ, ηυ, ου		
Φ φ = f ph (see note 5)	Φιλοθέη	Filothéi
X χ = kh <u>see also</u> γχ	Χαραυγή	Kharavgi
Ψ ψ = ps	Ψαρά	Psara
Ω ω = o	Ωρωπός	Oropos

1. In names of strongly established historical forms, the digraph αν will be written as ay in lieu of av.
2. In names of strongly established historical forms, the letter β will be written as b in lieu of v.
3. In names of strongly established historical forms, the digraph ευ will be written as eu in lieu of ev.
4. In a small number of names of strongly established historical forms (to be decided by a special committee), the letter η will be written as e in lieu of i.
5. In names of strongly established forms, the letter φ will be written as ph in lieu of f.
6. The spiritus lenis and spiritus asper are omitted. In a small number of names of strongly established forms, the

spiritus asper will be romanized as h .

7. The three Greek accents will be uniformly represented by the acute accent, except in monosyllabic words and words accented on the last syllable. In accented digraphs, the acute accent will be shown over the second vowel.
8. The diaeresis will be shown with "¨" in names where two consecutive vowels appear as a diphthong.
9. Double consonantal in Greek will be doubled also in romanization.
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10. Iota subscriptum and iota adscriptum are ignored in romanization.