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# State of CJK issues of LibreOffice

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# Talk summary

- LibreOffice have many language-specific features and issues, CJK (Chinese / Japanese / Korean) issue is one of them.
- I will explain what is the CJK features and issues.

# Who am I?

- Shinji Enoki (榎真治)
  - A member of LibreOffice Japanese Team(2011-)
    - Founding members
    - Join LibreOffice community in 2010
  - A member of TDF(2014-)
  - Activity: organize events, grows community, sometimes QA

# LibreOffice Kaigi



# What is CJK issues

- LibreOffice Bugzilla have the CJK meta issue
  - [Bug 83066\(CJK\)](#) - [META] CJK issues
  - CJK bugs are tracked META issues

## Bug 83066 (CJK) - [META] CJK (Chinese, Japanese, Korean, and Vietnamese) language issues

**Status:** NEW

**Alias:** CJK

**Product:** LibreOffice

**Component:** LibreOffice ([show other bugs](#))

**Version:** unspecified  
(earliest affected)

**Hardware:** Other All

**Importance:** medium normal

**Assignee:** Not Assigned

**QA Contact:**

**URL:**

**Whiteboard:**

**Keywords:**

**Depends on:** [35208](#) [35301](#) [36709](#) [39935](#) [43671](#) [50349](#) [japanese-ruby-character](#) [50901](#) [55954](#) [63011](#) [65266](#) [66791](#) [69809](#) [71329](#) [72042](#) [75790](#) [76255](#) [77803](#) [80346](#) [80812](#) [81272](#) [81484](#) [82115](#) [82116](#) [82293](#) [82689](#) [82690](#) [82692](#) [82930](#) [83844](#) [85795](#) [88752](#) [89422](#) [89979](#) [90874](#) [93695](#) [95656](#) [96197](#) [101679](#) [101895](#) [103528](#) [104378](#) [104503](#) [Text-Grid](#) [107056](#) [107195](#) [107383](#) [107435](#) [107466](#) [107467](#) [107484](#) [107485](#) [107487](#) [109030](#) [109260](#) [111717](#) [112477](#) [112593](#) [112745](#) [112879](#) [113048](#) [113184](#) [113189](#) [113191](#) [CJK-Chinese-Traditional](#) [CJK-Chinese-Simplified](#) [CJK-Japanese](#) [CJK-Korean](#) [40091](#) [40335](#) [44784](#) [47719](#) [49073](#) [57139](#) [58604](#) [62750](#) [64975](#) [66126](#) [67814](#) [70097](#) [76291](#) [77076](#) [77490](#) [77514](#) [77971](#) [77972](#) [78789](#) [79766](#) [80272](#) [80473](#) [80513](#) [80604](#) [80788](#) [81144](#) [82176](#) [82818](#) [83060](#) [83145](#) [83178](#) [83252](#) [83559](#) [83752](#) [83755](#) [84138](#) [85954](#) [87626](#) [88169](#) [88527](#) [88855](#) [89409](#) [91288](#) [92655](#) [92782](#) [94008](#) [94066](#) [95379](#) [95836](#) [96091](#) [96457](#) [96829](#) [97405](#) [97702](#) [98165](#) [98269](#) [98527](#) [98879](#) [101729](#) [102041](#) [102074](#) [102253](#) [103710](#) [103718](#) [103785](#) [103850](#) [104625](#) [104726](#) [104801](#) [104828](#) [104954](#) [106097](#) [106295](#) [107462](#) [112066](#) [112807](#)

**Blocks:**

Show dependency [tree](#) / [graph](#)

**Reported:** 2014-08-25 14:50 UTC by Matthew Francis

**Modified:** 2017-10-20 17:03 UTC ([History](#))

**CC List:** 14 users ([show](#))

**See Also:** [Font-Rendering](#)  
[Vertical-Text](#)  
[RTL-CTL](#)

**Crash report or crash signature:**

### Attachments

[Add an attachment](#) (proposed patch, testcase, etc.)

# Next Decade Manifesto

“To support the preservation of mother tongue by encouraging people to translate, document, support, and promote our office productivity tools in their mother tongue”

- I think this “Our Values” is very good
- Our problem want to resolve ourselves although it's not easy to do

# Last year's Conference: Talk

- Kei Tasaki talked "Typical" bugs of LibreOffice in Japanese environment
  - How to create a document in Japan
  - “Typical” bugs in Japanese environment





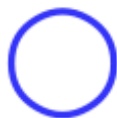
# Issues status of Last year talk

- Ruby using case bug
  - [Bug 98269](#) - FORMATTING: Different spacing with Japanese ruby text between WIN and LINUX
    - RESOLVED DUPLICATE → VERIFIED FIXED
  - [Bug 77514](#) - FORMATTING: CJK ruby text (furigana) in vertical mode pushes characters to the left of the base line
    - RESOLVED NOTABUG

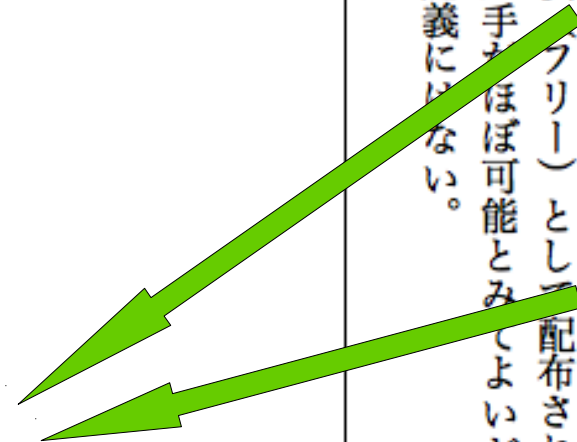
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# Bug 77514

- We can work around by setting that Mark Han advice
- I think that it is better to have such a setting by default in the Japanese environment.  
How about in other languages?
- Should we make “Request for Enhancement” as issue ? That is , Default setting switches according to languages
- Reference about ruby :  
[https://www.w3.org/TR/jlreq/#ruby\\_and\\_emphasis\\_dot\\_s](https://www.w3.org/TR/jlreq/#ruby_and_emphasis_dot_s)

# External Character (異体字) & Kanji variants

Kanji variant is a Kanji character with the same meaning but refers to what the shape is different

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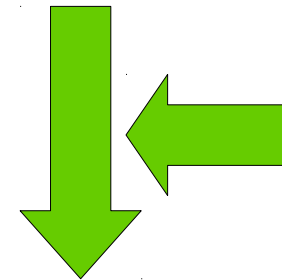
All character is same means.

# IVS(Ideographic Variation Sequence)

In Japan, using a mechanism called IVS to make it easier to deal with a Kanji variant.

IVS is combine the characters, as one of the character.

Unicode character

The image shows the standard Unicode character for '葛' (kumogata), which is a black kanji character on a white background.

Variation Sequence

The image shows the same Unicode character '葛' as above, but with a Variation Sequence (IVS) applied. The character is rendered in a slightly different style, with a more pronounced 'hook' on the bottom right of the '匸' radical, indicating a specific Japanese variant.

UCSコードは、細かな字形の差異は区別せず、複数の字形を一つのコードに統合している。

UCSコード		VS	
⋮	⋮		
菘菘…	845A	葛	E0100
葛葛葛…	845B	葛	E0101
⋮	⋮	葛	E0102
		⋮	⋮
辺辺…	8FBA		
辻辻…	8FBB	辻	E0100
⋮	⋮	辻	E0101
		⋮	⋮

UCSコードと字形を指定するVS(字形選択子)を並べて記述することで、字形を指定することができる。  
※VSの値は実際の規格と異なります。

<http://mojikiban.ipa.go.jp/1292.html>

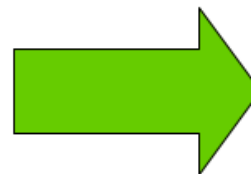
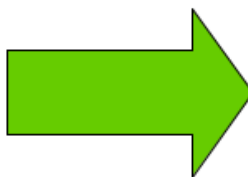
# IVS using case bug

- This issue has not reported yet

We want .....

The character 葛 (kashi) is shown in a white box.

Additional  
information

A blue rounded rectangle containing the text "Additional information".The character 葛 (kashi) is shown in a white box, identical to the first one.The character 葛 (kashi) is shown in a white box.

Push Delete key

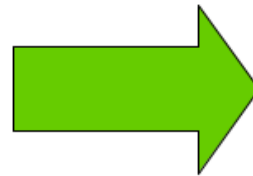
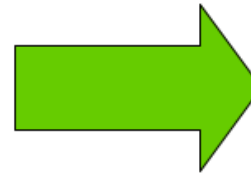


Deleted

A blue oval containing the text "Deleted".

# IVS problem is not fixed

THIS IS A REAL



Push **Backspace** key

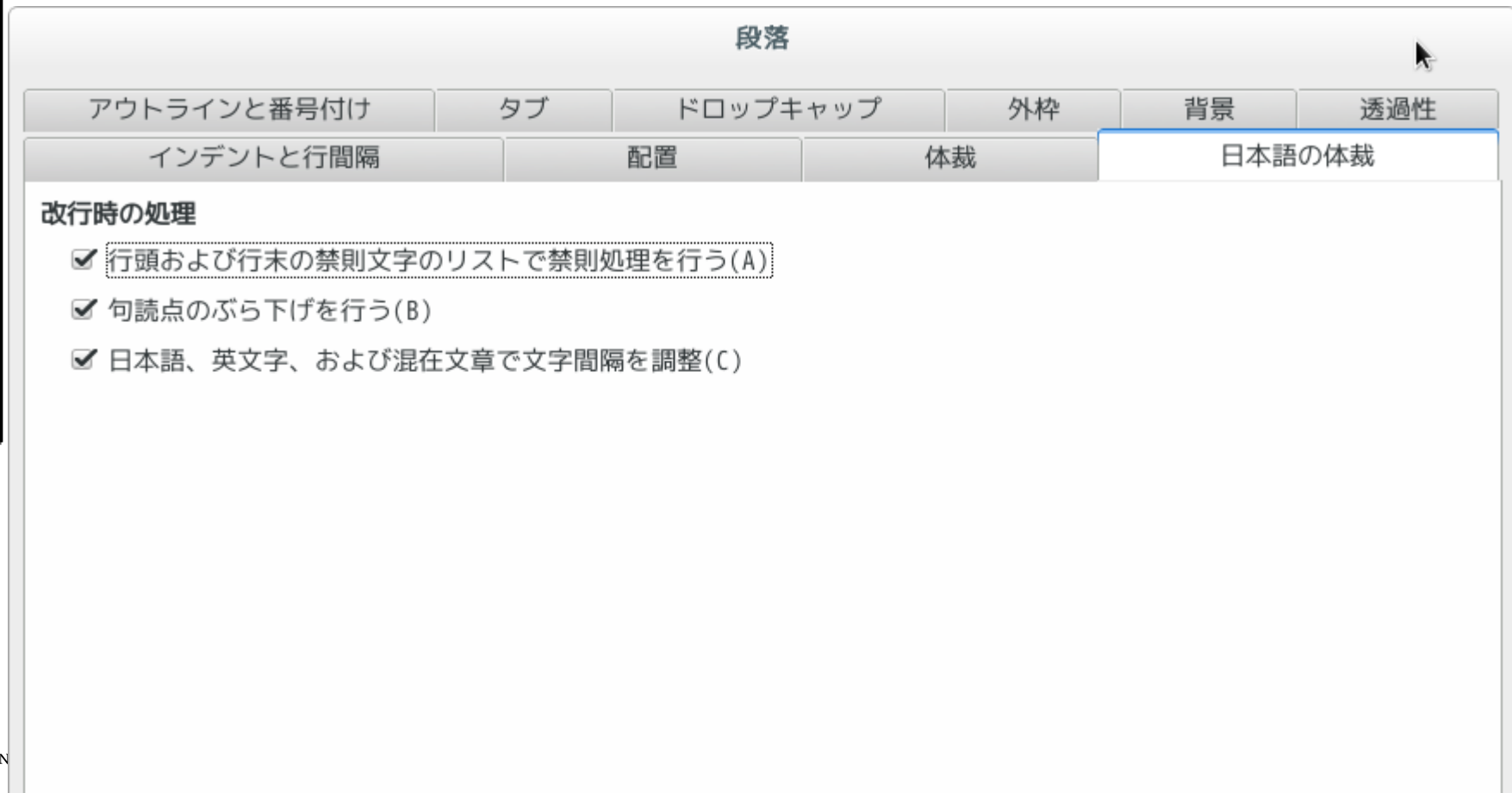


# CJK features

- In common with CJK, 1.use Kanji (Chinese characters), 2. vertical writing, 3.phonetic guides (ruby)
- Chinese characters are also different in Simplified Chinese (Mainland China), Traditional Chinese (Taiwan, Hong Kong) and Kanji (Japanese)
  - Entering kanji in this template turned to Simplified Chinese
- Even with common functions, usage methods are not always the same
  - Vertical writing

# Features specific to Japanese

- Line breaking rules 禁則処理 Kinsokushori
  - [Paragraph style]-[Japanese appearance] tab option



# Check [META] CJK issues

Depends on:(All)	135
Open	59
Close	76

- Mark Hung, is fixing CJK ISSUE Thank you!
- Some cases is not added to CJK issue due to Japanese related bug. I will add it in the future

# Checking is difficult

- It is difficult to understand the meaning
- Test case, sample file is not enough
- I do not understand when I read the comment to the end
- I wanted to re-make or arrange the summary and test cases

# Multilingual issues that matter even at CJK

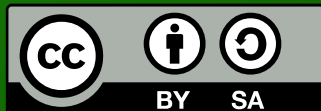
- Multilingual problem that becomes a problem with CJK
- In some time zone Date is shifted
  - Bug 59850 - EDITING: typed date decreased one day
  - Bug 63230 - Calc: Date decreased by 1 depending on Timezone

# Conclusion

- I share the Unique function and issue about CSK with a lot of members
- I'd like to work out to solve issues with our Japanese members
- I want to progress organization of Bugzilla such as CSK issue

# Thank you !

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