Chinese dialect groups

- Mandarin: 836 million (worldwide)
- Jin: 45 million (usu. grouped with Mandarin)
- Wu: 77 million
- Hui: 3.2 million (usu. grouped with Wu)
- Gan: 31 million
- Xiang: 36 million
- Min: 60 million (incl. Taiwanese)
- Hakka: 34 million (worldwide)
- Yue: 71 million (worldwide)
- Ping: 2 million (usu. grouped with Yue)
Transliteration – Pinyin and Wade–Giles

- Deng Xiaoping – Pinyin
- Teng Hsiao–P’ing – Wade–Giles
  -邓小平

- Mao Zedong – Pinyin
- Mao Tse–Tung – Wade–Giles
  -毛泽东
Be Careful When Copying and Pasting

http://www.independent.co.uk/arts-entertainment/tv/news/chinese-classical-poem-was-brothel-ad-1058031.html
Go to Control Panel and open Region and Language, then click on Change keyboards.
Add Language

Text Services and Input Languages

Default input language
Select one of the installed input languages to use as the default for all input fields.

Installed services
Select the services that you want for each input language shown in the list. Use the Add and Remove buttons to modify this list.

Add Input Language
Select the language to add using the checkboxes below.
Keyboard Layout

Layout Name: Devanagari - INSCRIPT

[Image of a keyboard layout with Devanagari letters highlighted]
Keyboard Layout

Layout Name: Spanish

Key Layout:

- Layout Name: Spanish

[Image of keyboard layout]
Language Bar

The screenshot shows the Text Services and Input Languages window with the Language Bar tab selected. The options available are:

- Floating On Desktop
- Docked in the taskbar
- Hidden

Additional settings include:

- Show the Language bar as transparent when inactive
- Show additional Language bar icons in the taskbar
- Show text labels on the Language bar
Language Bar
IME Pad – Input Method Editor

Draw character here using mouse.
IME Pad
Mac System Preferences
Mac – Input Sources
Choose Chinese Fonts

http://chinesecharacteraday.com/setting-up-your-computer/how-to-set-up-chinese-characters-on-mac-osx
Ubuntu Chinese Setup

A Quick Start Guide to Chinese Setup, Input Methods, Fonts, and Other Features in Ubuntu 12.04 (Precise Pangolin) thru Ubuntu 15.10 (Wily Werewolf) and everything in-between

[Looking for other versions of Ubuntu? Please see the menu above.]

This page describes how to install Chinese features in non-Chinese versions of Ubuntu 12 through 15. Ubuntu 11 and Ubuntu 10 have their own setup pages but share the same input methods and fonts, while Ubuntu 9 offered the last in an earlier generation of IMEs.

http://www.pinyinjoe.com/linux/ubuntu-12-chinese-setup.htm
LibreOffice

LibreOffice Fresh

For commercial support around LibreOffice see our list of certified partners.
LibreOffice Fresh is the stable version with the most recent features. Users interested in taking advantage of our most innovative features should download and use our fresh version.

Main Installer

Selected: LibreOffice 5.0.4 for Windows - change?

Download Version 5.0.4

211 MB (Torrent, Info)

LibreOffice Built in help in English (US)

need another language?

Help for offline use

5 MB (Torrent, Info)

SDK and Sourcecode

Download the SDK

LibreOffice_5.0.4_Win_x86_sdk.msi

28 MB (Torrent, Info)

Download the Sourcecode

https://www.libreoffice.org/download/libreoffice-fresh/
Zhongwen Chinese Popup Dictionary
Mandarin Tools

http://www.mandarintools.com/
# English to Chinese

## Chinese-English Dictionary

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Look It Up!

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Google Translate

https://translate.google.com
Research Guide

Chinese Language and Research Tools: Home
This LibGuide provides tips on how to do research in foreign languages such as Chinese.

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Simplified and Traditional Chinese Characters
The Peoples Republic of China uses simplified Chinese characters while most other locals you traditional Chinese characters.

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