

LaserPashto™ in Unicode™ for Windows®, version 1.0

Welcome to LaserPashto in Unicode for Windows (hereafter known as LaserPashtoU™). You now have at your fingertips professional quality Unicode-encoded fonts in TrueType® OpenType™ format for typing standard modern Pashto, Arabic, and Persian. The fonts also support the Latin character set for English and other western European languages. (The fonts do not support Koranic Arabic.) The product also provides keyboard software for easy input of all characters in the font.

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1. Copyright and Trademark Information

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- b. The product names LaserPashto™, LaserPashtoU™; the font names KitabiPashtoLSU™, LateefiPashtoLSU™, NargisiPashtoLSU™, and SarmastPashtoLSU™; and the keyboard names ArabicLSU™, FarsiLSU™, and PashtoLSU™ are all trademarks of the Payne Loving Trust.

2. System Requirements

- a. Operating Systems:
 - 1) Requires Windows 7, Windows Vista, Windows XP, or Windows 2000 SP3 or higher.
- b. Applications:
 - 1) Requires Microsoft Word 2007, Word 2003, or Word 2002, or another component of Microsoft Office 2007, Office 2003 (except PowerPoint 2003, which is not compatible), or Office 2002 (except PowerPoint 2002 has not been tested), or OpenOffice.org 3.2. (Note OpenOffice.org 3.2 does not support Pashto in Windows 2000, but does in Windows XP and newer.)
 - 2) Earlier versions of Office (or Word) are not compatible. No other application from vendors other than Microsoft, including Unicode-compatible applications such as InDesign or QuarkXPress 8.0/7.0, are known to be compatible, because they do not support the OpenType features built into these fonts.
 - 3) Older, non-Unicode applications such as Adobe FrameMaker, Adobe PageMaker, and Corel WordPerfect are not compatible. QuarkXPress 6.5 and earlier is not compatible.
- c. Known problems:
 - 1) Some of your applications' default settings must be changed to avoid unexpected results when using these fonts and keyboard software. Complete instructions for doing this in Word for Windows are provided in the document Customize Word Settings.
 - 2) Decimal character 254 (þ—Latin small letter thorn) in the fonts can no longer be input (in Microsoft Office) using keyboard input, even if shown on the EnglishLS OT keyboard chart. The keystroke does not work in Word 2007, Word 2003, or Word 2002. Character code input (Alt+0254) also does not work in these versions of Word. At this time there are three alternative ways to input this character: 1) the user may use the Insert Symbol feature from the Word menu bar; 2) the user may type the character in WordPad and copy and paste the characters into Word; or 3) the user may assign a Word shortcut to this character following the instructions given in paragraph 8a, page 11, of "Customize Word Settings". Microsoft has acknowledged this problem in Word but so far has provided no fix.

3. Registering LaserPashtoU for Windows

- a. If you purchased this product directly from Linguist's Software you already are registered and eligible for support and product upgrades.
- b. If you have purchased this product from a reseller you must mail or fax the blue registration card to us to register your purchase. If you no longer have the blue registration card please contact the sales office (425-775-1130 or sales@linguistsoftware.com) for registration information. You must register to be eligible for support and for product upgrades.

4. Contacting Linguist's Software

- a. TECHNICAL SUPPORT:
 - 1) Phone (425) 775-1130, 9 AM - 5 PM Pacific Time
 - 2) Email us at winsupport@linguistsoftware.com
- b. INFORMATION:
 - 1) Web: www.linguistsoftware.com/lpuu.htm
 - 2) Email: fonts@linguistsoftware.com
- c. ORDERS:
 - 1) Linguist's Software
 - 2) PO Box 580, Edmonds, WA 98020-0580
 - 3) phone: (425) 775-1130, fax (425) 771-5911
 - 4) email: sales@linguistsoftware.com
 - 5) web: www.linguistsoftware.com

5. Uninstalling LaserPashtoU for Windows

- a. To uninstall this product run Uninstall in the LaserPashtoU Program Group on the Start menu.
- b. Alternatively, find the uninstaller program in the **Programs** Control Panel in Windows 7, the **Program and Features** Control Panel in Windows Vista, the **Add or Remove Programs** Control Panel in Windows XP, or the **Add/Remove Programs** Control Panel in Windows 2000.

6. Release History

- Version 1.0 – July 8, 2010
 - Initial release of LaserPashto in Unicode for Windows.
 - Requires Windows 7, Vista, XP, or 2000 SP3, plus Microsoft Office 2007, 2003, or 2002 applications, or OpenOffice.org 3.2 (available free at openoffice.org).
 - Includes four Unicode-encoded, TrueType® OpenType™ fonts. KitabiPashtoLSU™, LateefiPashtoLSU™, NargisiPashtoLSU™, and SarmastPashtoLSU™ support standard modern Pashto, Arabic, and Persian with vowels and diacritic marks. (They do not support Koranic Arabic.) In addition, they support English and other Latin 1 languages.
 - Includes five software keyboards: PashtoLSU Phonetic, PashtoLSU Standard, ArabicLSU Qwerty, FarsiLSU Qwerty, and EnglishLS OT.
 - All documentation is in Adobe PDF or Microsoft Word format.
 - Setup Instructions
 - Installing Supplemental Language Support in Windows XP and 2000
 - LaserPashtoU Keyboards Manual
 - LaserPashtoU User's Manual
 - LaserPashtoU demonstration document
 - Troubleshooting Manual
 - The product installs with an automated installer, which creates a Linguist's Software Program Group on the Windows Start menu. An uninstaller is included.