PHONETIC SYMBOLS AND SIGNS

/c/  Voiceless unaspirated palatal affricate
/j/  Voiced unaspirated palatal affricate
/jh/ Voiced aspirated palatal affricate
/y/  Voiced unrounded palatal Semi-vowel
\^ falling tone
[^]  rising tone
[h]  aspiration (in Manipuri)
[h]  aspiration (in English)
\n  dentalization
\~  nasalization
[;]  full length
[.]  half-length
\~  freely varies with
[ˌ]  devoiced lenis consonants
[ˈ]  unexploded (no audibly released consonant)
[N]  nasally released consonant
[ˌ]  laterally released consonant
[ˌ]  syllabic consonant
[ˌ]  Primary stress
[ ] secondary stress

\( \phi \) indicates zero

| pause or end of tone group

|| sentence group boundary

| phonetic writing

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