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G	4	Must be learnt.
q	<u>t</u>	
Q	th	thin, thick, three, ether,
d	<u>d</u>	the, then, either, this, there
D	<u>Dh</u>	Deep labial sound of ' th e'
n	n	n o, ow n , sudde n , n ib,
р	р	pepper, lip, pit, paper
Р	f	fifty, cuff, phase, rough, fit, foot, fur
b	b	baby, rib, bib, button,
В	<u>bh</u>	Deep palatal sound of 'b'
m	m	mum, m ur m ur, di m , ny m ph
Х	У	yard, young, union
r	r	red, car, rarity, rose
I	I	lily, pool, lid, needle, lamb
V	v	vivid, give, live
V	<u>rh</u>	Deep palatal sound of 'r' (must be learnt)
S	<u>sh</u>	sh y, mi ss ion, ma ch ine, spe ci al
^	<u>kh</u>	Deep palatal sound of 'kh'
Z	g	Deep palatal sound of 'g'
Z	z	zone, raise, zebra, xylem
&	<u>f</u>	Deep labial sound of 'f'
L	1	Deep palatal sound of 'l'
H	н	Same as 'h' but of short duration
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~	n	Same as 'n' but of short duration
	у	Same as 'y' but of short duration
R	R	Same as 'r' but of short duration
Í	v	Same as 'v' but of short duration
W	aa	b o ther, c o t, father, cart, palm
W	aa ^N	This adds nasal tone to 'aa'
i	i	tip, banish, active, pit, it, give
I	ee	nosebl ee d, b ee , f ee d, b ea t,
U	u	bull, pull, full, cure h oo d, b oo k
U	00	c oo l, p oo l, b oo t, t oo l, r u le
у	ay	r ay , s ay , d ay , h ay , b ay
Ŷ	ai	mat, map, bad, lad, glad, rat, bat,
0	ο	b o ne, know, toe, note, go
0	ou	out, pound, now, loud
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