

A few sample words, from the different languages, typed out with the ‘Indian-in-Roman’ keyboard are given below to demonstrate the feasibility of the scheme. (Vide Table 9). The scheme is only a suggestion and not a conclusion. It could be modified in the light of discussions, feedback and trials.

Table 8. Sample words in *Indian in Roman*

Language	Word	Meaning in English	Language	Word	Meaning in English
Assamese	chāgolī	goat	Malayalam	nyān	I
	tormūj	watermelon		eviđe	where
	xonibār	Saturday		kaññü	eye
	pūb	east		śarkara	jaggery
	bhori	leg		vāya	mouth
	bogā	white		cuñđü	lip
	cokū	eye		puža	river
	cāri xo	four hundred		pādira	midnight
	kol	banana		muri	room
	ronga	red		accan	father
Tamil	vīđü	house	Odissi	obhyās	habit
	pažam	fruit		rombhā	plantain
	pañam	money		ōth	lip
	araśiyal	politics		goch	tree
	udađü	lip		cok	wheel
	kōbam	anger		gotkālī	yesterday
	vēlŷ	work		ottālīkā	mansion

	vētti	dhoti		košto	trouble
	maram	tree		ghoř	leg
	vandī	vehicle		poch	behind
Punjabi	sajjā	right	Kannada	uppinakāyi	pickle
	khabbā	left		haññu	fruit
	cittā	white		mēge	goat
	fazal	yield		nusi	mosquito
	ca(n)gā	good		mūrane	third
	agga	fire		viñamba	delay
	lutērā	robber		kelesa	work
	kamma	work		badagi	carpenter
	talab	salary		biļi	white
	śahir	town		cinna	gold
Bengali	mon	mind	Hindi	bīc mē	In the middle of
	bayas	age		khyāl	thought
	āynā	glass		khabar	news
	dhēslāyi	matchstick		visvās	belief
	dbār	entrance		ma(n)zil	floor
	tīkšña	sharp		bāvarci	cook
	samprati	now		pisāyi	grinding
	ēsaba	all these		kacrā	waste
	thākurmā	grandmother		pēt	stomach

	gāch	tree		bāl	hair
Telugu	avva	grandmother	Sanskrit	sakrüt	once
	vighnamu	obstacle		pikaha	cuckoo
	dōma	mosquito		kākaha	crow
	godugu	umbrella		vrüthā	in vain
	pampu	send		biḍālaha	cat
	cēyi	hand		pacati	cooks
	nadirēyi	midnight		carañam	feet
	vēsavi	summer		śarañam	refuge
	vīdhi	street		bhrātā	brother
	tūrpu	east		pötra	grandson