Gujarati Unicode Keyboard Layout Setting

Windows XP

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System Requirements:

1. Windows XP CD
2. Windows XP Operating System installed on machine.

1. Click Start button and Select Control Panel.

2. Click on Control Panel.
3. Click on "Date, Time, Language, and Regional Options" from it.

4. Regional and Language Options".
5. Click on the Languages Tab.
6. Check both boxes and click the "OK" button.
7. It may ask for you to insert the windows XP installation CD. Like below.

8. Insert the windows XP CD in your CD Drive and click OK. It will install all languages (fonts, keyboards and another needed files).

After the installation/ File copying process is over, Restart the machine. Again open "Regional and Language Options" as described above.

Click on the "Languages Tab".
9. Click on "Details" Button.
10. You will get the following window from there click on "Add" button for adding Gujarati Language Keyboard.
11. You will get a window titled as "Add Input Language"

   a. Select "Gujarati" from "Input Language"

   b. From "Keyboard layout/IME", select your customized Gujarati Keyboard Like "Gujarati Indic IME" or any other which you have already installed. You will find the selected keyboard layout in the list.

You can also select more than one layout one by one.
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**Note:** You don't have any customized keyboard for Gujarati, you can use "Gujarati" given by Microsoft, but before using that keyboard, you need to know which Gujarati alphabets is mapped to which key of keyboard. For that You can use "Office XP/2000 Add-in: Microsoft Visual Keyboard", which is free for downloading from Microsoft's web site.

12. Click on "OK" Button, You will be back to the previous "Text Services and Input Languages" window.

![Text Services and Input Languages window](image)

you can see the your customized Gujarati Keyboard is configured with "Gujarati Language".
13. To avoid accidental change of keyboard, press "Key Settings" button in "Preferences" section.
14. Click on "Change Key Sequence...".

15. Change Key Sequence dialogue box appers.
16. Checkout both "Switch input languages" and "Switch keyboard layouts".

17. Click on "OK" button, you will be back to "Advanced Key Settings" again click on "OK" Button.
You will be back to "Text Service and Input Language" Window.

18. Click on "Language Bar..." Button from "Preference section ". You will get "Language Bar
Settings " window.

19. Check only on "Show the language bar on desktop" and "Show text labels on the Language
bar". Then click "OK".
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20. You will see the language bar on your desktop.
21. To test your Language setting. Open notepad or any other application where you want to type in Gujarati Unicode.

22. Click on EN English (United States) on Language Bar, It will give you the list of languages you have set to use on your machine.
23. Now you can write Gujarati. Gujarati Support is added to your machine.

Select GU Gujarati from the list. and then click on right hand side of the keyboard sign. it will give you list of keyboard layouts (IME Input method environment) you have select to use with Gujarati language on your machine. If you have selected only one keyboard for a language then you will get only language name and not any keyboard.

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