

Greek, Ancient and Medieval (before 1454)

<i>Vernacular</i>	<i>Romanization</i>	<i>Vernacular</i>	<i>Romanization</i>
A	A	α	a
B	B	β	b
Γ	G	γ	g (n before γ, κ, ξ, and χ)
Δ	D	δ	d
E	E	ε	e
Z	Z	ζ	z
H	Ē	η	ē
Θ	Th	θ	th
I	I	ι	i
K	K	κ	k
Λ	L	λ	l
M	M	μ	m
N	N	ν	n
Ξ	X	ξ	x
O	O	ο	o
Π	P	π	p
P	R	ρ	r
Σ, C	S	σ, c, ζ (final)	s
T	T	τ	t
Υ	Y	υ	y (u in diphthongs αυ, ευ, ηυ, ου, υι, and ωυ)
Φ	Ph	φ	ph
Χ	Ch	χ	ch
Ψ	Ps	ψ	ps
Ω	Ō	ω	ō

Archaic letters

F	W	F	w
Q	Κ	Ϝ	k

Note

The rough breathing (*´*) is romanized *h*. When it appears with a vowel or a diphthong, the *h* precedes the romanized vowel or diphthong; when it appears with rho (*ῤ*, *ῖ*), the *h* follows the romanized rho (*Rh*, *rh*). The *h* is supplied as necessary when the rough breathing does not appear in the Greek vernacular text (for example, when the text is in all capitals).

Other diacritical marks, such as the smooth breathing, the coronis, acute, circumflex, and grave accents, and the diaeresis, as well as iota subscript and adscript, are omitted in romanization.

Numerals

Greek numerals

<i>Character</i>	<i>Value</i>	<i>Character</i>	<i>Value</i>
α´	1	ρ´	100
β´	2	σ´	200
γ´	3	τ´	300
δ´	4	υ´	400
ε´	5	φ´	500
Ϝ´, Ϛ´, στ´	6	χ´	600
ζ´	7	ψ´	700
η´	8	ω´	800
θ´	9	ϝ´	900
ι´	10	Ϟα	1000
ια´	11	Ϟαα	1001
...	...	Ϟαβ	1002
κ´	20
κα´	21	Ϟβ	2000
κβ´	22	Ϟγ	3000
...	...	Ϟδ	4000
λ´	30	Ϟε	5000
μ´	40
ν´	50		
ξ´	60		
ο´	70		
π´	80		

Examples

ΗΣΙΟΔΟΥ ΤΟΥ ΑΣΚΡΑΙΟΥ ΕΡΓΑ ΚΑΙ ΗΜΕΡΑΙ (= Ἡσιόδου τοῦ Ἀσκραίου Ἔργα καὶ ἡμέραι)	Hēsiodou tou Askraiou Erga kai hēmerai
Η ΤΟΥ ΟΜΗΡΟΥ ΙΛΙΑΣ (= Ἡ τοῦ Ὀμήρου Ἰλιάς)	Hē tou Homērou Ilias
ΦΙΛΗΒΟΣ Η ΠΕΡΙ ΗΔΟΝΗΣ (= Φίληβος ἢ Περὶ ἡδονῆς)	Philēbos ē Peri hēdonēs
ΑΓΝΩΣΤΩΙ ΘΕΩΙ (= Ἀγνώστῳ θεῷ) κεῖται παρ' Ἄιδῃ	Agnōstō theō keitai par' Hadē
ΑΙΤΙΑ ΡΩΜΑΙΚΑ (= Αἴτια Ῥωμαϊκά)	Aitia Rhōmaika
Ἵτι οὐδ' ἡδέως ζῆν ἔστι κατ' Ἐπικούρου Περὶ τοῦ μὴ ῥαδίως πιστεῦειν διαβολῇ ἀϋπνοῦς νύκτας ἴαυον Λητοῦς καὶ Διὸς υἱός ύϊκὸν πάσχειν καλὸν κάγαθόν Περὶ ἰλίγγων ὅτε τ' ἴαχε σάλπιγξ Ἐγχειρίδιον ἀρμονικῆς ἄλαστα δὲ φέργα πάθον κακὰ μησαμένοι Δαμαρέτα τ' ἐράτα τε φανθεμῖς	Hoti oud' hēdeōs zēn esti kat' Epikouron Peri tou mē rhadiōs pisteuein diabolē aypnous nyktas iauon Lētous kai Dios huios hyikon paschein kalon kagathon Peri ilingōn hote t' iache salpinx Encheiridion harmonikēs alasta de werga pathon kaka mēsameni Damareta t' erata te Wianthemis
ΞΕΝΦΟΣ (= ξένφος)	xenwos
ΠΑΤΡΟΦΛΟΣ (= Πάτροφλος)	Patroqlōs