ARITHMETICAL TABLES.

NUMER	ATION	TARI	Æ
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Units,	
Tens,	21
Hundreds,	
Thousands,	4,321
Tens of Thousands,	
Hundreds of Thousands,	654,321
Millions,	7,654,321
Tens of Millions,	87,654,321
Hundreds of Millions,	, 987,651,321
Thousands of Millions,	1,316,038,426
Tens of Thousands of Millions,	
Hundreds of Thousands of Millions,	360,750,900,504
Billions	4,516,328,471,951

ROMAN NOTATION.

The Romans expressed numbers by means of the seven following capital letters of the alphabet.

Numbers, I. V. X. L. C. D. M. Value, 1. 5, 10. 50. 100. 500. 1000

And by repeating and combining these, any of the intermediate or higher numbers were denoted as follows:—

Numbers, II. III. IIII. XX. CC. CCC. MM. Value, 2, 3, 4, 20, 200. 300, 2000.

Also, annexing a letter, or letters, of a lower value to one of a higher, denotes their sum:—

As, VI. VIII. XII. XV. XVII. LXX. DC. Value, 6. 8. 12. 15. 17. 70. 600.

And if a letter of a lower value be prefixed to one of a higher, it denotes their difference:—

As, IV. IX. XIX. XL. XC. CD. Value, 4. 9, 19. 40. 90. 400.

The character for 500 is I_O, or under an abbreviated form D; its value is doubled, or becomes 1000, by prefixing a C to it, as in CI_O; 5000 is denoted by I_{OO}, and 10,000 by CCI_{OO}; and the value becomes increased in a decuple proportion, by the successive addition of pairs of C, on each side of the line I; thus, 100,000 is denoted by CCCI_{OOO}; 1,000,-000 by CCCCI_{OOOO}.

Though 6 is usually denoted VI, yet in some inscriptions it is expressed by six lines; V. and L. are never repeated, and X. and C. never more than four times. By placing a line over these numeral characters, their values are increased one thousand fold; thus I. is 1000, V. is 5000, X. is 10,000, L. 50,000, C. 100,000; 2000 is usually denoted by CI_OCI_O, or MM, but sometimes also by IICI_O, or IIM; and in the same manner 4000 is sometimes represented by IVCI_O, 7000 by VIICI_O, and similarly in other cases.