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APPROVED CHINESE DICTIONARIES

S/N	TITLE	PUBLISHER	ISBN NUMBER	APPROVED PERIOD
1	新编学生实用词典 (第七版增订本)	新亚出版社	981-255-911-6 978-981-255-911-1	2024 - 2028
2	新编小学实用词典	新亚出版社	981-274-954-3 978-981-274-954-3	2024 – 2028
3	新世纪学生华语词典	怡学出版社·商务印书馆	978-981-4237-75-8	2021 - 2025

APPROVED CHINESE E-DICTIONARIES[#]

S/N	NAME and MODEL	PUBLISHER	APPROVED PERIOD
1	Besta All Pass S2	Ellton Enterprise Pte Ltd	2024 – 2029
2	Besta All Pass 6	Ellton Enterprise Pte Ltd	2024 – 2029
3	Besta All Pass S1	Ellton Enterprise Pte Ltd	2022 - 2026
4	Besta All Pass 3	iKnow Pte Ltd Ellton Enterprise Pte Ltd	2022 – 2026
5	Besta All Pass 5	Ellton Enterprise Pte Ltd	2022 - 2026
6	Besta All Pass 2	iKnow Pte Ltd Ellton Enterprise Pte Ltd	2022 - 2026
7	HansVision PX2131	Creative Knowledge Labs Pte Ltd	2024 – 2028
8	HansVision PX2181	Creative Knowledge Labs Pte Ltd	2023 – 2027
9	HansVision PX2231	Creative Knowledge Labs Pte Ltd	2024 – 2029

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S/N	NAME and MODEL	PUBLISHER	APPROVED PERIOD
10	HansVision PX2281	Creative Knowledge Labs Pte Ltd	2024 – 2029
11	HansVision PX2201	Creative Knowledge Labs Pte Ltd	2023 – 2027
12	HansVision PX2221	Creative Knowledge Labs Pte Ltd	2023 – 2029
13	HansVision PX2101	Creative Technology Ltd Creative Knowledge Labs Pte Ltd	2021 – 2025
14	HansVision PX2051	Creative Technology Ltd Creative Knowledge Labs Pte Ltd	2021 – 2025
15	ZZ New-A+	Jeto International Pte Ltd	2025 - 2029

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S/N	TITLE	PUBLISHER	ISBN NUMBER
1	华语规范字典	胜利出版私人有限公司	9971-61-969-5
2	华语规范词典	胜利出版私人有限公司	981-237-067-6
3	规范汉语词典	联营出版有限公司	983-820-627-X
4	时代商务馆学华语词典	新加坡泛太平洋教育出版社	978-981-271-770-2
5	新汉语字典	联营出版有限公司	9789830102160 9789830109619
6	新华现代汉语词典	思达出版有限公司 商服印书馆国际有限公司	981-4176-11-7
7	新世纪学生新词典	怡学出版社•商务印书馆	981-4133-55-8 978-981-4133-55-5
8	新世纪高级汉语词典	怡学出版社·商务印书馆	981-4070-36X 981-4133-40X 978-981-4133-40-1
9	现代汉语词典(第五版)	商务印书馆	7-100-04385-9 978-7100-04385-4

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10	最新规范汉语词典	联营出版有限公司	983-820-865-5 9789830109602
11	最新汉语大词典(世纪版)	联营出版有限公司	983-820-625-3 983-820-626-1
12	实用汉语词典	胜利书局	9971-61-513-4
13	时代新汉语词典	联邦出版社,华语教学出版社	981-01-8-720-3
14	现代汉语新词典	商务印书馆	981-009-289X 978-981-009-289-4
15	现代汉语小词典(增补本)	朗文出版有限公司, 商务印书 馆	978912475343
16	现代华语词典	上海书局(私人)有限公司	9971-906-91-0
17	现代华语词典(修订版)	中图上海书局	981-04-5989-0 983-2594-02-2
18	现代实用汉语词典	联营出版有限公司	983-820-863-9 983-820-864-7
19	新华字典(第十版)	商务印书馆	7-100-03974-1 978-7100-03974-1 7-100-03931-2 978-7100-03931-4
20	新汉语词典	联营出版有限公司	967-9985-92-X
21	新编学生词典	上海书局	997190672
22	新世纪汉语词典	 怡学出版社•商务印书馆	981-4070-661 978-981-4070-66-9
23	最新学生词典	联营出版有限公司	967-9985-78-4
24	世纪版新汉语字典	联营出版(马)有限公司	978-983-01-0961-9
25	规范汉语词典	联营出版(马)有限公司	978-983-820-627-3

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26	最新规范汉语词典(修订版)	联营出版(马)有限公司	978-983-01-0960-2
27	最新汉语大词典(世纪版)	联营出版 (马) 有限公司	983-820-625-3 983-820-626-1
28	新世纪高级学习词典	怡学出版社•商务印书馆	978-981-4333-25-2
29	最新汉语大词典(第5版)	联营出版(马)有限公司	978-983-01-1073-8 978-983-01-1122-3
30	全球华语大词典	Marshall Cavendish Education Pte Ltd	978-981-4684-38-5

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S/N	NAME and MODEL	PUBLISHER
1	Besta All Pass-1	Besta DigiTech Pte Ltd
2	Besta New All Pass-1	iKnow Pte Ltd
3	ZZ New-01	ZZ Perfection Pte Ltd
4	Besta All Pass 1	iKnow Pte Ltd / Ellton Enterprise Pte Ltd

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APPROVED MALAY E-DICTIONARY

S/N	NAME and MODEL	PUBLISHER	APPROVED PERIOD
1	Global Translator / Model M188 e- dictionary (Kamus Bimbit Elektronik Riang Ria)	EDN-Media Consultant Pte Ltd	2021 - 2025

PREVIOUSLY APPROVED MALAY DICTIONARIES*

S/N	TITLE	PUBLISHER
1	Kamus Dewan (Edisi Kedua)	Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka
2	Kamus Dewan (Edisi Ketiga)	Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka
3	Kamus Dewan (Edisi Keempat)	Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka
4	Kamus Pelajar (Terbitan KBSM)	Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka
5	Kamus Pelajar (Terbitan Khas KBSM)	Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka
6	Kamus Pelajar Bahasa Malaysia (Edisi Kedua)	Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka
7	Kamus Pelajar Bahasa Malaysia (Terbitan Khas KBSM)	Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka
8	Kamus Pelajar Bahasa Melayu Dewan (Edisi Kedua)	Dewan Bahasa dan Pustaka
9	Kamus Komprehensif Bahasa Melayu	Oxford Fajar Sdn. Bhd.

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APPROVED TAMIL DICTIONARIES

S/N	TITLE	PUBLISHER	APPROVED PERIOD
1	Lakshmi's Learners' Tamil Language Dictionary (Revised Edition) ISBN 978-981-08-6695-2	Lakshmi Publications, Singapore	2021 – 2025
2	Uma Natramil Peragaraathi (Revised Edition) ISBN 978-967-434-270-8	Uma Publications, Kuala Lumpur	2024 – 2028

PREVIOUSLY APPROVED TAMIL DICTIONARIES*

S/N	TITLE	PUBLISHER
1	Lakshmi's Learners' Tamil Language Dictionary	Lakshmi Publications, Singapore
2	Puthiya Tamil Akaraathi (New Tamil – Tamil Dictionary)	Uma Publications, Kuala Lumpur
3	Tamil – Tamil Akara Muthali (M Shanmugam Pillai)	Government of Tamilnadu Textbook Committee
4	Kriyavin Tarkalat Tamil Akarati (Tamil – Tamil Version only) ISBN 978-81-85602-91-2	Cre-A Publishers, Chennai
5	Kazhakat Tamil Akaraathi (Tamil – Tamil Dictionary)	The South India Saiva Siddhanta Works Publishing Society, Tinnevelly Limited, Chennai
6	Kazhakat Tamil Kaiyakaraathi (Tamil – Tamil Dictionary)	The South India Saiva Siddhanta Works Publishing Society, Tinnevelly Limited, Chennai

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