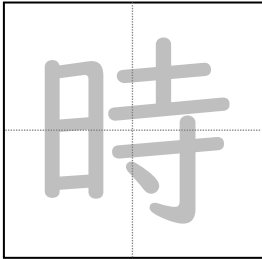


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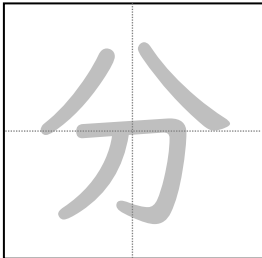


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ときどき
時々 (sometimes) ※1

とけい
時計 (watch) ※2

なんじ
何時 (what time)

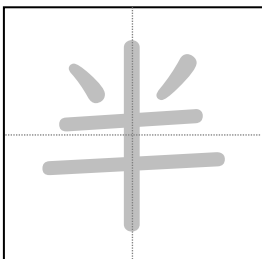


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わ
わかります (to understand)

じぶん
自分で (by myself)

ごふん
五分 (5 minutes) ※3



半	半					
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はんぶん
半分 (half)

はんとし
半年 (half year)

いちじはん
一時半 (one hour and half)

※1 「々」 is used for indicating the repetition of the preceding Kanji. However, please notice the pronunciation of 「時々」 is [tokidoki], not [tokitoki]. It is often the case the initial consonant of the latter half of nominal compounds of wago words (including reduplication) appears with dots if possible, for example, 「ごみばこ」 "trash box" = 「ごみ」 "garbage" + 「はこ」 "box" and 「はこ」 appears with two dots in 「ごみばこ」.

※2 The reading of 「時計」 is very exceptional, perhaps this case only.

※3 This Kanji has three on-readings. Two of them for minute(s): 分 in cases of [0, 2, 5, 7, 9], otherwise 「ぶん」. Cases of 「ぶん」 can be divided into two types. One is 「つぶん」 (1, 6, 8, 10, 100) and the others are 「ぶんぶん」 (3, 4). Thus 「ぶん」 is a conditioned variation of 「ぶん」. In expressing other meanings, 「ぶん」 is used and 「ぶん」 is never changed into other sounds.