

Notes on Mandarin Chinese

The data files are basically named by the old naming convention (LANG-RES-SESSION-TEST-QUEST-PART).

LANG	language code as in Ethnologue (three characters)
RES	researcher code (two characters)
SESSION	session nr.
TEST	nr. of the experiment/test in the Reference Manual. This number is the first part of the <i>Data nr.</i> given in the section ‘Materials/questions for informant’.
QUEST	question nr. This number is the second part of the <i>Data nr.</i> given in the section ‘Materials/questions for informant’.
PART	part nr. (there may be more than one sound file associated with the question in case the answer is long)

What differs from the convention is that instead of the field session numbers 1-4 individual recording session numbers are used. Fortunately the metadata documents are complete so it is possible to retrace what recording session refers to which field session. The data files (wav and xml) can be found in the folder “Old Naming”.