

MORE PALINDROMES

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The following palindromes are additional to those listed in *Palindromicon II*. Although I have removed some candidates, those below are accompanied by sufficient information that the reader can accept or reject each as desired. My own criteria for acceptance differ from those of the *Palindromicon*, so this list is not precisely an addition to that work. However, I, like it, have omitted almost all initialisms (CFC), also musical terms (fff), Roman numerals (MCM), chess notation (PxP), and international vehicle registrations (GBG), except for one or two. Abbreviations like Mdm, and morpheme-medial clusters like rtr are also omitted. The list is dominated by place names, because I gave my dictionary words to the *Palindromicon* editors.

The two numbers separated by a '/' represent latitude and longitude, compressed so that the last two digits are minutes, with preceding digits being degrees. Where the full name involves more than one word, the palindrome is in bold. Often, there are a number of places with the same name: just one is listed. An asterisk means that the word is in *Palindromicon II*, but with a different source, and probably a different accent. Except if noted, place names are from NIMA = National Imagery and Mapping Agency's database. I have used no plurals. The list is in alphabetic order of palindrome.

Abooba, 121, 4413, Somalia
 Hennchir Ksar el **Aibia**, 3543/830, Tunisia
 Mal'ch **Akhka**, 4308/4555, Russia
 Alamala, 711/314, Nigeria
Al Asala, 1312/4528, Yemen
 `Ali **Mila**, 1142/4203, Djibouti
 Messaoud Ben **Aljla**, 3609/1002, Tunisia
 Pampa **Allajalla**, -1502/-7442, Peru
 Rio **Amanama**, 352/-6537, Venezuela
 Canada **Amatama**, 1925/-7140, Dominican Rep
 Anahanahana, -1846/4848, Madagascar
Aninina Griva, 6016/4514, Russia
 La **Asomosa**, 1439/-8836, Honduras
Awaiawa Bay, -1013/15031, PNG
Awkwa River, 551/711, Nigeria
 Ayn'ya, 5805/2536, Estonia
 Kol Kol-e **Babab** Hasan, 3423/4623, Iran
Bazab Kaur, 2628/6424, Pakistan
 Mariam **Beleb**, 1316/3901, Ethiopia
 Shi'b **Bl'ilb**, 1710/5130, Yemen
 BMB, -2008/3031, Zimbabwe; or OED ridger 1977q, trade name
 Urochishche **Bolob**, 4223/4649, Russia
 *Cabac, 1114/12342, Philippines
 CFC, chlorofluorocarbon, Chambers
Cococ River, 1159/12344, Philippines
 Quebrada **Cunuc**, -1044/-7651, Peru
Daba Qabad, 841/4549, Somalia
 Darya-i- **Daøoad**, 3717/6927, Afghanistan
 Umm ed **Debabed**, 3030/2045, Libya

Abu Ruba, 3126/4722, Iraq
 Aijia, 3037/11120, China
 Alabala, 4109/4236, Turkey
 Alapala, 721/429, Nigeria
 Alhla, 3530/9926, China
 Koda **Alisila**, 1054/1252, Nigeria
 Allagalla, 717/8028, Sri Lanka
Al Mamla, 2828/3638, Saudi Arabia
 Amasama, 458/606, Nigeria
 Amayama, 5806/15822, Russia
Anauana Pampa, -1838/-6847, Bolivia
 Argra, 3428/7238, Pakistan
 *Atuta, 4323/14126, Japan
 Awewa, 2041/-1531, Mauritania
 Aylya, 5810/13751, Russia
 Erg **Azenneza**, 2250/25, Algeria
 Khor **Battab**, 1807/3735, Sudan
 Chak Fifty-eight **B-DB**, 2907/7141, Pakistan
Bi'r `Aqarib, 3336/915, Tunisia

Bujub Mahala, 4234/2049, Yugoslavia
 Caraparac, -1029/-7608, Peru
Cococ Rocks, 1447/12203, Philippines
Cu Duc, 1942/10526, Vietnam
 Laguna **Cuyuc**, -1158/-7605, Peru
Danan `Ad, 1112/4314, Djibouti
 Dddddddd, OED signature, 1864q

- Diaraid "Diaraid and Sean Conway tried hard" www.ucc.ie/celt/published/G301900/text022.html
 Dimid, OED rawed, 1633q
 Dragsgard, 5650/1009, Denmark
 Jibal ad **Duyud**, 2730/4859, Saudi Arabia
 Rio **Ecoce**, -1341/3604, Mozambique
 ehtethe, OED var. form of eighth (th was an edh)
 Ile Nahel **Eilie**, 3304/3506, Israel
 `El `Arrale, 258/4633, Somalia
 `Ellalle Rar, 1156/4258, Djibouti
 I-n-**Enerene**, 1540/-110, Mali
 *Enne, 3928/2952, Turkey; or OED achate, 1230q
 Eremere, -719/14410, PNG
 erre, OED err, 1303q
 Etsaste, 5811/2629, Estonia
 Gladalg, -2728/14839, Australia
 Gnazang, 210/1139, Gabon
 Phou **Gnung**, 2046/10415, Laos
 Khabb Bi'r **Habubah**, 3358/742, Tunisia
 Al **Hajajah**, 1301/4353, Yemen
 Jabal **Hamumah**, 1811/4250, Saudi Arabia
 Al **Harurah**, 1457/4424, Yemen
 Khirbat al Bu **Hasisah**, 3141/4505, Iraq
 Qaryat Umm al **Hayayah**, 3257/4411, Iraq
 Cham-e **Henneh**, 3238/4955, Iran
 Iaracarai, -249/-5910, Brazil
 Icaci, -59/3653, Kenya
 Ikasaki, 3332/13239, Japan
 Quebrada **Inirini**, -301/-7107, Peru
 Khao **Intni**, 1428/10116, Thailand
Iramari Villu, 923/8016, Sri Lanka
 Issossi, -100/1516, Congo
Ivovi Pod, 4233/1858, Yugoslavia
 Mina **Jayaj** Mayu, -2028/-6620, Bolivia
 Alan **Kairiak**, 4217/2737, Bulgaria
 Kammak, 3055/6137, Iran
Kan Nak, 1409/10837, Vietnam
 Kolodets **Kara-Karak**, 3756/6132, Turkmenistan
Kau Yuak, 1201/10216, Thailand
 Kazzak, 2855/6455, Pakistan
 Kieik, 2206/9721, Burma
 Koomook, 1128/5002, Somalia
Kuh-e Huk, 3443/5718, Iran
 Poluostrov **Kyttyk**, 6930/16740, Russia
 Kef **Lakkal**, 3656/740, Algeria
 Lumul, -3734/-7333, Chile
 Lutul, 4639/2437, Romania
Madoko Dam, -2117/2850, Zimbabwe
 Mahsham, 3456/7253, Pakistan
Mangnam-san, 4125/12832, N Korea
 Pang **Me-hem**, 2035/9950, Burma
 Mohom, 906/2643, Sudan
 Tuya **Muyum**, 4021/7235, Kyrkyzstan
Dld Dagupan, 1726/12126, Philippines
 Kuh-e **Drd** Dandaneh, 3407/5034, Iran
 Ecice, 4031/3225, Turkey
 Efife, 742/555, Nigeria
 ehtuthe, OED embe, 1175q (th was a thorn)
 Ejije, -1338/3953, Mozambique
El Ehele, 12/4304, Somalia
El Susle, 328/4531, Somalia
Enine Island, 1018/16959, Marshall
 Rio **Eperepe**, -1443/3846, Mozambique
 Erepere, 5833/2338, Estonia
 Laguna **Erure**, 1129/-7243, Colombia
 gefeg, OED chime, 1000q (Anglo-Saxon g)
 Gnarang, 712/3139, Sudan
 Houay **Gneng**, 1800/10441, Laos
 G U G, OED wobble, 1974q
 Haggah, 1541/4335, Yemen
 Halulah, 3625/3810, Syria
 Hayd **Haninah**, 1424/4625, Yemen
 Wadi **Hasasah**, 3133/3524, West Bank
 Al **Hasusah**, 1505/4817, Yemen
 Habari **Hefeh**, 850/4624, Somalia
 HRH, His/Her Royal Highness, OED
 Ibubi, 2/3438, Kenya
 Valea **Iepi**, 4633/2412, Romania
 Imilimi, -126/3721, Kenya
 Rio **Iniuini**, 29/-6142, Brazil
 Irabari, -42/3741, Kenya
 Iriviri, -841/15721, Solomon Isles
Ituti Creek, -719/14411, PNG
 Tione **Izezi**, 1656/715, Niger
 `Ain el- **Kadndak**, 2522/3031, Egypt
 Alan-**Kajrjak**, 4217/2737, Bulgaria
 Kangnak, 3827/12540, N Korea
Kappak Jhal, 2707/6625, Pakistan
 Sungei **Karurak**, 412/11353, Malaysia
 Akcha **Kayryak**, 4146/2526, Bulgaria
 Keddek, 6703/1817, Sweden
 Kollok, 2714/6204, Iran
Kuh-e Dehuk, 2829/5147, Iran
Kyr-Aryk, 4125/6924, Uzbekistan
 Ain Abd **Lahhal**, 3236/-216, Morocco
 Kandah **Laqal**, 3547/4349, Iraq
 Phum Tuol Ta **Luppul**, 1240/10320, Cambodia
 Madaradam, 1229/1553, Chad
 Maeam, 3937/12544, N Korea
 Man **Makhkam**, 2322/9841, Burma
 McM, Miss, OED mother, 1965q
 Meyyem, 3421/5054, Iran
Mu Bum, 2652/9559, Burma
 Tas-**Myaym**, 6132/12412, Russia

- Air Naggan**, 2110/42, Mali
Wadi Nahshan, 3153/1055, Libya
Namhman, 1746/10018, Thailand
Naum-uan, 1058/12232, Philippines
Namun Nenomonen, 727/15151, Micronesia
Niofoin, 937/-605, Ivory
Nizdzin, 5228/2005, Poland
Oalao, 552/12454, Philippines
Tubu Oereo, -908/12439, Indonesia
Ogologo-Olo, 625/707, Nigeria
Okiko jima, 3133/13037, Japan
Ikoumou-Okohoko, -16/1545, Congo
Oksko-Donskaya Ravnina, 5300/4030, Russia
Olokolo, 749/344, Nigeria
Oriro Petana, -834/14634, PNG
***Ototo Stream**, -3807/17828, New Zealand, www.linz.govt.nz/databases/geographic
Oyuyo, -1550/-6947, Peru
Pac Cap, 2247/10512, Vietnam
Panap, -1556/16816, Vanuatu
Pelelep, 613/16042, Micronesia
Loma Porop, 1146/-7142, Colombia
pWp (picowatts psophometrically weighted), OED
Bi'r al Qafaq, 3147/2455, Libya
Ogum Qodoq, 3631/6603, Afghanistan
Quøuq, 3523/6446, Afghanistan
Lovgrunds Rabbar, 6049/1731, Sweden
Rasusar, 3805/4713, Iran
Ar Rayyar, 2332/3945, Saudi Arabia
rkr, representation of Eskimo K sound, as in kayak (OED)
Rottor, 4716/1346, Austria
sæas, OED variant of sea
Saisias, Browning, La Saisias, OED elude 1878q
Cano Sawawas, 1239/-8413, Nicaragua
Sendnes, 6152/900, Norway
Silagalis, 5540/2421, Lithuania
Snattans, 6017/2441, Finland
Knisja tal-Madonna tal-Blat, 3601/1419, Malta
Djebel Tamamat, 2630/49, Algeria
Shinbarat at Tananat, 3031/3139, Egypt
Khor Taqqat, 1312/3018, Sudan
Ta'sisat Va Morghdari-ye Dorafshan, 3255/5131, Iran
Tassassat, 1646/246, Mali
Tei-Et River, -202/14717, PNG
Oued ti-n-Teyet, 2607/615, Algeria
Aqabat Thaht, 1413/4654, Yemen; or thaht, with thorn, is Gothic for thought (OED -t, suffix)
thiht, OED thight, Gothic (with thorn)
tht, misprint in Chambers precipitant! (also OED abbr.)
thuht, with thorn, see OED think
Tidit, 1657/-1559, Mauritania
tkt, triple tonguing, OED triple, 1961q (also ktk, not listed here)
Trt, 4402/1632, Bosnia
Corrego Uaiiau, -1645/-5502, Brazil
Nagubugan, 1829/12043, Philippines
Nam Aman, 1752/10545, Vietnam
Natta Jattan, 3309/7309, Pakistan
Wadi Nayyan, 3213/3609, Jordan
Ngn Van, 2136/10454, Vietnam
Nisi-Sin Sone, 3031/12930, Japan
Rio Nunnun, -647/-7826, Peru
Oeleo, -843/12519, E Timor
Ogawago, 3237/12841, Japan
Cerro Khara Ojjo, -2008/-6832, Bolivia
Okodoko, 725/751, Nigeria
Okosoko, -2040/1514, Namibia
Ollo Ollo, -1455/-7152, Peru
Ongno-bong, 3852/12548, N Korea
Os-ts'o, 2424/11820, Taiwan
Ozozo-yama, 3620/13652, Japan
Ruinas Pajap, -1015/-7726, Peru
Papipap, -932/16022, Solomon Isles
Pijip-kol, 3607/12856, S Korea
psophometer, 1975q
Qereq, 3722/5536, Iran
Qubuq, 3630/4226, Iraq
Hiyali Quyuq, 3632/3825, Syria
I-n-Rarar, 1550/604, Niger
Ratana Tar, 2649/6917, Pakistan
Al-Rurur, 2628/4145, Saudi Arabia
sæeas, OED sea, 825q
Sandnas, 5955/1255, Sweden
scs, OED then, 1056-1066q
Senesenes, US Census family name
S-levels, UK exams at 18, beyond A-level
Sathanthi Takakat Bang Pu, 1331/10043, Thailand
Tamahamat, 1708/255, Mali
Koudiat Tamemat, 3601/643, Algeria
Tappat-kol, 3902/12614, N Korea
Teggar Tegget, 1824/603, Niger
Sungai Telalet, 223/11435, Malaysia
Tididit, 1651/-17, Mali
Achouif Tizzit, 1633/-837, Mauritania
Tyayt, 6834/-17846, Russia
Uarau, -925/12457, Indonesia (also Point in NZ)

Ue Heu , -833/12606, E Timor	Umuhumu, 557/558, Nigeria
Urabubaru River, 722/-5915, Guyana	Ututu Creek, -719/14411, PNG
Vaiav River, -1751/-14915, Fr Polynesia	Wadi Daw' , 3157/2336, Libya
Wadi Wuruw , 3446/4334, Iraq	Cerro Yuruy , 951/-6857, Venezuela
yyyyyy, OED lion, 1659q Howell <i>Vocab.</i> l. Sig. Y yyyyyy	
Ra's Ghuraybat Zawaz , 2741/1418, Libya	

There are many B-DBs in Pakistan

More Fun Than a Can of Worms

In *The Best of Anguished English* (St Martin's Griffin, 2000), Richard Lederer quotes a number of mixed metaphors appearing in print: We wouldn't eat it with a ten-foot pole; He's not the one with his ass in a noose; Take a flying hike. In his paperback book *Don't Cry Over More Than You Can Chew*, Scott Johnson introduces a variation by deliberately crafting new proverbs out of a mixture of old ones, with often-startling results:

- Many hands hide your light under a bushel
- Laughter is the best policy
- A match made in hog heaven
- Absentminded professors make the heart grow fonder

There are 365 of these, one for each day of the year. He suggests that one can use them as raw material for a game, challenging the reader to identify the two or three proverbs out of which each "quotation" has been crafted.

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