

Table 1. Changes in letter shapes from Phoenician to Hebrew and Arabic.

| Sound | Phoenician | Aramaic | Hebrew | Arabic | |
|-------|------------|---------|--------|--------|--------|
| | | | | Early | Dotted |
| ʔ | 𐤀 | 𐤁 | א | ا | أ |
| b | 𐤂 | 𐤃 | ב | ب | ب |
| t | 𐤄 | 𐤅 | ת | ت | ت |
| p, f | 𐤆 | 𐤇 | פ | ف | ف |
| q | 𐤈 | 𐤉 | ק | ق | ق |