



Stop Writing Notations by Hand. **Start Publishing Like a Professional.**

Tabla I/O gives students and teachers a structured Bhatkhande notation workspace — cloud synced, print-ready, and built by a Tabla musician who needed it himself.

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- English + Hindi
- PDF export
- Auto-save
- Free to use

🎓 Built by a Banaras Gharana tabla student and PhD researcher at the University of Delhi

BHATKHANDE NOTATION · FREE BETA

TABLA I/O

Input Bols. Output PDF.

For tabla students, teachers & scholars worldwide.

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Banaras Tukda 1

Thumbnail (16 Matsras) [Modify](#) Shared by Kaustubh Singh

Tukda

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Dha	Dha	Din	Din	Na	Na	Tetay	Tetay
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Kate	Tayka	Tetay	Kat	Dha5	Kat	Dha5	Kat
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Tetay	Tetay	Kat	Dha5	Kat	Dha5	Kat	Kat
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
Dha5	Tetay	Tetay	Kat	Dha5	Kat	Dha5	Kat
33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
Dha							

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FEATURES

Everything You Need for Tabla Notations

Practical tools for creating, managing, and exporting Tabla compositions in a clean, focused Bhatkhande notation workflow.



Bhatkhande Notation Editor

Create and edit Tabla notation in a structured grid that matches the way compositions are actually taught and read.



Cloud Sync & Storage

Save compositions directly to your Google account. Start writing on your laptop and finish on your tablet.



Quick Bol Entry

Type bols rapidly, move through matras quickly, and keep your attention on the composition rather than formatting.



Multiscript Support

View the same notation in English and Hindi without maintaining separate copies for different learners.



Export Options

Download compositions as clean PDF handouts for printing, classroom use, or personal archives.



Taal Library

A complete reference guide for all standard Taals. Instantly look up thekas, matras, vibhaags, and taali/khali structures.

[Search Database →](#)



Tabla I/O Library

Access a curated collection of Banaras Gharana compositions. Browse, learn, and contribute to a growing tabla heritage library.

[Explore Library →](#)



Layakari Studio

Generate complex Layakaris (3/2, 5/4, 7/4, etc.) automatically from any base composition with one click.

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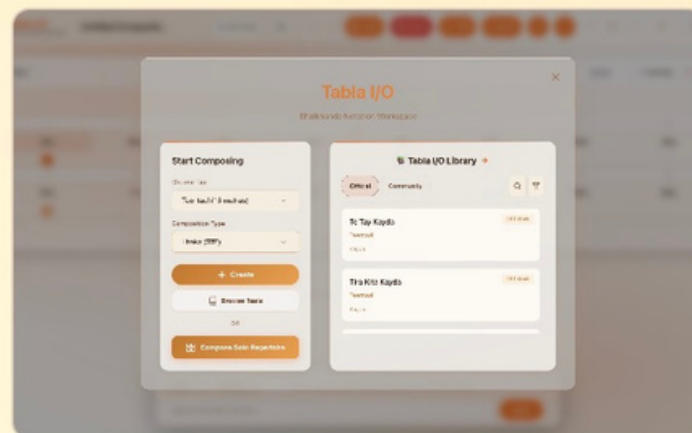


HOW IT WORKS

Create Notations in Three Simple Steps

Start from the Home, write bols in the editor, and export a clean PDF when you're ready to print or share.

STEP 01



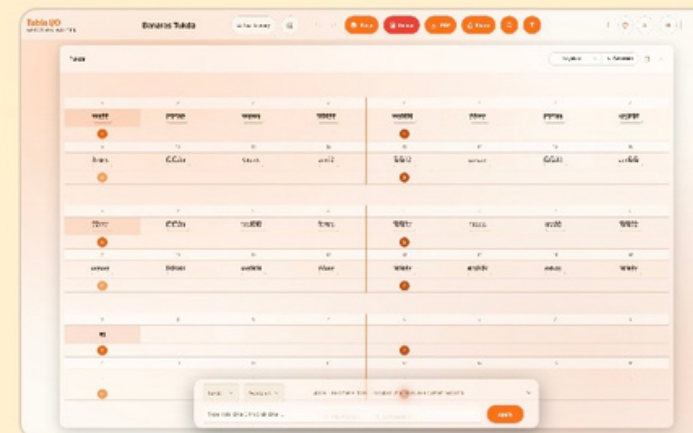
Start from the Home

Choose the taal and composition type, then jump into the workspace with the structure set up for you.

1

Choose taal
and composition

STEP 02



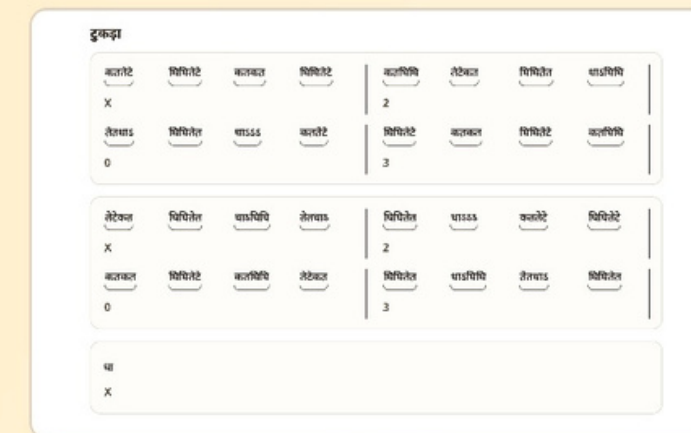
Write in the Editor

Enter bols using the grid and quick entry bar, then build sections and avaranas as your composition grows.

2

Type Bols

STEP 03



Export a Clean PDF

Generate a printable layout for practice, classroom handouts, or your personal archive.

3

Export PDF



Choose taal and composition type

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Tabla I/O

Bhatkhande Notation Workspace

Start Composing

Choose Taal

Teentaal (16 matras) ▾

Composition Type

✓ Theka (ठेका)

Tihai (तिहाई)

Custom (अन्य)

Expandable (विस्तारशील)

Kayda (कायदा)

Rela (रेला)

Peshkar (पेशकार)

Baant (बाँट)

Solo Repertoire (सोलो)

Non-expandable (अविस्तारशील)

Uthaan (उठान)

Tukda (टुकड़ा)

Chakradhar (चक्रधार)

Mohra (मोहरा)

Gat (गत)

Fard (फ़र्द)

Paran (परण)

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Teentaal

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Tukda

empty notation grid for teentaal

LayakariGenerate

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
X				2			
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0				3			

+ Add Avartan

+ Add Section

+ Add Section

+ Add Tihai

quick entry bar

Tukda

Avartan 1

Space = next matra [bols] = grouped Dha=धृ saves a custom mapping

Type bols: Dha Dhin Dhin Dha ...

Apply

Tukda

Layakari

Generate

AVARTAN 1

Duplicate

Clear

Copy

Remove

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
X				2			
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
0				3			

+ Add Avartan

+ Add Section

+ Add Section

+ Add Tihai

Type bols in proper rhythm

Tukda

Avartan 1

Space = next matra [bols] = grouped Dha=धृ saves a custom mapping

DhaS Kat DhaS Kat DhaS Tetay Tetay Kat DhaS Kat DhaS Kat DhaS Tetay Tetay Kat DhaS Kat DhaS Kat Dha

Apply



Tukda

Layakari

Generate



1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Dha	Dha	Din	Din	Na	Na	Tetay	Tetay
X				2			
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
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0				3			

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
DhaS	Tetay	Tetay	Kat	DhaS	Kat	DhaS	Kat
X				2			
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
DhaS	Tetay	Tetay	Kat	DhaS	Kat	DhaS	Kat
0				3			

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Dha	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
X				2			
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
0				3			

+ Add Avartan

+ Add Section

Quick Input ^



Tukda

Layakari

Generate



Toggle Hindi in one click

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
धा	धा	दिं	दिं	ना	ना	तेटे	तेटे
X				2			
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
कते	टेक	तेटे	कत	धाऽ	कत	धाऽ	कत
0				3			

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
धाऽ	तेटे	तेटे	कत	धाऽ	कत	धाऽ	कत
X				2			
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
धाऽ	तेटे	तेटे	कत	धाऽ	कत	धाऽ	कत
0				3			

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
धा	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
X				2			
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
0				3			

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ढुकड़ा

Print-ready PDF preview

धा

धा

दिं

दिं

X

कते

टेक

तेटे

कत

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तेटे

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कत

3

धा

X

English (Roman)

Tukda							
Dha	Dha	Din	Din	Na	Na	Tetay	Tetay
X				2			
Kate	Tayka	Tetay	Kata	Dhas	Kata	Dhas	Kata
0				3			
Dhas	Tetay	Tetay	Kata	Dhas	Kata	Dhas	Kata
X				2			
Dhas	Tetay	Tetay	Kata	Dhas	Kata	Dhas	Kata
0				3			
Dha							
X							

Hindi (Devanagari)

टुकड़ा							
धा	धा	दिं	दिं	ना	ना	तेटे	तेटे
X				2			
कते	टेक	तेटे	कत	धाऽ	कत	धाऽ	कत
0				3			
धाऽ	तेटे	तेटे	कत	धाऽ	कत	धाऽ	कत
X				2			
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0				3			
धा							
X							