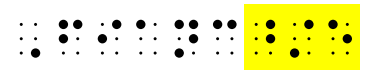
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Weekly Dose Accents On Letters

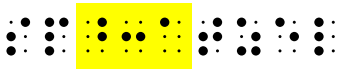
Remember back to the good old days of EBAE, when all accent marks were shown as dot 4 before the letter (except in material for teaching foreign language). Well, as you come to know, in UEB, there are unique symbols (modifiers) to show the different print accent marks. These modifiers are placed **BEFORE** the letter they accent and are only used in the same situations in which dot 4 is currently shown. Foreign language instructional material would use the proper accented letter symbols for that language. You may want to keep this sheet handy!

EXAMPLE

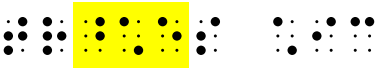
acute over letter: Fiancée



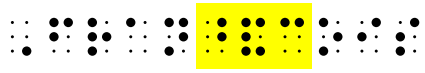
umlaut over letter: spätzle



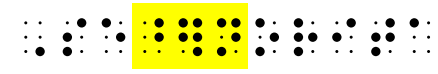
grave over letter: très chic



cedilla under letter: François



tilde over letter: Señorita



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