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 - F430. Weather-spirits
 - F440. Vegetation-spirits
 - F450. Underground-spirits
 - F460. Mountain-spirits
 - F470. Night-spirits
 - F480. House-spirits
 - F490. Other spirits and demons

F500.–F599. Remarkable persons

- F500. Remarkable persons
- F510. Monstrous persons
- F530. Exceptionally large or small men
- F540. Remarkable physical organs
- F560. Unusual manner of life
- F570. Other extraordinary human beings

F600.–F699. Persons with extraordinary powers

- F600. Person with extraordinary powers
- F610. Remarkably strong man
- F640. Extraordinary powers of perception
- F660. Remarkable skill
- F680. Other marvellous powers

F700.–F899. Extraordinary places and things

- F700. Extraordinary places
- F710. Extraordinary bodies of water
- F720. Submarine and subterranean world
- F730. Extraordinary islands
- F750. Extraordinary mountains and other land features
- F760. Extraordinary cities
- F770. Extraordinary buildings and furnishings
- F790. Extraordinary sky and weather phenomena
- F800. Extraordinary rocks and stones
- F810. Extraordinary trees, plants, fruit, etc.
- F820. Extraordinary clothing and ornaments
- F830. Extraordinary weapons
- F840. Other extraordinary objects and places

F900.–F1099. Extraordinary occurrences

- F910. Extraordinary swallowings
- F930. Extraordinary occurrences concerning seas or waters
- F940. Extraordinary underground (underwater) disappearances
- F950. Marvellous cures
- F960. Extraordinary nature phenomena – elements and weather
- F970. Extraordinary behavior of trees and plants
- F980. Extraordinary occurrences concerning animals
- F990. Inanimate objects act as if living
- F1010. Other extraordinary events

G. OGRES

G0. Ogres

G10.–G399. KINDS OF OGRES

G10.–G99. Cannibals and cannibalism

- G10.–G49. Regular cannibalism

- G10.Cannibalism
- G20.Ghouls
- G30.Person becomes cannibal
- G50.–G79.Occasional cannibalism
 - G50.Occasional cannibalism
 - G60.Human flesh eaten unwittingly
 - G70.Occasional cannibalism – deliberate
- G80.Other motifs dealing with cannibals.

- G100.–G199. Giant ogres
 - G100.Giant ogre
 - G110.Possessions of giant ogres
 - G120.Physical characteristics of giant ogres
 - G130.Customs of giant ogres
 - G150.Giant ogres – miscellaneous

- G200.–G299. Witches
 - G200.Witch
 - G210.Form of witch
 - G220.Characteristics of witches
 - G230.Habitat of witches
 - G240.Habits of witches
 - G250.Recognition of witches
 - G260.Evil deeds of witches
 - G270.Witch overcome or escaped
 - G280.Witches – miscellaneous motifs

- G300.–G399. Other ogres
 - G300.Other ogres
 - G310.Ogres with characteristic methods
 - G350.Animal ogres
 - G360.Ogres with monstrous features
 - G370.Ogres – miscellaneous

- G400.–G499. Falling into ogre's power
 - G400.Person falls into ogre's power
 - G410.Person betrayed into ogre's power
 - G420.Capture by ogre
 - G440.Ogre abducts person
 - G450.Falling into ogre's power – miscellaneous

- G500.–G599. Ogre defeated
 - G500.Ogre defeated
 - G510.Ogre killed, maimed, or captured
 - G520.Ogre deceived into self-injury
 - G530.Ogre's relative aids hero
 - G550.Rescue from ogre
 - G560.Ogre deceived into releasing prisoner
 - G570.Ogre overawed

G580.Ogre otherwise subdued

G600.–G699. Other ogre motifs

G610.Theft from ogre

G630.Characteristics of ogres

G650.Unclassified ogre motifs

H. TESTS

H0.–H199. Identity tests: recognition

H0.Identity tests

H10.Recognition through common knowledge

H20.Recognition by resemblance

H30.Recognition through personal peculiarities

H50.Recognition by bodily marks or physical attributes

H80.–H149. Identification by tokens

H80. Identification by tokens

H90. Identification by ornaments

H100. Identification by matching parts of divided token

H110. Identification by cloth or clothing

H120. Identification by tokens – miscellaneous

H150. Circumstances of recognition

H200.–H299. Tests of truth

H210.–H239. Tests of guilt or innocence

H210. Test of guilt or innocence

H220. Ordeals

H240. Other tests of truth

H300.–H499. Marriage tests

H300. Tests connected with marriage

H310.–H359. Suitor tests

H310. Suitor tests

H360.–H399. Bride tests

H360. Bride test

H400.–H459. Chastity tests

H400. Chastity test

H410. Chastity test by magic objects or ordeals

H430. Chastity index

H440. Other indications of chastity

H460. Wife tests

H480. Father tests

H490. Other marriage tests

H500.–H899. TESTS OF CLEVERNESS

H500. Test of cleverness or ability

H510. Tests in guessing

H530.–H899. Riddles

- H540. Propounding of riddles
- H570. Means of solving riddles
- H580. Enigmatic statements
- H600. Symbolic interpretations
- H620. The unsolved problem: enigmatic ending of tale
- H630. Riddles of the superlative
- H660. Riddles of comparison
- H680. Riddles of distance
- H690. Riddles of weight and measure
- H700. Riddles of numbers
- H710. Riddles of value
- H720. Metaphorical riddles
- H770. Riddles of explanation
- H790. Riddles based on unusual circumstances
- H810. Riddles based on the Bible or legend
- H840. Other riddles

H900.–H1199. TESTS OF PROWESS: TASKS

H900.–H999. Assignment and performance of tasks

- H900.–H949. Assignment of tasks
 - H900. Tasks imposed
 - H910. Assignment of tasks in response to suggestion
 - H920. Assigners of tasks
 - H940. Assignment of tasks – miscellaneous

H1050.–H1089. Paradoxical tasks

- H1050. Paradoxical tasks

H1090. Tasks requiring miraculous speed

- H1110. Tedious tasks
- H1130. Superhuman tasks
- H1150. Tasks: stealing, capturing, or slaying
- H1180. Miscellaneous tasks

H1200.–H1399. TESTS OF PROWESS: QUESTS

H1200.–H1249. Attendant circumstances of quests

- H1200. Quest
- H1210. Quest assigned
- H1220. Quest voluntarily undertaken
- H1240. Other circumstances of quests

H1250.–H1399. Nature of quests

- H1250.–H1299. Quests to the other world
 - H1250. Quest to the other world
 - H1260. Quest to the upper world
 - H1270. Quest to the lower world

H1280. Quests to other realms
H1290. Quests to the other world – miscellaneous motifs
H1300. Quests for the unique
H1320. Quest for marvellous objects or animals
H1360. Quest for dangerous animals
H1370. Miscellaneous quests

H1400.–H1599. OTHER TESTS

H1400.–H1449. Tests of fear
H1400. Fear test
H1410. Fear test: staying in frightful place
H1420. Fearless traffic with devils
H1430. Fearless traffic with ghosts
H1440. The learning of fear

H1450.–H1499. Tests of vigilance
H1450. Vigilance test
H1460. Test: vigil at tomb
H1470. Other vigilance tests
H1480. Accomplishment of vigilance test

H1500.–H1549. Tests of endurance and power of survival
H1500. Tests of endurance
H1510. Tests of power to survive
H1540. Contests in endurance

H1550.–H1569. Tests of character
H1550. Tests of character

H1570.–H1599. Miscellaneous tests

J. THE WISE AND THE FOOLISH

J0.–J199. Acquisition and possession of wisdom (knowledge)
J10. Wisdom (knowledge) acquired from experience
J30. Wisdom (knowledge) acquired from inference
J50. Wisdom (knowledge) acquired from observation
J80. Wisdom (knowledge) taught by parable
J100. Wisdom (knowledge) taught by necessity
J120. Wisdom learned from children
J130. Wisdom (knowledge) acquired from animals
J140. Wisdom (knowledge) through education
J150. Other means of acquiring wisdom (knowledge)
J180. Possession of wisdom

J200.–J1099. WISE AND UNWISE CONDUCT

J200.–J499. Choices

J200.Choices

J210.Choice between evils

J230.–J299.Real and apparent values

J230.Choice: real and apparent values

J240.Choice between useful and ornamental

J260.Choice between worth and appearance

J280.Quality preferred to quantity

J300.–J329. Present values chosen

J310.The present preferred to the past

J320.Present values preferred to future

J330.–J399.Gains and losses

J340.Choices: little gain, big loss

J350.Choices: small inconvenience, large gain

J370.Choices: Important and unimportant work

J390.Choices: kind strangers, unkind relatives

J400.–J459.Choice of associates

J400.Choice of associates

J410.Association of equals and of unequals

J420.Association of strong and weak

J440.Association of young and old

J450.Association of the good and the evil

J460.Unnecessary choices

J480.Other choices

J500.–J599. Prudence and discretion

J510.Prudence in ambition

J530.Prudence in demands

J550.Zeal – temperate and intemperate

J570.Wisdom of deliberation

J580.Wisdom of caution

J600.–J799. Forethought

J610.–J679.Forethought in conflict with others

J620.Forethought in prevention of others' plans

J640.Avoidance of others' power

J670.Forethought in defences against others

J680.Forethought in alliances

J700.–J749.Forethought in provision for life

J700.Forethought in provision for life (general)

J710.Forethought in provision for food

J730.Forethought in provision for clothing

J740.Forethought in provision for shelter

J750.–J799.Forethought – miscellaneous

J800.–J849. Adaptability

J810.Policy in dealing with the great

J830.Adaptability to overpowering force

J850.–J899.Consolation in misfortune

J860.Consolation by a trifle
J870.Consolation by pretending that one does not want the thing he cannot have
J880.Consolation by thought of others worse placed
J890.Consolation in misfortune – miscellaneous

J900.–J999. Humility

J910.Humility of the great
J950.Presumption of the lowly

J1000.–J1099. Other aspects of wisdom

J1010.Value of industry
J1020.Strength in unity
J1030.Self-dependence
J1040.Decisiveness of conduct
J1050.Attention to warnings
J1060.Miscellaneous aspects of wisdom

J1100.–J1699.CLEVERNESS

J1100.–J1249. Clever persons and acts

J1110.Clever persons
J1130.–J1199.Cleverness in the law court
 J1130.Cleverness in law court – general
 J1140.Cleverness in detection of truth
 J1150.Cleverness connected with the giving of evidence
 J1160.Clever pleading
 J1170.Clever judicial decisions
 J1180.Clever means of avoiding legal punishment
 J1190.Cleverness in the law court – miscellaneous
J1210.–J1229.Clever man puts another out of countenance
J1230.–J1249.Clever dividing

J1250.–J1499. Clever verbal retorts (repartee)

J1250.Clever verbal retorts – general
J1260.Repartee based on church or clergy
J1270.Repartee concerning the parentage of children
J1280.Repartee with ruler (judge, etc.)
J1290.Reductio ad absurdum of question or proposal
J1300.Officiousness or foolish questions rebuked
J1310.Repartee concerning wine
J1320.Repartee concerning drunkenness
J1330.Repartee concerning beggars
J1340.Retorts from hungry persons
J1350.Rude retorts
J1370.Cynical retorts concerning honesty
J1380.Retorts concerning debts
J1390.Retorts concerning thefts
J1400.Repartee concerning false reform
J1410.Repartee concerning fatness

J1420. Animals retort concerning their dangers
J1430. Repartee concerning doctors and patients
J1440. Repartee – miscellaneous

J1500.–J1649. Clever practical retorts
J1500. Clever practical retort
J1510. The cheater cheated
J1530. One absurdity rebukes another
J1540. Retorts between husband and wife
J1550. Practical retorts: borrowers and lenders
J1560. Practical retorts: hosts and guests
J1580. Practical retorts connected with almsgiving
J1600. Practical retorts – miscellaneous

J1650.–J1699. Miscellaneous clever acts

J1700.–J2749. FOOLS (AND OTHER UNWISE PERSONS)

J1700.–J1729. Fools
J1710.–J1729. Association with fools

J1730.–J1749. Absurd ignorance

J1750.–J1849. Absurd misunderstandings
J1750.–J1809. One thing mistaken for another
J1750. One animal mistaken for another
J1760. Animal or person mistaken for something else
J1770. Objects with mistaken identity
J1780. Things thought to be devils, ghosts, etc.
J1790. Shadow mistaken for substance
J1800. One thing mistaken for another – miscellaneous
J1810. Physical phenomena misunderstood
J1820. Inappropriate action from misunderstanding

J1850.–J1999. Absurd disregard of facts
J1850.–J1899. Animals or objects treated as if human
J1850. Gift or sale to animal (or object)
J1860. Animal or object absurdly punished
J1870. Absurd sympathy for animals or objects
J1880. Animals or objects treated as if human – miscellaneous
J1900. Absurd disregard or ignorance of animal's nature or habits
J1910. Fatal disregard of anatomy
J1920. Absurd searches for the lost
J1930. Absurd disregard of natural laws
J1960. Other absurd disregard of facts

J2000.–J2049. Absurd absent-mindedness
J2010. Uncertainty about own identity
J2020. Inability to find own members, etc.

J2030.Absurd inability to count
J2040.Absurd absent-mindedness – miscellaneous

J2050.–J2199. Absurd short-sightedness

J2050.Absurd short-sightedness
J2060.Absurd plans: air castles
J2070.Absurd wishes
J2080.Foolish bargains
J2100.Remedies worse than the disease
J2120.Disregard of danger to objects (or animals)
J2130.Foolish disregard of personal danger
J2160.Other short-sighted acts

J2200.–J2259. Absurd lack of logic

J2200.Absurd lack of logic – general
J2210.Logical absurdity based upon certain false assumptions
J2220.Other logical absurdities

J2260.–J2299. Absurd scientific theories

J2260.Absurd scientific theories – general
J2270.Absurd astronomical theories
J2280.Other absurd scientific theories

J2300.–J2349. Gullible fools

J2310.Nature of gullibility

J2350.–J2369. Talkative fools

J2370.–J2399. Inquisitive fools

J2400.–J2449. Foolish imitation

J2450.Literal fool
J2460.Literal obedience
J2470.Metaphors literally interpreted
J2490.Literal fool – miscellaneous

J2500.–J2549. Foolish extremes

J2550.–J2599. Thankful fools

J2600.–J2649. Cowardly fools

J2650.–J2699. Bungling fools

J2700.–J2749. The easy problem made hard

J2750.–J2799. Other aspects of wisdom or foolishness

K. DECEPTIONS

K0.–K99. Contests won by deception

- K0. Contest won by deception – general
- K10. Athletic contest won by deception
- K30. Hunting contest won by deception
- K40. Labor contest won by deception
- K50. Endurance contest won by deception
- K60. Absurd contest won by deception
- K70. Contest in strength won by deception
- K80. Contests in other physical accomplishments won by deception
- K90. Other contests won by deception

K100.–K299. Deceptive bargains

- K100. Deceptive bargain
- K110.–K149. Sale of worthless articles
 - K110. Sale of pseudo-magic objects
 - K120. Sale of false treasure
 - K130. Sale of worthless animals
 - K140. Sale of other worthless objects
- K150. Sale of worthless services
- K170. Deception through pseudo-simple bargain
- K200.–K249. Deception in payment of debt
 - K200. Deception in payment of debt
 - K210. Devil cheated of his promised soul
 - K220. Payment precluded by terms of the bargain
 - K230. Other deceptions in the payment of debt
- K250. Other deceptive bargains

K300.–K499. Thefts and cheats

- K300. Thefts and cheats – general
- K310.–K439. Thefts
 - K310. Means of entering house or treasury
 - K330. Means of hoodwinking the guardian or owner
 - K360. Other means of theft
 - K400. Thief escapes detection
 - K420. Thief loses his goods or is detected
- K440.–K499. Other cheats

K500.–K699. Escape by deception

- K500. Escape from death or danger by deception
- K510. Death order evaded
- K520. Death escaped through disguise, shamming, or substitution
- K540. Escape by overawing captor
- K550. Escape by false plea
- K580. Captor persuaded into illusory punishment
- K600. Murderer or captor otherwise beguiled
- K620. Escape by deceiving the guard
- K630. Escape by disarming (making pursuit difficult)

K640.Escape by help of confederate
K650.Other means of escape

K700.–K799. Capture by deception

K700.Capture by deception
K710.Victim enticed into voluntary captivity or helplessness
K730.Victim trapped
K750.Capture by decoy
K770.Other deceptive captures

K800.–K999. Fatal deception

K800.Fatal deception
K810.Fatal deception into trickster's power
K840.Deception into fatal substitution
K850.Fatal deceptive game
K870.Fatal deception by narcotic (intoxication)
K890.Dupe tricked into killing himself
K910.Murder by strategy
K930.Treacherous murder of enemy's children or charges
K940.Deception into killing own children or animals
K950.Various kinds of treacherous murder
K960.Other fatal deceits

K1000.–K1199. Deception into self-injury

K1000.Deception into self-injury
K1010.Deception through false doctoring
K1020.Deception into disastrous attempt to procure food
K1040.Dupe otherwise persuaded to voluntary self-injury
K1080.Persons duped into injuring each other
K1110.Deceptions into self-injury – miscellaneous

K1200.–K1299. Deception into humiliating position

K1200.Deception into humiliating position
K1210.Humiliated or baffled lovers
K1240.Deception into humiliating position – miscellaneous

K1300.–K1399. Seduction or deceptive marriage

K1300.Seduction
K1310.Seduction by disguise or substitution
K1330.Girl tricked into man's room (or power)
K1340.Entrance into girl's (man's) room (bed) by trick
K1350.Woman persuaded (or wooed) by trick
K1380.Seduction – miscellaneous

K1400.–K1499. Dupe's property destroyed

K1400.Dupe's property destroyed
K1410.Dupe's goods destroyed
K1440.Dupe's animals destroyed or maimed
K1460.Members of dupe's family killed

K1500.–K1599. Deceptions connected with adultery
K1500.Deception connected with adultery
K1510.Adulteress outwits husband
K1550.Husband outwits adulteress and paramour
K1570.Trickster outwits adulteress and paramour
K1580.Other deceits connected with adultery

K1600.–K1699. Deceiver falls into own trap
K1600.Deceiver falls into own trap
K1610.Deceiver falls into his own trap – miscellaneous incidents

K1700.–K2099.DECEPTION THROUGH SHAMS

K1700.–K1799. Deception through bluffing
K1700.Deception through bluffing
K1710.Ogre (large animal) overawed
K1760.Other bluffs

K1800.–K1899. Deception by disguise or illusion
K1800.Deception by disguise or illusion
K1810.Deception by disguise
K1840.Deception by substitution
K1860.Deception by feigned death (sleep)
K1870.Illusions

K1900.–K1999. Impostures
K1900.Impostures
K1910.Marital impostures
K1920.Substituted children
K1930.Treacherous impostors
K1950.Sham prowess
K1970.Sham miracles
K1980.Other impostures

K2000.–K2099. Hypocrites
K2000.Hypocrites
K2010.Hypocrite pretends friendship but attacks
K2030.Double dealers
K2050.Pretended virtue
K2060.Detection of hypocrisy

K2100.–K2199. False accusations
K2100.False accusations
K2110.Slanders
K2130.Trouble-makers
K2150.Innocent made to appear guilty

K2200.–K2299. Villains and traitors
K2200.Villains and traitors

K2210.Treacherous relatives
K2220.Treacherous rivals
K2230.Treacherous lovers
K2240.Treacherous officers and tradesmen
K2250.Treacherous servants
K2260.Dark traitors
K2270.Deformed villains
K2280.Treacherous churchmen
K2290.Other villains and traitors

K2300.–K2399. Other deceptions
K2300.Other deceptions
K2310.Deception by equivocation
K2320.Deception by frightening
K2350.Military strategy
K2370.Miscellaneous deceptions

L. REVERSAL OF FORTUNE

L0.–L99. Victorious youngest child
L0.Victorious youngest child
L10.Victorious youngest son
L50.Victorious youngest daughter

L100.–L199. Unpromising hero (heroine)
L100.Unpromising hero (heroine)
L110.Types of unpromising heroes (heroines)
L130.Abode of unpromising hero (heroine)
L140.The unpromising surpasses the promising
L160.Success of the unpromising hero (heroine)

L200.–L299. Modesty brings reward
L200.Modesty brings reward
L210.Modest choice best
L220.Modest request best
L250.Modest business plans best

L300.–L399. Triumph of the weak
L300.Triumph of the weak
L310.Weak overcomes strong in conflict
L330.Easy escape of weak (small)
L350.Mildness triumphs over violence
L390.Triumph of the weak – miscellaneous

L400.–L499. Pride brought low
L400.Pride brought low
L410.Proud ruler (deity) humbled
L420.Overweening ambition punished
L430.Arrogance repaid

- L450.Proud animal less fortunate than humble
- L460.Pride brought low – miscellaneous

M. ORDAINING THE FUTURE

- M0.–M99. Judgements and decrees
 - M0.Judgements and decrees
 - M10.Irrevocable judgements
 - M20.Short-sighted judgements
 - M50.Other judgements and decrees
 - M90.Judgements and decrees – miscellaneous motifs

- M100.–M199. Vows and oaths
 - M100.Vows and oaths
 - M110.Taking of vows and oaths
 - M120.Vows concerning personal appearance
 - M130.Vows concerning sex
 - M150.Other vows and oaths

- M200.–M299. Bargains and promises
 - M200.Bargains and promises
 - M210.Bargain with devil
 - M220.Other bargains
 - M250.Promises connected with death
 - M260.Other promises
 - M290.Bargains and promises – miscellaneous

- M300.–M399. Prophecies
 - M300.Prophecies
 - M310.Favorable prophecies
 - M340.Unfavorable prophecies
 - M360.Other prophecies
 - M370.Vain attempts to escape fulfilment of prophecy
 - M390.Prophecies – miscellaneous motifs

- M400.–M499. Curses
 - M400.Curses
 - M410.Pronouncement of curses
 - M420.Enduring and overcoming curses
 - M430.Curses on persons
 - M460.Curses on families
 - M490.Curses – miscellaneous

N. CHANCE AND FATE

- N0.–N99. Wagers and gambling
 - N0.Wagers and gambling
 - N10.Wagers on wives, husband, or servants
 - N50.Other wagers

N90. Wagers and gambling – miscellaneous

N100.–N299. The ways of luck and fate

N100.–N169. Nature of luck and fate

N100. Nature of luck and fate

N110. Luck and fate personified

N120. Determination of luck or fate

N130. Changing of luck or fate

N140. Nature of luck and fate – miscellaneous motifs

N170. The capriciousness of luck

N200. The good gifts of fortune

N250. Persistent bad luck

N270. Crime inevitably comes to light

N300.–N399. Unlucky accidents

N300. Unlucky accidents

N310. Accidental separations

N320. Person unwittingly killed

N330. Accidental killing or death

N340. Hasty killing or condemnation

N350. Accidental loss of property

N360. Man unwittingly commits crime

N380. Other unlucky accidents.

N400.–N699. LUCKY ACCIDENTS

N410.–N439. Lucky business ventures

N440.–N499. Valuable secrets learned

N440. Valuable secrets learned

N450. Secrets overheard

N500.–N599. Treasure trove

N500. Treasure trove

N510. Where treasure is found

N530. Discovery of treasure

N550. Unearthing hidden treasure

N570. Guardian of treasure

N590. Treasure trove – miscellaneous motifs

N600.–N699. Other lucky accidents

N610. Accidental discovery of crime

N620. Accidental success in hunting or fishing

N630. Accidental acquisition of treasure or money

N640. Accidental healing

N650. Life saved by accident

N680. Lucky accidents – miscellaneous

N700.–N799. Accidental encounters

N700.Accidental encounters
N710.Accidental meeting of hero and heroine
N730.Accidental reunion of families
N760.Other accidental encounters
N770.Experiences leading to adventures

N800.–N899. Helpers

N800.Helpers
N810.Supernatural helpers
N820.Human helpers

P. SOCIETY

P0.–P99. Royalty and nobility

P0.Royalty and nobility
P10.Kings
P20.Queens
P30.Princes
P40.Princesses
P50.Noblemen (knights)
P60.Noble (gentle) ladies
P90.Royalty and nobility – miscellaneous

P100.–P199. Other social orders

P110.Royal ministers
P120.Church dignitaries
P150.Rich men
P160.Beggars
P170.Slaves
P190.Other social orders – miscellaneous

P200.–P299. The family

P200.The family
P210.Husband and wife
P230.Parents and children
P250.Brothers and sisters
P260.Relations by law
P270.Foster relatives
P280.Steprelatives
P290.Other relatives

P300.–P399. Other social relationships

P310.Friendship
P320.Hospitality
P340.Teacher and pupil
P360.Master and servant

P400.–P499. Trades and professions

P400.Trades and professions

P410.Laborers
P420.Learned professions
P430.Financiers and merchants
P440.Artisans
P460.Other trades and professions

P500.–P599. Government

P500.Government
P510.Law courts
P550.Military affairs

P600.–P699. Customs

P600.Customs

P700.–P799. Society – miscellaneous motifs

P710.Nations

Q. REWARDS AND PUNISHMENTS

Q0.Rewards and punishments

Q10.–Q99. Deeds rewarded

Q10.Deeds rewarded
Q20.Piety rewarded
Q40.Kindness rewarded
Q60.Other good qualities rewarded
Q80.Rewards for other causes

Q100.–Q199. Nature of rewards

Q100.Nature of rewards
Q110.Material rewards
Q140.Miraculous or magic rewards
Q150.Immunity from disaster as reward
Q170.Religious rewards
Q190.Rewards – miscellaneous

Q200.–Q399. Deeds punished

Q200.Deeds punished
Q210.Crimes punished
Q220.Impiety punished
Q240.Sexual sins punished
Q260.Deceptions punished
Q270.Misdeeds concerning property punished
Q280.Unkindness punished
Q300.Contentiousness punished
Q320.Evil personal habits punished
Q330.Overweening punished
Q340.Meddling punished
Q380.Deeds punished – miscellaneous

- Q400.–Q599. Kinds of punishment
 - Q400.Kinds of punishment – general
 - Q410.Capital punishment
 - Q430.Abridgement of freedom as punishment
 - Q450.Cruel punishments
 - Q470.Humiliating punishments
 - Q500.Tedious punishments
 - Q520.Penances
 - Q550.Miraculous punishments
 - Q560.Punishments in hell
 - Q570.Punishment and remission
 - Q580.Punishment fitted to crime
 - Q590.Miscellaneous punishments

R. CAPTIVES AND FUGITIVES

- R0.–R99. Captivity
 - R0.Captivity
 - R10.Abduction
 - R40.Places of captivity
 - R50.Conditions of captivity
 - R70.Behavior of captives
- R100.–R199. Rescues
 - R100.Rescues
 - R110.Rescue of captive
 - R130.Rescue of abandoned or lost persons
 - R150.Rescuers
 - R170.Rescue – miscellaneous motifs
- R200.–R299. Escapes and pursuits
 - R200.Escapes and pursuits
 - R210.Escapes
 - R220.Flights
 - R260.Pursuits
- R300.–R399. Refuges and recapture
 - R300.Refuges and recapture
 - R310.Refuges
 - R350.Recapture of fugitive

S. UNNATURAL CRUELTY

- S0.–S99. Cruel relatives
 - S0.Cruel relatives
 - S10.Cruel parents
 - S20.Cruel children and grandchildren
 - S30.Cruel step- and foster relatives
 - S40.Cruel grandparents

S50.Cruel relatives-in-law
S60.Cruel spouse
S70.Other cruel relatives

S100.–S199. Revolting murders or mutilations

S100.Revolting murders or mutilations
S110.Murders
S140.Cruel abandonments and exposures
S160.Mutilations
S180.Wounding or torturing

S200.–S299. Cruel sacrifices

S200.Cruel sacrifices
S210.Children sold or promised
S220.Reasons for promise (sale) of child
S240.Children unwittingly promised (sold)
S250.Saving the promised child
S260.Sacrifices

S300.–S399. Abandoned or murdered children

S300.Abandoned or murdered children
S310.Reasons for abandonment of children
S330.Circumstances of murder or exposure of children
S350.Fate of abandoned child

S400.–S499. Cruel persecutions

S400.Cruel persecutions
S410.Persecuted wife
S430.Disposal of cast-off wife
S450.Fate of outcast wife
S460.Other cruel persecutions

T. SEX

T0.–T99. Love

T0.Love
T10.Falling in love
T30.Lovers' meeting
T50.Wooing
T70.The scorned lover
T80.Tragic love
T90.Love – miscellaneous motifs

T100.–T199. Marriage

T100.Marriage
T110.Unusual marriage
T130.Marriage customs
T150.Happenings at weddings
T160.Consummation of marriage

T200.–T299. Married life

- T200. Married life
- T210. Faithfulness in marriage
- T230. Faithlessness in marriage
- T250. Characteristics of wives and husbands
- T280. Other aspects of married life

T300.–T399. Chastity and celibacy

- T300. Chastity and celibacy
- T310. Celibacy and continence
- T320. Escape from undesired lover
- T330. Anchorites under temptation
- T350. Chaste sleeping together
- T360. Chastity and celibacy – miscellaneous

T400.–T499. Illicit sexual relations

- T400. Illicit sexual relations
- T410. Incest
- T450. Prostitution and concubinage
- T460. Sexual perversions
- T470. Illicit sexual relations – miscellaneous motifs

T500.–T599. Conception and birth

- T500. Conception and birth
- T510. Miraculous conception
- T540. Miraculous birth
- T550. Monstrous births
- T570. Pregnancy
- T580. Childbirth
- T590. Conception and birth – miscellaneous motifs

T600.–T699. Care of children

- T600. Care of children
- T610. Nurture and growth of children
- T640. Illegitimate children
- T680. Care of children – miscellaneous motifs

U. THE NATURE OF LIFE

U0.–U99. Life's inequalities

- U0. Life's inequalities
- U10. Justice and injustice
- U30. Rights of the strong
- U60. Wealth and poverty

U100.–U299. Nature of life – miscellaneous motifs

- U110. Appearances deceive
- U120. Nature will show itself
- U130. The power of habit

U140. One man's food is another man's poison
U150. Indifference of the miserable
U160. Misfortune with oneself to blame the hardest
U170. Behavior of the blind
U180. In vino veritas
U210. Bad ruler, bad subject
U220. Forced peace valueless
U230. The nature of sin
U240. Power of mind over body
U250. Shortness of life
U260. Passage of time
U270. Security breeds indifference

V. RELIGION

V0.–V99. Religious services

V0. Religious services
V10. Religious sacrifices
V20. Confession of sins
V30. Sacrament
V40. Mass
V50. Prayer
V60. Funeral rites
V70. Religious fasts and feasts
V80. Religious services – miscellaneous

V100.–V199. Religious edifices and objects

V100. Religious edifices and objects
V110. Religious buildings
V120. Images
V130. Other sacred objects connected with worship
V140. Sacred relics
V150. Sacred objects – miscellaneous

V200.–V299. Sacred persons

V200. Sacred persons
V210. Religious founders
V220. Saints
V230. Angels
V250. The Virgin Mary
V290. Other sacred persons

V300.–V399. Religious beliefs

V300. Religious beliefs
V310. Particular dogmas
V320. Heretics
V330. Conversion from one religion to another
V340. Miracle manifested to non-believers
V350. Conflicts between religions

- V360.Christian and Jewish traditions about each other
- V380.Religious beliefs – miscellaneous

W. TRAITS OF CHARACTER

- W0.–W99. Favorable traits of character
 - W0. Favorable traits of character
 - W10. Kindness
 - W20. Other favorable traits of character
- W100.–W199. Unfavorable traits of character
 - W100.Unfavorable traits of character
 - W110.Unfavorable traits of character – personal
 - W150.Unfavorable traits of character – social
- W200.–W299. Traits of character – miscellaneous
 - W200.Traits of character – miscellaneous

X. HUMOR

- X0.–X99. Humor of discomfiture
 - X0.Humor of discomfiture
- X100.–X199. Humor of disability
 - X100.Humor of disability
 - X110.Humor of deafness
 - X120.Humor of bad eyesight
 - X130.Other physical disabilities

X200.–X599.HUMOR OF SOCIAL CLASSES

- X200.–X299. Humor dealing with tradesmen
 - X200.Humor dealing with tradesmen
 - X210.Jokes about millers
 - X220.Jokes about tailors
 - X230.Jokes about butchers
 - X240.Jokes about cobblers (shoemakers)
 - X250.Jokes about other artisans and tradesmen
- X300.–X499. Humor dealing with professions
 - X300.Humor dealing with professions
 - X310.Jokes on lawyers
 - X330.Jokes on magistrates
 - X350.Jokes on teachers
 - X370.Jokes on scholars
 - X410.Jokes on parsons
 - X460.Humor concerning other professions
- X500.–X599. Humor concerning other social classes

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X510.Jokes concerning usurers
X520.Jokes concerning prostitutes
X530.Jokes concerning beggars
X540.Jokes on madmen
X550.Jokes on secret societies

X600.–X699. Humor concerning races or nations
X600.Humor concerning races or nations
X610.Jokes concerning Jews
X650.Jokes concerning other races or nations
X680.Jokes concerning various cities

X700.–X799. Humor concerning sex
X700.Humor concerning sex
X750.Jokes on old maids
X760.Jokes on courtship

X800.–X899. Humor based on drunkenness
X800.Humor based on drunkenness

X900.–X1899.HUMOR OF LIES AND EXAGGERATIONS

X910.–X1099. Lie: the remarkable man
X910.–X959.Lie: the remarkable man: his birth, growth, death, physical powers, strength
X910.Lie: the remarkable man
X920.Lie: the large man
X930.Lie: remarkable person's physical powers and habits
X940.Lie: remarkably strong man
X960.–X1019.Lie: remarkable person's skills
X960.Lie: remarkable person's skills
X980.Lie: occupational or professional skills
X1010.Lie: remarkable mental skills
X1020.–X1079.Remarkable man's extraordinary possessions
X1020.Lie: remarkable possessions of remarkable man
X1030.Lie: remarkable buildings
X1060.Lie: other possessions of remarkable man
X1070.Extraordinary man's family
X1080.–X1099.Lie: occupations of remarkable man

X1100.–X1199. Lie: great hunters and fishermen
X1100.Lie: the remarkable hunter
X1110.Lie: the wonderful hunt
X1120.Lie: the great marksman
X1130.Lie: hunter's unusual experiences
X1150.Lies about fishing

X1200.–X1399. Lies about animals
X1200.Lie: remarkable animals

X1210.Lies about mammals
X1250.Lies about birds
X1280.Lies about insects
X1300.Lies about fish
X1320.Lies about reptiles
X1340.Lie: extraordinary amphibia and other animals
X1370.Lies about imaginary animals

X1400.–X1499. Lies about plants, fruits, vegetables and trees

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X1410.Lies about fruits
X1420.Lies about vegetables
X1450.Lies about field crops
X1470.Lies about trees
X1480.Lies about flowers
X1490.Lie: miscellaneous plant motifs

X1500.–X1599. Lies about geography and topography

X1500.Lies about geography and topography
X1510.Lies about land features
X1520.Lies about mountains and hills
X1530.Lies about remarkable soil
X1540.Lies about water features
X1550.Geography and topography – miscellaneous motifs
X1560.Lies about cities

X1600.–X1699. Lies about weather and climate

X1600.Lies about weather and climate
X1610.Lies about winds and storms
X1620.Lies about cold weather
X1630.Lies about hot weather
X1640.Lies about dry weather
X1650.Lies about precipitation and dampness
X1660.Lies about climate

X1700.–X1799. Lies: logical absurdities

X1700.Lies: logical absurdities
X1710.Lies about numbers
X1720.Absurd disregard of anatomy
X1740.Absurd disregard of natural laws
X1750.Absurd disregard of the nature of objects
X1760.Absurd disregard of the nature of non-material things
X1780.Absurdity based on the nature of the object
X1790.Other logical absurdities

X1800.–X1899. Miscellaneous lies and exaggerations

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X1810.Tall tales about miscellaneous objects
X1850.Other tall tales

Z. MISCELLANEOUS GROUPS OF MOTIFS

Z0.–Z99. Formulas

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Z10. Formulistic framework for tales

Z20.–Z59. Cumulative tales

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Z30. Chains involving a single scene or event

Z40. Chains with interdependent members.

Z50. Cumulative tales – miscellaneous

Z60. Other formulistic motifs

Z100.–Z199. Symbolism

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Z110. Personifications

Z140. Color symbolism

Z150. Other symbols

Z200.–Z299. Heroes

Z200. Heroes

Z210. Brothers as heroes

Z230. Extraordinary exploits of her

Z300.–Z399. Unique exceptions

Z300. Unique exceptions

Z310. Unique vulnerability

Z320. Object will fit only one thing (or person)

Z350. Other unique exceptions