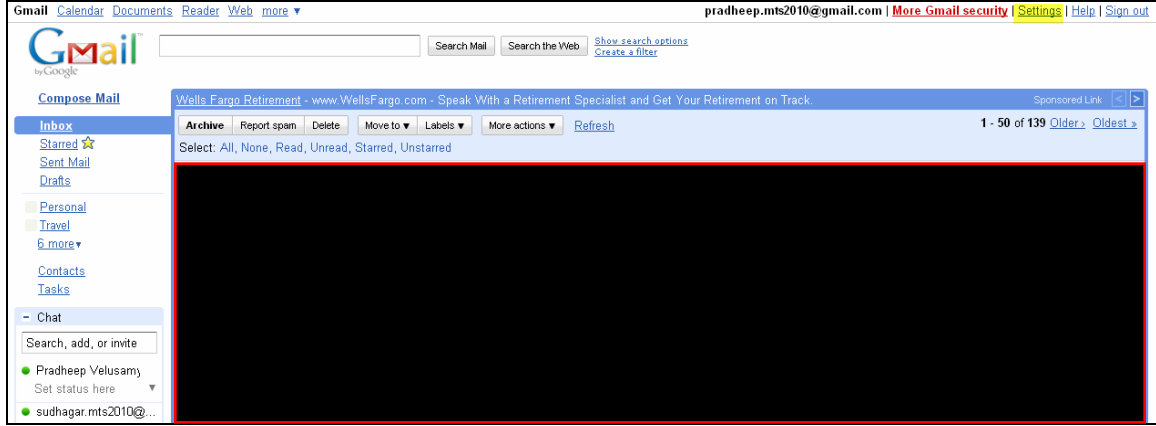
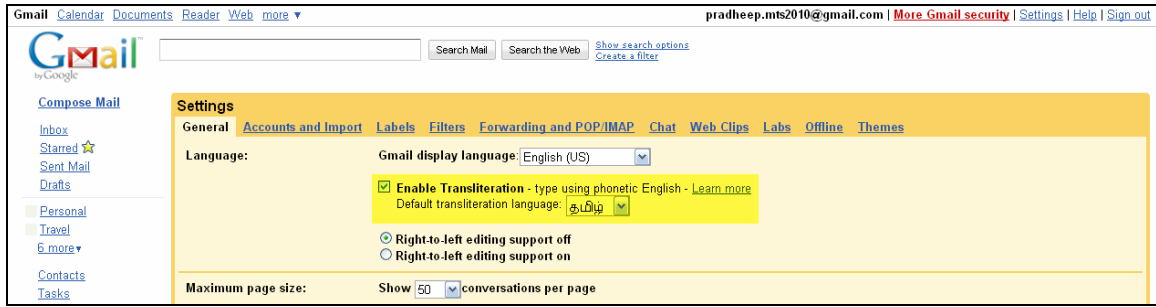


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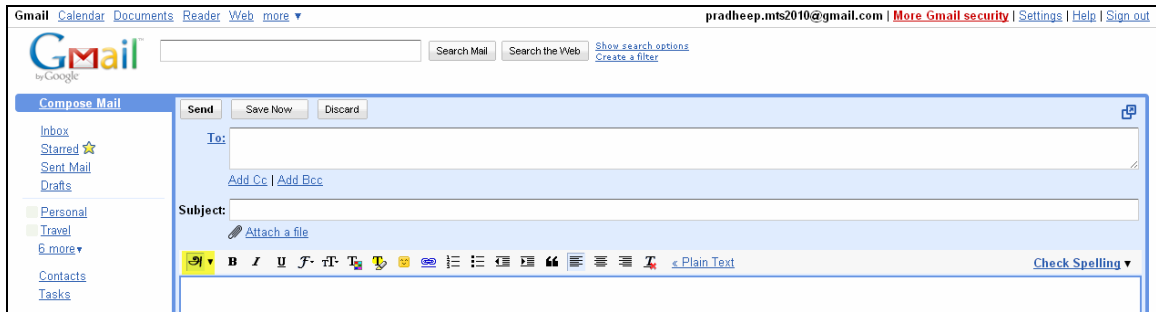
Step 1: Login to Gmail. On top right, click on “Settings”, highlighted below.



Step 2: Tick the check box that says “Enable Transliteration”. From the drop down box, select Tamil.



Step 3: Click on “Compose” to compose a new e-mail. In Compose window, you will now see a “அ” on top left of toolbar. Depress this option and now you are all set to type in Tamil.

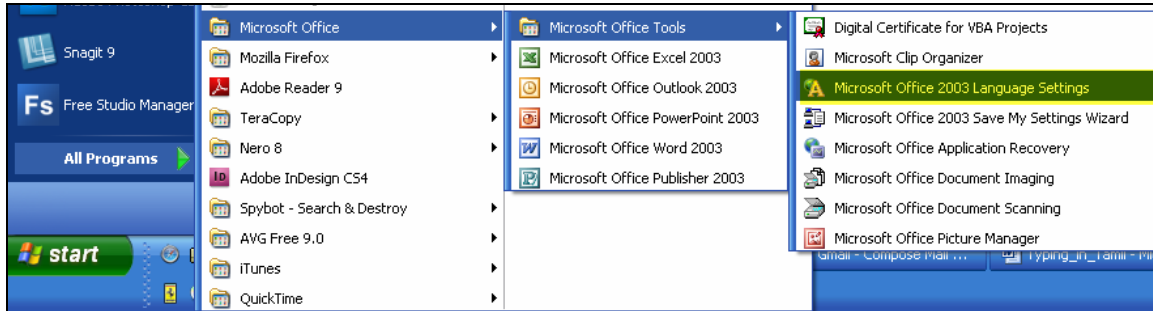


Type “Vanakkam” and press space. Gmail will automatically convert it to “வணக்கம்”. You can similarly type any Tamil word in equivalent English and it will be converted automatically. e.g. thurithappaduthukirrom = துரிதப்படுத்துகிறோம். Characters have to be typed twice for மெய் எழுத்துக்கள், e.g. pp for ன and tt for த. You can type in Tamil in Gmail and copy it to any program, e.g. Word.

Please forward this to any friend / member who needs to type in Tamil.

How to enable Tamil in MS Office / Word (Windows XP / Office 2003)

Step 1: Click on “Start → All Programs → Microsoft Office → Microsoft Office Tools → Microsoft Office 2003 Language Settings”.



Step 2: In “Enabled Languages” tab, scroll down to “Tamil”, select it and click “Add”. This will add “Tamil” to “Enabled Languages” list on the right. This will enable Word and other Office applications to display Tamil. For e.g., words typed in Gmail can be copied to and viewed in Tamil.

