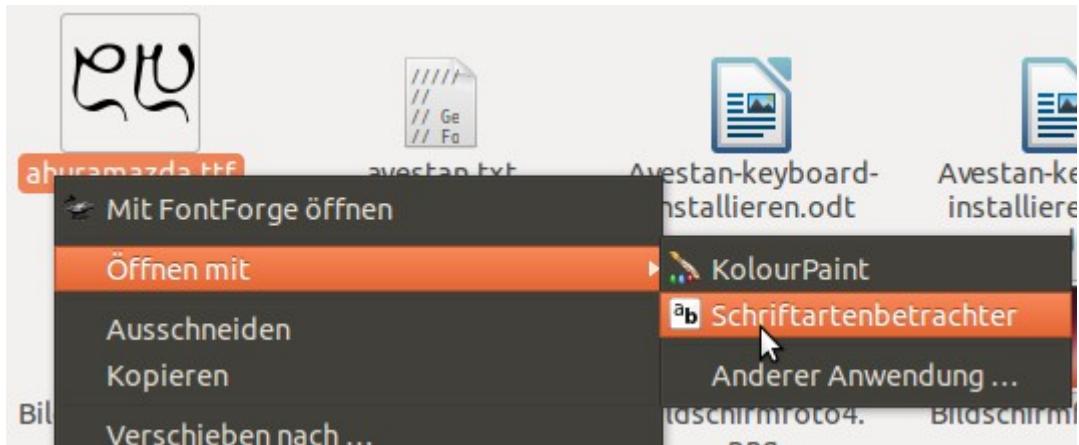
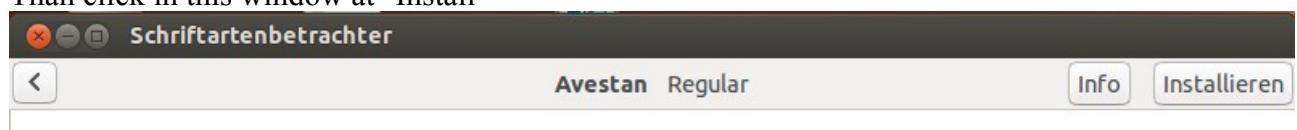


## Den Font installieren/ To install the font

Den Font "ahuramazda.ttf" mit der rechten Maustaste anklicken und mit dem Programm "Schriftartenbetrachter" öffnen  
Click with the right mouse button at the font "ahuramazda.ttf" and open the program "font viewer".



und in diesem Fenster auf "Installieren" klicken  
Than click in this window at "Install"



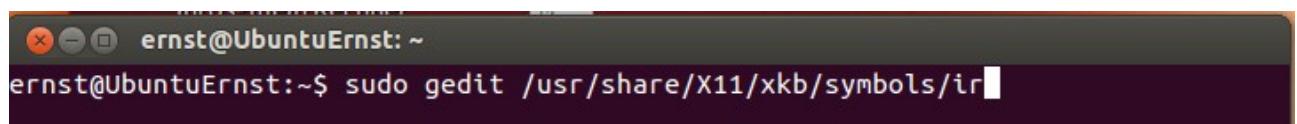
## Den Keyboard layout installieren/ To install the keyboard layout

Please cf. what/ Bitte vgl. Sie, was  
Simos Xenitellis at/ in  
<http://ubuntuforums.org/showthread.php?t=188761&page=4>)  
May 27th, 2010 simosx  
schreibt/ is writing

1. Add **avestan.txt** at the end of /usr/share/X11/xkb/symbols/ir  
**( avestan.txt is included in "Ahuramazda-Avestan-Font-1.0.zip")**

Open the Terminal and type (by copy and paste)

```
sudo gedit /usr/share/X11/xkb/symbols/ir
```



in order to open (as administrator) the 'ir' layout, and paste the contents of **avestan.txt** at the end of the 'ir' file. Click Save and exit.

2. Register the new 'avestan' layout in evdev.xml and base.xml.

Both files have a section that looks like the following. Do a simple search for 'ku Ara' or some other

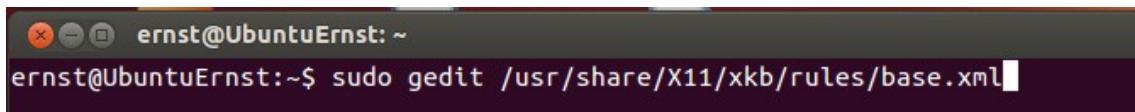
string in order to find the segment.

Code:

```
<variant>
  <configItem>
    <name>ku_ara</name>
    <description>Kurdish, Arabic-Latin</description>
    <languageList><iso639Id>kur</iso639Id></languageList>
  </configItem>
</variant>
-----HERE-----
</variantList>
</layout>
<layout>
  <configItem>
    <name>iq</name>
    <shortDescription>Iraq</shortDescription>
    <description>Iraq</description>
    <languageList><iso639Id>ara</iso639Id>
      <iso639Id>kur</iso639Id></languageList>
  </configItem>
```

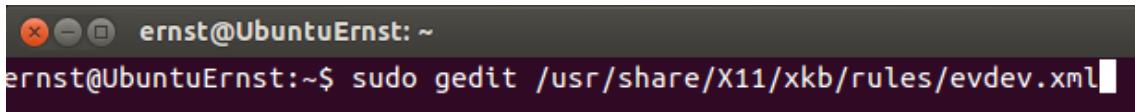
Open base.xml with

```
sudo gedit /usr/share/X11/xkb/rules/base.xml
```



Then open evdev.xml with

```
sudo gedit /usr/share/X11/xkb/rules/evdev.xml
```



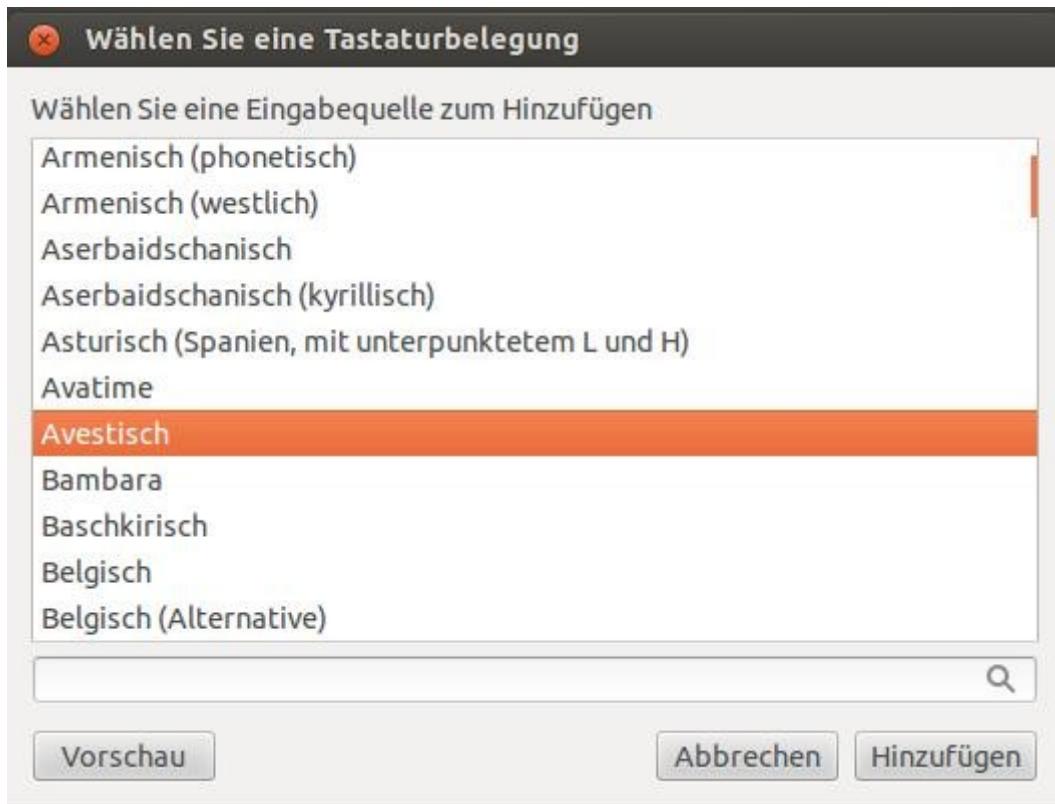
Replace the '-----HERE-----' with the following lines:

```
<variant>
<configItem>
<name>avestan</name>
<description>Avestan</description>
<languageList>
<iso639Id>ae</iso639Id>
</languageList>
</configItem>
</variant>
```

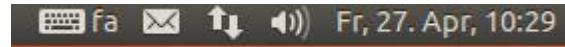
What we do here is we insert a variant description for the 'avestan' keyboard layout.

Click Save and exit the text edit

3. Finally, add the new Avestan keyboard layout. Go to System/Preferences/Keyboard/Layouts, click on the [Add..] button and select from the list 'Avestan' or 'Avestisch'. Click "Hinzufügen".



Notice the new keyboard layout indicator is "fa"



on the panel that allows you to switch between English and Avestan.

Avestan is written from right to the left.

The **selected font** has to be "**Ahuramazda**"