

# Adding hyphenation information

It's possible to specify '[axf:hyphenation-info](#)' and add hyphenation information. If the specified language cannot be hyphenated, then hyphenation can't be done. If a word with the same spelling is registered more than once, the most-recently registered information will be applied.

The following example shows how to specify hyphenation exceptions within `<fo:declarations>`.

```
<fo:declarations>
  <axf:hyphenation-info language="eng"
    xmlns:axh="http://www.antennahouse.com/names/XSL/Hyphenations">
    <axh:exceptions>
      abc-defg
    </axh:exceptions>
  </axf:hyphenation-info>
</fo:declarations>
```

The 'language' property is required. The hyphenation information of "abc-defg" is registered for the word "abcdefg":

sample sample sample sample sample sample sample **abc-**  
**defg** sample sample sample sample

It's also possible to specify an external exception dictionary as `src="en-add.xml"`. The external dictionary must be a full [Hyphenation Exception Dictionary](#) with `<hyphenation-info>` as its document element.