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Thread: [Suggestion on a way to translate some text in an image?](#)

Mooooookie - November 29, 2024, 8:48 pm

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Charlie Sheen - November 29, 2024, 8:49 pm

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Thanks fellas, will give it a try now.

Cooligan - November 29, 2024, 9:03 pm

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Mooooookie - November 29, 2024, 9:09 pm

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Phantom_NiNja - November 29, 2024, 9:13 pm

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Second tab is for image translation

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It can auto detect the language as well.. there is an option labeled AutoDetect. I just happened to do it manually the first time, as it was my first time using the app and still learning it.

RootRXXT - December 5, 2024, 4:00 pm

Chatgpt, copilot any of these should help you