

**Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the establishment of a common classification of Territorial Units for Statistics (NUTS)**

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*(Submitted by the Commission on 14 February 2001)*

THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community, and in particular Article 285 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Having regard to the opinion of the Economic and Social Committee,

Having regard to the opinion of the Committee of the Regions,

Acting in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 251 of the Treaty,

Whereas:

- (1) Users of statistics express an increasing need for harmonisation in order to have comparable data across the European Union. In order to function, the internal market requires statistical standards applicable to the collection, transmission and publication of national and Community statistics so that all operators in the single market can be provided with comparable statistical data. In this context, classifications are an important tool for the collection, compilation and dissemination of comparable statistics.
- (2) Regional statistics are a cornerstone of the European Statistical System. They are used for a wide range of purposes. For many years European regional statistics have been based on a common regional classification, called 'Nomenclature of Territorial Units for Statistics' (hereinafter referred to as NUTS). It is now appropriate to fix this regional classification in a legal framework and to institute clear rules for future amendments of this classification.
- (3) Accordingly, all Member States' statistics transmitted to the Commission, which are broken down by territorial units, should use the NUTS classification, where applicable.
- (4) In its analysis and dissemination, the Commission should use the NUTS classification for all statistics classified by territorial units, where applicable.
- (5) Different levels are needed for regional statistics depending on the purpose of these statistics. It is appropriate to have three levels of detail in the European regional classification NUTS.
- (6) Information on the territorial composition of NUTS level 3 regions is necessary for the proper administration of the NUTS classification and should therefore be transmitted regularly to the Commission.
- (7) Objective criteria for the definition of regions are necessary in order to ensure impartiality when regional statistics are compiled and used for various policy purposes.
- (8) Users of regional statistics need stability of the data over time. The NUTS classification should hence not be amended more frequently than at most every three years. Already the existence of a Regulation will ensure a higher stability of rules over time.
- (9) Comparability of regional statistics requires that the regions be of a comparable size in terms of population. In order to achieve this goal, amendments of the NUTS classification should render the regional structure more homogeneous in terms of population size.
- (10) Amendments to the NUTS classification should require close consultations with the Member States.
- (11) In accordance with the principles of subsidiarity and of proportionality laid down in Article 5 of the Treaty, the objectives of this legal act cannot be carried out adequately by the Member States. The harmonisation of regional statistics can better be carried out at the Community level; this legal act does not exceed what is necessary to achieve these objectives.
- (12) The NUTS classification laid down in this Regulation should replace the 'Nomenclature of Territorial Units for Statistics (NUTS)' established to date by the Statistical Office of the European Communities in co-operation with the national institutes for statistics. As a consequence, all references in Community acts to the 'Nomenclature of Territorial Units for Statistics (NUTS)' should now be understood as referring to the NUTS classification laid down in this Regulation.
- (13) Since the measures necessary for the implementation of this Regulation are measures of general scope within the meaning of Article 2 of Council Decision 1999/468/EC of 28 June 1999 laying down the procedures for the exercise of implementing powers conferred on the Commission <sup>(1)</sup>, they should be adopted by use of the regulatory procedure provided for in Article 5 of that Decision.
- (14) The Statistical Programme Committee established by Council Decision 89/382/EEC, Euratom <sup>(2)</sup> has been consulted in accordance with Article 3 of the aforesaid Decision,

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 184, 17.7.1999, p. 23.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 181, 28.6.1989, p. 47.

HAVE ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

*Article 1*

**Subject matter**

1. The purpose of this Regulation is to establish a common statistical classification of territorial units, hereinafter referred to as 'NUTS', in order to ensure the production and dissemination of comparable regional statistics in the Community.

2. The NUTS classification laid down in Annex I shall replace the 'Nomenclature of Territorial Units for Statistics (NUTS)' established by the Statistical Office of the European Communities in co-operation with the national institutes for statistics of the Member States.

*Article 2*

**Structure**

1. The NUTS classification comprises for each region a specified code and name. It subdivides the economic territory of the Community, as defined in the Commission Decision 91/450/EEC of 26 July 1991<sup>(1)</sup>, into territorial units, hereinafter referred to as 'regions'.

2. The NUTS classification is hierarchical. It subdivides each Member State into NUTS level 1 regions, each of which is subdivided into NUTS level 2 regions, these in turn each being subdivided into NUTS level 3 regions.

3. However, a particular region may represent several levels of NUTS.

4. Two different regions in the same Member State may not be identified by the same name. If two regions in different Member States have the same name, the country identifier is added to the region name.

*Article 3*

**Classification criteria**

1. Existing administrative units within the Member States constitute the first criterion used for the definition of regions.

To this end, 'administrative unit' shall mean a geographical area with an administrative authority that has the power to take administrative or policy decisions for that area within the legal and institutional framework of the Member State.

2. In order to establish the relevant level of NUTS in which a given class of administrative units in a Member State is to be classified, the average size of this class of administrative units in the Member State shall lie within the following population thresholds:

Level	Minimum	Maximum
NUTS 1	3 million	7 million
NUTS 2	800 000	3 million
NUTS 3	150 000	800 000

3. The existing administrative units that are used for the NUTS classification are laid down in Annex II. Amendments to Annex II may be adopted by the Commission in accordance with the procedure referred to in Article 7, paragraph 2.

4. If for a given level of NUTS no administrative units of a suitable scale exist in a Member State, in accordance with the size criteria referred to in paragraph 2, this NUTS level shall be constituted by aggregating an appropriate number of existing smaller administrative units. This aggregation shall take geographical, socio-economic, historical, cultural and/or other relevant criteria into consideration.

The resulting aggregated units shall hereinafter be referred to as 'non-administrative units'. The size of the non-administrative units in a Member State for a given NUTS level shall lie within the population thresholds referred to in paragraph 2.

However, because of particular administrative and geographical circumstances, to be appreciated by the Commission, individual non-administrative units may deviate from these thresholds.

5. If the population of a whole Member State is below the maximum threshold for a given NUTS level, the whole Member State will be one NUTS region for this level.

*Article 4*

**Components of NUTS**

1. Within six months after the entry into force of this Regulation, the Commission shall, after consulting the Member States, publish the components of each NUTS level 3 region in terms of local administrative units.

The existing local administrative units are laid down in Annex III. Amendments to Annex III may be adopted by the Commission in accordance with the procedure referred to in Article 7, paragraph 2.

2. Within the first six months of each year, Member States shall transmit all changes of the components for the previous year, respecting the electronic data format requested by the Commission.

3. If any of the changes of local administrative units leads to a need to change the NUTS 3 boundaries, the provisions of Article 5 apply.

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 240, 29.8.1991.

*Article 5***Amendments to NUTS**

1. The Member States shall inform the Commission of all modifications to existing administrative units, as well as of all other changes at national level that may affect the classification criteria laid down in Article 3.

2. Amendments to the NUTS classification laid down in Annex I may be adopted by the Commission, at intervals of not less than every three years, on the basis of the criteria laid down in Article 3, in accordance with the procedure referred to in Article 7, paragraph 2.

3. The Commission shall amend the non-administrative units in a Member State, as referred to in Article 3, paragraph 4, only if, at the NUTS level in question, the amendment reduces the standard deviation of the size (in terms of population) of all EU regions.

4. Amendments to the NUTS classification shall enter into force on the first day of a quarter two years after their adoption in accordance with the procedure referred to in Article 7, paragraph 2.

5. After an amendment to NUTS is adopted, the Member State concerned must ensure within two years the provision of historical time series for the new regional breakdown for the last five years.

*Article 6***Management**

The Commission shall take the necessary measures to ensure the consistent management of the NUTS classification. In particular, such measures may include:

(a) drafting and updating of explanatory notes on NUTS,

(b) examination of problems arising from the implementation of NUTS in the Member States' classifications of regions.

*Article 7***Procedure**

1. The Commission shall be assisted by the Statistical Programme Committee, instituted by Article 1 of Council Decision 89/382/EEC, Euratom <sup>(1)</sup>.

2. Where reference is made to this paragraph, the regulatory procedure laid down in Article 5 of Council Decision 1999/468/EC shall apply, in compliance with Article 7 and Article 8 thereof.

3. The period provided for in Article 5(6) of Council Decision 1999/468/EC shall be three months.

*Article 8***Entry into force**

This Regulation shall enter into force on the twentieth day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

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<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 181, 28.6.1989, p. 47.

## ANNEX I

## The NUTS classification (code-name)

## BELGIQUE/BELGIË

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
BE			
BE1	RÉG. BRUXELLES-CAP BRUSSELS HFDST. GEWEST		
BE10		Rég. Bruxelles-Cap Brussels Hfdst. gewest	
BE100			Rég. Bruxelles-Cap Brussels Hfdst. gewest
BE2	VLAAMS GEWEST		
BE21		Antwerpen	
BE211			Antwerpen (Arrondissement)
BE212			Mechelen
BE213			Turnhout
BE22		Limburg (B)	
BE221			Hasselt
BE222			Maaseik
BE223			Tongeren
BE23		Oost-Vlaanderen	
BE231			Aalst
BE232			Dendermonde
BE233			Eeklo
BE234			Gent (Arrondissement)
BE235			Oudenaarde
BE236			Sint-Niklaas
BE24		Vlaams Brabant	
BE241			Halle-Vilvoorde
BE242			Leuven
BE25		West-Vlaanderen	
BE251			Brugge
BE252			Diksmuide
BE253			Ieper
BE254			Kortrijk
BE255			Oostende
BE256			Roeselare
BE257			Tielt
BE258			Veurne
BE3	RÉGION WALLONNE		
BE31		Brabant Wallon	
BE310			Brabant Wallon
BE32		Hainaut	
BE321			Ath
BE322			Charleroi
BE323			Mons

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
BE324			Mouscron
BE325			Soignies
BE326			Thuin
BE327			Tournai
BE33		Liège	
BE331			Huy
BE332			Liège (Arrondissement)
BE333			Verviers
BE334			Waremme
BE34		Luxembourg (B)	
BE341			Arlon
BE342			Bastogne
BE343			Marche-en-Famenne
BE344			Neufchâteau
BE345			Virton
BE35		Namur	
BE351			Dinant
BE352			Namur (Arrondissement)
BE353			Philippeville

## DANMARK

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
DK			
DK0	DANMARK		
DK00		Danmark	
DK001			København og Frederiksberg kommuner
DK002			Københavns amt
DK003			Frederiksborg amt
DK004			Roskilde amt
DK005			Vestsjællands amt
DK006			Storstrøms amt
DK007			Bornholms amt
DK008			Fyns amt
DK009			Sønderjyllands amt
DK00A			Ribe amt
DK00B			Vejle amt
DK00C			Ringkøbing amt
DK00D			Århus amt
DK00E			Viborg amt
DK00F			Nordjyllands amt

## DEUTSCHLAND

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
DE			
DE1	BADEN-WÜRTTEMBERG		
DE11		Stuttgart	
DE111			Stuttgart, Stadtkreis
DE112			Böblingen
DE113			Esslingen
DE114			Göppingen
DE115			Ludwigsburg
DE116			Rems-Murr-Kreis
DE117			Heilbronn, Stadtkreis
DE118			Heilbronn, Landkreis
DE119			Hohenlohekreis
DE11A			Schwäbisch Hall
DE11B			Main-Tauber-Kreis
DE11C			Heidenheim
DE11D			Ostalbkreis
DE12		Karlsruhe	
DE121			Baden-Baden, Stadtkreis
DE122			Karlsruhe, Stadtkreis
DE123			Karlsruhe, Landkreis
DE124			Rastatt
DE125			Heidelberg, Stadtkreis
DE126			Mannheim, Stadtkreis
DE127			Neckar-Odenwald-Kreis
DE128			Rhein-Neckar-Kreis
DE129			Pforzheim, Stadtkreis
DE12A			Calw
DE12B			Enzkreis
DE12C			Freudenstadt
DE13		Freiburg	
DE131			Freiburg im Breisgau, Stadtkreis
DE132			Breisgau-Hochschwarzwald
DE133			Emmendingen
DE134			Ortenaukreis
DE135			Rottweil
DE136			Schwarzwald-Baar-Kreis
DE137			Tuttlingen
DE138			Konstanz
DE139			Lörrach
DE13A			Waldshut

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
DE14		Tübingen	
DE141			Reutlingen
DE142			Tübingen, Landkreis
DE143			Zollernalbkreis
DE144			Ulm, Stadtkreis
DE145			Alb-Donau-Kreis
DE146			Biberach
DE147			Bodenseekreis
DE148			Ravensburg
DE149			Sigmaringen
DE2	BAYERN		
DE21		Oberbayern	
DE211			Ingolstadt, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE212			München, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE213			Rosenheim, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE214			Altötting
DE215			Berchtesgadener Land
DE216			Bad Tölz-Wolfratshausen
DE217			Dachau
DE218			Ebersberg
DE219			Eichstätt
DE21A			Erding
DE21B			Freising
DE21C			Fürstenfeldbruck
DE21D			Garmisch-Partenkirchen
DE21E			Landsberg a. Lech
DE21F			Miesbach
DE21G			Mühlendorf a. Inn
DE21H			München, Landkreis
DE21I			Neuburg-Schrobenhausen
DE21J			Pfaffenhofen a. d. Ilm
DE21K			Rosenheim, Landkreis
DE21L			Starnberg
DE21M			Traunstein
DE21N			Weilheim-Schongau
DE22		Niederbayern	
DE221			Landshut, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE222			Passau, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE223			Straubing, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE224			Deggendorf
DE225			Freyung-Grafenau
DE226			Kelheim
DE227			Landshut, Landkreis
DE228			Passau, Landkreis

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DE229			Regen
DE22A			Rottal-Inn
DE22B			Straubing-Bogen
DE22C			Dingolfing-Landau
DE23		Oberpfalz	
DE231			Amberg, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE232			Regensburg, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE233			Weiden i. d. OPf., Kreisfreie Stadt
DE234			Amberg-Sulzbach
DE235			Cham
DE236			Neumarkt i. d. OPf.
DE237			Neustadt a. d. Waldnaab
DE238			Regensburg, Landkreis
DE239			Schwandorf
DE23A			Tirschenreuth
DE24		Oberfranken	
DE241			Bamberg, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE242			Bayreuth, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE243			Coburg, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE244			Hof, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE245			Bamberg, Landkreis
DE246			Bayreuth, Landkreis
DE247			Coburg, Landkreis
DE248			Forchheim
DE249			Hof, Landkreis
DE24A			Kronach
DE24B			Kulmbach
DE24C			Lichtenfels
DE24D			Wunsiedel i. Fichtelgebirge
DE25		Mittelfranken	
DE251			Ansbach, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE252			Erlangen, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE253			Fürth, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE254			Nürnberg, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE255			Schwabach, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE256			Ansbach, Landkreis
DE257			Erlangen-Höchstadt
DE258			Fürth, Landkreis
DE259			Nürnberger Land
DE25A			Neustadt a. d. Aisch-Bad Windsheim
DE25B			Roth
DE25C			Weißenburg-Gunzenhausen



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DE26		Unterfranken	
DE261			<i>Aschaffenburg, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE262			<i>Schweinfurt, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE263			<i>Würzburg, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE264			<i>Aschaffenburg, Landkreis</i>
DE265			<i>Bad Kissingen</i>
DE266			<i>Rhön-Grabfeld</i>
DE267			<i>Haßberge</i>
DE268			<i>Kitzingen</i>
DE269			<i>Miltenberg</i>
DE26A			<i>Main-Spessart</i>
DE26B			<i>Schweinfurt, Landkreis</i>
DE26C			<i>Würzburg, Landkreis</i>
DE27		Schwaben	
DE271			<i>Augsburg, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE272			<i>Kaufbeuren, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE273			<i>Kempten (Allgäu), Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE274			<i>Memmingen, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE275			<i>Aichach-Friedberg</i>
DE276			<i>Augsburg, Landkreis</i>
DE277			<i>Dillingen a. d. Donau</i>
DE278			<i>Günzburg</i>
DE279			<i>Neu-Ulm</i>
DE27A			<i>Lindau (Bodensee)</i>
DE27B			<i>Ostallgäu</i>
DE27C			<i>Unterallgäu</i>
DE27D			<i>Donau-Ries</i>
DE27E			<i>Oberallgäu</i>
DE3	BERLIN		
DE30		Berlin	
DE300			<i>Berlin</i>
DE4	BRANDENBURG		
DE40		Brandenburg	
DE401			<i>Brandenburg an der Havel, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE402			<i>Cottbus, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE403			<i>Frankfurt (Oder), Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE404			<i>Potsdam, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE405			<i>Barnim</i>
DE406			<i>Dahme-Spreewald</i>
DE407			<i>Elbe-Elster</i>
DE408			<i>Havelland</i>
DE409			<i>Märkisch-Oderland</i>
DE40A			<i>Oberhavel</i>
DE40B			<i>Oberspreewald-Lausitz</i>

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DE40C			<i>Oder-Spree</i>
DE40D			<i>Ostprignitz-Ruppin</i>
DE40E			<i>Potsdam-Mittelmark</i>
DE40F			<i>Prignitz</i>
DE40G			<i>Spree-Neiße</i>
DE40H			<i>Teltow-Fläming</i>
DE40I			<i>Uckermark</i>
DE5	BREMEN		
DE50		Bremen	
DE501			<i>Bremen, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE502			<i>Bremerhaven, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE6	HAMBURG		
DE60		Hamburg	
DE600			<i>Hamburg</i>
DE7	HESSEN		
DE71		Darmstadt	
DE711			<i>Darmstadt, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE712			<i>Frankfurt am Main, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE713			<i>Offenbach am Main, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE714			<i>Wiesbaden, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE715			<i>Bergstraße</i>
DE716			<i>Darmstadt-Dieburg</i>
DE717			<i>Groß-Gerau</i>
DE718			<i>Hochtaunuskreis</i>
DE719			<i>Main-Kinzig-Kreis</i>
DE71A			<i>Main-Taunus-Kreis</i>
DE71B			<i>Odenwaldkreis</i>
DE71C			<i>Offenbach, Landkreis</i>
DE71D			<i>Rheingau-Taunus-Kreis</i>
DE71E			<i>Wetteraukreis</i>
DE72		Gießen	
DE721			<i>Gießen, Landkreis</i>
DE722			<i>Lahn-Dill-Kreis</i>
DE723			<i>Limburg-Weilburg</i>
DE724			<i>Marburg-Biedenkopf</i>
DE725			<i>Vogelsbergkreis</i>
DE73		Kassel	
DE731			<i>Kassel, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE732			<i>Fulda</i>
DE733			<i>Hersfeld-Rotenburg</i>
DE734			<i>Kassel, Landkreis</i>
DE735			<i>Schwalm-Eder-Kreis</i>
DE736			<i>Waldeck-Frankenberg</i>
DE737			<i>Werra-Meißner-Kreis</i>

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
DE8	MECKLENBURG-VORPOMMERN		
DE80		Mecklenburg-Vorpommern	
DE801			<i>Greifswald, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE802			<i>Neubrandenburg, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE803			<i>Rostock, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE804			<i>Schwerin, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE805			<i>Stralsund, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE806			<i>Wismar, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE807			<i>Bad Doberan</i>
DE808			<i>Demmin</i>
DE809			<i>Güstrow</i>
DE80A			<i>Ludwigslust</i>
DE80B			<i>Mecklenburg-Strelitz</i>
DE80C			<i>Müritz</i>
DE80D			<i>Nordvorpommern</i>
DE80E			<i>Nordwestmecklenburg</i>
DE80F			<i>Ostvorpommern</i>
DE80G			<i>Parchim</i>
DE80H			<i>Rügen</i>
DE80I			<i>Uecker-Randow</i>
DE9	NIEDERSACHSEN		
DE91		Braunschweig	
DE911			<i>Braunschweig, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE912			<i>Salzgitter, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE913			<i>Wolfsburg, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE914			<i>Gifhorn</i>
DE915			<i>Göttingen</i>
DE916			<i>Goslar</i>
DE917			<i>Helmstedt</i>
DE918			<i>Northeim</i>
DE919			<i>Osterode am Harz</i>
DE91A			<i>Peine</i>
DE91B			<i>Wolfenbüttel</i>
DE92		Hannover	
DE921			<i>Hannover, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE922			<i>Diepholz</i>
DE923			<i>Hameln-Pyrmont</i>
DE924			<i>Hannover, Landkreis</i>
DE925			<i>Hildesheim</i>
DE926			<i>Holz Minden</i>
DE927			<i>Nienburg (Weser)</i>
DE928			<i>Schaumburg</i>

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
DE93		Lüneburg	
DE931			Celle
DE932			Cuxhaven
DE933			Harburg
DE934			Lüchow-Dannenberg
DE935			Lüneburg, Landkreis
DE936			Osterholz
DE937			Rotenburg (Wümme)
DE938			Soltau-Fallingb.ostel
DE939			Stade
DE93A			Uelzen
DE93B			Verden
DE94		Weser-Ems	
DE941			Delmenhorst, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE942			Emden, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE943			Oldenburg (Oldenburg), Kreisfreie Stadt
DE944			Osnabrück, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE945			Wilhelmshaven, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE946			Ammerland
DE947			Aurich
DE948			Cloppenburg
DE949			Emsland
DE94A			Friesland
DE94B			Grafschaft Bentheim
DE94C			Leer
DE94D			Oldenburg, Landkreis
DE94E			Osnabrück, Landkreis
DE94F			Vechta
DE94G			Wesermarsch
DE94H			Wittmund
DEA	NORDRHEIN-WESTFALEN		
DEA1		Düsseldorf	
DEA11			Düsseldorf, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA12			Duisburg, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA13			Essen, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA14			Krefeld, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA15			Mönchengladbach, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA16			Mülheim an der Ruhr, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA17			Oberhausen, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA18			Remscheid, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA19			Solingen, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA1A			Wuppertal, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA1B			Kleve
DEA1C			Mettmann

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
DEA1D			Neuss
DEA1E			Viersen
DEA1F			Wesel
DEA2		Köln	
DEA21			Aachen, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA22			Bonn, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA23			Köln, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA24			Leverkusen, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA25			Aachen, Landkreis
DEA26			Düren
DEA27			Erfkreis
DEA28			Euskirchen
DEA29			Heinsberg
DEA2A			Oberbergischer Kreis
DEA2B			Rheinisch-Bergischer-Kreis
DEA2C			Rhein-Sieg-Kreis
DEA3		Münster	
DEA31			Bottrop, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA32			Gelsenkirchen, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA33			Münster, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA34			Borken
DEA35			Coesfeld
DEA36			Recklinghausen
DEA37			Steinfurt
DEA38			Warendorf
DEA4		Detmold	
DEA41			Bielefeld, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA42			Gütersloh
DEA43			Herford
DEA44			Höxter
DEA45			Lippe
DEA46			Minden-Lübbecke
DEA47			Paderborn
DEA5		Arnsberg	
DEA51			Bochum, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA52			Dortmund, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA53			Hagen, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA54			Hamm, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA55			Herne, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEA56			Ennepe-Ruhr-Kreis
DEA57			Hochsauerlandkreis
DEA58			Märkischer Kreis
DEA59			Olpe
DEA5A			Siegen-Wittgenstein
DEA5B			Soest
DEA5C			Unna F

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
DEB	RHEINLAND-PFALZ		
DEB1		Koblenz	
DEB11			Koblenz, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEB12			Ahrweiler
DEB13			Altenkirchen (Westerwald)
DEB14			Bad Kreuznach
DEB15			Birkenfeld
DEB16			Cochem-Zell
DEB17			Mayen-Koblenz
DEB18			Neuwied
DEB19			Rhein-Hunsrück-Kreis
DEB1A			Rhein-Lahn-Kreis
DEB1B			Westerwaldkreis
DEB2		Trier	
DEB21			Trier, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEB22			Berncastel-Wittlich
DEB23			Bitburg-Prüm
DEB24			Daun
DEB25			Trier-Saarburg
DEB3		Rheinhausen-Pfalz	
DEB31			Frankenthal (Pfalz), Kreisfreie Stadt
DEB32			Kaiserslautern, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEB33			Landau in der Pfalz, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEB34			Ludwigshafen am Rhein, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEB35			Mainz, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEB36			Neustadt an der Weinstraße, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEB37			Pirmasens, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEB38			Speyer, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEB39			Worms, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEB3A			Zweibrücken, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEB3B			Alzey-Worms
DEB3C			Bad Dürkheim
DEB3D			Donnersbergkreis
DEB3E			Germersheim
DEB3F			Kaiserslautern, Landkreis
DEB3G			Kusel
DEB3H			Südliche Weinstraße
DEB3I			Ludwigshafen, Landkreis
DEB3J			Mainz-Bingen
DEB3K			Südwestpfalz
DEC	SAARLAND		
DEC0		Saarland	
DEC01			Stadtverband Saarbrücken
DEC02			Merzig-Wadern

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
DEC03			Neunkirchen
DEC04			Saarlouis
DEC05			Saarpfalz-Kreis
DEC06			Sankt Wendel
DED	SACHSEN		
DED1		Chemnitz	
DED11			Chemnitz, Kreisfreie Stadt
DED12			Plauen, Kreisfreie Stadt
DED13			Zwickau, Kreisfreie Stadt
DED14			Annaberg
DED15			Chemnitzer Land
DED16			Freiberg
DED17			Vogtlandkreis
DED18			Mittlerer Erzgebirgskreis
DED19			Mittweida
DED1A			Stollberg
DED1B			Aue-Schwarzenberg
DED1C			Zwickauer Land
DED2		Dresden	
DED21			Dresden, Kreisfreie Stadt
DED22			Görlitz, Kreisfreie Stadt
DED23			Hoyerswerda, Kreisfreie Stadt
DED24			Bautzen
DED25			Meißen
DED26			Niederschlesischer Oberlausitzkreis
DED27			Riesa-Großenhain
DED29			Sächsische Schweiz
DED28			Löbau-Zittau
DED2A			Weißeritzkreis
DED2B			Kamenz
DED3		Leipzig	
DED31			Leipzig, Kreisfreie Stadt
DED32			Delitzsch
DED33			Döbeln
DED34			Leipziger Land
DED35			Muldentalkreis
DED36			Torgau-Oschatz
DEE	SACHSEN-ANHALT		
DEE1		Dessau	
DEE11			Dessau, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEE12			Anhalt-Zerbst
DEE13			Bernburg
DEE14			Bitterfeld
DEE15			Köthen
DEE16			Wittenberg

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
DEE2		Halle	
DEE21			Halle/Saale, Stadtkreis
DEE22			Burgenlandkreis
DEE23			Mansfelder Land
DEE24			Merseburg-Querfurt
DEE25			Saalkreis
DEE26			Sangerhausen
DEE27			Weißenfels
DEE3		Magdeburg	
DEE31			Magdeburg, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEE32			Aschersleben-Staßfurt
DEE33			Bördekreis
DEE34			Halberstadt
DEE35			Jerichower Land
DEE36			Ohrekreis
DEE37			Stendal
DEE38			Quedlinburg
DEE39			Schönebeck
DEE3A			Wernigerode
DEE3B			Altmarkkreis Salzwedel
DEF	SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN		
DEF0		Schleswig-Holstein	
DEF01			Flensburg, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEF02			Kiel, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEF03			Lübeck, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEF04			Neumünster, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEF05			Dithmarschen
DEF06			Herzogtum Lauenburg
DEF07			Nordfriesland
DEF08			Ostholstein
DEF09			Pinneberg
DEF0A			Plön
DEF0B			Rendsburg-Eckernförde
DEF0C			Schleswig-Flensburg
DEF0D			Segeberg
DEF0E			Steinburg
DEF0F			Stormarn
DEG	THÜRINGEN		
DEG0		Thüringen	
DEG01			Erfurt, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEG02			Gera, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEG03			Jena, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEG04			Suhl, Kreisfreie Stadt
DEG05			Weimar, Kreisfreie Stadt



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DEG06			<i>Eichsfeld</i>
DEG07			<i>Nordhausen</i>
DEG09			<i>Unstrut-Hainich-Kreis</i>
DEG0A			<i>Kyffhäuserkreis</i>
DEG0B			<i>Schmalkalden-Meiningen</i>
DEG0C			<i>Gotha</i>
DEG0D			<i>Sömmerda</i>
DEG0E			<i>Hildburghausen</i>
DEG0F			<i>Ilm-Kreis</i>
DEG0G			<i>Weimarer Land</i>
DEG0H			<i>Sonneberg</i>
DEG0I			<i>Saalfeld-Rudolstadt</i>
DEG0J			<i>Saale-Holzland-Kreis</i>
DEG0K			<i>Saale-Orla-Kreis</i>
DEG0L			<i>Greiz</i>
DEG0M			<i>Altenburger Land</i>
DEG0N			<i>Eisenach, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEG0P			<i>Wartburgkreis</i>

## ΕΛΛΑΔΑ

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GR			
GR1	ΒΟΡΕΙΑ ΕΛΛΑΔΑ		
GR11		Ανατολική Μακεδονία, Θράκη	
GR111			<i>Έβρος</i>
GR112			<i>Ξάνθη</i>
GR113			<i>Ροδόπη</i>
GR114			<i>Δράμα</i>
GR115			<i>Καβάλα</i>
GR12		Κεντρική Μακεδονία	
GR121			<i>Ημαθία</i>
GR122			<i>Θεσσαλονίκη</i>
GR123			<i>Κιλκίς</i>
GR124			<i>Πέλλα</i>
GR125			<i>Πιερία</i>
GR126			<i>Σέρρες</i>
GR127			<i>Χαλκιδική</i>
GR13		Δυτική Μακεδονία	
GR131			<i>Γρεβενά</i>
GR132			<i>Καστοριά</i>
GR133			<i>Κοζάνη</i>
GR134			<i>Φλώρινα</i>

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GR14		Θεσσαλία	
GR141			Καρδίτσα
GR142			Λάρισα
GR143			Μαγνησία
GR144			Τρίκαλα
GR2	ΚΕΝΤΡΙΚΗ ΕΛΛΑΔΑ		
GR21		Ήπειρος	
GR211			Άρτα
GR212			Θεσπρωτία
GR213			Ιωάννινα
GR214			Πρέβεζα
GR22		Ιόνια Νησιά	
GR221			Ζάκυνθος
GR222			Κέρκυρα
GR223			Κεφαλληνία
GR224			Λευκάδα
GR23		Δυτική Ελλάδα	
GR231			Αιτωλοακαρνανία
GR232			Αχαΐα
GR233			Ηλεία
GR24		Στερεά Ελλάδα	
GR241			Βοιωτία
GR242			Εύβοια
GR243			Ευρυτανία
GR244			Φθιώτιδα
GR245			Φωκίδα
GR25		Πελοπόννησος	
GR251			Αργολίδα
GR252			Αρκαδία
GR253			Κορινθία
GR254			Λακωνία
GR255			Μεσσηνία
GR3	ΑΤΤΙΚΗ		
GR30		Αττική	
GR300			Αττική
GR4	ΝΗΣΙΑ ΑΙΓΑΙΟΥ, ΚΡΗΤΗ		
GR41		Βόρειο Αιγαίο	
GR411			Λέσβος
GR412			Σάμος
GR413			Χίος
GR42		Νότιο Αιγαίο	
GR421			Δωδεκάνησος
GR422			Κυκλάδες

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
GR43		Κρήτη	
GR431			Ηράκλειο
GR432			Λασιθί
GR433			Ρεθύμνη
GR434			Χανιά

## ESPAÑA

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
ES			
ES1	NOROESTE		
ES11		Galicia	
ES111			A Coruña
ES112			Lugo
ES113			Ourense
ES114			Pontevedra
ES12		Principado de Asturias	
ES120			Asturias
ES13		Cantabria	
ES130			Cantabria
ES2	NORESTE		
ES21		País Vasco	
ES211			Álava
ES212			Guipúzcoa
ES213			Vizcaya
ES22		Comunidad Foral de Navarra	
ES220			Navarra
ES23		La Rioja	
ES230			La Rioja
ES24		Aragón	
ES241			Huesca
ES242			Teruel
ES243			Zaragoza
ES3	COMUNIDAD DE MADRID		
ES30		Comunidad de Madrid	
ES300			Madrid
ES4	CENTRO (E)		
ES41		Castilla y León	
ES411			Ávila
ES412			Burgos
ES413			León
ES414			Palencia
ES415			Salamanca
ES416			Segovia

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ES417			<i>Soria</i>
ES418			<i>Valladolid</i>
ES419			<i>Zamora</i>
ES42		Castilla-La Mancha	
ES421			<i>Albacete</i>
ES422			<i>Ciudad Real</i>
ES423			<i>Cuenca</i>
ES424			<i>Guadalajara</i>
ES425			<i>Toledo</i>
ES43		Extremadura	
ES431			<i>Badajoz</i>
ES432			<i>Cáceres</i>
ES5	ESTE		
ES51		Cataluña	
ES511			<i>Barcelona</i>
ES512			<i>Girona</i>
ES513			<i>Lleida</i>
ES514			<i>Tarragona</i>
ES52		Comunidad Valenciana	
ES521			<i>Alicante/Alacant</i>
ES522			<i>Castellón/Castelló</i>
ES523			<i>Valencia/València</i>
ES53		Illes Balears	
ES530			<i>Illes Balears</i>
ES6	SUR		
ES61		Andalucía	
ES611			<i>Almería</i>
ES612			<i>Cádiz</i>
ES613			<i>Córdoba</i>
ES614			<i>Granada</i>
ES615			<i>Huelva</i>
ES616			<i>Jaén</i>
ES617			<i>Málaga</i>
ES618			<i>Sevilla</i>
ES62		Región de Murcia	
ES620			<i>Murcia</i>
ES63		Ceuta y Melilla	
ES631			<i>Ceuta</i>
ES632			<i>Melilla</i>
ES7	CANARIAS		
ES70		Canarias	
ES701			<i>Las Palmas</i>
ES702			<i>Santa Cruz de Tenerife</i>

## FRANCE

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
FR			
FR1	ÎLE DE FRANCE		
FR10		Île de France	
FR101			Paris
FR102			Seine-et-Marne
FR103			Yvelines
FR104			Essonne
FR105			Hauts-de-Seine
FR106			Seine-Saint-Denis
FR107			Val-de-Marne
FR108			Val-d'Oise
FR2	BASSIN PARISIEN		
FR21		Champagne-Ardenne	
FR211			Ardennes
FR212			Aube
FR213			Marne
FR214			Haute-Marne
FR22		Picardie	
FR221			Aisne
FR222			Oise
FR223			Somme
FR23		Haute-Normandie	
FR231			Eure
FR232			Seine-Maritime
FR24		Centre	
FR241			Cher
FR242			Eure-et-Loir
FR243			Indre
FR244			Indre-et-Loire
FR245			Loir-et-Cher
FR246			Loiret
FR25		Basse-Normandie	
FR251			Calvados
FR252			Manche
FR253			Orne
FR26		Bourgogne	
FR261			Côte-d'Or
FR262			Nièvre
FR263			Saône-et-Loire
FR264			Yonne

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FR3	NORD — PAS-DE-CALAIS		
FR30		Nord — Pas-de-Calais	
FR301			<i>Nord</i>
FR302			<i>Pas-de-Calais</i>
FR4	EST		
FR41		Lorraine	
FR413			<i>Moselle</i>
FR411			<i>Meurthe-et-Moselle</i>
FR412			<i>Meuse</i>
FR414			<i>Vosges</i>
FR42		Alsace	
FR421			<i>Bas-Rhin</i>
FR422			<i>Haut-Rhin</i>
FR43		Franche-Comté	
FR431			<i>Doubs</i>
FR432			<i>Jura</i>
FR433			<i>Haute-Saône</i>
FR434			<i>Territoire de Belfort</i>
FR5	OUEST		
FR51		Pays de la Loire	
FR511			<i>Loire-Atlantique</i>
FR512			<i>Maine-et-Loire</i>
FR513			<i>Mayenne</i>
FR514			<i>Sarthe</i>
FR515			<i>Vendée</i>
FR52		Bretagne	
FR521			<i>Côtes-d'Armor</i>
FR522			<i>Finistère</i>
FR523			<i>Ille-et-Vilaine</i>
FR524			<i>Morbihan</i>
FR53		Poitou-Charentes	
FR531			<i>Charente</i>
FR532			<i>Charente-Maritime</i>
FR533			<i>Deux-Sèvres</i>
FR534			<i>Vienne</i>
FR6	SUD-OUEST		
FR61		Aquitaine	
FR611			<i>Dordogne</i>
FR612			<i>Gironde</i>
FR613			<i>Landes</i>
FR614			<i>Lot-et-Garonne</i>
FR615			<i>Pyrénées-Atlantiques</i>

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
FR62		Midi-Pyrénées	
FR621			<i>Ariège</i>
FR622			<i>Aveyron</i>
FR623			<i>Haute-Garonne</i>
FR624			<i>Gers</i>
FR625			<i>Lot</i>
FR626			<i>Hautes-Pyrénées</i>
FR627			<i>Tarn</i>
FR628			<i>Tarn-et-Garonne</i>
FR63		Limousin	
FR631			<i>Corrèze</i>
FR632			<i>Creuse</i>
FR633			<i>Haute-Vienne</i>
FR7	CENTRE-EST		
FR71		Rhône-Alpes	
FR711			<i>Ain</i>
FR712			<i>Ardèche</i>
FR713			<i>Drôme</i>
FR714			<i>Isère</i>
FR715			<i>Loire</i>
FR716			<i>Rhône</i>
FR717			<i>Savoie</i>
FR718			<i>Haute-Savoie</i>
FR72		Auvergne	
FR721			<i>Allier</i>
FR722			<i>Cantal</i>
FR723			<i>Haute-Loire</i>
FR724			<i>Puy-de-Dôme</i>
FR8	MÉDITERRANÉE		
FR81		Languedoc-Roussillon	
FR811			<i>Aude</i>
FR812			<i>Gard</i>
FR813			<i>Hérault</i>
FR814			<i>Lozère</i>
FR815			<i>Pyrénées-Orientales</i>
FR82		Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur	
FR821			<i>Alpes-de-Haute-Provence</i>
FR822			<i>Hautes-Alpes</i>
FR823			<i>Alpes-Maritimes</i>
FR824			<i>Bouches-du-Rhône</i>
FR825			<i>Var</i>
FR826			<i>Vaucluse</i>
FR83		Corse	
FR831			<i>Corse-du-Sud</i>

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3	
FR832	DÉPARTEMENTS D'OUTRE-MER		<i>Haute-Corse</i>	
FR9				
FR91			Guadeloupe	
FR910				<i>Guadeloupe</i>
FR92			Martinique	
FR920				<i>Martinique</i>
FR93			Guyane	
FR930				<i>Guyane</i>
FR94			Réunion	
FR940				<i>Réunion</i>

## IRELAND

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3	
IE	IRELAND			
IE0				
IE01			Border, Midland and Western	
IE011				<i>Border</i>
IE012				<i>Midland</i>
IE013				<i>West</i>
IE02			Southern and Eastern	
IE021				<i>Dublin</i>
IE022				<i>Mid-East</i>
IE023				<i>Mid-West</i>
IE024				<i>South-East (IRL)</i>
IE025				<i>South-West (IRL)</i>

## ITALIA

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3	
IT	NORD OVEST			
IT1				
IT11			Piemonte	
IT111				<i>Torino</i>
IT112				<i>Vercelli</i>
IT113				<i>Biella</i>
IT114				<i>Verbano-Cusio-Ossola</i>
IT115				<i>Novara</i>
IT116				<i>Cuneo</i>
IT117				<i>Asti</i>
IT118				<i>Alessandria</i>
IT12			Valle d'Aosta	
IT120				<i>Valle d'Aosta</i>



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IT13		Liguria	
IT131			<i>Imperia</i>
IT132			<i>Savona</i>
IT133			<i>Genova</i>
IT134			<i>La Spezia</i>
IT2	LOMBARDIA		
IT20		Lombardia	
IT201			<i>Varese</i>
IT202			<i>Como</i>
IT203			<i>Lecco</i>
IT204			<i>Sondrio</i>
IT205			<i>Milano</i>
IT206			<i>Bergamo</i>
IT207			<i>Brescia</i>
IT208			<i>Pavia</i>
IT209			<i>Lodi</i>
IT20A			<i>Cremona</i>
IT20B			<i>Mantova</i>
IT3	NORD EST		
IT31		Trentino-Alto Adige	
IT311			<i>Bolzano-Bozen</i>
IT312			<i>Trento</i>
IT32		Veneto	
IT321			<i>Verona</i>
IT322			<i>Vicenza</i>
IT323			<i>Belluno</i>
IT324			<i>Treviso</i>
IT325			<i>Venezia</i>
IT326			<i>Padova</i>
IT327			<i>Rovigo</i>
IT33		Friuli-Venezia Giulia	
IT331			<i>Pordenone</i>
IT332			<i>Udine</i>
IT333			<i>Gorizia</i>
IT334			<i>Trieste</i>
IT4	EMILIA-ROMAGNA		
IT40		Emilia-Romagna	
IT401			<i>Piacenza</i>
IT402			<i>Parma</i>
IT403			<i>Reggio nell'Emilia</i>
IT404			<i>Modena</i>
IT405			<i>Bologna</i>
IT406			<i>Ferrara</i>

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3	
IT407	CENTRO (I)	Toscana	Ravenna	
IT408			Forlì-Cesena	
IT409			Rimini	
IT5				
IT51				
IT511				Massa-Carrara
IT512				Lucca
IT513				Pistoia
IT514				Firenze
IT515				Prato
IT516				Livorno
IT517				Pisa
IT518				Arezzo
IT519				Siena
IT51A				Grosseto
IT52				Umbria
IT521				Perugia
IT522				Terni
IT53				Marche
IT531				Pesaro e Urbino
IT532		Ancona		
IT533		Macerata		
IT534		Ascoli Piceno		
IT6	LAZIO			
IT60		Lazio		
IT601			Viterbo	
IT602			Rieti	
IT603			Roma	
IT604			Latina	
IT605			Frosinone	
IT7	ABRUZZO-MOLISE			
IT71		Abruzzo		
IT711			L'Aquila	
IT712			Teramo	
IT713			Pescara	
IT714			Chieti	
IT72		Molise		
IT721			Isernia	
IT722			Campobasso	
IT8	CAMPANIA			
IT80		Campania		
IT801			Caserta	
IT802			Benevento	
IT803			Napoli	

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3		
IT804	SUD	Puglia	<i>Avellino</i>		
IT805			<i>Salerno</i>		
IT9			Basilicata	Calabria	
IT91					
IT911					<i>Foggia</i>
IT912					<i>Bari</i>
IT913					<i>Taranto</i>
IT914					<i>Brindisi</i>
IT915					<i>Lecce</i>
IT92					
IT921					<i>Potenza</i>
IT922					<i>Matera</i>
IT93					
IT931					<i>Cosenza</i>
IT932					<i>Crotone</i>
IT933					<i>Catanzaro</i>
IT934					<i>Vibo Valentia</i>
IT935			<i>Reggio di Calabria</i>		
ITA			SICILIA	Sicilia	
ITA0					
ITA01	<i>Trapani</i>				
ITA02	<i>Palermo</i>				
ITA03	<i>Messina</i>				
ITA04	<i>Agrigento</i>				
ITA05	<i>Caltanissetta</i>				
ITA06	<i>Enna</i>				
ITA07	<i>Catania</i>				
ITA08	<i>Ragusa</i>				
ITA09	<i>Siracusa</i>				
ITB	SARDEGNA	Sardegna			
ITB0					
ITB01			<i>Sassari</i>		
ITB02			<i>Nuoro</i>		
ITB03			<i>Oristano</i>		
ITB04			<i>Cagliari</i>		

## LUXEMBOURG (GRAND-DUCHÉ)

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
LU	LUXEMBOURG (GRAND-DUCHÉ)	Luxembourg (Grand-Duché)	
LU0			
LU00			
LU000			<i>Luxembourg (Grand-Duché)</i>

## NEDERLAND

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
NL			
NL1	NOORD-NEDERLAND		
NL11		Groningen	
NL111			Oost-Groningen
NL112			Delfzijl en omgeving
NL113			Overig Groningen
NL12		Friesland	
NL121			Noord-Friesland
NL122			Zuidwest-Friesland
NL123			Zuidoost-Friesland
NL13		Drenthe	
NL131			Noord-Drenthe
NL132			Zuidoost-Drenthe
NL133			Zuidwest-Drenthe
NL2	OOST-NEDERLAND		
NL21		Overijssel	
NL211			Noord-Overijssel
NL212			Zuidwest-Overijssel
NL213			Twente
NL22		Gelderland	
NL221			Veluwe
NL222			Achterhoek
NL223			Arnhem/Nijmegen
NL224			Zuidwest-Gelderland
NL23		Flevoland	
NL230			Flevoland
NL3	WEST-NEDERLAND		
NL31		Utrecht	
NL310			Utrecht
NL32		Noord-Holland	
NL321			Kop van Noord-Holland
NL322			Alkmaar en omgeving
NL323			IJmond
NL324			Agglomeratie Haarlem
NL325			Zaanstreek
NL326			Groot-Amsterdam
NL327			Het Gooi en Vechtstreek
NL33		Zuid-Holland	
NL331			Agglomeratie Leiden en Bollenstreek
NL332			Agglomeratie 's-Gravenhage
NL333			Delft en Westland
NL334			Oost-Zuid-Holland
NL335			Groot-Rijnmond

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3	
NL336	ZUID-NEDERLAND	Zeeland	<i>Zuidoost-Zuid-Holland</i>	
NL34				
NL341				<i>Zeeuwsch-Vlaanderen</i>
NL342			<i>Overig Zeeland</i>	
NL4		Noord-Brabant		
NL41				
NL411				<i>West-Noord-Brabant</i>
NL412				<i>Midden-Noord-Brabant</i>
NL413			<i>Noordoost-Noord-Brabant</i>	
NL414			<i>Zuidoost-Noord-Brabant</i>	
NL42		Limburg (NL)		
NL421				<i>Noord-Limburg</i>
NL422				<i>Midden-Limburg</i>
NL423				<i>Zuid-Limburg</i>
NL423				

## ÖSTERREICH

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3	
AT	ÖSTÖSTERREICH	Burgenland		
AT1				
AT11				<i>Mittelburgenland</i>
AT111			<i>Nordburgenland</i>	
AT112			<i>Südburgenland</i>	
AT113		Niederösterreich		
AT12				<i>Mostviertel-Eisenwurzen</i>
AT121				<i>Niederösterreich-Süd</i>
AT122				<i>Sankt Pölten</i>
AT123			<i>Waldviertel</i>	
AT124			<i>Weinviertel</i>	
AT125			<i>Wiener Umland/Nordteil</i>	
AT126			<i>Wiener Umland/Südteil</i>	
AT127		Wien		
AT13				<i>Wien</i>
AT130		SÜDÖSTERREICH	Kärnten	
AT2				
AT21			<i>Klagenfurt-Villach</i>	
AT211			<i>Oberkärnten</i>	
AT212			<i>Unterkärnten</i>	
AT213	Steiermark			
AT22				<i>Graz</i>
AT221				<i>Liezen</i>
AT222		<i>Östliche Obersteiermark</i>		
AT223		<i>Oststeiermark</i>		
AT224				

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3			
AT225	WESTÖSTERREICH	Oberösterreich	West- und Südsteiermark			
AT226			Westliche Obersteiermark			
AT3			Salzburg	Innviertel		
AT31				Linz-Wels		
AT311				Mühlviertel		
AT312				Steyr-Kirchdorf		
AT313				Traunviertel		
AT314				Lungau	Pinzgau-Pongau	
AT315					Salzburg und Umgebung	
AT32					Tirol	Außerfern
AT321						Innsbruck
AT322				Osttirol		
AT323			Tiroler Oberland			
AT33			Tiroler Unterland			
AT331			Vorarlberg	Bludenz-Bregenzer Wald		
AT332				Rheintal-Bodenseegebiet		
AT333						
AT334						
AT335						
AT34						

## PORTUGAL

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3	
PT	CONTINENTE	Norte	Minho-Lima	
PT1			Cávado	
PT11			Ave	
PT111			Grande Porto	
PT112			Tâmega	
PT113			Entre Douro e Vouga	
PT114			Douro	
PT115			Alto Trás-os-Montes	
PT116			Centro (P)	Baixo Vouga
PT117				Baixo Mondego
PT118		Pinhal Litoral		
PT12		Pinhal Interior Norte		
PT121		Dão-Lafões		
PT122		Pinhal Interior Sul		
PT123				
PT124				
PT125				
PT126				

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
PT127			<i>Serra da Estrela</i>
PT128			<i>Beira Interior Norte</i>
PT129			<i>Beira Interior Sul</i>
PT12A			<i>Cova da Beira</i>
PT13		Lisboa e Vale do Tejo	
PT131			<i>Oeste</i>
PT132			<i>Grande Lisboa</i>
PT133			<i>Península de Setúbal</i>
PT134			<i>Médio Tejo</i>
PT135			<i>Lezíria do Tejo</i>
PT14		Alentejo	
PT141			<i>Alentejo Litoral</i>
PT142			<i>Alto Alentejo</i>
PT143			<i>Alentejo Central</i>
PT144			<i>Baixo Alentejo</i>
PT15		Algarve	
PT150			<i>Algarve</i>
PT2	AÇORES		
PT20		Açores	
PT200			<i>Açores</i>
PT3	MADEIRA		
PT30		Madeira	
PT300			<i>Madeira</i>

## SUOMI/FINLAND

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
FI			
FI1	MANNER-SUOMI		
FI13		Itä-Suomi	
FI131			<i>Etelä-Savo</i>
FI132			<i>Pohjois-Savo</i>
FI133			<i>Pohjois-Karjala</i>
FI134			<i>Kainuu</i>
FI14		Väli-Suomi	
FI141			<i>Keski-Suomi</i>
FI142			<i>Etelä-Pohjanmaa</i>
FI143			<i>Pohjanmaa</i>
FI144			<i>Keski-Pohjanmaa</i>
FI15		Pohjois-Suomi	
FI151			<i>Pohjois-Pohjanmaa</i>
FI152			<i>Lappi</i>

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
FI16		Uusimaa	
FI161			Uusimaa
FI162			Itä-Uusimaa
FI17		Etelä-Suomi	
FI171			Varsinais-Suomi
FI172			Satakunta
FI173			Kanta-Häme
FI174			Pirkanmaa
FI175			Päijät-Häme
FI176			Kymenlaakso
FI177			Etelä-Karjala
FI2	ÅLAND		
FI20		Åland	
FI200			Åland

## SVERIGE

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
SE			
SE0	SVERIGE		
SE01		Stockholm	
SE010			Stockholms län
SE02		Östra Mellansverige	
SE021			Uppsala län
SE022			Södermanlands län
SE023			Östergötlands län
SE024			Örebro län
SE025			Västmanlands län
SE04		Sydsverige	
SE041			Blekinge län
SE044			Skåne län
SE06		Norra Mellansverige	
SE061			Värmlands län
SE062			Dalarnas län
SE063			Gävleborgs län
SE07		Mellersta Norrland	
SE071			Västernorrlands län
SE072			Jämtlands län
SE08		Övre Norrland	
SE081			Västerbottens län
SE082			Norrbottnens län



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
SE09		Småland med öarna	
SE091			<i>Jönköpings län</i>
SE092			<i>Kronobergs län</i>
SE093			<i>Kalmar län</i>
SE094			<i>Gotlands län</i>
SE0A		Västsverige	
SE0A1			<i>Hallands län</i>
SE0A2			<i>Västra Götalands län</i>

## UNITED KINGDOM

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
UK			
UKC	NORTH EAST		
UKC1		Tees Valley and Durham	
UKC11			<i>Hartlepool and Stockton-on-Tees</i>
UKC12			<i>South Teesside</i>
UKC13			<i>Darlington</i>
UKC14			<i>Durham CC</i>
UKC2		Northumberland and Tyne and Wear	
UKC21			<i>Northumberland</i>
UKC22			<i>Tyneside</i>
UKC23			<i>Sunderland</i>
UKD	NORTH WEST		
UKD1		Cumbria	
UKD11			<i>West Cumbria</i>
UKD12			<i>East Cumbria</i>
UKD2		Cheshire	
UKD21			<i>Halton and Warrington</i>
UKD22			<i>Cheshire CC</i>
UKD3		Greater Manchester	
UKD31			<i>Greater Manchester South</i>
UKD32			<i>Greater Manchester North</i>
UKD4		Lancashire	
UKD41			<i>Blackburn with Darwen</i>
UKD42			<i>Blackpool</i>
UKD43			<i>Lancashire CC</i>
UKD5		Merseyside	
UKD51			<i>East Merseyside</i>
UKD52			<i>Liverpool</i>
UKD53			<i>Sefton</i>
UKD54			<i>Wirral</i>

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
UKE	YORKSHIRE AND THE HUMBER		
UKE1		East Riding and North Lincolnshire	
UKE11			<i>Kingston upon Hull, City of</i>
UKE12			<i>East Riding of Yorkshire</i>
UKE13			<i>North and North East Lincolnshire</i>
UKE2		North Yorkshire	
UKE21			<i>York</i>
UKE22			<i>North Yorkshire CC</i>
UKE3		South Yorkshire	
UKE31			<i>Barnsley, Doncaster and Rotherham</i>
UKE32			<i>Sheffield</i>
UKE4		West Yorkshire	
UKE41			<i>Bradford</i>
UKE42			<i>Leeds</i>
UKE43			<i>Calderdale, Kirklees and Wakefield</i>
UKF	EAST MIDLANDS		
UKF1		Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire	
UKF11			<i>Derby</i>
UKF12			<i>East Derbyshire</i>
UKF13			<i>South and West Derbyshire</i>
UKF14			<i>Nottingham</i>
UKF15			<i>North Nottinghamshire</i>
UKF16			<i>South Nottinghamshire</i>
UKF2		Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire	
UKF21			<i>Leicester</i>
UKF22			<i>Leicestershire CC and Rutland</i>
UKF23			<i>Northamptonshire</i>
UKF3		Lincolnshire	
UKF30			<i>Lincolnshire</i>
UKG	WEST MIDLANDS		
UKG1		Herefordshire, Worcestershire and Warwickshire	
UKG11			<i>Herefordshire, County of</i>
UKG12			<i>Worcestershire</i>
UKG13			<i>Warwickshire</i>
UKG2		Shropshire and Staffordshire	
UKG21			<i>Telford and Wrekin</i>
UKG22			<i>Shropshire CC</i>
UKG23			<i>Stoke-on-Trent</i>
UKG24			<i>Staffordshire CC</i>
UKG3		West Midlands	
UKG31			<i>Birmingham</i>
UKG32			<i>Solihull</i>

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3		
UKG33	EAST OF ENGLAND	East Anglia	<i>Coventry</i>		
UKG34			<i>Dudley and Sandwell</i>		
UKG35			<i>Walsall and Wolverhampton</i>		
UKH1			<i>Peterborough</i>		
UKH11			<i>Cambridgeshire CC</i>		
UKH12			<i>Norfolk</i>		
UKH13			<i>Suffolk</i>		
UKH14			Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire	<i>Luton</i>	
UKH2				<i>Bedfordshire CC</i>	
UKH21				<i>Hertfordshire</i>	
UKH22				Essex	<i>Southend-on-Sea</i>
UKH23					<i>Thurrock</i>
UKH3			Essex	<i>Essex CC</i>	
UKH31		Inner London		<i>Inner London - West</i>	
UKH32				<i>Inner London - East</i>	
UKH33		Outer London	<i>Outer London - East and North East</i>		
UKI			Outer London	<i>Outer London - South</i>	
UKI1				<i>Outer London - West and North West</i>	
UKI11				Berkshire, Buckinghamshire and Oxfordshire	<i>Berkshire</i>
UKI12			<i>Milton Keynes</i>		
UKI2		Berkshire, Buckinghamshire and Oxfordshire	<i>Buckinghamshire CC</i>		
UKI21			<i>Oxfordshire</i>		
UKI22		Surrey, East and West Sussex	<i>Brighton and Hove</i>		
UKI23	<i>East Sussex CC</i>				
UKJ	<i>Surrey</i>				
UKJ1	<i>West Sussex</i>				
UKJ11	Hampshire and Isle of Wight	<i>Portsmouth</i>			
UKJ12		<i>Southampton</i>			
UKJ13		<i>Hampshire CC</i>			
UKJ14		<i>Isle of Wight</i>			
UKJ2	Hampshire and Isle of Wight	<i>Medway</i>			
UKJ21		<i>Kent CC</i>			
UKJ22	Kent				
UKJ23					
UKJ24					
UKJ3					
UKJ31					
UKJ32					
UKJ33					
UKJ34					
UKJ4					
UKJ41					
UKJ42					

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
UKK	SOUTH WEST		
UKK1		Gloucestershire, Wiltshire and North Somerset	
UKK11			<i>Bristol, City of</i>
UKK12			<i>North and North East Somerset, South Gloucestershire</i>
UKK13			<i>Gloucestershire</i>
UKK14			<i>Swindon</i>
UKK15			<i>Wiltshire CC</i>
UKK2		Dorset and Somerset	
UKK21			<i>Bournemouth and Poole</i>
UKK22			<i>Dorset CC</i>
UKK23			<i>Somerset</i>
UKK3		Cornwall and Isles of Scilly	
UKK30			<i>Cornwall and Isles of Scilly</i>
UKK4		Devon	
UKK41			<i>Plymouth</i>
UKK42			<i>Torbay</i>
UKK43			<i>Devon CC</i>
UKL	WALES		
UKL1		West Wales and The Valleys	
UKL11			<i>Isle of Anglesey</i>
UKL12			<i>Gwynedd</i>
UKL13			<i>Conwy and Denbighshire</i>
UKL14			<i>South West Wales</i>
UKL15			<i>Central Valleys</i>
UKL16			<i>Gwent Valleys</i>
UKL17			<i>Bridgend and Neath Port Talbot</i>
UKL18			<i>Swansea</i>
UKL2		East Wales	
UKL21			<i>Monmouthshire and Newport</i>
UKL22			<i>Cardiff and Vale of Glamorgan</i>
UKL23			<i>Flintshire and Wrexham</i>
UKL24			<i>Powys</i>
UKM	SCOTLAND		
UKM1		North Eastern Scotland	
UKM10			<i>Aberdeen City, Aberdeenshire and North East Moray</i>
UKM2		Eastern Scotland	
UKM21			<i>Angus and Dundee City</i>
UKM22			<i>Clackmannanshire and Fife</i>
UKM23			<i>East Lothian and Midlothian</i>
UKM24			<i>Scottish Borders, The</i>
UKM25			<i>Edinburgh, City of</i>
UKM26			<i>Falkirk</i>

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
UKM27			<i>Perth and Kinross and Stirling</i>
UKM28			<i>West Lothian</i>
UKM3		South Western Scotland	
UKM31			<i>East and West Dunbartonshire, Helensburgh and Lomond</i>
UKM32			<i>Dumfries and Galloway</i>
UKM33			<i>East Ayrshire and North Ayrshire Mainland</i>
UKM34			<i>Glasgow City</i>
UKM35			<i>Inverclyde, East Renfrewshire and Renfrewshire</i>
UKM36			<i>North Lanarkshire</i>
UKM37			<i>South Ayrshire</i>
UKM38			<i>South Lanarkshire</i>
UKM4		Highlands and Islands	
UKM41			<i>Caithness and Sutherland and Ross and Cromarty</i>
UKM42			<i>Inverness and Nairn and Moray, Badenoch and Strathspey</i>
UKM43			<i>Lochaber, Skye and Lochalsh and Argyll and the Islands</i>
UKM44			<i>Eilean Siar (Western Isles)</i>
UKM45			<i>Orkney Islands</i>
UKM46			<i>Shetland Islands</i>
UKN	NORTHERN IRELAND		
UKN0		Northern Ireland	
UKN01			<i>Belfast</i>
UKN02			<i>Outer Belfast</i>
UKN03			<i>East of Northern Ireland</i>
UKN04			<i>North of Northern Ireland</i>
UKN05			<i>West and South of Northern Ireland</i>

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*ANNEX II***Existing administrative units**

At NUTS level 1 for Belgium 'regio/régions' and for Germany 'Länder',

At NUTS level 2 for Belgium 'provincie/provinces', for Germany 'Regierungsbezirke', for Spain 'comunidades autónomas', for France 'régions', for Ireland 'regions', for Italy 'regioni', for the Netherlands 'provincies' and for Austria 'Bundesländer',

At NUTS level 3 for Belgium 'arrondissements', for Denmark 'Amter', for Germany 'Kreise/kreisfreie Städte', for Greece 'nomoi', for Spain 'provincias', for France 'départements', for Ireland 'regional authority regions', for Italy 'provincia' and for Sweden 'län'.

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*ANNEX III***Existing local administrative units**

For Belgium 'Gemeenten/Communes', for Denmark 'Kommuner', for Germany 'Gemeinden', for Greece 'Demoi/Koinotites', for Spain 'Municipios', for France 'Communes', for Ireland 'administrative counties', for Italy 'Comuni', for Luxembourg 'Communes', for the Netherlands 'Gemeenten', for Austria 'Gemeinden', for Portugal 'Freguesias', for Finland 'Kunnat', for Sweden 'Kommuner' and for the United Kingdom 'Wards'.

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