Territory Information System (TIS): amendments of TIS data

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1 First TIS-edition (April 1999)

The first TIS-edition appeared in April 1999. The chapters 2 ff. of this document describe the changes and amendments in the following TIS-editions.

2 Second TIS-edition (December 2000)

- TIS-300 GR GRC GREECE: “Official Territory Name” in German language updated according to ISO from „GRIECHISCHE REPUBLIK” into „HELLENISCHE REPUBLIK“.
- TIS-702 SG SGP SINGAPORE belongs from 01/01/1000 until 31/12/3999 to TIS-2133 2SE SOUTH EAST ASIA. (additional hierarchical link)
- TIS-096 BR BRN BRUNEI DARUSSALAM belongs from 01/01/1000 until 31/12/3999 to TIS-2133 2SE SOUTH EAST ASIA. (additional hierarchical link)
- Addition of the following „Official Territory Names” in German language:

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3 Third TIS-edition (March 2001)

- TIS-242 FJ FJI FIJI belongs from 01/01/1997 until 31/12/3999 to 2117 2CU COMMONWEALTH AUSTRALASIAN COUNTRIES (additional hierarchical link)
- TIS-604 PE PER PERU belongs from 01/01/1998 until 31/12/3999 to TIS-2104 2AP APEC COUNTRIES (additional hierarchical link)
- TIS-643 RU RUS RUSSIAN FEDERATION belongs from 01/01/1998 until 31/12/3999 to TIS-2104 2AP APEC COUNTRIES (additional hierarchical link)
- TIS-704 VN VNM VIET NAM belongs from 01/01/1998 until 31/12/3999 to TIS-2104 2AP APEC COUNTRIES (additional hierarchical link)
- 116 KH KHM CAMBODIA belongs from 30/04/1999 until 31/12/3999 to TIS-2105 2AE ASEAN COUNTRIES (additional hierarchical link)


4.1 Romania: Change of TIS-A-Ext

Source: ISO 3166-1 Newsletter V-3
642 RO ROMANIA: TIS-A-Ext ROM changed in ROU
4.2 Changes of names of territories

Source: ISO 3166-1 Newsletter V-4 and DIN EN ISO 3166-1 Änderungsmitteilung II-4 – II-14

004 AF AFGHANISTAN
Official territory name (en) ISLAMIC STATE OF AFGHANISTAN deleted
Official territory name (fr) ETAT ISLAMIQUE D’AFGHANISTAN deleted
Official territory name (de) ISLAMISCHER STAAT AFGHANISTAN deleted
Official territory name (es) ESTADO ISLAMICO DE AFGANISTAN deleted

031 AZ AZERBAIJAN
Official territory name (en) AZERBAIJANI REPUBLIC changed to REPUBLIC OF AZERBAIJAN
Official territory name (fr) REPUBLIQUE AZERBAIDJANAISE changed to REPUBLIQUE D’AZERBAIDJAN
Official territory name (de) ASERBAIDSCHANISCHE REPUBLIK changed to REPUBLIK ASERBAIDSCHAN
Official territory name (es) REPUBLICA DE AZERBAIJAN changed to REPUBLICA DE AZERBAIJAN

048 BH BAHRAIN
Official territory name (en) STATE OF BAHRAIN changed to KINGDOM OF BAHRAIN
Official territory name (fr) ETAT DE BAHREIN changed to ROYAUME DE BAHREIN
Official territory name (de) STAAT BAHRAIN changed to KOENIGREICH BAHRAIN
Official territory name (es) ESTADO DE BAHREIN changed to REINO DE BAHREIN

070 BA BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA
Official territory name (en) REPUBLIC OF BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA deleted
Official territory name (fr) REPUBLIQUE DE BOSNIE-HERZEGOVINE deleted
Official territory name (es) REPUBLICA DE BOSNIA Y HERZEGOVINA deleted
Remark: 070 BA was not connected with an official territory name (de)

212 DM DOMINICA
Official territory name (fr) COMMONWEALTH DE LA DOMINIQUE changed to COMMONWEALTH DE DOMINIQUE
Remark: No changes of official territory name (en, de, es)

242 FJ FIJI
Official territory name (en) REPUBLIC OF FIJI changed to REPUBLIC OF THE FIJI ISLANDS
Official territory name (fr) REPUBLIQUE DES FIDJI changed to REPUBLIQUE DES ILES FIDJI
Official territory name (de) REPUBLIK FIDSCHI changed to REPUBLIK FIDSCHI-INSELN
Official territory name (es) REPUBLICA DE FIJI changed to REPUBLICA DE LAS ISLAS FIJI

344 HK HONG KONG
Official territory name (en) added HONG KONG SPECIAL ADMINISTRATIVE REGION OF CHINA
Official territory name (fr) added HONG KONG REGION ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALE DE CHINE
Official territory name (de) added SONDERVERWALTUNGSSREGION HONGKONG
Official territory name (es) added REGION ADMINISTRATIVA ESPECIAL DE HONG KONG
Territory name and Abbreviated territory name (fr) HONG-KONG changed to HONG KONG

398 KZ KAZAKSTAN
Territory name and Abbreviated territory name (en) KAZAKSTAN changed to KAZAKHSTAN
Official territory name (en) REPUBLIC OF KAZAKSTAN changed to REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN
Territory name and Abbreviated territory name (fr) KAZAKSTAN changed to KAZAKHSTAN
Official territory name (fr) REPUBLIQUE DU KAZAKSTAN changed to REPUBLIQUE DU KAZAKHSTAN
Remark: No change of Territory name (de, es), Abbreviated territory name (de, es) and Official territory name (de, es)
296 KI KIRIBATI
Official territory name (en) added REPUBLIC OF KIRIBATI
Official territory name (fr) added REPUBLIQUE DE KIRIBATI
Official territory name (de) added REPUBLIK KIRIBATI
Official territory name (es) added REPUBLICA DE KIRIBATI

442 LU LUXEMBOURG
Official territory name (fr) GRAND-DUCHE DU LUXEMBOURG changed in GRAND-DUCHE DE LUXEMBOURG
Remark: No changes of official territory name (en, de, es)

706 SO SOMALIA
Official territory name (en) SOMALI DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC changed in SOMALI REPUBLIC
Official territory name (fr) REPUBLIQUE DEMOCRATIQUE SOMALIE changed in REPUBLIQUE SOMALIENNE
Official territory name (de) DEMOKRATISCHE REPUBLIK SOMALIA changed in REPUBLIK SOMALIA
Official territory name (es) REPUBLICA DEMOCRATICA SOMALI changed in REPUBLICA SOMALI

862 VE VENEZUELA
Official territory name (en) REPUBLIC OF VENEZUELA changed in BOLIVARIAN REPUBLIC OF VENEZUELA
Official territory name (fr) REPUBLIQUE DU VENEZUELA changed in REPUBLIQUE BOLIVARIENNE DU VENEZUELA
Official territory name (de) REPUBLIK VENEZUELA changed in BOLIVARISCHE REPUBLIK VENEZUELA
Official territory name (es) REPUBLICA DE VENEZUELA changed in REPUBLICA BOLIVARIANA DE VENEZUELA

891 YU YUGOSLAVIA
Official territory name (fr) REPUBLIQUE FEDERATIVE DE YOUGOSLAVIE changed in REPUBLIQUE FEDERALE DE YOUGOSLAVIE
Remark: No changes of official territory name (en, de, es)
Remark: Cf. 4.4 for further changes concerning 891 YUGOSLAVIA

Source: ISO 3166-1 Newsletter V-7 and DIN EN ISO 3166-1 Änderungsmitteilung II-11
174 KM COMOROS
Official territory name (en) ISLAMIC FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF THE COMOROS changed in UNION OF THE COMOROS
Official territory name (fr) REPUBLIQUE FEDERALE ISLAMIQUE DES COMORES changed in UNION DES COMORES
Official territory name (de) ISLAMISCHE BUNDESREPUBLIK KOMOREN changed in UNION DER KOMOREN
Official territory name (es) REPUBLICA FEDERAL ISLAMICA DE COMORES changed in UNION DE LAS COMORAS
 Territory name and Abbreviated territory name (es) COMORES changed in COMORAS

4.3 Addition of new territory: Timor-Leste

Source: ISO 3166-1 Newsletters V-5 and V6 and DIN EN ISO 3166-1 Änderungsmitteilung II-9 and II-15
TIS-N: 626
Exists as from: 20.05.2002
Exists until: 31.12.3999
Territory type: Country

TIS-A: TL
TIS-A-Ext: TLS
Valid as from: 20.05.2002
Valid until: 31.12.3999
Territory Name
en: TIMOR-LESTE
fr: TIMOR-LESTE
de: TIMOR-LESTE
es: TIMOR-LESTE

Abbreviated Territory Name
en: TIMOR-LESTE
fr: TIMOR-LESTE
de: TIMOR-LESTE
es: TIMOR-LESTE

Official Territory Name
en: DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF TIMOR-LESTE
fr: REPUBLIQUE DEMOCRATIQUE DU TIMOR-LESTE
de: DEMOKRATISCHE REPUBLIK TIMOR-LESTE
es: REPUBLICA DEMOCRATICA DEL TIMOR-LESTE

Territory hierarchy
626 TL TIMOR-LESTE belongs to 2133 2SE SOUTH EAST ASIA as from 20.05.2002 until 31.12.3999

4.4 Country TIS-N 891 Yugoslavia / Serbia and Montenegro

Source: ISO 3166-1 Newsletter V-8 and DIN EN ISO 3166-1 Änderungsmitteilung II-16
Present TIS-A (YU), TIS-A-Ext (YUG) and related names valid until 3 February 2003
Addition of new TIS-A (CS), TIS-A-Ext (SCG) and related names valid as from 4 February 2003 until 31.12.3999:

New Territory Name
en: SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO
fr: SERBIE-ET-MONTENEGRO
de: SERBIEN UND MONTENEGRO
es: SERBIA Y MONTENEGRO

New Abbreviated Territory Name (15 Characters)
en: SERBIA+MONTENE.
fr: SERBIE+MONTENE.
de: SERBIEN+MONTEN.
es: SERBIA+MONTENE.

New Official Territory Name
en: SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO
fr: SERBIE-ET-MONTENEGRO
de: SERBIEN UND MONTENEGRO
es: SERBIA Y MONTENEGRO

4.5 **New territories linked with European Union**

The following territory hierarchies have been added:

- 196 CY CYP CYPRUS belongs to 2123 2EN EUROPEAN UNION as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 203 CZ CZE CZECH REPUBLIC belongs to 2123 2EN EUROPEAN UNION as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 233 EE EST ESTONIA belongs to 2123 2EN EUROPEAN UNION as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 348 HU HUN HUNGARY belongs to 2123 2EN EUROPEAN UNION as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 428 LV LVA LATVIA belongs to 2123 2EN EUROPEAN UNION as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 440 LT LTU LITHUANIA belongs to 2123 2EN EUROPEAN UNION as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 470 MT MLT MALTA belongs to 2123 2EN EUROPEAN UNION as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 616 PL POL POLAND belongs to 2123 2EN EUROPEAN UNION as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 703 SK SVK SLOVAKIA belongs to 2123 2EN EUROPEAN UNION as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 705 SI SVN SLOVENIA belongs to 2123 2EN EUROPEAN UNION as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999

4.6 **New territories linked with European Economic Area**

The following territory hierarchies have been added:

- 196 CY CYP CYPRUS belongs to 2121 2EM EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 203 CZ CZE CZECH REPUBLIC belongs to 2121 2EM EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 233 EE EST ESTONIA belongs to 2121 2EM EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 348 HU HUN HUNGARY belongs to 2121 2EM EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 428 LV LVA LATVIA belongs to 2121 2EM EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 440 LT LTU LITHUANIA belongs to 2121 2EM EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 470 MT MLT MALTA belongs to 2121 2EM EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 616 PL POL POLAND belongs to 2121 2EM EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999
- 703 SK SVK SLOVAKIA belongs to 2121 2EM EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA as from 01.05.2004 until 31.12.3999

4.7 **Hier**

4.8 **archy Zimbabwe - Commonwealth**

Zimbabwe has terminated its membership of the Commonwealth with effect from 7 December 2003.
Source: Commonwealth Secretariat

The following territory hierarchy

716 ZW ZWE ZIMBABW belongs to 2115 2CF COMMONWEALTH AFRICAN TERRITORIES as from 01.01.1980 until 31.12.3999

has been changed as follows:

716 ZW ZWE ZIMBABWE belongs to 2115 2CF COMMONWEALTH AFRICAN TERRITORIES as from 01.01.1980 until 06.12.2003
5 Fifth TIS-edition (February 2007)

5.1 Addition of new territory: Montenegro

Source: ISO 3166-1 Newsletter V-12 and DIN EN ISO 3166-1 Änderungsmitleitung II-25
TIS-N: 499
Exists as from: 03.06.2006
Exists until: 31.12.3999
Territory type: Country

TIS-A: ME
TIS-A-Ext: MNE
Valid as from: 03.06.2006
Valid until: 31.12.3999

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499 ME MONTENEGRO belongs to 2108 2BA BALKANS as from 03.06.2006 until 31.12.3999.
499 ME MONTENEGRO belongs to 2122 2EC EUROPEAN CONTINENT as from 03.06.2006 until 31.12.3999.

5.2 Addition of new territory: Serbia

Source: ISO 3166-1 Newsletter V-12 and DIN EN ISO 3166-1 Änderungsmitleitung II-24
TIS-N: 688
Exists as from: 03.06.2006
Exists until: 31.12.3999
Territory type: Country

TIS-A: RS
TIS-A-Ext: SRB
Valid as from: 03.06.2006
Valid until: 31.12.3999

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688 RS SERBIA belongs to 2108 2BA BALKANS as from 03.06.2006 until 31.12.3999.
688 RS SERBIA belongs to 2122 2EC EUROPEAN CONTINENT as from 03.06.2006 until 31.12.3999.
5.3 Termination of Country TIS-N 891 Serbia and Montenegro

Source: ISO 3166-1 Newsletter V-12, ISO 3166-3 Newsletter I-4 and DIN EN ISO 3166-1 Änderungsmitteilung II-24 and 25
Territory TIS-N 891, name codes CS and SCG and hierarchies are valid until 02.06.2006.
Territory history: Successor countries per 03.06.2006 are TIS-N 499 (Montenegro) and TIS-N 688 (Serbia)

5.4 Changes of names of territories

380 IT ITALY
Official territory name (es) REPUBLICA ITALIANA added.

516 NA NAMIBIA
Abbreviated territory name (en) NAMIBIA (correction)

434 LY LIBYA
Territory name (es) JAMAHIRIYA ARABE LIBIA (correction)
Official territory name (es) JAMAHIRIYA ARABE LIBIA POPULAR Y SOCIALISTA (correction)
Abbreviated territory name (es) LIBIA (correction)

5.5 New territories linked with European Union

The following territory hierarchies have been added:
100 BG BGR BULGARIA belongs to 2123 2EN EUROPEAN UNION as from 01.01.2007 until 31.12.3999
642 RO ROU ROMANIA belongs to 2123 2EN EUROPEAN UNION as from 01.01.2007 until 31.12.3999

5.6 New territories linked with European Economic Area

The following territory hierarchies have been added:
100 BG BGR BULGARIA belongs to 2121 2EM EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA as from 01.01.2007 until 31.12.3999
642 RO ROU ROMANIA belongs to 2121 2EM EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA as from 01.01.2007 until 31.12.3999

5.7 Addition of new territory: New Caledonia

TIS-N: 540
Exists as from: 01.01.1000
Exists until: 31.12.3999
Territory type: Country

TIS-A: NC
TIS-A-Ext: NCL
Valid as from: 01.01.1000
Valid until: 31.12.3999
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Territory hierarchy
540 NC NEW CALEDONIA belongs to 2107 2AA AUSTRALASIA as from 01.01.1000 until 31.12.3999.

### 5.8 Amendment of remark: TIS-N 250 France

Reason: Addition of NEW CALEDONIA

**Old remark:** TIS-N 250 FRANCE IN THE MEANING OF THIS STANDARD DOES NOT INCLUDE FRENCH POLYNESIA. CF. ENTRY TIS-N 258 FRENCH POLYNESIA.

**New remark:** TIS-N 250 FRANCE IN THE MEANING OF THIS STANDARD DOES NOT INCLUDE FRENCH POLYNESIA AND NEW CALEDONIA. CF. ENTRIES TIS-N 258 FRENCH POLYNESIA AND TIS-N 540 NEW CALEDONIA.

### 6 Sixth TIS-edition (August 2009)

#### 6.1 Changes of names of territories

**068 BOLIVIA**
- Official territory name (en) PLURINATIONAL STATE OF BOLIVIA (change)
- Official territory name (fr) ETAT PLURINATIONAL DE BOLIVIE (change)
- Official territory name (es) ESTADO PLURINACIONAL DE BOLIVIA (change)
- Official territory name (de) PLURINATIONALER STAAT BOLIVIEN (change)

**499 MONTENEGRO**
- Official territory name (en) MONTENEGRO (change)
- Official territory name (fr) MONTENEGRO (change)
- Official territory name (es) MONTENEGRO (change)
- Official territory name (de) MONTENEGRO (change)

**524 NEPAL**
- Official territory name (en) FEDERAL DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF NEPAL (change)
- Official territory name (fr) REPUBLIQUE FEDERALE DEMOCRATIQUE DU NEPAL (change)
- Official territory name (es) REPUBLICA DEMOCRATICA FEDERAL DE NEPAL (change)
- Official territory name (de) DEMOKRATISCHE BUNDESREPUBLIK NEPAL (change)

#### 6.2 Georgia and GUS

The following territory hierarchy has been changed:
7 Seventh TIS-edition (December 2011)

7.1 Addition of new territory: SOUTH SUDAN

Source: ISO 3166-1 Newsletter VI-10 and DIN EN ISO 3166-1 Änderungsmeldung III-14
TIS-N: 728
Exists as from: 09.07.2011
Exists until: 31.12.3999
Territory type: Country

TIS-A: SS
TIS-A-Ext: SSD
Valid as from: 09.07.2011
Valid until: 31.12.3999

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728 SS SOUTH SUDAN belongs to 2100 2AF AFRICA as from 09.07.2011 until 31.12.3999.

7.2 Addition of new territory: SUDAN

Source: ISO 3166-1 Newsletter VI-10 and DIN EN ISO 3166-1 Änderungsmeldung III-14
TIS-N: 729
Exists as from: 09.07.2011
Exists until: 31.12.3999
Territory type: Country

TIS-A: SD
TIS-A-Ext: SDN
Valid as from: 09.07.2011
Valid until: 31.12.3999

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729 SD SUDAN belongs to 2100 2AF AFRICA as from 09.07.2011 until 31.12.3999.

7.3 Termination of Country TIS-N 736 SUDAN

Source: ISO 3166-1 Newsletter VI-10 and DIN EN ISO 3166-1 Änderungsmiteilung III-14
Territory TIS-N 736, name codes SD and SDN and hierarchies are valid until 08.07.2011.
Territory history: Successor countries per 09.07.2011 are TIS-N 728 (SOUTH SUDAN) and TIS-N 729 (SUDAN)

7.4 Changes of names of territories

434 LIBYA
Official territory name (en) LIBYA (change)
Official territory name (fr) LIBYE (change)
Official territory name (es) LIBIA (change)
Official territory name (de) LIBYEN (change)

8 EIGHTH TIS-edition (January 2015)

8.1 Changes of names of territories

Source: DIN EN ISO 3166-1 Änderungsmiteilung III-13 and ISO 3166-1 NEWSLETTER VI-9

104 MYANMAR
Official territory name (en) REPUBLIC OF THE UNION OF MYANMAR (change)
Official territory name (fr) REPUBLIQUE DE L’UNION DU MYANMAR (change)
Official territory name (es) REPUBLICA DE LA UNION DE MYANMAR (change)
Official territory name (de) REPUBLIK DER UNION MYANMAR (change)

242 FIJI
Official territory name (en) REPUBLIC OF FIJI (change)
Official territory name (fr) REPUBLIQUE DES FIDJI (change)
Official territory name (es) REPUBLICA DE FIJI (change)
Official territory name (de) REPUBLIK FIDSCHI (change)

Source: DIN EN ISO 3166-1 Änderungsmiteilung III-16 and ISO 3166-1 NEWSLETTER VI-12

348 HUNGARY
Official territory name (en) HUNGARY (change)
Official territory name (fr) HONGRIE (change)
Official territory name (es) HUNGRIA (change)
Official territory name (de) UNGARN (change)

8.2 New territory linked with European Union

The following territory hierarchy has been added:
191 HR HRV CROATIA belongs to 2123 2EN EUROPEAN UNION as from 01.07.2013 until 31.12.3999
8.3 Addition of the new territory: Macau

Source: ISO 3166-1 Newsletter No. V-4
TIS-N: 446
Exists as from: 20.12.1999
Exists until: 31.12.3999
 Territory type: Country

TIS-A: MO
TIS-A-Ext: MAC
Valid as from: 20.12.1999
Valid until: 31.12.3999

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Territory hierarchy
446 MO MACAU belongs to 2104 2AP APEC COUNTRIES as from 20.12.1999 until 31.12.3999.
446 MO MACAU belongs to 2106 2AS ASIA as from 20.12.1999 until 31.12.3999.