



Administrative Areas

Annexes



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Annex A Short overview of the VG data structure

This overview applies to all VG products. Not all attributes and values are found in all VG products.

A.1 Attribute

Geometry	AT table	IBZ table	Attribute	Meaning
Lines				
E K			AGZ	Type of boundary
E K			RDG	Legal definition of the boundary section
E K			GM5	Boundary feature of the AGZ 5
E K			DEBKG_ID **	DLM identifier
Areas				
E	X		ADE	Administrative level
E K			GF	Geofactor
E K			BSG	Particular areas
E K	X		ARS	Territorial code
E	X		AGS	Official Municipality Key
E	X		SDV_ARS	Seat of the administration (territorial code)
E	X		GEN	Geographical name
E		X	BEZ	Designation of the administrative unit
E	X	X	IBZ	Identifier
E		X	BEM	Note
E	X		NBD	Name generation
E	X		SN_L	Land (state)
E	X		SN_R	Administrative district
E	X		SN_K	District
E	X		SN_V1	Administrative association – front part
E	X		SN_V2	Administrative association – rear part
E	X		SN_G	Municipality
E	X		FK_S3	Function of the 3 rd key digit
E	X		NUTS	European statistics key
E	X		ARS_0	Filled territorial code
E	X		AGS_0	Filled Official Municipality Key
E	X		WSK	Effectiveness
		X	ISS	Identifier of the substructure
		X	LGS	Length of the key
		X	AWS	Number of digits to be omitted
E	X		EWZ *	Population
E	X		KFL *	Cadastral area
E	X		DEBKG_ID **	DLM identifier
Points ***				
E K			LON_DEZ	Geographic Longitude (Decimal Degrees)
E K			LAT_DEZ	Geographic Latitude (Decimal Degrees)
E K			LON_GMS	Geographic Longitude (Degrees/Minutes/Seconds)
E K			LAT_GMS	Geographic Latitude (Degrees/Minutes/Seconds)
E K			DEBKG_ID	DLM identifier

E: Specification Levels

K: Specification Compact

* EWZ: exclusively with VG250-EW / VG1000-EW

** DEBKG_ID: VG250 / VG1000 and VG250-EW / VG1000-EW

*** exclusively with VG250 / VG250-EW (geographic coordinates in WGS84)

A.2 Values

Attribute	Value	Meaning
AGZ	1	National border
	2	Land (state) border
	3	Boundary of an administrative district
	4	Boundary of a district
	5	Boundary of an administrative association
	6	Boundary of a municipality
	9	Coastline
RDG	1	Defined
	2	Not defined
	9	Coastline
GM5	0	Boundary feature according to AGZ
	8	Boundary not limiting an administrative association
ADE	1	Country
	2	Land (state)
	3	Administrative district
	4	District
	5	Administrative association
	6	Municipality
GF	1	Waters without structure
	2	Waters with structure
	3	Land without structure
	4	Land with structure
	8	Without structure
	9	With structure
BSG	1	Germany
	2	Common German-Luxembourgish territory
	9	Lake Constance
NBD	ja	Designation forming part of the name
	nein	Designation not forming part of the name
FK_S3	R	Administrative district
	K	District
	D	Condominium

The meaning of the values in the IBZ field is described in **Annex B**.

Annex B Overview of the designations (BEZ and IBZ)

The table contains an overview of the designations (BEZ) appearing in the VG products and the associated IBZ identifiers. Not all values are found in all VG products.

ADE	IBZ	BEZ	BEM	LGS
1	10 19	Federal Republic of Germany Condominium		0
2	20 21 22 23 29	Land (state) Free state Free and Hanseatic City Free Hanseatic City Condominium		2
3	30	Administrative district		3
4	40 41 42 43 45 46 49	Independent city City borough District Rural district Rural district District Condominium	special association special association	5
5	50 51 52 53 55 56 59	Supra-municipality Joint community Association of municipalities Association of administrations Administrative cooperation Performing municipality Condominium		9
	80 81 82 83 85 86 87 88 89	Independent municipality Uniform municipality Municipality not adhering to a cooperation Municipality not adhering to an association Independent municipality Uniform municipality Municipality not adhering to a cooperation Municipality not adhering to an association Condominium	independent independent independent independent not adhering to an association not adhering to an association not adhering to an association not adhering to an association not adhering to an association	
	60 61 62 63 64 65 69	City City Municipality City Municipality Unincorporated area Condominium	independent adhering to an association adhering to an association	

ADE: administrative level

BEM: note

LGS: length of the territorial code

Annex C Hints on not mutually agreed boundary sections

For some boundary sections at the national and Land (state) levels there exists no mutually agreed definition of the respective boundary. The corresponding sections have been marked at the line geometry by the attribute value RDG 2 (boundary legally not defined):

As a rule, these boundary lines have the function of a technical delimitation.

C.1 National border

C.1.1 North and Baltic Seas

The national border of the North and Baltic Seas corresponds to the “Announcement of the Proclamation by the Federal Government to expand the German territorial sea on 11 November, 1994 (BGBl. I S. 3428) (Federal Law Gazette I, p. 3428)”.

Excerpt: *“North Sea ... The Federal Government will decide at a later date on the lateral delimitation of the territorial sea to the Kingdom of the Netherlands and the Kingdom of Denmark. The rules provided for by Annex B § 1 of the Treaty between the Federal Republic of Germany and the Kingdom of the Netherlands on the arrangements for cooperation in the area of the Ems-Dollart Estuary (Ems-Dollart Agreement) of 8 April, 1960 (BGBl. 1963 II p. 602) shall remain unaffected.*

“Baltic Sea ... The Federal Government will decide at a later date on the lateral delimitation of the territorial sea to the Kingdom of the Netherlands and the Kingdom of Denmark. The lateral delimitation to the Republic of Poland corresponds to the Treaty of November 14, 1990 between the Federal Republic of Germany and the Republic of Poland on the confirmation of the existing Polish-German state border (BGBl. 1991 II p. 1328).

The enlargement made by this proclamation remains behind the permissible internationally lawful distance of twelve nautical miles. This entails no abandonment of further legal claims“.

The German opinion on the delimitation is presented in the VG products.

C.1.2 Lake Constance

Between the riparian states of Germany (Bavaria and Baden-Württemberg), Austria and Switzerland no treaties exist on the course of national borders in the area of Lake Constance (Hoher See between Bregenz and Konstanz). For technical reasons (polygons need a closed perimeter) the representation of a border line in Lake Constance is required, that is, the border line represented in Lake Constance is a fictitious border, from which no claims can be derived. Within Lake Constance no subordinate boundaries are represented given that in Germany there exists no administrative structure in the lake area.

The particular status of this area is marked by the attribute BSG 9.

For Lake Untersee as part of Lake Constance the legal definition of the border between the riparian states Germany and Switzerland is uncontroversial. Thus, the German part of Lake Untersee is represented as state territory and water area of the Land Baden-Württemberg. However, there exist no further subordinate administrative units (administrative district to municipality) in the Lake Untersee area.

C.2 State borders

C.2.1 *Niedersachsen and Bremen*

In the area of the Weser estuary (Bremerhaven region) the state of Bremen sees the state border at the place where the low-water mark was at the time of the 1876 state treaty. For the border line in question the state of Niedersachsen establishes proof of the state border according to the Low Water tidal mark of 1965.

In the data of the VG-products the point of view of Bremen is reflected. In the Basis-DLM and therefore in the product VG25 the point of view of Niedersachsen is reflected.

C.2.2 *Niedersachsen and Mecklenburg-Vorpommern*

For the course of the border in the river Elbe there exists still no valid agreement between the two states. This concerns the border to the southeast of Dönitz to the end of the common state border to the southeast of Dönitz, exclusively the area of the municipality of Amt Neuhaus.

In the VG products the border is represented in the middle of the Elbe.

C.2.3 *Niedersachsen and Brandenburg*

For the course of the border in the river Elbe there exists still no valid agreement between the two states. In this case, the border to the southeast of Dönitz to the end of the common state border is concerned.

In the VG products the border is represented in the middle of the Elbe.

C.2.4 *Niedersachsen and Sachsen-Anhalt*

This concerns the course of the common border within the ca. 1.5 km-long southern border section of the Warne Bode. For this area there exists no state treaty on the common border. The parcel boundaries in the aforementioned area of the state border were agreed between the surveying authorities of Lower Saxony and Saxony-Anhalt and are represented consistently in the real estate registers of both countries.

In the VG products the border is represented analogously to the Basis-DLM according to the course of the parcel boundaries in the real estate register as agreed between the both states.

* This concerns the demarcation line which – in the former district of Blankenburg (Freistaat Braunschweig) – between the former British and Soviet occupation zones was drawn in 1945 (to the west of the local centre Sorge of the municipality of Oberharz am Brocken – within the area of the federal road No. 242 and to the north of the latter).

C.2.5 *Niedersachsen and Schleswig-Holstein*

This concerns the boundary between the municipalities of Krummendeich (Niedersachsen) and Sankt Margarethen (Schleswig-Holstein) in the Elbe. The course of the border between the two states has until today been represented inconsistently in the real estate registers both of the cadastral offices of Stade (NI) and Elmshorn (SH). The resulting surface of the area designated by both offices as belonging to their administrative districts and thus to the respective state areas is entirely located in the navigable water of the river Elbe.

In the VG products the opinion of the state Schleswig-Holstein is analogously represented.

C.2.6 *North and Baltic Seas*

Apart from a few exceptions, the state borders within the North and Baltic Seas have not been established on the basis of Treaties between the Länder concerned. These demarcations are of a technical nature.

C.2.7 *Lake Constance*

The demarcation between Bayern Baden-Württemberg in Lake Constance constitutes a technical border analogously to the state border.

Annex D Unincorporated areas in Bayern

In Bayern the unincorporated areas can be summarized in statistical directories per districts, as a rule. In the VG products these areas are contained individually. The table below includes a comparison of the single unincorporated areas with the areas summarized by districts. The table also comprises besides the name, the territorial code (RS) and the Official Municipality Key of the respective municipality level (ADE 6). This table applies analogously to the level of the administrative associations with a shortened RS.

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Unincorporated areas (individually)			Areas summarized by districts			Number
RS	AGS	Areas	RS	AGS	Name	Areas
091729452452	09172452	Eck	091729444444	09172444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Berchtesgadener Land)	2
091729454454	09172454	Schellenberger Forst				
091739451451	09173451	Pupplinger Au	091739444444	09173444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Bad Tölz-Wolfratshausen)	2
091739452452	09173452	Wolfratshauser Forst				
091759451451	09175451	Anzinger Forst	091759444444	09175444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Ebersberg)	3
091759452452	09175452	Ebersberger Forst				
091759453453	09175453	Eglhartinger Forst				
091769451451	09176451	Haunstetter Forst	091769444444	09176444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Eichstätt)	1
091809451451	09180451	Ettaler Forst	091809444444	09180444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Garmisch-Partenkirchen)	1
091819451451	09181451	Ammersee	091819444444	09181444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Landsberg am Lech)	1
091839451451	09183451	Mühdorfer Hart	091839444444	09183444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Mühlhof a. Inn)	1
091849452452	09184452	Forstenrieder Park	091849444444	09184444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. München)	3
091849454454	09184454	Grünwalder Forst				
091849457457	09184457	Perlacher Forst				
091879451451	09187451	Rotter Forst-Nord	091879444444	09187444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Rosenheim)	2
091879452452	09187452	Rotter Forst-Süd				
091889451451	09188451	Starnberger See	091889444444	09188444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Starnberg)	1
091899451451	09189451	Chiemsee (See)	091899444444	09189444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Traunstein)	2
091899452452	09189452	Waginger See				
092729451451	09272451	Annathaler Wald	092729444444	09272444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Freyung-Grafenau)	11
092729452452	09272452	Frauenberger und Duschlberger Wald				
092729453453	09272453	Graineter Wald				
092729455455	09272455	Leopoldsreuter Wald				
092729456456	09272456	Mauther Forst				
092729457457	09272457	Philippsreuter Wald				
092729458458	09272458	Pleckensteiner Wald				
092729459459	09272459	Sankt Oswald				
092729460460	09272460	Schlichtenberger Wald				
092729461461	09272461	Schönbrunner Wald				
092729463463	09272463	Waldhäuserwald				
092739451451	09273451	Dürnbucher Forst	092739444444	09273444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Kelheim)	4
092739452452	09273452	Frauenforst				
092739453453	09273453	Hacklberg				
092739454454	09273454	Hienheimer Forst				
093719452452	09371452	Eichen	093719444444	09371444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Amberg-Weizbach)	1
093749451451	09374451	Heinersreuther Forst	093749444444	09374444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Neustadt a.d. Waldnaab)	3
093749452452	09374452	Manteler Forst				
093749458458	09374458	Speinsharter Forst				
093759451451	09375451	Forstmühler Forst	093759444444	09375444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Regensburg)	2
093759452452	09375452	Kreuther Forst				
093769455455	09376455	Wolferlohe	093769444444	09376444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Schwandorf)	1
094719452452	09471452	Ebracher Forst	094719444444	09471444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Bamberg)	10
094719453453	09471453	Eichwald				
094719454454	09471454	Geisberger Forst				
094719455455	09471455	Hauptsmoor				
094719456456	09471456	Koppenwinder Forst				
094719457457	09471457	Lindach				
094719459459	09471459	Semberg				
094719460460	09471460	Steinachsangen				
094719461461	09471461	Winkelhofer Forst				
094719462462	09471462	Zückshuter Forst				

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RS	AGS	Name	RS	AGS	Name	
094729451451	09472451	Bischofsgrüner Forst	094729444444	09472444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Bayreuth)	13
094729453453	09472453	Fichtelberg				
094729454454	09472454	Forst Neustädtlein a. Forst				
094729456456	09472456	Glashüttener Forst				
094729458458	09472458	Heinersreuther Forst				
094729459459	09472459	Langweiler Wald				
094729460460	09472460	Lindenhardter Forst-Nordwest				
094729461461	09472461	Lindenhardter Forst-Südost				
094729463463	09472463	Neubauer Forst-Nord				
094729464464	09472464	Prüll				
094729468468	09472468	Veldensteiner Forst				
094729469469	09472469	Waidacher Forst				
094729470470	09472470	Warmensteinacher Forst-Nord	094739444444	09473444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Coburg)	3
094739452452	09473452	Callenberger Forst-West				
094739453453	09473453	Gellnhausen				
094739454454	09473454	Köllnholz	094759444444	09475444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Hof)	4
094759451451	09475451	Forst Schwarzenbach a. Wald				
094759452452	09475452	Gerlaser Forst				
094759453453	09475453	Geroldsgreiner Forst				
094759454454	09475454	Martinlamitzer Forst-Nord	094769444444	09476444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Kronach)	2
094769451451	09476451	Birnbaum				
094769453453	09476453	Langenbacher Forst	094789444444	09478444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Lichtenfels)	2
094789451451	09478451	Breitengüßbacher Forst				
094789453453	09478453	Neuensorger Forst	094799444444	09479444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Wunsiedel i. Fichtelgebirge)	9
094799453453	09479453	Kaiserhammer Forst-Ost				
094799455455	09479455	Martinlamitzer Forst-Süd				
094799456456	09479456	Meierhöfer Seite				
094799457457	09479457	Neubauer Forst-Süd				
094799459459	09479459	Tröstauer Forst-Ost				
094799460460	09479460	Tröstauer Forst-West				
094799461461	09479461	Vordorfer Forst				
094799462462	09479462	Weißensstadter Forst-Nord				
094799463463	09479463	Weißensstadter Forst-Süd	095719444444	09571444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Ansbach)	1
095719451451	09571451	Unterer Wald				
095729451451	09572451	Birkach	095729444444	09572444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Erlangen-Höchstädt)	10
095729452452	09572452	Buckenhofer Forst				
095729453453	09572453	Dormitzer Forst				
095729454454	09572454	Erlenstegener Forst				
095729455455	09572455	Forst Tennenlohe				
095729456456	09572456	Gescheidt				
095729457457	09572457	Kalchreuther Forst				
095729458458	09572458	Kraftshofer Forst				
095729459459	09572459	Mark				
095729460460	09572460	Neunhofer Forst	095749444444	09574444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Nürnberger Land)	14
095749451451	09574451	Behringersdorfer Forst				
095749452452	09574452	Brunn				
095749453453	09574453	Engelthaler Forst				
095749454454	09574454	Feuchter Forst				
095749455455	09574455	Fischbach				
095749456456	09574456	Forsthof				
095749457457	09574457	Günthersbühler Forst				
095749458458	09574458	Haimendorfer Forst				
095749460460	09574460	Laufamholzer Forst				
095749461461	09574461	Leinburg				
095749462462	09574462	Rückersdorfer Forst				
095749463463	09574463	Schönberg	095759444444	09575444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Neustadt a.d. Aisch-Bad Windsheim)	1
095749464464	09574464	Winkelhaid				
095749465465	09574465	Zerzabelshofer Forst				
095759451451	09575451	Osing				
095769451451	09576451	Abenberger Wald	095769444444	09576444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Roth)	5
095769452452	09576452	Dechenwald				
095769453453	09576453	Forst Kleinschwarzenlohe				
095769454454	09576454	Heidenberg				
095769455455	09576455	Soos				

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096729451451 096729454454 096729455455 096729456456 096729457457 096729458458 096729461461 096729462462 096729463463 096729464464 096729465465 096729466466 096729468468	09672451 09672454 09672455 09672456 09672457 09672458 09672461 09672462 09672463 09672464 09672465 09672466 09672468	Dreistelzer Forst Forst Detter-Süd Geiersnest-Ost Geiersnest-West Großer Auersberg Kälberberg Mottener Forst-Süd Neuwirtshauser Forst Omerz u. Roter Berg Römershager Forst-Nord Römershager Forst-Ost Roßbacher Forst Waldfensterer Forst	096729444444	09672444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Bad Kissingen)	13
096739451451 096739452452 096739453453 096739454454 096739455455 096739456456 096739457457 096739458458	09673451 09673452 09673453 09673454 09673455 09673456 09673457 09673458	Bundorfer Forst Burgwallbacher Forst Forst Schmalwasser-Nord Forst Schmalwasser-Süd Mellrichstadter Forst Steinacher Forst r.d. Saale Sulzfelder Forst Weigler	096739444444	09673444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Rhön-Grabfeld)	8
096769452452 096769455455	09676452 09676455	Forstwald Hohe Wart	096769444444	09676444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Miltenberg)	2
096779452452 096779453453 096779454454 096779455455 096779456456 096779457457 096779458458 096779459459 096779461461 096779463463	09677452 09677453 09677454 09677455 09677456 09677457 09677458 09677459 09677461 09677463	Burgloß Forst Aura Forst Lohrerstraße Frammersbacher Forst Fürstl. Löwenstein'scher Park Haurain Herrnwald Langenprozellener Forst Partensteiner Forst Ruppertshüttener Forst	096779444444	09677444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Main-Spessart)	10
096789451451 096789452452 096789453453 096789454454 096789455455 096789456456 096789457457	09678451 09678452 09678453 09678454 09678455 09678456 09678457	Bürgerwald Geiersberg Hundelshausen Nonnenkloster Stollbergerforst Vollburg Wustvieler Forst	096789444444	09678444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Schweinfurt)	7
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097749451451 097749452452	09774451 09774452	Ebershauser-Nattenhauser Wald Winzerwald	097749444444	09774444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Günzburg)	2
097759451451 097759452452 097759454454 097759455455	09775451 09775452 09775454 09775455	Auwald Oberroggenburger Wald Stoffenrieder Forst Unterroggenburger Wald	097759444444	09775444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Neu-Ulm)	4
097789451451	09778451	Ungerhauser Wald	097789444444	09778444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Unterallgäu)	1
097799452452 097799453453	09779452 09779453	Dornstadt-Linkersbaindt Esterholz	097799444444	09779444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Donau-Ries)	2
097809451451	09780451	Kempter Wald	097809444444	09780444	Gdefr. Geb. (Lkr. Oberallgäu)	1

Annex E German-Luxembourgish territory

The common territory has not been assigned to a municipality, administrative association nor to a district. Analogous to the directory of communal districts all levels have been compiled in full, with the exception of the administrative district level. In the table below the adjoining administrative units of the German side are indicated in brackets in the name field for the purpose of information.

In the two federal states concerned Rheinland-Pfalz and Saarland, the 3rd digit with the value 9 of the RS and the AGS, respectively, serves to identify the common territory and represents no administrative district.

As a rule, the Common German-Luxembourgish Territory has in the Rheinland-Pfalz area been summarized in statistical directories under the territorial key 07 0 00 9999 999 and the Official Municipality Key 07 0 00 999. The Saarland area is in statistical directories often presented under the territorial key 10 0 42 9999 999 respectively under the municipality of Perl.

Common German-Luxembourgish territory:

Status: 01.01.2019

ADE	RS	AGS	SDV_RS	GEN	IBZ
1	000000000000	00000000	110000000000	Gemeinschaftliches deutsch-luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet	19
2	07	07	073150000000	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet (Rheinland-Pfalz)	29
2	10	10	100410100100	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet (Saarland)	29
4	07932	07932	072320018018	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Eifel, Bitburg-Prüm]	49
4	07935	07935	072110000000	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Lkr. Trier-Saarburg]	49
4	10942	10942	100420113113	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Lkr. Merzig-Wadern]	49
5	079325001	-----	072325001201	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Vg. Arzfeld]	59
5	079325005	-----	072325005088	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Vg. Südeifel]	59
5	079355003	-----	072355003068	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Vg. Konz]	59
5	079355007	-----	072110000000	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Vg. Trier-Land]	59
5	079355008	-----	072355008118	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Vg. Saarburg-Kell]	59
5	109420115	-----	100420115115	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Perl]	89
6	079325001212	07932212	072325001212	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Dahnen]	69
6	079325001214	07932214	072325001214	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Dasburg]	69
6	079325001294	07932294	072325001294	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Preischeld]	69
6	079325001310	07932310	072325001310	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Sevenig (Our)]	69
6	079325005001	07932001	072325005001	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Affler]	69
6	079325005004	07932004	072325005004	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Ammeldingen a.d. Our]	69
6	079325005019	07932019	072325005019	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Bollendorf]	69
6	079325005028	07932028	072325005028	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Echternacherbrück]	69
6	079325005041	07932041	072325005041	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Gemünd]	69
6	079325005042	07932042	072325005042	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Gentingen]	69
6	079325005066	07932066	072325005066	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Keppeshausen]	69
6	079325005082	07932082	072325005082	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Minden]	69
6	079325005112	07932112	072325005112	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Roth an der Our]	69
6	079325005127	07932127	072325005127	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Übereisenbach]	69
6	079325005130	07932130	072325005130	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Waldhof-Falkenstein]	69
6	079325005131	07932131	072325005131	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Wallendorf]	69
6	079355003095	07935095	072355003095	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Nittel]	69
6	079355003096	07935096	072355003096	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Oberbillig]	69
6	079355003133	07935133	072355003133	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Tommels]	69
6	079355003146	07935146	072355003146	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Wellen]	69
6	079355007073	07935073	072355007073	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Langsur]	69
6	079355007111	07935111	072355007111	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Ralingen]	69
6	079355008104	07935104	072355008104	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Palzem]	69
6	079355008149	07935149	072355008149	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Wincheringen]	69
6	109420115115	10942115	100420115115	Deutsch-Luxemburgisches Hoheitsgebiet [Perl]	69

Annex F NUTS

European statistics key

Prepared NUTS regions are found in the NUTS250, NUTS1000 and NUTS2525 products (see www.geodatenzentrum.de → Open Data → Administrative areas (VG) or Verwaltungsgebiete).

F.1 General

The NUTS Code (Nomenclature des unités territoriales statistiques) represents the “European nomenclature of statistical territorial units” of the Statistical office of the European Union (EUROSTAT) according to Regulation (EC) No. 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of May 26, 2003 in its latest version. The relevant data have been extracted from the product EuroBoundaryMap of EuroGeographics.

The NUTS regions are hierarchically structured, divided into three levels and oriented towards the administrative units in Germany with few exceptions. There are deviations on the NUTS 2 level. In the current version of the above-mentioned regulation for Germany, the former administrative districts of the federal states Niedersachsen, Rheinland-Pfalz and Sachsen are shown in addition to the current administrative districts. These non-administrative regions are not included in the administrative district level. However, they can be derived from the district level. Prepared NUTS regions are included in the above NUTS products.

The NUTS code, which is also structured hierarchically, totals 5 digits, the first 2 digits always identifying the state (for Germany “DE”). The first 3 digits identify the NUTS 1 level, the first 4 digits identify the NUTS 2 level and finally the 5-digit NUTS code identify the NUTS 3 level. Digits not occupied are marked as 0 (zero).

It should be noted that any national territorial reforms will be incorporated into the NUTS structure only with the next revision of the regulation. This means in particular that the consistency between the NUTS 3 classification and the administrative level of the district in Germany is reliable only at the beginning of the validity of a new version of the NUTS regulation (see **Annex F.2**).

Under consideration of the above mentioned exceptions, the following structure is thus obtained:

1. – 2. digit	=	NUTS 0	identifier of the state (country) – for Germany: DE
3. digit	=	NUTS 1	in Germany: identifier of the Land (federal state)
4. digit	=	NUTS 2	in Germany: identifier of the administrative district
5. digit	=	NUTS 3	in Germany: identifier of the Kreis (district)

At the level of the administrative associations and municipalities the respective NUTS-3 Code has been inserted under NUTS. For the other levels, the corresponding NUTS level is included In each case.

F.2 Special notes

The NUTS structures are defined for a period of at least three years according to the above-mentioned regulation. Therefore, not all boundary modifications of the German administrative structure can be considered in the NUTS structure topically. Until now an intermediate modification has been renounced due to a considerable reorganization in accordance with Article 5 (4) of the Regulation.

The new version NUTS 2016 applies since January 01, 2018.

F.3 Small subordinate administrative units (LAU)

Through the Statistical office of the European Union (EUROSTAT) a “system of local administrative units” (Local Administrative Units) was established for the smaller administrative units. This LAU code has existed since 2017 and is geared to the respective national key systems.

The LAU code is for Germany based on the municipalities.

LAU = in Germany: identifier of the municipalities

For the LAU code the Official Municipality Key (AGS) of the municipalities is used.

F.3.1 Particularities of the LAU code

For the unincorporated areas in Bayern the AGS is shown as LAU-2 code of the unincorporated areas respectively summarized by districts (see **Annex D**).

Annex G Version history of the VG products

31.12.2019 In 2019, the previous Territorial key - RS was renamed into ARS in official statistics. The previous attributes RS, SDV_RS and RS_0 are changed analogously and are now called ARS, SDV_ARS and ARS_0.

In the issues of December 31, 2019 and January 1, 2020, the old attribute names will also be used temporarily.

31.12.2016 The new separate products NUTS250, NUTS1000 and NUTS2500 include the NUTS regions in Germany. They are derived from the VG250, VG1000 and VG2500.

An overview of the administrative assignment is given by the new separate product VZ250. This was derived from the VG250 and the NUTS250.

New attribute KFL with the Cadastral area from the area statistics (only VG250-EW and VG1000-EW).

31.12.2015 VG250: new object class: Points, which represent the heart of the municipalities.

31.12.2013 With the edition of December 31, 2013 the data structure of the VG products was completely revised. The following changes were made.

Changes of the data objects (see item 4)

Specification Compact

Renaming of table ISN into table IBZ

Renaming and breakdown of table NAM into tables AT1, AT2 and AT9

Specification Levels

Renaming of the area object BLD into LAN

Renaming of the line object L into LI

Changes of the attributes

New attributes

BSG, FK_S3, NUTS, AGS_0, LGS

Renamed attributes (see **Annex A.1**)

USE, LED, RAU_RS, DES, ISN, BEMERK, NAMBILD, SN_K2, RS_ALT, SHI, WIRKSAMKEIT

Attributes omitted

Since the key number fields SN_R and SN_K1 mark depending on their function the 3rd digit of the key, the values were newly integrated in the field SN_R. The function of the third decimal place is specified in the new field FK_S3. Accordingly, the field SN_K1 has been omitted and the field SN_K2 was renamed into SN_K

Changes of the attribute values (see Annex A.2)

Values changed

AGZ: new value 9 from the old USE value 99

Values omitted

ADE: USE values 11 and 12, replaced by ADE 1 and the new attribute BSG

Changed value descriptions

AGZ 2: new designation: state border (old attribute USE)

ADE 2: new designation: state (old attribute USE)

New values

GF: values 8 and 9

IBZ: values 19, 29, 49, 59, 89, 69 (old attribute ISN)

The unincorporated areas in Schleswig-Holstein are dealt with as unincorporated areas for reasons of key structuring (see **item 2.3.1**).

Character coding is performed in Unicode UTF-8