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PURPOSE OF THIS BULLETIN

Changes in the political geography of various parts of the world necessitate a publication that provides the latest information on the names of countries, administrative divisions and other significant geographic features. The U.S. Board on Geographic Names (US BGN) publishes the *Foreign Names Information Bulletin* to fill this need. The US BGN Foreign Names Committee Staff at the National Imagery and Mapping Agency prepares and issues the Bulletin on a quarterly basis, or as needed.

This thirty-fourth bulletin provides former names and new names of major features approved by the US BGN since the issuance of the thirty-third bulletin in March 2003.

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- The four-character Federal Information Processing Standard 10 (FIPS 10 "Countries, Dependencies, Areas of Special Sovereignty, and their Principal Administrative Divisions") code follows entries for country names and names of first-order administrative divisions. The code in the Former Name column is the heretofore-active code for the entity; FIPS 10 code changes are reflected in the New Name column.

DESIGNATION CODES AND DESIGNATIONS

ADM1	first-order administrative division (for example, a province)
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<i>Former Name</i>	<i>New Name</i>
1. BENIN	
None	Alibori , Département de l': ADM1 11°20'N 2°55'E (BN07)
Atakora , Province de l': ADM1 10°00'N 1°35'E (BN01)	Atakora , Département de l': ADM1 10°45'N 1°40'E (BN08)
Atlantique , Province de l': ADM1 6°35'N 2°15'E (BN02)	Atlantique , Département de l': ADM1 6°40'N 2°15'E (BN09)
Borgou , Province du: ADM1 10°30'N 2°50'E (BN03)	Borgou , Département du: ADM1 9°45'N 2°45'E (BN10)
None	Collines , Département des: ADM1 8°00'N 2°10'E (BN11)
None	Donga , Département de la: ADM1 9°10'N 1°50'E (BN13)
None	Kouffo , Département du: ADM1 7°05'N 1°50'E (BN12)
None	Littoral , Département du: ADM1 6°22'N 2°25'E (BN14)
Mono , Province du: ADM1 6°45'N 1°50'E (BN04)	Mono , Département du: ADM1 6°35'N 1°50'E (BN15)
Ouémé , Province de l': ADM1 7°00'N 2°35'E (BN05)	Ouémé , Département de l': ADM1 6°40'N 2°30'E (BN16)
None	Plateau , Département du: ADM1 7°10'N 2°35'E (BN17)
Zou , Province du: ADM1 8°00'N 2°15'E (BN06)	Zou , Département du: ADM1 7°15'N 2°10'E (BN18)

*Former Name**New Name*2. **BOTSWANA****Chobe** District:

ADM1 18°30'S 25°00'E (BC02)

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Ngamiland District:

ADM1 20°00'S 22°30'E (BC07)

North-West District:

ADM1 19°30'S 23°30'E (BC11)

3. **BURKINA FASO**

None

Balé, Province des:

ADM1 11°42'N 3°10'W (UV45)

None

Banwa, Province des:

ADM1 12°10'N 4°10'W (UV46)

Bazèga, Province du:

ADM1 12°00'N 1°25'W (UV16)

Bazèga, Province du:

ADM1 11°55'N 1°30'W (UV47)

Bougouriba, Province de la:

ADM1 11°05'N 3°10'W (UV17)

Bougouriba, Province de la:

ADM1 10°50'N 3°25'W (UV48)

Boulgou, Province du:

ADM1 11°30'N 0°20'W (UV18)

Boulgou, Province du:

ADM1 11°30'N 0°30'W (UV49)

Gourma, Province du:

ADM1 12°00'N 0°40'E (UV22)

Gourma, Province du:

ADM1 12°05'N 0°30'E (UV50)

Houé, Province du:

ADM1 11°20'N 4°00'W (UV23)

Houet, Province du:

ADM1 11°20'N 4°15'W (UV51)

None

Ioba, Province du:

ADM1 11°05'N 3°05'W (UV52)

Kadiogo, Province du:

ADM1 12°20'N 1°35'W (UV24)

Kadiogo, Province du:

ADM1 12°20'N 1°30'W (UV53)

<i>Former Name</i>	<i>New Name</i>
Kénédougou , Province du: ADM1 11°25'N 4°55'W (UV25)	Kénédougou , Province du: ADM1 11°25'N 5°00'W (UV54)
Komoé , Province de la: ADM1 10°25'N 4°30'W (UV26)	Comoé , Province de la: ADM1 10°20'N 4°25'W (UV55)
None	Komondjari , Province de la: ADM1 12°40'N 0°40'E (UV56)
None	Kompienga , Province de la: ADM1 11°25'N 0°55'E (UV57)
Kossi , Province de la: ADM1 12°30'N 4°00'W (UV27)	Kossi , Province de la: ADM1 12°55'N 3°50'W (UV58)
None	Koulpélogo , Province du: ADM1 11°25'N 0°10'E (UV59)
None	Kourwéogo , Province du: ADM1 12°35'N 1°48'W (UV60)
None	Léraba , Province de la: ADM1 10°40'N 5°12'W (UV61)
None	Loroum , Province du: ADM1 13°55'N 2°10'W (UV62)
Mouhoun , Province du: ADM1 12°10'N 3°20'W (UV29)	Mouhoun , Province du: ADM1 12°15'N 3°25'W (UV63)
Namentenga , Province du: ADM1 13°05'N 0°35'W (UV30)	Namentenga , Province du: ADM1 13°15'N 0°35'W (UV64)
Naouri , Province du: ADM1 11°15'N 1°10'W (UV31)	Nahouri , Province du: ADM1 11°15'N 1°15'W (UV65)

<i>Former Name</i>	<i>New Name</i>
None	Nayala , Province du: ADM1 12°40'N 3°00'W (UV66)
None	Noumbiel , Province du: ADM1 9°50'N 3°00'W (UV67)
Oubritenga , Province d': ADM1 12°40'N 1°30'W (UV32)	Oubritenga , Province d': ADM1 12°35'N 1°25'W (UV68)
Poni , Province du: ADM1 10°15'N 3°20'W (UV35)	Poni , Province du: ADM1 10°15'N 3°25'W (UV69)
Sanmatenga , Province du: ADM1 13°20'N 1°05'W (UV37)	Sanmatenga , Province du: ADM1 13°15'N 1°05'W (UV70)
Séno , Province du: ADM1 13°35'N 0°30'E (UV38)	Séno , Province du: ADM1 13°55'N 0°10'W (UV71)
Sissili , Province de la: ADM1 11°30'N 2°10'W (UV39)	Sissili , Province de la: ADM1 11°20'N 2°15'W (UV72)
Sourou , Province du: ADM1 13°00'N 3°00'W (UV41)	Sourou , Province du: ADM1 13°15'N 3°00'W (UV73)
None	Tuy , Province du: ADM1 11°25'N 3°25'W (UV74)
None	Yagha , Province du: ADM1 13°25'N 0°35'E (UV75)
Yatenga , Province du: ADM1 13°30'N 2°20'W (UV43)	Yatenga , Province du: ADM1 13°35'N 2°25'W (UV76)
None	Ziro , Province du: ADM1 11°35'N 1°55'W (UV77)

<i>Former Name</i>	<i>New Name</i>
None	Zondoma , Province du: ADM1 13°10'N 2°10'W (UV78)
4. <u>CAPE VERDE</u>	
Fogo , Concelho do: ADM1 14°55'N 24°25'W (CV03)	Delete
None	Mosteiros , Concelho dos: ADM1 15°00'N 24°21'W (CV13)
Praia , Concelho da: ADM1 15°02'N 23°32'W (CV06)	Praia , Concelho da: ADM1 14°57'N 23°37'W (CV14)
Santa Catarina , Concelho de: ADM1 15°03'N 23°43'W (CV09)	Santa Catarina , Concelho de: ADM1 15°06'N 23°42'W (CV15)
None	Santa Cruz , Concelho de: ADM1 15°06'N 23°34'W (CV16)
None	São Domingos , Concelho de: ADM1 15°01'N 23°32'W (CV17)
None	São Filipe , Concelho de: ADM1 14°55'N 24°24'W (CV18)
None	São Miguel , Concelho de: ADM1 15°12'N 23°39'W (CV19)
Tarrafal , Concelho do: ADM1 15°10'N 23°41'W (CV12)	Tarrafal , Concelho do: ADM1 15°15'N 23°44'W (CV20)
5. <u>MALI</u>	
Gao , Région de: ADM1 18°00'N 2°00'E (ML02)	Gao , Région de: ADM1 16°50'N 2°00'E (ML09)

<i>Former Name</i>	<i>New Name</i>
none	Kidal , Région de: ADM1 19°55'N 1°05'E (ML10)
6. <u>MONGOLIA</u>	
Darhan Uul Aymag: ADM1 49°30'00"N 106°30'00"E (MG23)	Darhan Uul Aymag: ADM1 49°25'00"N 106°20'00"E (MG23)
Selenge Aymag: ADM1 49°30'00"N 106°30'00"E (MG16)	Selenge Aymag: ADM1 49°40'00"N 106°25'00"E (MG16)
7. <u>UGANDA</u>	
Arua District: ADM1 3°10'N. 31°10'E. (UG27)	Arua District: ADM1 3°00'N. 31°10'E. (UG77)
Iganga District: ADM1 0°30'N. 33°40'E. (UG68)	Iganga District: ADM1 0°45'N. 33°35'E. (UG78)
Kabarole District: ADM1 0°30'N. 30°40'E. (UG35)	Kabarole District: ADM1 0°35'N. 30°15'E. (UG79)
None	Kaberamaido District: ADM1 1°50'N. 33°10'E. (UG80)
None	Kamwenge District: ADM1 0°10'N. 30°25'E. (UG81)
None	Kanungu District: ADM1 0°45'S. 29°42'E. (UG82)
None	Kayunga District: ADM1 1°00'N. 32°52'E. (UG83)
Kitgum District: ADM1 3°20'N. 33°05'E. (UG44)	Kitgum District: ADM1 3°30'N. 33°00'E. (UG84)

<i>Former Name</i>	<i>New Name</i>
None	Kyenjojo District: ADM1 0°30'N. 30°50'E. (UG85)
None	Mayuge District: ADM1 0°20'N. 33°30'E. (UG86)
Mbale District: ADM1 1°05'N. 34°20'E. (UG51)	Mbale District: ADM1 0°57'N. 34°20'E. (UG87)
Moroto District: ADM1 2°10'N. 34°35'E. (UG53)	Moroto District: ADM1 2°30'N. 34°15'E. (UG88)
Mpigi District: ADM1 0°10'N. 32°15'E. (UG55)	Mpigi District: ADM1 0°05'N. 32°00'E. (UG89)
Mukono District: ADM1 0°30'N. 32°55'E. (UG57)	Mukono District: ADM1 0°15'N. 32°55'E. (UG90)
None	Nakapiripirit District: ADM1 1°55'N. 34°40'E. (UG91)
None	Pader District: ADM1 2°50'N. 33°05'E. (UG92)
Rukungiri District: ADM1 0°45'S. 29°50'E. (UG62)	Rukungiri District: ADM1 0°45'S. 29°55'E. (UG93)
None	Sironko District: ADM1 1°15'N. 34°19'E. (UG94)
Soroti District: ADM1 1°40'N. 33°30'E. (UG75)	Soroti District: ADM1 1°35'N. 33°35'E. (UG95)
None	Wakiso District: ADM1 0°10'N. 32°30'E. (UG96)

<i>Former Name</i>	<i>New Name</i>
None	Yumbe District: ADM1 3°30'N. 31°20'E. (UG97)