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# 1. Introduction

## Scope

This document defines the content and format of European topographic and administrative reference data at global level of detail based on requirements set at the European level.

The product defined is referred to as EuroGlobalMap.

## Purpose

The purpose of these specifications is to provide a description of the content, accuracy, data format and design philosophy of EuroGlobalMap. Conformance to this specification will ensure uniformity among all mapping and cartographic agencies engaged in a co-coordinated production and maintenance program for the product range.

## Reference Documents

### Standards and Specifications

The following specifications and standards form a part of this document to the extent specified herein.

NIMA	United States Department of Defence MIL-V-8083 Vector Smart Map (VMAP) Level 1, 1 June 1995
DIGEST	The Digital Geographic Information Exchange Standard, Edition 2.1 September 2000, DGIWG.
EUROGEOGRAPHICS	PETIT Project: EUROMAP Product Specifications, Aug 99, REF: IMP/3035/WP6/MEG/004
EUROGEOGRAPHICS	EBM-ERM-EGM Comparison Report, edition 2.1, 30 Oct 2003

### Other Publications

The documents listed in this section have been used as a reference for concepts applicable in the specifications.

EUROGEOGRAPHICS	EuroBoundaryMap, Data Product Specification v12, 2018, <a href="https://eurogeographics.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/05/EBM_v12_Specification.pdf">https://eurogeographics.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/05/EBM_v12_Specification.pdf</a>
IUCN publication	Guidelines for Protected Area Management Categories, 2008 <a href="http://www.iucn.org/dbtw-wpd/edocs/PAPS-016.pdf">http://www.iucn.org/dbtw-wpd/edocs/PAPS-016.pdf</a>
EUROGEOGRAPHICS	EuroRegionalMap Specification and Data Catalogue for Data Production v11.1, 2018, <a href="https://eurogeographics.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/05/ERM_v11-1_DataSpecification.pdf">https://eurogeographics.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/05/ERM_v11-1_DataSpecification.pdf</a>
DFDD	DGIWG Feature and Attribute Data Registry, <a href="https://www.dgiwg.org/FAD/fdd/download.jsp?register=DFDD">https://www.dgiwg.org/FAD/fdd/download.jsp?register=DFDD</a>
ESDIN	Small and Medium Scale Data Specifications, <a href="http://www.esdin.eu/project/summary-esdin-project-public-deliverables#small">http://www.esdin.eu/project/summary-esdin-project-public-deliverables#small</a>
INSPIRE	INSPIRE Data Specifications, <a href="http://inspire.jrc.ec.europa.eu/index.cfm/pageid/2">http://inspire.jrc.ec.europa.eu/index.cfm/pageid/2</a>

## 2. General information

### EuroGlobalMap Concept

EuroGlobalMap is a pan-European seamless topographic database at global level of detail. EuroGlobalMap is a vector-based product and is designed to support GIS applications and background display.

The EGM Database is intended to be used in map scale 1:1,000,000. This means that the data content is suitable for a map where 1 cm on the map indicates 10 km on the ground. Features saved in the database as lines or areas are in many cases generalised. Details are reduced mainly by feature selection, line simplification methods or by amalgamation for areas.

### EuroGlobalMap Concept for Mandatory and Optional Data Content

The quality contract is to reach a seamless dataset where information indicated in the specifications is available for the whole Europe, harmonized and produced according to the portrayal criteria and quality criteria mentioned in the specifications. However it would be difficult to reach such a level of harmonization for the whole dataset; thus the data content has to be defined according to what is of basic importance and what is optional.

The selection criteria to decide which features and attributes are of basic or optional importance have been defined according to their rate of importance for users and the number of NMCAs which can commonly provide them.

The basic or CORE content of the EuroGlobalMap dataset has to be available for the whole dataset extent and is composed of the most important features and information asked by users, or the most commonly supported features and information among NMCAs. The optional content is not necessarily available for the whole dataset extent and gathers information of minor importance for users or too specific to be supported by a majority of NMCAs. However, when an optional feature is populated, its mandatory attributes have to be populated as well.

### Database Sources and Extent

The primary data sources used for EuroGlobalMap used to be the national data collections of the mapping agencies, possibly at similar spatial resolution. Secondary data sources, either internal or external to the mapping agencies, could also be used to fill the required information.

Since EGM v5.1 (2012), a new production process based on generalisation from EuroBoundaryMap and EuroRegionalMap has been progressively put into place. In this version, the Boundary (BND), settlement (POP), Hydrography (HYDRO) and Transportation (TRANS) themes have been produced with this method.

The extent of the data set is limited to Europe and French, Spanish and Portuguese outermost regions.

## 3. Requirements

### Coordinate Reference Systems

#### Geodetic Datum

The horizontal datum for EuroGlobalMap is ETRS89. Differences between WGS84, ITRF94 and ETRS89 (= EUREF89) coordinate systems are negligible at the scale 1:1,000,000. The ETRS89 corresponding ellipsoid is GRS80 (negligibly close to WGS84).

#### Vertical Datum

Some features have height or depth values stored as attributes. The vertical datum for EuroGlobalMap shall be the European Vertical Reference System EVRS. If the conversion between the national vertical datum and EVRS is not possible then the difference between these two datum is ignored and elevation values will be taken to be in reference to the Mean Sea Level. Elevation values are stored in metres. The vertical datum used should be indicated in the metadata.

#### Coordinate System

EuroGlobalMap data are stored using geographical coordinates in decimal degrees (longitude and latitude). All latitude coordinates north of the Equator have positive values and south of the Equator have negative values. Values range from the North Pole +90 degrees to the South Pole -90 degrees. All longitude coordinates east of the Greenwich Prime Meridian have positive values and west of the Greenwich Prime Meridian have negative values. Values range from -180 degrees to +180 degrees.

### Absolute Horizontal Accuracy

The positional accuracy describes how the coordinates of the features agree with their real world values. The degree of accuracy depends on the following processing steps:

- Positional accuracy of the source dataset.
- Errors due to conversion processes.
- Errors due to the manipulation processes.

Recommended horizontal accuracy should be within 1,000 metres or at least better than 2,000 metres. Information about the horizontal accuracy should be included in the metadata.

### Data Density Level and Selection Criteria

EuroGlobalMap data is collected at a density of detail that approximates the small scale product range (from 1:500,000 to 1:2,000,000). Portrayal criteria mentioned in the data dictionary are general guidelines. It is up to producers to settle in detail their own portrayal criteria.

### Dimension

#### Units of Measure

Unit of measure shall be provided in metric measurement system. Z values are expressed in metres. Areas are expressed in square kilometres. Azimuth and angles are expressed in degrees clockwise with azimuth 0.

#### Geometric resolution

The appropriate scale for hard-copy output should be 1:1,000,000. Geometric data resolution in the density of vertices on an edge should be as low as possible keeping a realistic size and shape of the feature.

The horizontal geometric resolution should be stored to the equivalent precision of 5 metres or 0.2 arc-seconds or 0.00005 decimal degrees.

Geometric data resolution according to generalisation criteria should have minimum tolerance values. The following shows the tolerance values for geometric resolution in ground distance:

- The minimum accepted area size is **0.06 km<sup>2</sup>**.
- The matching tolerance of the geometry is **30 m**. (weed and fuzzy tolerance).
- The minimum length of an edge between two connected points should be **200 m**. If connected points distances are less than 200 m, they have to be combined into one.



## 4. Data Model and Structure

### Terminology

**Area feature:** A geographic entity that encloses a region; for example, a lake, administrative area, or state.

**Connected node:** One of the two primitive types used to represent linked features that are zero dimensional at a particular scale. Connected nodes are always found at the ends of edges and are topologically linked to the edges. Connected nodes are used in two ways: (1) to define edges topologically (always) and (2) to represent point features that are found at a juncture of linear features, such as overpasses, locks in a canal, or underground utility access points. Under the first usage, the connected nodes are referred to as start and end nodes. Under the second usage, attributes will be associated with the point features related to the connected nodes.

**Coverage:** A set of feature classes that has a spatial extent and in which primitives interconnect as described by the coverage's topology.

**Edge:** A one-dimensional curve primitive joining two (possibly the same) nodes used to represent the location of a linear feature and/or the borders of faces. Depending upon the level of topology, edges may be topologically linked to nodes, edges, and faces. Edges are located by an ordered collection of two or more coordinate tuples (pairs or triplets). At least two of the coordinate tuples must be distinct. The orientation of an edge can be recognized by the ordering of the coordinate tuples.

**Face:** A region enclosed by an edge or set of edges. Faces are topologically linked to their surrounding edges as well as to the other faces that surround them. Faces are always non-overlapping.

**Feature:** A geographic entity related in some way to the Earth's surface. A feature may be either of Point, Line, Area or Text type. It may be either a Simple Feature or a Complex Feature. A Simple or Complex Feature has a specific set of Attribute values. A Complex Feature consists of a number of Features (Simple and/or Complex).

**Feature class:** A set of features that share a homogeneous set of attributes. A feature class consists of a set of tables that includes one or more primitive tables and one or more attribute tables. A feature class has the same columns of attribute information for each feature. Every feature class has one and only one feature table. The type of EuroGlobalMap feature classes is the simple feature class. The subtypes of the simple feature classes are the point feature class, line feature class, area feature class, and text feature class.

**Feature code:** A unique identifier assigned to a feature. The code is composed of five characters. The first is a letter indicating the category, the second is a letter indicating the sub-category and the last three characters (numeric) indicate a serial number in the sub-category.

**Geometric primitive:** The basic geometric units of representation, specifically, nodes, edges and face.

**Isolated node:** One of the two node primitive types used to represent isolated features that are zero dimensional at a particular scale. An isolated node is never used as a start or end node. An isolated node is topologically linked to its containing face when faces are present and cannot occur on an edge. This is also known as an "Entity Node".

**Layer:** A layer consists of a consistent set of data of the same type. For vector data, a layer is a predefined collection of geographical features, grouped by theme, contained within a single specified level of topology (following the rules of that level topology, e.g., if it is planar graph there are no crossing lines). Layers will be composed of one or more area, line, or point features as defined by specification. A layer can also be referred to as coverage.

**Line feature:** A geographic entity that defines a linear (one-dimensional) structure; for example, a river, road, or a state boundary.

**Node:** A zero-dimensional geometric primitive that is composed of a single coordinate tuple. There are two types of nodes: isolated nodes and connected nodes. Only one node can occupy a single geographic location.

**Point feature:** A geographic entity that defines a zero-dimensional location; for example, a building.

## Theoretical Data Model

The EuroGlobalMap vector data model is based on the DIGEST vector data model, which adheres to the geo-relational data model. Feature entities are either real items that can be identified on the earth, such as rivers or roads, or abstract items such as boundaries. Attributes may be ascribed to the features. Features may be either of Point, Line, Area or Text types. The spatial extent of features is described in terms of Isolated or Connected Node, Edge and Face elements. These primitive elements carry positional attributes.

In the EuroGlobalMap data model, the one-way relationship from simple features to primitives is restricted to many-to-one relationship. A simple feature is composed of only one primitive. A simple line feature is composed of only one edge, a simple point feature is composed of only one node and a simple area feature is composed of only one face. But several simple features can share the same primitive. For example, an island (simple area feature) is fully covered by built-up area (another area feature) and has identical area. Therefore island and built-up area share the same face.

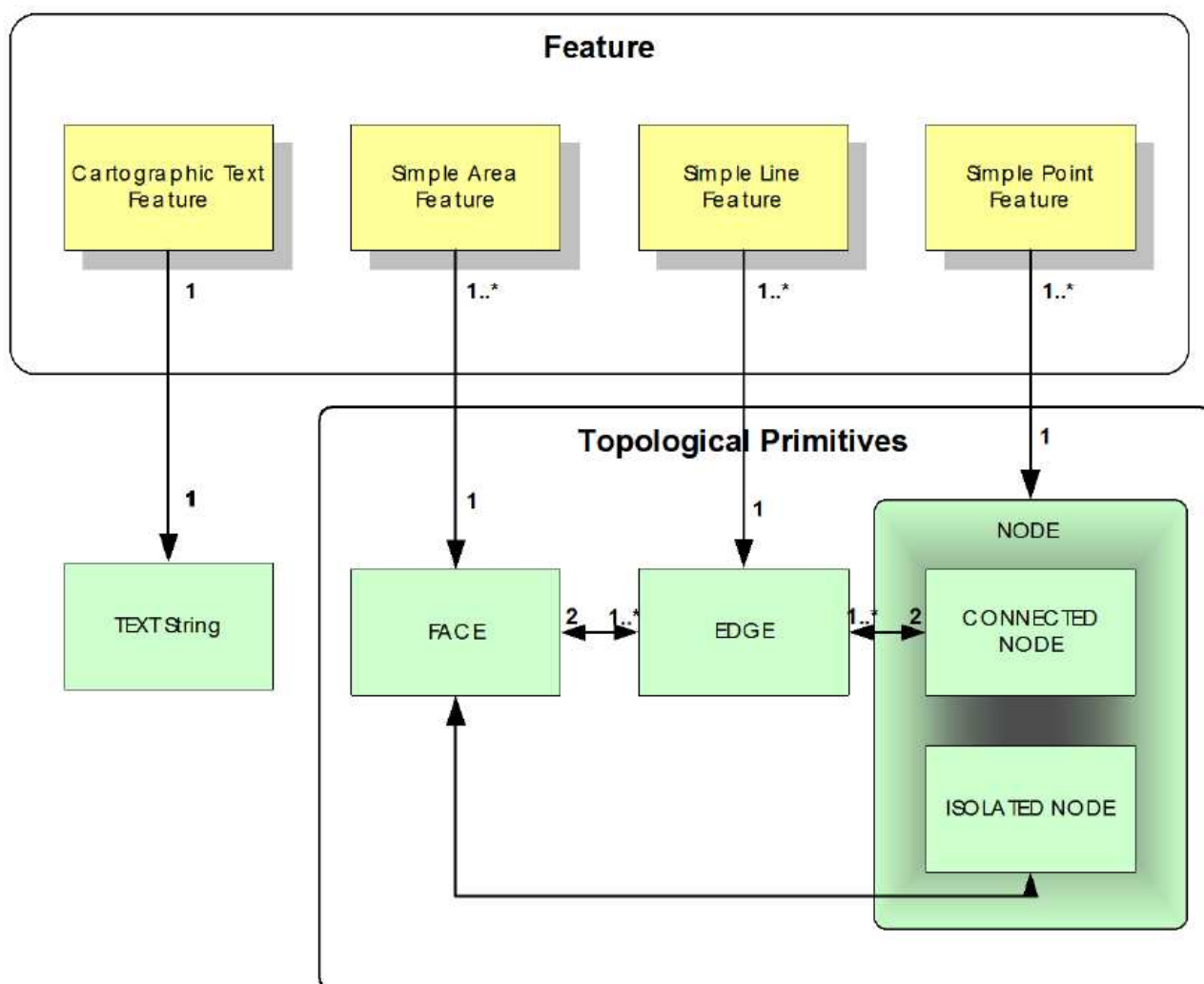


Figure 1: EuroGlobalMap Theoretical Data Model

## Database topology

The basic topological relationships for EuroGlobalMap follow the DIGEST data model and are set up at the level of the geometric primitives. Topological relationships can be described as edge-to-node, face-to-edge and node-to-face. In EuroGlobalMap, the acceptable levels of topology are planar graph (level 2) or full topology (level 3) within layers.

Planar graph data (level 2) consists of a set of edges and entity points, where edges meet only at connected nodes. Edges contain start node, end node, right edge and left edge information. Full topology data (level 3) introduces the concept of face and describes face-to-edge as well as node-to-face topological relationships. A planar surface is portioned by a set of mutually exclusive and collectively exhaustive faces. Edges contain left face and right face, start node and end node, and right and left edge information. Edges meet only at connected nodes.

A text feature is a cartographic feature and exists to provide an annotation capability. Text features do not take part in topology.

### Topological Rules

Topological rules are defined for the topological primitives within a layer or theme. These rules are set up for EuroGlobalMap:

- Two nodes may not occupy the same coordinate point (x, y or long, lat). Exceptions apply for Hydrographic Network Nodes.
- Two edges may not have the same geometry.
- A node will intersect edges only at their start/end point.
- No edge will intersect nor overlap any other edge, or itself.
- Two faces may not overlap.
- A face may contain any number of isolated nodes.
- As a result of the above rules, topological primitives may exist without being a component of any simple feature.
- No isolated node can be located on an edge; it has to be a connected node..

### Topological Association

Functional, spatial, and logical associations are examples of relationships that can be represented and analysed in a GIS database and need to be considered and specified for the EuroGlobalMap data.

These topological associations are described at feature level within a theme or between themes.

A topological association relates to how features are attached to one another functionally, spatially, or logically for example, when they share the same geometry (i.e. river being a boundary) or when they cannot logically overlap each other (i.e. built-up area with water area).

These associations are described in Annex D.

### Connectivity

Because of the potential use of the EuroGlobalMap dataset for advanced spatial analysis, road, railway and water networks (separately) should reach a full topological and geometrical connectivity in order to have a continuous network. For roads and railways this means that all lines are connected to each other by nodes. For rivers, this means that fictitious water lines through lakes and other water areas should be created.

## Layer organisation

The EuroGlobalMap data are organised in thematic layers and are partitioned into tiles. There are 5 thematic layers in the dataset.

- Administrative Boundaries (BND)
- Hydrography (HYDRO)
- Named Location (NAME)
- Settlement (POP)
- Transportation (TRANS)

## Continuity

No data overlap may exist in and between the countries. Features and edges crossing country boundaries shall be geometrically continuous whenever possible.

Where data collection procedures require individual sources and production lines, features crossing source production boundaries shall be geometrically continuous. In case of unresolved discontinuity, this will be documented in the metadata Lineage.pdf file of the respective countries.

## Feature and Attribute Coding Scheme

Feature and attribute coding structure is based on Digital Geographic Information Exchange Standard ([DIGEST](#)) Feature and Attribute Coding Catalogue (FACC) or its successor, the DGIWG Feature and Attribute Data Registry ([DFDD](#)). However specific features, attributes or attribute values missing in the DIGEST FACC / DFDD or not compliant have been added and are highlighted in *italic* in the EuroGlobalMap data catalogue.

## Core feature attribution

Each feature class will be composed of a core basic attribution which is:

Attribute	Definition & Description
FCsubtype	Code (integer) of the feature subtype
inspireId	External identifier of the spatial object
beginLifespanVersion	Date and time at which this version of the spatial object was inserted or changed in the spatial data set
F_CODE	The Feature CODE using the DIGEST coding, e.g. "AP030" identifying the road feature.
ICC	The ISO 3166-1 2-char Country Code defining the country dataset to which the feature is belonging. In case of more than one country, the codes are delimited by # and set in alphabetical order. In case of no country responsible (terra nullius), the ICC code is set to "XX". This ICC attribute is added for the handling of the data in a seamless coverage.

Those attributes are not systematically listed and described in the Annex C (Definition of features and attributes) but are well recorded in the EuroGlobalMap Data Model.

Note: The attribution of the feature class NUTS\_3 does not contain FCsubtype and F\_CODE.

## Handling Names as Attributes

The naming convention of a name as attribute is to put the first letter of the name in upper case and the other letters in lower case. Exception: names that consist of several words are written out like: Stoke-on-Trent, North Walsham, Le Havre, and Lytham-St. Annes.

The specifications provide several possibilities to store the names of the geographical features by means of several name attributes.

### Handling Character set

Names are stored in two types of attributes using a different method of spelling: a first attribute type (the NAMN series) storing the name spelled in national characters using UTF encoding (8 or 16) and a second attribute type (the NAMA series) storing the name in Latin-1 Alphabet characters without diacritical marks.

- The 7-bit ASCII letters are from 0 to 128 of the ISO 8859-1 character set.
- The Unicode character set suits all the European characters used in national language. However some vector data formats or GIS platform are able to display the Unicode Character but effectively use a certain codepage instead. Therefore it is important to indicate which character ISO code can be used to be able to properly read the names attributes without using the Unicode character set.

The information on the ISO code will be stored in the EBM\_CHR language code table.

### Language Code Table (EGM\_CHR)

This table provides a description of languages used in EGM. It stores the ISO code of the character set that can be used to read properly geographical names without using the Unicode character set. For non-Latin languages the transliteration scheme is given.

ICC	NLN	Language Name (LNM)	Character Code Set (ISC)		Transliteration Scheme (TLS)
FR	fre	French	1	ISO 8859-1 (Latin 1)	UNK
	...		2	ISO 8859-2 (Latin 2)	UNK
			3	ISO 8859-3 (Latin 3)	UNK
			4	ISO 8859-4 (Latin 4)	
			5	ISO 8859-5 (Cyrillic)	ISO 9
			6	ISO 8859-6 (Arabic)	
			7	ISO 8859-7 (Greek)	
			8	ISO 8859-8 (Hebrew)	
			9	ISO 8859-9 (Latin 5)	
			10	ISO 8859-10 (Latin 6)	
			13	ISO 8859-13 (Latin 7)	
			14	ISO 8859-14 (Latin 8)	
			15	ISO 8859-15 (Latin 9)	
			16	Unicode UTF-8	

### Handling languages

The second point is the possibility to use several languages.

When a geographical feature is named in several languages, these languages have to be the official languages administratively used and spoken in this area. No more than two languages are allowed for a name.

The NAMN1 and NAMA1 attributes store the name of the feature in the official primary language spoken. The NAMN2 and NAMA2 attributes store the name of the feature in the official secondary language spoken.

To translate names from national characters to ASCII ones, some languages use transliteration rules according to national standards or recommendations by the UN, especially for non-Latin alphabets. Those rules must be applied and need to be described in the metadata (lineage.pdf).

#### Notice:

If the name of a geographical feature does not really exist, all the name attributes describing the feature are populated with the value 'UNK' (unknown).

### Text Features

EuroGlobalMap may contain cartographic text for named locations which are not portrayed geometrically (for instance, a mountain range or a maritime bay) but can be useful for general viewing and localisation. The cartographic text feature type will carry the following information: font, colour and height.

The source for the text feature will be the names written in national characters using UTF codification.

## Missing Attribute Values

Missing values or null values are populated in two ways:

### Null/No value

The “Null/No value” attribution is used to fill an attribute which is not relevant or does not exist in the real world for a set of features from a given feature class. For instance, some feature classes are used to store different feature types and it is possible that an attribute relevant for one feature type is logically impossible to fill for another one. In that case, the “Null/No value” value is used to fill the attribute for the second feature type. This is however not only reserved to feature types, sometimes it is only sets of particular features which are in this situation.

For example fictitious river axes across lakes are recorded using the same feature class as ordinary rivers. These axes cannot however have reasonable value for instance for the attributes “width ranges” (WD7 and WD8).

### Unknown/Unpopulated/ Not Applicable

This value is used when:

- It is not possible to determine the value of an attribute for an object (unknown). For example when the “Elevation of the water body above the sea level” of a certain lake has not been measured, then this attribute value is unknown. This case normally occurs for a single attribute value of individual objects in a layer.
- This attribute information exists in the real world but the data producer does not have this attribute information and has left the attribute field empty (unpopulated). For example when the attribute “National hydrological identification code” for rivers and lakes has been defined but the EGM data producer does not have this information and has left this attribute field empty.
- The information simply does not exist in the real world for a specified feature. This could be the case for the naming of islands, lakes or the secondary name of built-up area or for example in the case of roads when the road section does not have a “European route number”.

Missing information (= data, values) for attributes will be populated consistently with DIGEST data model and according to the following rules:

Attribute value Attribute Type	Null/No Value	Unknown	Unpopulated	Not Applicable
<i>Meaning in the real world context</i>	<i>Information cannot be applied</i>	<i>Information is missing</i>	<i>Information exists but has not been collected</i>	<i>Information doesn't exist</i>
<i>Text</i>	<b>UNK</b>			
<i>Integer Coded</i>	<b>-32768</b>			
<i>Integer Actual Value</i>				

## 5. Data Dictionary

### Metadata Files

#### Metadata

Metadata is data about a dataset. It gives information that allows a better understanding of the data and enables the user to determine whether the data is useful for the application in question and to use the data in the most efficient way. It also enables the data producer to document and characterise the data produced.

#### Metadata levels

The EuroGlobalMap database covers most of Europe and producers and users are located all over Europe therefore an international standard for the metadata was adopted. Additionally the requirements of the other EuroGeographics projects and databases and other European wide initiatives had to be taken into account. Therefore the following decisions and conditions were stated at the beginning of the project:

- The EuroGlobalMap metadata follows the ISO standard 19115 and it contains information about the whole database and also about the national datasets.
- The metadata for EuroGlobalMap database will be defined, taking into account coherence needs with EuroRegionalMap and the INSPIRE initiative findings.

EuroGlobalMap consists of the national contribution of the participating countries produced according to common specifications. This leads to a hierarchical structure of the metadata with two levels:

1. EuroGlobalMap database
2. National contributions

The metadata for the EuroGlobalMap database contains all the information that applies to the whole dataset. The metadata for the national contributions contains information about the used national databases and any specialities that apply only for one country. There is a metadata set for each participating country and one for the EuroGlobalMap database. The metadata set for the EuroGlobalMap database contains all the metadata elements; for the national contributions only part of the elements apply.

The metadata will be stored in a database (e.g. a table). It is structured in packages, entities and elements (with sub-elements). There are mandatory, optional and conditional elements. Most elements are text, some elements can be coded values, dates, integers, URLs or other data types.

The item "Obligation" shows if an element is mandatory (M), optional (O) or conditional (C). If the entity is optional and no information is given then even the mandatory elements are left empty. If information is given for this entity or the entity is mandatory then at least the mandatory elements have to be filled in.

For each country, the metadata file is provided with a lineage.doc file giving additional information that cannot be really classified in the ISO metadata mainly on data quality and data processing.



## Data Layers

The data layers hold geographic dataset information.

Thematic Layer	Layer name
Administrative boundaries	BND
Hydrography	HYDRO
Named Location	NAME
Settlement	POP
Transportation	TRANS

## Specific tables

Complementary information is stored in tables that can be related to the EGM vector data. These tables are:

- EBM\_NAM      storing the names of the administrative units
- EBM\_ISN      storing the national hierarchical level of the administrative units

Those tables are simply borrowed from the EuroBoundaryMap dataset. The table content should be consistent with the EGM release of the same reference date.

- EGM\_CHR      storing the ISO character sets used to be able to read the national characters of the names attributes
- FERRY\_LINK      linking ferry stations and ferry lines
- FERRY\_LINES      storing thematic identifier of the ferry crossings as well as the names and thematic identifiers of the destination ports
- CountryCodes      holding the relation between the country codes of ISO, EU, and EuroGeographics

The tables are described in ANNEX F.

## Annex A: List of Feature Classes and Feature Codes in the Data Layers

Coverage name	Feature class name	Feature class type	Feature codes
BND	POLBND A	Area	FA001
	POLBND L	Line	FA000
	NUTS_3	Area	—
HYDRO	COAST A	Area	BA020
	COAST L	Line	BA010, XX500
	DAMC	Point	BI020, BI030
	DAML	Line	BI020, BI030
	HYNODEC	Point	BH503
	LAKERESA	Area	BH080, BH130
	LANDICEA	Area	BJ030, BJ100
	LANDMASKA	Area	XX501
	ISLANDA	Area	BA030
	SEAA	Area	BA040
	SHOREL	Line	BH210
	SPRINGP	Point	BH170
	SPRINGC	Point	BH170
	WATRCRSA	Area	BH502
	WATRCRSL	Line	BH502
	NAMEP	Point	ZD040
	GNAMET	Text	ZD040
	BUILTUPA	Area	AL020
	BUILTUPP	Point	AL020, AL022
TRANS	AIRFLDP	Point	GB005
	EXITC	Point	AQ090
	FERRY C	Point	AQ080
	FERRY L	Line	AQ070
	INTERCC	Point	AP020
	LEVELCC	Point	AQ062, AQ063
	RAILRDC	Point	AQ125
	RAILRDL	Line	AN010, AN500
	RESTC	Point	AQ135
	ROADL	Line	AP030, AP500

## Annex B: List of Features and Attributes in the Data Coverages

This list holds all the features and attributes of the EuroGlobalMap data set.

The column “Obligation” shows if an element is mandatory (M) or optional (O) or conditional (C). When the entity is optional and information is not given then the elements – even the mandatory ones – are left empty. If you want to give information for this entity then at least the mandatory elements have to be filled in. When the entity is mandatory then at least the mandatory elements have to be filled.

The column “Responsibility” indicates if an element is created at European level by the EGM Product Management Team during the finalisation phase (F) of the EuroGlobalMap production. All other elements have to be derived from the EuroRegionalMap database, collected and provided by the data producers according to the given obligation.

Coverage name	Feature Class(es)	Feature Codes	Feature Name	Obligation	Responsibility
BND	POLBNDL	FA000	Administrative Boundary	M	
		BST	Boundary Status Type	M	
		USE	Usage	M	
BND	POLBNDA	FA001	Administrative Area	M	
		SHN0	EBM Hierarchical Number	M	
		SHN1	EBM Hierarchical Number	M	
		SHN2	EBM Hierarchical Number	M	
		SHN3	EBM Hierarchical Number	M	
		SHN4	EBM Hierarchical Number	M	
		TAA	Type of administrative area	M	
BND	NUTS_3	—	NUTS regions of level 3	O	
		NUTS_CODE	Code of NUTS region	M	
		NUTS_LABEL	Name of NUTS region	M	
		TAA	Type of administrative area	M	
HYDRO	COASTL	BA010	Coastline / Shoreline	M	F
HYDRO	COASTL	XX500	Sea Limit	M	F
HYDRO	COASTA	BA020	Foreshore	M	
		MCC	Material Composition Category	M	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	O	
		NAMN2	Name in second national language	O	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	O	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	O	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	O	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	O	
HYDRO	ISLANDA	BA030	Island	M	F <sup>2</sup>
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	M	
		NAMN2	Name in second national language	M	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	M	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	M	
HYDRO	SEAA	BA040	Water (except inland)	M	F
HYDRO	LAKERESA	BH080	Lake / Pond	M	
		HYP	Hydrological Persistence	M	
		HydroID	Hydrologic Identifier	M	
		NHI	National Hydrological Identification Code	O	

<sup>2</sup> Inland islands (in rivers or lakes) are derived from ERM.

Coverage name	Feature Class(es)	Feature Codes	Feature Name	Obligation	Responsibility
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	M	
		NAMN2	Name in second national language	M	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	M	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	M	
		TID	Tidal/Non-Tidal Category	M	
		ZV2	Highest Z-Value	O	
<b>HYDRO</b>	<b>LAKERESA</b>	<b>BH130</b>	<b>Reservoir</b>	<b>M</b>	
		HYP	Hydrological Persistence	M	
		HydroID	Hydrologic Identifier	M	
		NHI	National Hydrological Identification Code	O	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	M	
		NAMN2	Name in second national language	M	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	M	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	M	
		ZV2	Highest Z-Value	O	
<b>HYDRO</b>	<b>SPRINGP, SPRINGC</b>	<b>BH170</b>	<b>Spring / Water Hole</b>	<b>O</b>	
		SWT	Well/Spring Feature Type	M	
<b>HYDRO</b>	<b>SHOREL</b>	<b>BH210</b>	<b>Inland Shoreline</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>F</b>
<b>HYDRO</b>	<b>WATRCRSL</b>	<b>BH502</b>	<b>Watercourse</b>	<b>M</b>	
		NVS	Navigability Information Code	M	
		HOC	Hydrographical Origin Category	M	
		HYP	Hydrological Persistence	M	
		LDV	Link Direction Value	O	
		LOC	Location Category	M	
		HydroID	Hydrologic Identifier	M	
		NHI	National Hydrological Identification Code	O	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	M	
		NAMN2	Name in second national language	M	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	M	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	M	
		TID	Tidal/Non-Tidal Category	M	
		WD7	Width Lower Range	M	
		WD8	Width Upper Range	M	
<b>HYDRO</b>	<b>WATRCRSA</b>	<b>BH502</b>	<b>Watercourse</b>	<b>M</b>	
		NVS	Navigability Information Code	M	
		HOC	Hydrographical Origin Category	M	
		HYP	Hydrological Persistence	M	
		HydroID	Hydrologic Identifier	M	
		NHI	National Hydrological Identification Code	O	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	M	
		NAMN2	Name in second national language	M	

Coverage name	Feature Class(es)	Feature Codes	Feature Name	Obligation	Responsibility
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	M	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	M	
		TID	Tidal/Non-Tidal Category	M	
HYDRO	HYNODEC	BH503	Hydrographic Network Node	M	F
		HydroID	Hydrologic Identifier	M	
		HNC	Hydro node category	M	
HYDRO	DAMC, DAML	BI020	Dam / Weir	M	
		HydroID	Hydrologic Identifier	M	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	O	
		NAMN2	Name in second national language	O	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	O	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	O	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	O	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	O	
HYDRO	DAMC, DAML	BI030	Lock	M	
		HydroID	Hydrologic Identifier	M	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	O	
		NAMN2	Name in second national language	O	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	O	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	O	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	O	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	O	
HYDRO	LANDICEA	BJ030	Glacier	M	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	O	
		NAMN2	Name in second national language	O	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	O	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	O	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	O	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	O	
HYDRO	LANDICEA	BJ100	Snow field / Ice field	O	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	O	
		NAMN2	Name in second national language	O	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	O	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	O	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	O	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	O	
HYDRO	LANDMASKA	XX501	Landmask Area	M	F
NAME	GNAMEP, GNAMEL	ZD040	Named Location	M	
		CNL	Category code for the named location	M	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	M	
		NAMN2	Second Name in second national language	M	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language	M	

Coverage name	Feature Class(es)	Feature Codes	Feature Name	Obligation	Responsibility
			(ASCII-7bit)		
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	M	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	M	
<b>POP</b>	<b>BUILTUPA</b>	<b>AL020</b>	<b>Built-up Area</b>	<b>M</b>	
		PopulatedPlaceID	Populated place identifier	M	
<b>POP</b>	<b>BUILTUPP</b>	<b>AL020</b>	<b>Built-up Area</b>	<b>M</b>	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	M	
		NAMN2	Second Name in second national language	M	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	M	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	M	
		PPL	Populated Place Category	O/M <sup>3</sup>	
		PP1	Population Lower Range	O/M <sup>4</sup>	
		PP2	Population Higher Range	O/M <sup>4</sup>	
		USE	Usage	M/O <sup>5</sup>	
		PopulatedPlaceID	Populated place identifier	M	
<b>POP</b>	<b>BUILTUPP</b>	<b>AL022</b>	<b>Populated Place</b>	<b>M</b>	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	M	
		NAMN2	Second Name in second national language	M	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	M	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	M	
		PPL	Populated Place Category	O/M <sup>3</sup>	
		PP1	Population Lower Range	O/M <sup>4</sup>	
		PP2	Population Higher Range	O/M <sup>4</sup>	
		USE	Usage	M/O <sup>5</sup>	
		PopulatedPlaceID	Populated place identifier	M	
<b>TRANS</b>	<b>RAILRDL</b>	<b>AN010</b>	<b>Railway</b>	<b>M</b>	
		EXS	Existence Category	M	
		FCO	Feature Configuration	M	
		GAW	Gauge Width	O	
		LLE	Location Level	M	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	M	
		NAMN2	Second Name in second national language	M	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	M	

<sup>3</sup> M if PP1 and PP2 not populated.<sup>4</sup> M if PPL not populated<sup>5</sup> Mandatory for country capitals; optional for others

Coverage name	Feature Class(es)	Feature Codes	Feature Name	Obligation	Responsability
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	M	
		RCO	Railroad Code	O	
		RGC	Railroad Gauge Category	M	
		RRA	Railroad Power Source	M	
		RRC	Railroad Category	M	
		RSD	Railroad Speed Class	O	
		RSU	Seasonal availability	O	
		TEN	TransEuropean Transport Network	M	
		TUC	Transportation Use Category	M	
TRANS	RAILRDL	AN500	<b>Railway Network Link</b>	<b>M</b>	
		TEN	TransEuropean Transport Network	M	
TRANS	INTERCC	AP020	<b>Interchange</b>	<b>M</b>	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	O	
		NAMN2	Name in second national language	O	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	O	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	O	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	O	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	O	
		RJC	Road Junction Category	M	
TRANS	ROADL	AP030	<b>Road</b>	<b>M</b>	
		COR	Category of Road	M	
		EXS	Existence Category	M	
		LLE	Location Level	M	
		LTN	Lane/Track Number	M	
		MED	Median Category	M	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	M	
		NAMN2	Second Name in second national language	M	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASC ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	M	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	M	
		RST	Road Surface Type	M	
		RSU	Seasonal availability	O	
		RTE	Route Number (Int.)	M	
		RTN	Route Number (Nat.)	M	
		RTT	Route Intended Use	M	
		TEN	TransEuropean Transport Network	M	
		TOL	Toll Category	M	
		TUC	Transportation Use Category	M	
TRANS	ROADL	AP500	<b>Road Network Link</b>	<b>M</b>	
		TEN	TransEuropean Transport Network	M	
TRANS	LEVELCC	AQ062	<b>Level Crossing</b>	<b>M</b>	
TRANS	LEVELCC	AQ063	<b>Road Intersection</b>	<b>M</b>	
TRANS	FERRYL	AQ070	<b>Ferry Crossing</b>	<b>M</b>	
		DETN	Destination in first national language	M	
		DETA	Destination in first national language with ASCII-characters	M	
		DNLN	3-Char Language Code	M	
		RSU	Seasonal availability	O	
		TEN	TransEuropean Transport Network	M	
		USE	Usage	M	
		FerryID	Ferry line Identifier	M	



Coverage name	Feature Class(es)	Feature Codes	Feature Name	Obligation	Responsibility
TRANS	FERRYC	AQ080	<b>Ferry Station</b>	<b>M</b>	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	M	
		NAMN2	Second name in second national language	M	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	M	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	M	
		FStationID	Ferry Station Identifier	M	
TRANS	EXITC	AQ090	<b>Entrance / Exit</b>	<b>O</b>	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	M	
		NAMN2	Second name in second national language	M	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	M	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	M	
TRANS	RAILRDC	AQ125	<b>Railway Station</b>	<b>M</b>	
		TFC	Transportation Facility Type	M	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	M	
		NAMN2	Second Name in second national language	M	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	M	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	M	
		TUC	Transportation Use Category	O	
		RStationID	Railway Station Identifier	M	
TRANS	RESTC	AQ135	<b>Vehicle Stopping Area / Rest Area</b>	<b>M</b>	
		AFA	Available Facilities	M	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	M	
		NAMN2	Second Name in second national language	M	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	M	
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	M	
TRANS	AIRFLDP	GB005	<b>Airport / Airfield</b>	<b>M</b>	
		CAA	Controlling Authority	M	
		EXS	Existence Category	O	
		FUC	Functional Use Category	O	
		IAT	IATA code	M	
		IKO	ICAO designator	M	
		NAMN1	Name in first national language	M	
		NAMN2	Name in second national language	M	
		NAMA1	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	M	
		NLN1	3-Char Language Code	M	



Coverage name	Feature Class(es)	Feature Codes	Feature Name	Obligation	Responsibility
		NLN2	3-Char Language Code	M	
		TUC	Transportation Use Category	M	
		USE	Usage	O	
		ZV3	Airfield elevation	O	

Annex C: Definition of Features and Attributes

Boundaries	BND
Administrative Boundary	FA000

Definition:	A line of demarcation between controlled areas.
Feature class:	POLBNDL
Feature type:	Line
Primitive type:	Edge
Portrayal criteria:	Boundary of an entity controlled by an administrative authority, this entity can be composed of several areas; international boundary. If a country has national administrative levels below a country level, then in EU-countries all levels from country level to a level equivalent to NUTS3 are stored and in other countries all levels from country level to a comparable level (f.i. LEVEL4 for CEEC countries) are stored. This feature type is used also to close the administrative areas in those cases, when the location of the real international boundary is not stored on sea area.
Quality criteria:	International boundaries have to be geometrically consistent with topographical features mainly the hydrographical ones. Geometrical consistency is recommended at lower level.

Attributes:

BST	Boundary Status Type	Data type:	Short integer
		Domain:	Coded value
		1	Definite
		2	Indefinite
		3	In dispute
		-32768	Null value
			(For Use = 984)
USE	Usage	Data type:	Short integer
		Domain:	Coded value
		23	International
		26	Primary/ 1rst order
		30	Secondary/2nd order
		31	Tertiary/3rd order
		111	Quaternary/4th order
		984	For all lines closing the polygons of administrative units in those cases, where the international boundary is not portrayed in the dataset

**Administrative Area****FA001**

*Definition:* An area controlled by an administrative authority.  
*Feature class:* POLBND  
*Feature type:* Area  
*Primitive type:* Face  
*Portrayal criteria:* Each administrative unit consists of one main area and occasionally of one main area with exclave(s). Exclaves bigger than 3 km<sup>2</sup> included. If a country has national administrative levels below a country level, then the lowest level in EU-countries is a level equivalent to NUTS3 level and in other countries the lowest level is comparable to this level.

*Attributes:*

<i>SHN0</i>	<i>EBM Hierarchical Number (International)</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	(refers to ISO 3166) Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Coded value 14 characters
<i>SHN1</i>	<i>EBM Hierarchical Number (1st Order)</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	(refers to ISO 3166) Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Coded value 14 characters
<i>SHN2</i>	<i>EBM Hierarchical Number (2nd Order)</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	(refers to ISO 3166) Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Coded value 14 characters
<i>SHN3</i>	<i>EBM Hierarchical Number (3rd Order)</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	(refers to ISO 3166) Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Coded value 14 characters
<i>SHN4</i>	<i>EBM Hierarchical Number (4th Order)</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	(refers to ISO 3166) Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Coded value 14 characters
<i>TAA</i>	<i>Type of Administrative Area</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Short integer
		<i>Domain:</i>	Coded value
		0	Unknown
		2	Main area
		3	Branch area
		4	Special area
		5	Coastal water
		7	Inland water
		8	In dispute area

**NUTS3 Region of Level 3**

*Definition:* Territorial unit for statistics defined in the framework of the Regulation (EU) No 31/2011 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 17 January 2011.

*Feature class:* NUTS\_3

*Feature type:* Area

*Primitive type:* Face

*Portrayal criteria:* NUTS regions are defined and published by Eurostat. The NUTS Regulation has been set up for EU countries, but it covers also EU candidate countries and EFTA countries. The NUTS Regulation subdivides the European countries into comparable statistical units, from small regions for specific diagnoses (NUTS 3) up to major socio-economic regions (NUTS 1). In most cases, NUTS regions refer to national administrative levels. For some countries, NUTS regions are defined independent from the national administrative hierarchy. The differences between administrative units and NUTS regions are explained in EuroBoundaryMap Data Production Specifications.

*Attributes:*

NUTS_CODE	Unique code of the NUTS region as Defined and published by Eurostat	Data type: Identifier Domain: Text 5 characters
NUTS_LABEL	Name of the NUTS region as defined and published by Eurostat	Data type: Character Domain: Text 80 characters
TAA	Type of the administrative area	Data type: Short integer Domain: Coded value 2 Land area 7 Inland water

**Related Tables:** EBM\_NAM and EBM\_ISN must be provided with the administrative data theme (see description in ANNEX F)

**Hydrography****HYDRO****Coastline / Shoreline****BA010**

<i>Definition:</i>	The line where a land mass is in contact with a body of water.
<i>Feature class:</i>	COASTL
<i>Feature type:</i>	Line
<i>Primitive type:</i>	Edge
<i>Portrayal criteria:</i>	The vertical datum for the shoreline should be mean sea high water in tidal maritime zone or normal water in non-tidal zone.
<i>Attributes:</i>	none

**Foreshore****BA020**

*Definition:* The part of the shore or beach which lies between the low water mark and the coastline / shoreline. The same condition may exist in non-contiguous offshore areas.

*Feature class:* COASTA

*Feature type:* Area

*Primitive type:* Face

*Portrayal criteria:* Foreshore area where the average horizontal distance between MLW and MHW is more than 1,000 meters. Tidal channels can fragment the foreshore area.

*Attributes:*

MCC	Material Composition Category	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 0 8 16 46 65 84 88 98 108	Short integer Coded value Unknown Boulders Clay Gravel Mud Rock / rocky Sand Shingle Stone
NAMN1	Name in first national language	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Not applicable or Unpopulated
NAMN2	Name in second national language	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Not applicable or Unpopulated
NAMA1	Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Not applicable or Unpopulated
NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Not applicable or Unpopulated
NLN1	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
NLN2	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable

**Island****BA030**

*Definition:* A land mass smaller than a continent and surrounded by water.  
*Feature class:* ISLANDA  
*Feature type:* Area  
*Primitive type:* Face  
*Portrayal criteria:* Area  $\geq 3 \text{ km}^2$  for islands in seawater.  
 Smaller islands in inland water area can be portrayed if considered as landmark.  
 Note: If there is a lake or reservoir ( $> 0.5 \text{ km}^2$ ) inside an island, then the island is portrayed even when the size is less than  $3 \text{ km}^2$ .  
*Quality criteria:* At least all islands  $\geq 3 \text{ km}^2$  have to be named when existing.  
*Attributes:*

<i>NAMN1</i>	<i>Name in first national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, or Not applicable
<i>NAMN2</i>	<i>Name in second national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, or Not applicable
<i>NAMA1</i>	<i>Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, or Not applicable
<i>NAMA2</i>	<i>Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, or Not applicable
<i>NLN1</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
<i>NLN2</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable

**Water (except inland)****BA040**

*Definition:* An area of water that normally has tidal fluctuations.  
*Feature class:* SEAA  
*Feature type:* Area  
*Primitive type:* Face  
*Portrayal criteria:* Usually the sea or ocean area.  
*Attributes:* none

**Lake / Pond****BH080***Definition:* A body of water surrounded by land*Feature class:* LAKERESA*Feature type:* Area*Primitive type:* Face*Portrayal criteria:* Water with area  $\geq 0.5$  km<sup>2</sup>.

Smaller lakes or ponds can be portrayed when significant to determine land occupation. Lakes being part of the water network have to be topologically connected to watercourses.

*Quality criteria:* At least all lakes  $\geq 0.5$  km<sup>2</sup> have to be named when existing. ZV2 attribute does not necessarily have to be populated for smaller lakes.

*Attributes:*

HYP	Hydrological Persistence	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 0 1 2 3 4	Short integer Coded value Unknown Perennial Intermittent Ephemeral Dry
HydroID	Hydrologic Identifier	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Character Actual value
NHI	National Hydrological Identification code	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
NAMN1	Name in first national language	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
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NAMA1	Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NLN1	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
NLN2	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable



TID	Tidal / Non-Tidal Category	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 0 1 2 -32768	Short integer Coded value Unknown Non-tidal Tidal / tidal fluctuating Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
ZV2	Highest Z-Value	<i>Data type:</i> Measurement units: <i>Domain:</i> -32768	Short integer 1 meter  Actual value Unknown or Unpopulated

**Related Table: LAKERES\_WBSC must be provided with the Hydro theme (see description in ANNEX F)**

**Reservoir****BH130**

*Definition:* A man-made enclosure or area formed for the storage of water.  
*Feature class:* LAKERESA  
*Feature type:* Area  
*Primitive type:* Face  
*Portrayal criteria:* Area  $\geq 0.5 \text{ km}^2$   
 Reservoirs being part of the water network have to be topologically connected to watercourses.  
*Quality criteria:* All reservoirs should be named.  
*Attributes:*

HYP	Hydrological Persistence	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 0 1 2 3 4	Short integer Coded value Unknown Perennial Intermittent Ephemeral Dry
HydroID	Hydrologic Identifier	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Character Actual value
NHI	National Hydrological Identification code	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
NAMN1	Name in first national language	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NAMN2	Name in second national language	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NAMA1	Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NLN1	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
NLN2	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
ZV2	Highest Z-Value	<i>Data type:</i> Measurement units: <i>Domain:</i> -32768	Short integer 1 meter Actual value Unknown or Unpopulated

**Related Table: LAKERES\_WBSC must be provided with the Hydro theme (see description in ANNEX F)**

**Spring / Water Hole****BH170**

*Definition:* A natural outflow of water from below the ground surface.  
*Feature class:* SPRINGP  
*Feature type:* Point  
*Primitive type:* Isolated node  
*Portrayal criteria:* Springs that are considered as landmark by their location or size, or have a tourist interest and are not connected to the water network.

*Attributes:*

SWT	Well/Spring Feature Type	<i>Data type:</i>	Short integer
		<i>Domain:</i>	Coded value
		0	Unknown
		1	Geyser
		2	Hot spring
		3	Fumarole
		999	Other

**Spring / Water Hole****BH170**

*Definition:* A natural outflow of water from below the ground surface.  
*Feature class:* SPRINGC  
*Feature type:* Point  
*Primitive type:* Connected node  
*Portrayal criteria:* Springs that are considered as landmark by their location or size, or have a tourist interest and are connected to the water network.

*Attributes:*

SWT	Well/Spring Feature Type	<i>Data type:</i>	Short integer
		<i>Domain:</i>	Coded value
		0	Unknown
		1	Geyser
		2	Hot spring
		3	Fumarole
		999	Other

**Inland Shoreline****BH210**

*Definition:* The land-water boundary of an inland body of water.  
*Feature class:* SHOREL  
*Feature type:* Line  
*Primitive type:* Edge  
*Portrayal criteria:* The boundary where any inland water (watercourse, lake, reservoir) represented in EGM touches land (including islands).

*Attributes:* None

**Watercourse****BH502**

*Definition:* A natural or man-made flowing watercourse or stream.  
*Feature class:* WATRCRSA  
*Feature type:* Area  
*Primitive type:* Face  
*Portrayal criteria:* Watercourses that form up a logical water network with width  $\geq 500$  m.  
*Quality criteria:* All watercourses should be named.  
 The HydroID should be populated at least for watercourses with drainage basin  $\geq 3000$  km<sup>2</sup>.

*Attributes:*

NVS	Navigability Information Code	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 0 3 5	Short integer Coded value Unknown Navigable Not Navigable
HOC	Hydrographical Origin Category	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 0 4 5	Short integer Coded value Unknown Man-made Natural
HYP	Hydrological Persistence	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 0 1 2 3 4	Short integer Coded value Unknown Perennial Intermittent Ephemeral Dry
<i>HydroID</i>	<i>Hydrologic Identifier</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Character Actual value
<i>NHI</i>	<i>National Hydrological Identification code</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMN1</i>	<i>Name in first national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
<i>NAMN2</i>	<i>Name in second national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
<i>NAMA1</i>	<i>Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
<i>NAMA2</i>	<i>Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
<i>NLN1</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable

NLN2	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
TID	Tidal / Non-Tidal Category	Data type: Domain: 0 1 2	Short integer Coded value Unknown Non-tidal Tidal / tidal fluctuating

**Watercourse****BH502***Feature class:* WATRCRSL*Feature type:* Line*Primitive type:* Edge*Portrayal criteria:* Watercourses that form up a logical water network with width < 500 m.*Quality criteria:* Full connection of the water network requires to portray fictitious axis or underground watercourses.

All watercourses should be named.

The HydroID should be populated at least for watercourses with drainage basin  $\geq 3000$  km<sup>2</sup>.*Attributes:*

NVS	Navigability Information Code	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 0 3 5	Short integer Coded value Unknown Navigable Not Navigable
HOC	Hydrographical Origin Category	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 0 4 5	Short integer Coded value Unknown Man-made Natural
HYP	Hydrological Persistence	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 0 1 2 3 4	Short integer Coded value Unknown Perennial Intermittent Ephemeral Dry
LDV	Link Direction Value	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 0 1 2 3 997	Short integer Coded value Unknown Both directions In direction In opposite direction Unpopulated
LOC	Location Category	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 0 8 25  40 984	Short integer Coded value Unknown On ground surface Suspended or elevated above ground or water surface (bridge) Underground Fictitious axes through water area
HydroID	Hydrologic Identifier	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Character Actual value
NHI	National Hydrological Identification code	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable

<i>NAMN1</i>	<i>Name in first national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
<i>NAMN2</i>	<i>Name in second national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
<i>NAMA1</i>	<i>Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
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<i>NLN1</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
<i>NLN2</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
<i>TID</i>	<i>Tidal / Non-Tidal Category</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 0 1 2	Short integer Coded value Unknown Non-tidal Tidal / tidal fluctuating
<i>WCH</i>	<i>National Watercourse Hierarchy</i>	<i>Data Type</i> <i>Domain</i> 0 1 2 3 4 5 9 997	<i>Short integer</i> <i>Coded value</i> <i>Unknown</i> <i>Main / First</i> <i>Second</i> <i>Third</i> <i>Fourth</i> <i>Fifth</i> <i>All other watercourses</i> <i>Not populated</i>
<i>WD7</i>	<i>Width Lower Range</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Measurement</i> <i>units:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -29999	Short integer 1 meter Range value, ≥ 1 Unknown
<i>WD8</i>	<i>Width Upper Range</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Measurement</i> <i>units:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -29999	Short integer 1 meter Range value, ≤ 125 Unknown



**Hydrographic Network Node**

**BH503**

*Definition:* A node within the hydrographic network.  
*Feature class:* HYNODEC  
*Feature type:* Point  
*Primitive type:* Connected Node  
*Portrayal criteria:* Start and end points of watercourses as well as confluences (Confluence, Source, Mouth, Boundary).

*Attributes:*

<i>HydroID</i>	<i>Hydrologic Identifier</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Actual value
<i>HNC</i>	<i>Hydro Node Category</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Short integer
		<i>Domain:</i>	Coded value
		0	Unknown
		1	Boundary
		4	Junction
		5	Outlet
		6	Source

**Dam / Weir****BI020**

*Definition:* A permanent barrier across a watercourse used to impound water or to control its flow.  
*Feature class:* DAMC  
*Feature type:* Point  
*Primitive type:* Connected node  
*Portrayal criteria:* All dams on watercourse portrayed as a single line.

*Attributes:*

<i>HydroID</i>	<i>Hydrologic Identifier</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Character Actual value
<i>NAMN1</i>	<i>Name in first national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMN2</i>	<i>Name in second national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMA1</i>	<i>Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMA2</i>	<i>Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NLN1</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
<i>NLN2</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable

**Dam / Weir****BI020**

*Definition:* A permanent barrier across a watercourse used to impound water or to control its flow.  
*Feature class:* DAML  
*Feature type:* Line  
*Primitive type:* Edge  
*Portrayal criteria:* Dam bordering a reservoir or important dams/weirs on watercourse portrayed as area feature (having more than 500m wide).  
*Quality criteria:* Dam bordering reservoir has to be coincident to reservoir boundary. Duplicating geometry is avoided.

*Attributes:*

<i>HydroID</i>	<i>Hydrologic Identifier</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Character Actual value
<i>NAMN1</i>	<i>Name in first national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMN2</i>	<i>Name in second national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMA1</i>	<i>Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMA2</i>	<i>Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NLN1</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
<i>NLN2</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable

**Lock****BI030**

*Definition:* A permanent barrier across a watercourse used to impound water or to control its flow.  
*Feature class:* DAMC  
*Feature type:* Point  
*Primitive type:* Connected node  
*Portrayal criteria:* All locks on watercourse portrayed as a single line.

*Attributes:*

<i>HydroID</i>	<i>Hydrologic Identifier</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Character Actual value
<i>NAMN1</i>	<i>Name in first national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMN2</i>	<i>Name in second national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMA1</i>	<i>Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMA2</i>	<i>Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NLN1</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
<i>NLN2</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable

**Lock****BI030**

*Definition:* An enclosure with a pair or series of gates used for raising or lowering vessels as they pass from one water level to another.

*Feature class:* DAML

*Feature type:* Line

*Primitive type:* Edge

*Portrayal criteria:* All locks, when located on a watercourse portrayed as area feature.

*Quality criteria:* Dam bordering reservoir has to be coincident to reservoir boundary. Duplicating geometry is avoided.

*Attributes:*

<i>HydroID</i>	<i>Hydrologic Identifier</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Character Actual value
<i>NAMN1</i>	<i>Name in first national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMN2</i>	<i>Name in second national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
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<i>NLN1</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
<i>NLN2</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable

**Glacier****BJ030**

*Definition:* A large mass of snow and ice moving slowly down a slope or valley from above the snowline.

*Feature class:* LANDICEA

*Feature type:* Area

*Primitive type:* Face

*Portrayal criteria:* Area  $\geq 3 \text{ km}^2$

*Attributes:*

<i>NAMN1</i>	<i>Name in first national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMN2</i>	<i>Name in second national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
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<i>NLN1</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
<i>NLN2</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable

**Snow Field / Ice Field****BJ100***Definition:* A large area permanently covered by snow or ice over land or water.*Feature class:* LANDICEA*Feature type:* Area*Primitive type:* Face*Portrayal criteria:* Area  $\geq 3 \text{ km}^2$ *Attributes:*

<i>NAMN1</i>	<i>Name in first national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMN2</i>	<i>Name in second national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMA1</i>	<i>Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
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<i>NLN1</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
<i>NLN2</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable

**Sea Limit****XX500**

<i>Definition:</i>	The delineation of the seaward boundary of estuaries.
<i>Feature class:</i>	COASTL
<i>Feature type:</i>	Line
<i>Primitive type:</i>	Edge
<i>Portrayal criteria:</i>	The sea limit feature represents a closing line indicating the delineation of inland water bodies and the sea area. In natural zone, the sea limit will be continuity with the natural coastline/shoreline. In man-made zone, the sea limit is determined by maritime locks or dams, or similar structure closing the estuary.
<i>Attributes:</i>	None

**Landmask Area****XX501**

<i>Definition:</i>	The landmass that covers the European continent and all islands of relevant size.
<i>Feature class:</i>	LANDMASKA
<i>Feature type:</i>	Area
<i>Primitive type:</i>	Face
<i>Portrayal criteria:</i>	The landmask area is enclosed by the coastline/shoreline and sea limit. It must not depict any lakes or other inland waters. Landmask area serves as reference layer for geometrical coherence between layers
<i>Attributes:</i>	None



**Named Location****NAME****Named Location****ZD040**

**Definition:** A geographic place on earth, not normally appearing as a feature on a map, but having a name that is required to be placed on a map.

**Feature class:** GNAMET / GNAMEP

**Feature type:** Text / Point

**Primitive type:** Text string / Isolated node

**Portrayal criteria:** Cartographic text needed for named place at scale 1:1.000.000 that cannot be put into attributes. Named locations specially required are regions e.g. Mountain range, Valley, Peak, Gorge, Bay, Sea, Fjord, Inlet/cape, Sandbank, Beach, Headland/Peninsula, Sea water and forest name.  
For data transfer and better data interoperability, each geographical name is represented by a line feature and by a text feature. GNAMEP is a copy of GNAMET with a different geometric representation.

**Attributes:**

<b>CNL</b>	<b>Category Code for the named location</b>	<b>Data type:</b> <b>Domain:</b> 10 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 30 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 60 61 62 63	Short integer Coded value <i>Boundaries</i> <i>Hydrography</i> <i>Sea or part of sea</i> <i>Bay</i> <i>Fjord</i> <i>Part of lake</i> <i>Marsh / swamp or wetland</i> <i>Sandbank, sea area</i> <i>Beach</i> <i>Miscellaneous</i> <i>Settlement and named location</i> <i>Settlement</i> <i>Mountain range</i> <i>Highland</i> <i>Plain</i> <i>Valley</i> <i>Name of region</i> <i>Headland / peninsular</i> <i>Gorge</i> <i>Peak</i> <i>Transportation and infrastructure</i> <i>Vegetation and soil</i> <i>Ground Surface element</i> <i>Agricultural area, plantation</i> <i>Woods / forest</i>
<b>NAMN1</b>	<b>Name in first national language</b>	<b>Data type:</b> <b>Domain:</b> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
<b>NAMN2</b>	<b>Name in second national language</b>	<b>Data type:</b> <b>Domain:</b> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
<b>NAMA1</b>	<b>Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)</b>	<b>Data type:</b> <b>Domain:</b> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable

<i>NAMA2</i>	<i>Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
<i>NLN1</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
<i>NLN2</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable

Settlement

POP

Built-up Area

AL020

Definition:

Feature class:

Feature type:

Primitive type:

Portrayal criteria:

Quality criteria:

Attributes:

An area containing a concentration of buildings and other structures.

BUILTUPA

Area

Face

Population ≥ 50,000 inhabitants AND total size ≥ 0.5 km². Minimum size of a discrete area: 0.5 km² (when the same built-up area is split into several parts). Area ≥ 0.5 km² is used as only criteria when the number of inhabitants is unknown.

When a city is represented as several separated polygons, all the polygons are populated with the same identifier.

The population place identifier PopulatedPlaceID is the unique identifier of the city, referring to the populate place captured as the representation point for a built-up area.

Each built-up area should have a unique population place identifier.

Populated	Populated Place Identifier	Data type:	Character
PlaceID		Domain:	Actual Value

**Built-up area****AL020**

*Definition:* An area containing a concentration of buildings and other structures.

*Feature class:* BUILTUPP

*Feature type:* Point

*Primitive type:* Isolated node

*Portrayal criteria:* All built-up areas between 1 000 – 50 000 inhabitants OR if more than 50 000 but total size  $\leq 0,5 \text{ km}^2$ .

Built-up areas, which have less than 1000 inhabitants but are main villages or cities of the regional/local administrative units are included. In that case it should be taken care that all regional/local administrative units have at least main village or city. If the number of inhabitants is not known, then the selection criterion is size  $\leq 0.5 \text{ km}^2$ .

*Quality criteria:* All built-up areas have to be named.

When PPL is considered to be populated (including 'Unknown' value for some exceptions), it is not necessary to populate PP1 and PP2, which get the value 'Unpopulated' (-29997).

Each populated place should have a unique populated place identifier.

*Attributes:*

NAMN1	Name in first national language	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NAMN2	Name in second national language	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NAMA1	Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NLN1	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
NLN2	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
PPL	Population Place Category	Data type: Measurment units: Domain -32768	Long integer 1 inhabitant Actual value Unknown or Unpopulated
PP1	Population Lower Range	Data type: Measurment units: Domain -32768	Long integer 1 inhabitant Range value Unknown or Unpopulated

<i>PP2</i>	<i>Population Upper Range</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Measurment</i> <i>units:</i> <i>Domain</i> -32768	Long integer 1 inhabitant  Range value Unknown or Unpopulated
<i>USE</i>	<i>Usage</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 1 2  3 4 5 6 -32768	Short integer Coded value Primary/1 <sup>st</sup> order national level Secondary/2 <sup>nd</sup> order national level  Tertiary/3 <sup>rd</sup> order national level Fourth/4 <sup>th</sup> order national level Fifth national level order Sixth national level order Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>Populated PlaceID</i>	<i>Populated Place Identifier</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Character Actual Value

**Populated Place****AL022**

**Definition:** A named area where people live and/or work. For example: a city, a town and a village.

**Feature class:** BUILTUPP

**Feature type:** Point

**Primitive type:** Isolated node

**Portrayal criteria:** The point representation of a built-up are used for labelling and reference.  
The NAMN1 attribute stores the name of the populated place in the official primary language spoken in that populated place and administratively relevant.  
The NAMN2 attribute stores the name of the populated place in the official secondary language spoken in that populated place and administratively relevant.

**Quality criteria:** The populated place is identified by a unique ID and holds all the attribute information. It shall be inside one of the areas forming the populated place and collected in BuiltupA.  
All populated places have to be named.  
When PPL is considered to be populated (including 'Unknown' value for some exceptions), it is not necessary to populate PP1 and PP2, which get the value 'Unpopulated' (-29997).  
Each populated place should have a unique populated place identifier.

**Attributes:**

NAMN1	Name in first national language	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NAMN2	Name in second national language	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NAMA1	Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NLN1	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
NLN2	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
PPL	Population Place Category	Data type: Measurment units: Domain -32768	Long integer 1 inhabitant Actual value Unknown or Unpopulated
PP1	Population Lower Range	Data type: Measurment units: Domain -32768	Long integer 1 inhabitant Range value Unknown

<i>PP2</i>	<i>Population Upper Range</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Long integer
		<i>Measurment units:</i>	1 inhabitant
		<i>Domain</i>	Range value
		-32768	Unknown
<i>USE</i>	<i>Usage</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Short integer
		<i>Domain:</i>	Coded value
		1	Primary/1 <sup>st</sup> order national level
		2	Secondary/2 <sup>nd</sup> order national level
		3	Tertiary/3 <sup>rd</sup> order national level
		4	Fourth/4 <sup>th</sup> order national level
		5	Fifth national level order
		6	Sixth national level order
		-32768	Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>Populated PlaceID</i>	<i>Populated Place Identifier</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Actual Value

**Transportation****TRANS****Railway****AN010**

*Definition:* A rail or set of parallel rails on which a train or tram runs.  
*Feature class:* RAILRDL  
*Feature type:* Line  
*Primitive type:* Edge  
*Portrayal criteria:* Railway routes used for regular transportation of goods and passengers. Important industry railways can be included. Metro lines (= underground urban railways), tram lines or streetcar lines inside city areas are excluded. Railways are represented by one line regardless of the number of tracks. Railway yards are excluded. Ending (dangle) railway lines shorter than 2 km are excluded (if not nationally important).

*Attributes:*

EXS	Existence Category	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 5 6 28	Short integer Coded value Unknown Under construction Abandoned / disused Operational
FCO	Feature Configuration	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 2 3 11 12	Short integer Coded value Unknown Multiple Single Double Juxtaposition
GAW	Gauge Width	<i>Data type:</i> Measurement unit: <i>Domain:</i> -32768	Short integer 1 cm Actual value Unknown or Not applicable (for monorails)
LLE	Location Level	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>  -9 -2 -1 -32768 1 2 3 9	Short integer Coded value  Underground (unknown level) Underground (second level) Underground (first level) Unknown On ground surface Suspended or elevated (first level) Suspended or elevated (second level) Suspended or elevated (unknown level)
NAMN1	Name in first national language	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Not applicable or Unpopulated



NAMN2	Name in second national language	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Not applicable or Unpopulated
NAMA1	Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Not applicable or Unpopulated
NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Not applicable or Unpopulated
NLN1	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
NLN2	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
RCO	Railroad Code	Data type: Domain: <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Not applicable or Unpopulated
RGC	Railroad Gauge Category	Data type: Domain: -32768 1 2 3	Short integer Coded value Unknown or Not applicable (for monorails) Broad Narrow Normal (Country Specific)
RRA	Railroad Power Source	Data type: Domain: -32768 1 3 4	Short integer Coded value Unknown Electrified track Overhead electrified Non-electrified
RRC	Railroad Category	Data type: Domain: -32768 16 17 999	Short integer Coded value Unknown Main line Branch line Other
RSD	Railroad Speed Class	Data type: Domain: -32768 1 2 3	Short integer Coded value Unknown or Unpopulated Conventional Railway Line Upgraded high-speed railway line (order of 200km/h) Dedicated high-speed railway line (≥250km/h)

<i>RSU</i>	<i>Seasonal availability</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 1 2	Short integer Coded value <i>Unknown or Unpopulated</i> <i>All year</i> <i>Seasonal</i>
<i>TEN</i>	<i>TransEuropean Transport Network</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 1 2	Short integer Coded value <i>Unknown</i> <i>part of TEN-T network</i> <i>not part of TEN-T network</i>
TUC	Transportation Use Category	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 25 26 45	Short integer Coded value Unknown Cargo/Freight Passenger General

**Railway Network Link**

**AN500**

*Definition:*

A link representing a railway connection to other modes of transportation (road, air, water)

*Feature class:*

RAILRDL

*Feature type:*

Line

*Primitive type:*

Edge

*Portrayal criteria:*

A railway station has to be connected to one or more railway(s) and at least one road.  
A ferry station has to be connected to one or more ferry crossing(s) and either a road or a railway.  
An airport point has to be connected to one or more road(s) or railway(s).

*Attributes:*

<i>TEN</i>	<i>TransEuropean Transport Network</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Short integer
		<i>Domain:</i>	Coded value
		<i>0</i>	<i>Unknown</i>
		<i>1</i>	<i>part of TEN-T network</i>
		<i>2</i>	<i>not part of TEN-T network</i>

**Interchange****AP020**

*Definition:* A connection designed to provide traffic access from one road to another.  
*Feature class:* INTERCC  
*Feature type:* Point  
*Primitive type:* Connected node  
*Portrayal criteria:* Restricted to roads connected at different level crossing as i.e. at intersections of motorways or at exits of motorways.  
*Quality criteria:* All exits of highways and interchanges on highways have to be portrayed and named when existing.

*Attributes:*

<i>NAMN1</i>	<i>Name in first national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMN2</i>	<i>Name in second national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMA1</i>	<i>Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NAMA2</i>	<i>Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
<i>NLN1</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
<i>NLN2</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
<i>RJC</i>	<i>Road Junction Category</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 1 2 3	Short integer Coded value Unknown <i>Interchange (between motorways)</i> <i>Access/exit (from motorway to road)</i> <i>Mixed (complex)</i>

**Road****AP030***Definition:* An open way maintained for vehicular use.*Feature class:* ROADL*Feature type:* Line*Primitive type:* Edge

*Portrayal criteria:* Roads that form up a logical transportation network at a map scale 1:1 000 000. Roads can be omitted for cartographic reasons in those areas where the road network is very dense. Low-class roads can be added if these roads are important routes in settlement structure. Roads are represented by one line regardless of the number of lanes or carriageways. Road lines shorter than 2 km are excluded. All European roads (E-roads) are included.

*Attributes:*

<i>COR</i>	<i>Category of Road</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 1 2 999	Short integer Coded value <i>Unknown, or Unpopulated</i> <i>Motorway</i> <i>Road inside built-up area</i> <i>Other road (outside built-up area)</i>
<i>EXS</i>	<i>Existence Category</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 5 28	Short integer Coded value Unknown Under construction Operational
<i>LLE</i>	<i>Location Level</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>  -9 -2 -1 -32768 1 2  3  9	Short integer Coded value  <i>Underground (unknown level)</i> <i>Underground (second level)</i> <i>Underground (first level)</i> <i>Unknown</i> <i>On ground surface</i> <i>Suspended or elevated (first level)</i> <i>Suspended or elevated (second level)</i> <i>Suspended or elevated (unknown level)</i>
<i>LTN</i>	<i>Lane/Track Number</i>	<i>Data type:</i> Measurement unit: <i>Domain:</i> -32768	Short integer 1 lane Actual value Unknown
<i>MED</i>	<i>Median Category</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 1 2	Short integer Coded value Unknown With median Without median
<i>RST</i>	<i>Road Surface Type</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 1 2	Short integer Coded value Unknown Hard/Paved Loose/Unpaved

<i>RSU</i>	<i>Seasonal availability</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 1 2	Short integer Coded value <i>Unknown or Unpopulated</i> <i>All year</i> <i>Seasonal</i>
<i>RTE</i>	<i>Route Number (Internat.)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	<i>Character</i> <i>Actual value</i> <i>Unknown or Not applicable</i>
RTN	Route Number (National)	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
RTT	Route Intended Use	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 14 15 16 984	Short integer Coded value Unknown Primary route Secondary route National Motorway Local route
<i>TEN</i>	<i>TransEuropean Transport Network</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 1 2	Short integer Coded value <i>Unknown</i> <i>part of TEN-T network</i> <i>not part of TEN-T network</i>
TOL	Toll Category	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 1 2 3	Short integer Coded value Unknown Road generally free of charge Toll road Vignette
TUC	Transportation Use Category	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 7 36	Short integer Coded value Unknown Through route Slip road / access road

Road Network Link

AP500

Definition:

A link representing road connection to other modes of transportation (rail, air, water).

Feature class:

ROADL

Feature type:

Line

Primitive type:

Edge

Portrayal criteria:

A railway station has to be connected to one or more railway(s) and at least one road.  
A ferry station has to be connected to one or more ferry crossing(s) and either a road or a railway.  
An airport point has to be connected to one or more road(s) or railway(s).

Attributes:

TEN	TransEuropean Transport Network	Data type:	Short integer
		Domain:	Coded value
		-32768	Unknown
		1	part of TEN-T network
		2	not part of TEN-T network

Attributes: None

**Level Crossing****AQ062**

<i>Definition:</i>	The location where a railway and a road transportation routes intersect at the same vertical level.
<i>Feature class:</i>	LEVELCC
<i>Feature type:</i>	Point
<i>Primitive type:</i>	Connected node
<i>Portrayal criteria:</i>	A point where a railway crosses a road at the same level. The level crossing will be associated both to the road and railway network.
<i>Attributes:</i>	None

**Road Intersection****AQ063**

<i>Definition:</i>	The location where road transportation routes intersect or cross at the same vertical level.
<i>Feature class:</i>	LEVELCC
<i>Feature type:</i>	Point
<i>Primitive type:</i>	Connected node
<i>Portrayal criteria:</i>	A point where two or more roads intersect or cross at the same vertical level.
<i>Attributes:</i>	None



**Ferry Crossing****AQ070**

**Definition:** A route in a body of water where a ferry crosses from one shoreline to another.  
**Feature class:** FERRYL  
**Feature type:** Line  
**Primitive type:** Edge  
**Portrayal criteria:** All important regular international ferry routes. All national ferry routes having major importance in connecting the national road or railway network. Have to be connected to a ferry station.  
 DETN attribute stores the named place of destination in the way <to place of destination>(country code). The language to name the destination place shall be in the national language of the destination country.  
 The FerryID is the unique identification number of the ferry line referring to the Ferry\_link and FERRY\_LINES tables which give the link between the ferry crossing and departure/destination ports.

**Attributes:**

<i>DETN</i>	<i>Destination in first national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Actual value
		<UNK>	Unknown or Not applicable
<i>DETA</i>	<i>Destination in first national language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Actual value
		<UNK>	Unknown or Not applicable
<i>DNLN</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for DETN</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Actual value
		<UNK>	Not applicable
<i>RSU</i>	<i>Seasonal availability</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Short integer
		<i>Domain:</i>	Coded value
		-32768	Unknown
		1	All year
		2	Seasonal
		997	Unpopulated
<i>TEN</i>	<i>TransEuropean Transport Network</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Short integer
		<i>Domain:</i>	Coded value
		-32768	Unknown
		1	part of TEN-T network
		2	not part of TEN-T network
<i>USE</i>	<i>Usage</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Short integer
		<i>Domain:</i>	Coded value
		-32768	Unknown
		4	National
		23	International
<i>FerryID</i>	<i>Ferry line Identifier</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Actual value

**Ferry Station****AQ080**

**Definition:** A point where a ferry takes on or discharges its load.  
**Feature class:** FERRY\_C  
**Feature type:** Point  
**Primitive type:** Connected node  
**Portrayal criteria:** The ferry station shall be identified for each ferry line and connected to them. There can be several ferry lines connected to one ferry station. The ferry station shall be connected to railway or road and the corresponding ferry line.  
 The FStationID is the unique identification number of the ferry station referring to the Ferry\_link and FERRY\_LINES tables which give the link between the ferry crossing and departure/destination ports.

**Attributes:**

<i>NAMN1</i>	<i>Name in first national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
<i>NAMN2</i>	<i>Name in second national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
<i>NAMA1</i>	<i>Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
<i>NAMA2</i>	<i>Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
<i>NLN1</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
<i>NLN2</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
<i>FStationID</i>	<i>Ferry Station Identifier</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Character Actual value

**Related Table:** The Ferry\_link and FERRY\_LINES tables must be provided with ferry lines and ferry stations (see description in ANNEX F)

**Entrance / Exit****AQ090***Definition:* A point of entrance or exit.*Feature class:* EXITC*Feature type:* Point*Primitive type:* Connected node*Portrayal criteria:* A point where a road or a railway goes across an international boundary and traffic across the boundary is allowed and there is a real customs or other kind of official facility. Node for representing border-crossing point is placed at the international boundary. Used outside Schengen area only.*Attributes:*

<i>NAMN1</i>	<i>Name in first national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Not applicable or Unpopulated
<i>NAMN2</i>	<i>Name in second national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Not applicable or Unpopulated
<i>NAMA1</i>	<i>Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Not applicable or Unpopulated
<i>NAMA2</i>	<i>Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown, Not applicable or Unpopulated
<i>NLN1</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
<i>NLN2</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable

**Railway Station****AQ125**

*Definition:* A stopping place for the transfer of passengers and/or freight.  
*Feature class:* RAILRDC  
*Feature type:* Point  
*Primitive type:* Connected node  
*Portrayal criteria:* All railway stations and stopping places used for passenger and/or freight traffic are portrayed.  
*Quality criteria:* All stations and stopping places have to be named. The RStationID is the unique identification number of the railway station.

*Attributes:*

TFC	Transportation Facility Type	<i>Data type:</i> Short integer <i>Domain:</i> Coded value -32768 Unknown 15 Railway Station 31 Joint Railway Station 32 Halt 33 Marshalling Yard 34 Intermodal Rail Transport Terminal
NAMN1	Name in first national language	<i>Data type:</i> Character <i>Domain:</i> Actual value <UNK> Unknown or Not Applicable
NAMN2	Name in second national language	<i>Data type:</i> Character <i>Domain:</i> Actual value <UNK> Unknown or Not Applicable
NAMA1	Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)	<i>Data type:</i> Character <i>Domain:</i> Actual value <UNK> Unknown or Not Applicable
NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	<i>Data type:</i> Character <i>Domain:</i> Actual value <UNK> Unknown or Not Applicable
NLN1	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1	<i>Data type:</i> Character <i>Domain:</i> Actual value <UNK> Not applicable
NLN2	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2	<i>Data type:</i> Character <i>Domain:</i> Actual value <UNK> Not applicable
TUC	Transportation Use Category	<i>Data type:</i> Short integer <i>Domain:</i> Coded value -32768 Unknown 25 Cargo/Freight 26 Passenger 45 General 997 Unpopulated
RStationID	Railway station Identifier	<i>Data type:</i> Character <i>Domain:</i> Actual value

**Vehicle Stopping Area / Rest Area****AQ135**

*Definition:* A roadside place usually having facilities for people and/or vehicles.  
*Feature class:* RESTC  
*Feature type:* Point  
*Primitive type:* Connected node  
*Portrayal criteria:* Mainly on motorways.

*Attributes:*

AFA	Available Facilities	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 9 999	Character Coded value Unknown Fuel station Other (no fuel)
NAMN1	Name in first national language	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NAMN2	Name in second national language	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NAMA1	Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NAMA2	Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NLN1	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
NLN2	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN2	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable

**Airport / Airfield****GB005**

*Definition:* A defined area of land or water used for landing, take-off, and movement of aircraft including associated buildings and facilities.

*Feature class:* AIRFLDP

*Feature type:* Point

*Primitive type:* Isolated node

*Portrayal criteria:* All airports having regular passenger traffic.

*Attributes:*

CAA	Controlling Authority	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 5 7 16	Short integer Coded value Unknown Military Joint Military/Civilian Civilian
EXS	Existence Category	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768 5 6 28	Short integer Coded value Unknown or Unpopulated Under construction Abandoned/Disused Operational
FUC	Functional Use Category	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768  2 13	Short integer Coded value Unknown Unpopulated or Not applicable (for military) Commercial Recreational
IAT	<i>IATA Code</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Coded value (3 char.) Unknown or Not applicable
IKO	<i>ICAO Code</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Coded value (4 char.) Unknown or Not applicable
NAMN1	<i>Name in first national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NAMN2	<i>Name in second national language</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NAMA1	<i>Name in first national Language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NAMA2	<i>Name in second national language (ASCII-7bit)</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Unknown or Not applicable
NLN1	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code for NAMN1</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> <UNK>	Character Actual value Not applicable
NLN2	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Character

<i>Code for NAMN2</i>		<i>Domain:</i>	Actual value
		<UNK>	Not applicable
TUC	Transportation Use Category	Data type:	Short Integer
		Domain:	Coded value
		-32768	Unknown or Not applicable (for military)
		25	Cargo/Freight
USE	Usage	26	Passenger
		45	General
		Data type:	Short Integer
		Domain:	Coded value
ZV3	Airfield Elevation	-32768	Unknown or Unpopulated
		4	National
		23	International
		113	Regional
		Data type:	Short Integer
		Domain:	Actual value
		-32768	Unknown or Unpopulated

## ANNEX D: Topological associations

This annex describes topological relationships at feature level that need to be specified in the data schema of EuroGlobalMap or to be considered for quality insurance.

### Boundaries BND

These topological relationships set up at feature class level are required and should be specified in the data schema:

Feature class	Topological association	Related feature class	Description
POLBND	Boundary must be covered by	POLBNDL	Boundaries of administrative entities (area) must be covered by the lines of the administrative boundaries.
	Must not overlap		Administrative entities as polygons must not overlap between them.
	Must have no gap		Administrative entities must form a continuous coverage and must not have a void area between them.
POLBNDL	Must not intersect or touch interior		Administrative boundaries can only touch at their ends and must not overlap each other.
	Must not have isolated start node and/or end node		Administrative boundaries lines must touch one other administrative boundary line and cannot be isolated.
	Must not have pseudo-nodes		The end of a line cannot touch the end of ONLY one other line but several.
	Must be covered by boundary of	POLBND	Lines of the administrative boundaries must be covered by boundaries of area administrative entities.

### Hydrography HYDRO

These topological relationships set up at feature class level are required and should be specified in the data schema:

Feature class	Topological association	Related feature class	Description
COASTA	Must not overlap with	COASTA ISLANDA LAKERESA LANDICEA	Foreshore area must not overlap with itself and island area, lake area, ice area.
COASTA	Must be covered by	WATRCRSA or SEAA	The foreshore SHALL overlap either the sea or a watercourse area.



Feature class	Topological association	Related feature class	Description
	Must not have gap with	SEAA WATRCRSA	Foreshore area must not have void area with adjacent features as water area, and watercourse area.
COASTL	Must not intersect or touch interior		Coastlines/shorelines and sea limit must only touch at their ends and must not overlap each other.
	Must not overlap with	WATRCRSL	Coastlines/shorelines must not overlap with watercourse lines.
COASTL, BA010	Must be covered by boundary of	COASTA or ISLANDA or SEAA	Coastlines/shorelines and sea limit must be covered by the boundaries of foreshore polygons or island polygons or sea polygons.
COASTL, XX500	Must be covered by boundary of	SEAA	Sea limit must be covered by the boundaries of sea polygons.
COASTL, XX500	Must be covered by boundary of	WATRCRSA	Sea limit must be covered by the boundaries of watercourse polygons.
DAML	Must not intersect or touch interior		Dam/lock lines must only touch at their ends and must not overlap each other.
	Must not overlap with	COASTL, WATRCRSL	Dam lines must not overlap with coastline/shoreline, watercourse lines.
DAML, BI020	Must be covered by boundary of	LAKERESA or WATRCRSA	Dam as line feature must be covered by boundary of reservoir area or by watercourse area.
DAML, BI030	Must be covered by boundary of	WATRCRSA	Lock as line feature must be covered by boundary of watercourse area.
LAKERESA	Must not overlap with	COASTA ISLANDA LAKERESA LANDICEA SEAA WATRCRSA	Lake areas must not overlap between themselves and with foreshore areas, island areas, ice areas, sea areas, watercourse areas.
LANDICEA	Must not overlap with	COASTA ISLANDA LAKERESA LANDICEA SEAA WATRCRSA	Ice areas must not overlap between themselves and with foreshore areas, island areas, lake areas, sea areas, watercourse areas.
ISLANDA	Must not overlap with	COASTA SEAA ISLANDA WATRCRSA LAKERESA LANDICEA	Island areas must not overlap between themselves and with water area, foreshore area, watercourse area, lake area and ice area.
ISLANDA	Must not have gap with	COASTA SEAA WATRCRSA LAKERESA LANDICEA	Islands area must not have void area with foreshore area, water area, watercourse area, lake area and ice area.

Feature class	Topological association	Related feature class	Description
SEAA	Must not overlap with	ISLANDA LAKERESA WATRCRSA SEAA LANDICEA	Water (except inland) must not overlap between them, lake/reservoir area watercourse area, island area and ice area.
SEAA	Boundary must be covered by	COASTL	Boundaries of sea water (area) must be covered by the lines of the coastline/shoreline or sea limit.
SPRINGP	Must not overlap with	SPRINGP SPRINGC	Spring/water hole as isolated node must not overlap between them and with spring water (as connected).
SPRINGC	Must not overlap with	SPRINGP SPRINGC	Spring/water hole as connected node must not overlap between them and with spring water (as isolated).
	Must be covered by endpoint of	WATRCRSL	Spring/water hole as connected node must be covered by the ends of watercourse lines.
WATRCRSA	Must not overlap with	COASTA ISLANDA SEAA WATRCRSA LAKERESA LANDICEA	Watercourse areas must not overlap between themselves sea areas, land ice areas, island areas, lake areas.
	Must not have gap with	SEAA COASTA	Watercourse area must not have void area with sea area and foreshore area.
WATRCRSL	Must not intersect or touch interior		Watercourse lines must only touch at their ends and must not overlap each other.
	Must not overlap with	COASTL DAML	Watercourse lines must not overlap with shoreline, dam.

### Settlements POP

These topological relationships set up at feature class level are required and should be specified in the data schema:

Feature class	Topological association	Related feature class	Description
BUILTUPA	Must not overlap		Built-up areas as area feature must not overlap between them.
BUILTUPP	Must not overlap		Built-up areas as nodes must not overlap between them.
BUILTUPP, AL020	Must not overlap	BUILTUPA	Built-up area as node feature must not overlap built-up area as area feature.
BUILTUPP, AL022	Must be inside	BUILTUPA	Population Place as point feature must be inside corresponding built-up area as area feature.

## Transportation TRANS

These topological relationships set up at feature class level are required and should be specified in the data schema:

Feature class	Topology rules	Related feature class	Description
AIRFLDP	Must not overlap with	AIRFLDP EXITC INTERCC LEVELCC RAILRDC	Airfields as node must not overlap between them and with exits, interchange, level crossing, railway stations.
EXITC	Must be covered by end node of	ROADL or RAILRDL	Entrance/exit as connected nodes must be covered by end nodes of roads or railways.
	Must not overlap with	AIRFLDP EXITC INTERCC LEVELCC RAILRDC	Entrance/exit as connected node must not overlap between them and with airfield, interchange, level crossing, railway stations.
FERRYL	Must not overlap with	RAILRDL ROADL	Ferry lines must not overlap with road lines, and railroad lines.
FERRYC	Must be covered by end node of	FERRYL ROADL or RAILRDL	Ferry station as connected node must be covered by end nodes of ferry lines. Ferry station as connected node must be covered by end nodes of roads or railways.
FERRYC	Must not overlap with	AIRFLDP INTERCC LEVELCC RAILRDC FERRYC	Ferry station as node must not overlap between them and with airfields, heliport, interchange, level crossing, railway stations, control towers and rest areas.
INTERCC	Must be covered by end node of	ROADL	Interchange as connected node must be covered by end nodes of roads.
	Must not overlap with	AIRFLDP EXITC INTERCC LEVELCC RAILRDC	Interchanges, as connected node, must not overlap between them and with exits, airfield, level crossing, railway stations.
LEVELCC, AQ062	Must be covered by end node of	ROADL and RAILRDL	Level crossing as connected node must be covered by end nodes of roads and railways.
LEVELCC, AQ063	Must be covered by end node of	ROADL	Road intersection as connected node must be covered by end nodes of roads.
LEVELCC	Must not overlap with	AIRFLDP EXITC INTERCC LEVELCC RAILRDC	Level crossings, as connected node, must not overlap between them and with exits, airfield, interchange, railway stations.
RAILRDL	Must not intersect or touch interior		Railroad lines can only touch at their ends and must not overlap each other.
	Must not overlap with	ROADL FERRYL	Railroad lines must not overlap with road lines, wharfs, runways and ferry lines.

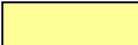
Feature class	Topology rules	Related feature class	Description
RAILRDC	Must be covered by end node of	RAILRDL and ROADL	Railroad stations as connected nodes must be covered by end nodes of railways and roads.
	Must not overlap with	AIRFLDP EXITC INTERCC LEVELCC RAILRDC	Railway station, as connected node, must not overlap between them and with exits, helifield, airfield, interchange, level crossings, control towers, and rest areas.
ROADL	Must not intersect or touch interior		Road lines can only touch at their ends and must not overlap each other.
	Must not overlap with	RAILRDL FERRYL	Road lines must not overlap with railroad lines, wharfs, runways and ferry lines.

**Topological associations required between themes**

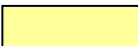
Feature class	Topological association	Related feature class	Description
BUILTUPA	Must be covered by	POLBND A	Built-up Area as area must be covered by a single polygon in administrative area.
	Must not be covered by	SEAA	Built-up Area as area must not be covered by sea area.
BUILTTPP	Must be properly inside	POLBND A	Built-up Area as nodes must be inside single polygons of administrative area.
	Must not be covered by	SEAA	Built-up Area as nodes must not be covered by sea area.
EXITC	Must be covered by boundary of Must be covered by line	POLBND A POLBND L with USE = 23	The exit must touch the boundaries of the administrative entities.

## Topological associations needed for quality control and good consistency between features

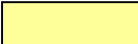
The following topological matrices refer to topological relationships between features that should be “nice to have” for better consistency in the dataset.

 Area must not overlap with area <sup>6</sup>

AREA	COASTA	LAKERESA	LANDICEA	ISLANDA	SEAA	WATRCRSA	BUILTUPA
COASTA							
LAKERESA							
LANDICEA							
ISLANDA							
SEAA							
WATRCRSA							
BUILTUPA							

 Point must not be covered by area <sup>7</sup>

AREA POINT	COASTA	LAKERESA	LANDICEA	ISLANDA	SEAA	WATRCRSA	BUILTUPA
SPRINGP SPRINGC							
AIRFLDP							
RAILRDC							
EXITC							
BUILTUPP							

 Line must not overlap with area <sup>8</sup>

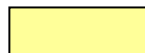
AREA LINE	COASTA	LAKERESA	LANDICEA	ISLANDA	SEAA	WATRCRSA	BUILTUPA
DAML							
COASTL							
WATRCRSL							
FERRYL							

<sup>6</sup> Case in grey colour means that the topological relationship is required as mentioned in the tables above.

<sup>7</sup> Case in grey colour means that the topological relationship is required as mentioned in the tables above.

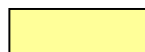
<sup>8</sup> Case in grey colour means that the topological relationship is required as mentioned in the tables above.

AREA LINE	COASTA	LAKERESA	LANDICEA	ISLANDA	SEAA	WATRCRSA	BUILTUPA
RAILRDL							
ROADL							



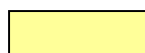
Line must not overlap with line <sup>9</sup>

LINE LINE	COASTL	DAML	WATRCRSL	FERRYL	RAILRDL	ROADL
COASTL						
DAML						
WATRCRSL						
FERRYL						
RAILRDL						
ROADL						



Isolated point must not be covered by line <sup>10</sup>

LINE POINT	COASTL	DAML	WATRCRSL	FERRYL	RAILRDL	ROADL
SPRINGP						
AIRFLDP						
BUILTUPP						



Point must not be covered by point <sup>11</sup>

POINT POINT	SPRINGP	SPRINGC	AIRFLDP	RAILRDC	EXITC	FERRYC	BUILTUPP
SPRINGP							
SPRINGC							
AIRFLDP							
RAILRDC							
EXITC							
FERRYC							
BUILTUPP							

<sup>9</sup> Case in grey colour means that the topological relationship is required as mentioned in the tables above.

<sup>10</sup> Case in grey colour means that the topological relationship is required as mentioned in the tables above.

<sup>11</sup> Case in grey colour means that the topological relationship is required as mentioned in the tables above.

ANNEX E: Metadata files

Four metadata files are provided for the whole database:

- EGM\_2022\_Metadata.xls
- EGM\_2022\_Lineage.pdf
- EGM\_2022\_Updates.xls
- EGM\_2022\_DataCompleteness\_\_FC.csv
- EGM\_2022\_DataCompleteness\_\_FC\_attr.csv
- EGM\_2022\_DataCompleteness\_\_FC\_ICC.csv
- EGM\_2022\_DataCompleteness\_\_FC\_ICC\_attr.csv

The Metadata file is in accordance with the ISO/DIS 19115 and is structured in packages, entities and elements (with sub-elements).

packages:	Metadata (MD_Metadata)
entities:	point of contact
elements:	edition
sub- elements:	citation
	date
	date

The column “Obligation” shows if an element is mandatory (M), optional (O) or conditional (C) as given in the standard. When the entity is optional and information is not given then the elements, including the mandatory ones, are left empty. When the entity is mandatory then at least the mandatory elements have to be filled.

Only the fields marked in grey can be filled.



## Lineage files Description

The documents contain producer's information as well as special extraction rules and peculiarities which provide complementary information to the metadata regarding the data quality of the EGM dataset.

The documents will be filled by the producers and will be set up by area of responsibility of producers. If a producer is in charge of the production of several countries derived from the same data sources, this should be described in a same document.

The following topics are covered in each producer's lineage:

### 1. Contact information

The contact information of the data provider shall be described similarly like the point of contact ISO-29 of the metadata. This should be obviously the same point of contact.

### 2. Short description of the process applied to derive the national EGM contribution

The data provider shall describe the data sources used, the conversion process used to derive EGM, the GIS platform and GIS software used to derive or manage EGM.

### 3. Deviation from the specifications

Deviations will be considered when the selection or portrayal criteria for some feature classes have not been according to the specifications. This deviation will be described and structured by theme.

### 4. National specificities in populating features and attributes

Specific ways to populate attributes at national level, helping the user to understand and interpret the national contributions including specific information about unpopulated and non-applicable attributes. The information is only given if not covered by the specification.

National specificities will include:

- A description of the national classifications used mainly for the transport and water network.

  - The description of the national classification will be specifically required.

- A description of the Naming conventions (describes the use of the official languages and its exceptions and the translation rules to the ASCII names)

- Specific national features that have been integrated in the EGM dataset but cannot be really identified as such because the EGM data schema doesn't allow it. The way they have been codified and structured can be described here.

- Information about unpopulated optional or esp. mandatory features and attributes

### 5. Currency/Update remarks

The actual date of the modification of the data differentiated by theme (and/or feature class: if needed). Among them, the statement about date and data sources used for the population figure of the built-up area is required. The currency date for the EBM tables is also useful.

### 6. Improvement of the data quality

A brief description of the improvement in the data quality comparing with the previous release can be provided as well as the expected improvement that will be done for the next release.

The improvement can be described for the data content, the selection criteria, the topology, the transport and water network, the new added features.

The improvement of the data quality will be briefly summarised in the paragraph 6 of the EGM\_lineage.pdf.

## 7. Availability of the data

The availability of the data is described by two main indicators:

the existence (ID1) of the feature and attribute

the completeness (ID2) of the feature and attribute

The indicators will be defined by feature class/feature code meaning that i.e. the feature code watercourse BH502 will have two indicator values; one when portrayed as area feature WATRCRSA and one when portrayed as line feature WATRCRSL.

The indicator Existence (ID1) means the presence/absence of a feature or an attribute in the EGM dataset.

The presence of a feature means that the feature exists in the real world context and has been selected in the EGM dataset.

The presence of an attribute means that the data exists in the real world context and has been populated in the EGM dataset

The absence of a feature means that the feature exists in the real world context but has NOT been selected in the EGM dataset.

The absence of an attribute means that the data exists in the real world context but has NOT been populated in the EGM dataset

The indicator “existence” shall be calculated as follow:

Presence: indicator ID1 = 1

Absence: indicator ID1 = 0

The indicator “existence” cannot be applied to a feature and an attribute that doesn't exist in the real world context. In that case the indicator is not applicable and shall be populated with -1

Not applicable: indicator ID1 = -1

The Completeness (ID2) is defined by a group of two indicators: the selection compliancy of a feature class/feature code (ID2.1) and the data completeness of an attribute (ID2.2).

The indicator “completeness” shall be applied only when the features have been selected or the attribute populated meaning that the indicator “existence” ID1 = 1.

Selection Compliancy for a feature class/feature code (ID2.1) estimates if the selected features are fully compliant or not fully to the specifications. The feature shall be captured for the entire territory and in accordance to the portrayal and selection criteria of the specifications. In that case, we have full selection compliancy of the selected features.

This selection compliancy (ID2.1) for a feature class/feature code shall be roughly estimated by the provider. Two estimations can be provided; the selection of the features is “not fully compliant” to the specifications or it is “fully compliant” to the specifications.

The “not fully compliant” can be estimated in different ways:

Case 1: The selected features have been captured just for a part of the territory

Case 2: The selected features have been captured not or partly according to the selection criteria and portrayal criteria

The indicator will be measured as followed:

ID2.1 = 0 = not fully (compliant)

ID2.1 = 1 = fully (compliant)

When ID2.1 is not fully compliant, then remarks are welcome.

Data Completeness of an attribute (ID2.2) for a specific feature class/feature code means the % of the populated attributes holding real values. Real values exclude the null values like unknown and unpopulated. The not applicable value is part of the %.

The data completeness of an attribute (ID2.2) shall be calculated as following:

By feature class/feature code, the number of features whose attribute is not equal to unknown and unpopulated value divided by the total number of features of the feature class/feature code.

If not 100%, remarks or comments are welcome.

The indicators will be listed in an .xls table named EGM\_lineage.xls.

## ANNEX F: Related tables

### EBM\_NAM

*Definition:* Names of administrative units.

*Table name:* EBM\_NAM

*Relationship:* The EBM\_NAM table is related to the POLBND feature class using the SHNx/SHN attribute as primary key item.

*Portrayal Criteria:* All administrative areas from feature class POLBND as well as all units on the upper administrative levels must have a corresponding record in EBM\_NAM.

*Attributes:*

<i>SHN</i>	<i>Unique identifier for all European administrative units.</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> FI6000000 (Example)	Character  Coded value The national code is preceded by the 2-letter ISO-3166 Country Code
<i>USE</i>	<i>Administrative hierarchy level</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 1 2 3 4 5 6	Short integer Coded value 1 <sup>st</sup> order 2 <sup>nd</sup> order 3 <sup>rd</sup> order 4 <sup>th</sup> order 5 <sup>th</sup> order 6 <sup>th</sup> order
<i>ISN</i>	<i>Unique structure identifier for all European administrative hierarchical levels.</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 4904 (Example)	Short integer Coded value
<i>NAMN</i>	<i>Geographical (official national) name of the administrative unit given in national characters (Unicode-UTF8). In case of more than one official language the names are delimited by # starting with the primary official name.</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> Ahvenanmaa (Example) <UNK>	Character Actual value Name of the unit  Unknown or Not applicable
<i>NAMA</i>	<i>Geographical name of the administrative unit (NAMN) converted to ASCII characters without diacritical characters.</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> Åland (Example) <UNK>	Character Actual value  Not applicable
<i>NLN</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code of the geographical name (NAMN).</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> SWE (Example) <UNK>	Character Actual value  Not applicable

SHNupper	SHN code of the upper level unit which administers the administrative unit	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> FI619000 (Example)  <UNK>	Character Actual value   Not applicable (for administrative units on country level)
ROA	Identifier of the residence of authority	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> N.FI.BUILTUP.000028  <UNK>	Character Actual value PopulatedPlaceID of the Finnish built-up area Helsinki. Unknown, Not populated or Not applicable
PPL	Population	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> -32768	Character Actual value Unknown, Unpopulated or Not applicable
ARA	Area	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Measurement units:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Double 0.01 km <sup>2</sup> Actual value
effectiveDate	Official entry into force date of the administrative unit	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Date Actual value

**EBM\_ISN**

**Definition:** Designation of administrative hierarchical levels.

**Table name:** EBM\_ISN

**Relationship:** The EBM\_ISN table is related to the EBM\_NAM table using ISN attribute as primary key item.

**Portrayal Criteria:** All administrative units of all national hierarchical levels have a corresponding record in this table.  
The relation to the referring feature classes and tables is established based on the ISN codes.

**Attributes:**

<i>ISN</i>	<i>Structure ID of administrative unit (from the SABE Catalogue of Internal Structures and Designators).</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 4904 (Example)	Short Integer Coded value
<i>USE</i>	<i>Administrative hierarchy level</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 1 2 3 4 5 6	Short integer Coded value 1 <sup>st</sup> order 2 <sup>nd</sup> order 3 <sup>rd</sup> order 4 <sup>th</sup> order 5 <sup>th</sup> order 6 <sup>th</sup> order
<i>DESN</i>	<i>Designation of the national administrative hierarchy level given in national characters (Unicode-UTF8). In case of more than one official language the designations are delimited by #.</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> Lääni (Example)	Character Actual value
<i>DESA</i>	<i>Designation of the national administrative hierarchy level (DESN) converted to ASCII characters without diacritical characters.</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> Laani (Example)	Character Actual value
<i>NLN</i>	<i>ISO 639-2/B 3-char Language Code for DESN</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> FIN (Example)	Character Actual value
<i>SHNdigit</i>	<i>Number of digits of the SHN code which are significant for the hierarchical level</i>	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i> 5 (Example)	Integer Actual value First five digits of the SHN code are significant for Finnish hierarchical level Maakunta/Landskap (total length of Finnish SHN is 8 digits)

**EGM\_CHR**

*Definition:* This table stores the character ISO code that can be used to be able to read properly the names in attribute without using the Unicode character set.

*Table name:* EGM\_CHR

*Relationship*

*Portrayal* Each data producer must provide the ISO code of all the official languages used for the  
*Criteria:* NAMNx attributes when Unicode is not available.

*Attributes:*

ICC	Two-character country code according to ISO 3166	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Character Coded value
NLN	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code used for NAMNx	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Character Actual value
LNМ	Language Name (in English)	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Character Actual value
ISC	ISO Character Code Set	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Short Integer Coded value
		1	ISO 8859-1 (Latin 1)
		2	ISO 8859-2 (Latin 2)
		3	ISO 8859-3 (Latin 3)
		4	ISO 8859-4 (Latin 4)
		5	ISO 8859-5 (Cyrillic)
		6	ISO 8859-6 (Arabic)
		7	ISO 8859-7 (Greek)
		8	ISO 8859-8 (Hebrew)
		9	ISO 8859-9 (Latin 5)
		10	ISO 8859-10 (Latin 6)
		13	ISO 8859-13 (Latin 7)
		14	ISO 8859-14 (Latin 8)
		15	ISO 8859-15 (Latin 9)
		16	Unicode UTF-8
		99	Not applicable
TLS	Transliteration Scheme	<i>Data type:</i> <i>Domain:</i>	Character Actual value

**Ferry\_Link**

*Definition:* This table is a link table relating the ferry lines (FERRYL) to their ferry station destinations (FERRYC).

*Table name:* Ferry\_Link

*Relationship* The Unique identifier (FerryID and FStationID) of each feature of FERRYL and FERRYC are used as primary key item.

*Portrayal* Each data provider must provide and fill the table for their production area. One ferry line must be related to two or more ferry stations. One ferry station must be related to one or more ferry lines.

*Attributes:*

FerryID	Ferry line Identifier	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Actual value
FStationID	Ferry Station Identifier	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Actual value

**FERRY\_LINES**

*Definition:* This table stores information on ferry crossings and related ferry stations.

*Table name:* FERRY\_LINES

*Relationship* The Unique identifier (FerryID and FStationID) of each feature of FERRYL and FERRYC are used as primary key item.

*Portrayal* Each data provider must provide and fill the table for their production area. One ferry line must be related to two or more ferry stations. One ferry station must be related to one or more ferry lines.

*Attributes:*

FerryID	Ferry line Identifier	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Actual value
FStationID	Ferry Station Identifier	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Actual value
CountryICC	Code(s) of the destination port country(ies)	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Actual value
PortNAMN	Name in first national language	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Actual value
		<UNK>	Unknown
PortNAMA	Name in first national language (ASCII-7bit)	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Actual value
		<UNK>	Unknown or Not applicable
PortNLN	ISO 639-2/B 3-Char Language Code used for PortNAMN	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
		<i>Domain:</i>	Actual value
		<UNK>	Not applicable



CountryCodes

*Definition:* Country code combinations of EuroGeographics, ISO, and EU.  
*Table name:* CountryCodes  
*Relationship:*  
*Portrayal* Within the EuroGeographics products, all countries have unique country codes (ICC).  
*Criteria:* In some cases these differs from the view of ISO and EU. There are also differences between ISO and EU. This table holds all combinations and one can join it by using the attributes “ICC” and “EuroGeographics\_Country\_Code”.

Attributes:

<i>EuroGeographics_Country_Code</i>	<i>Country code of EuroGeographics</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
<i>Name_national</i>	<i>Country name in national characters</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
<i>Name_english</i>	<i>Long term of country name in English</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
<i>Name_english_short</i>	<i>Short term of country name in English</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
<i>EU_Country_Code</i>	<i>Country code of European Commission</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Character
<i>ISO_Country_Code</i>	<i>Country code of ISO</i>	<i>Data type:</i>	Character