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Introduction



Introduction

The Nomenclature of Territorial Units for Statistics (NUTS) was introduced by Eurostat more than 30 years ago in order to provide a single uniform breakdown of territorial units for the production of regional statistics for the European Union.

The NUTS classification has been used in Community legislation since 1988,¹ but it was only in 2003, after three years of preparation, that a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on NUTS was adopted.² From 1 May 2004, the regions of the 10 new Member States were added and from 1 January 2007 the regions of Bulgaria and Romania. A particularly important goal of the Regulation is to manage the inevitable process of change in the administrative structures of Member States in the smoothest possible way, so as to minimise the impact of such changes on the availability and comparability of regional statistics. Enlargements of the Union will render this objective all the more vital.

The purpose of this document is to present the new NUTS classification in the form of **lists** and **maps**. It replaces the previous Eurostat publication issued in August 2004, and includes administrative changes which have taken place since then. Previous changes to NUTS regions can be found in a document published by Eurostat in 2002, which describes all the changes in NUTS since 1981.³

From 1 January 2007, regions in the two newest Member States, Bulgaria and Romania, are included in the classification. The decision has thus been taken but, at the time of writing, publication in the Official Journal is still pending. The first three-yearly review of NUTS for the EU-25, under the NUTS Regulation, was carried out in 2006 and will be put into effect from 1 January 2008. The regulation amending the NUTS for the EU-25 has been published in the Official Journal.⁴

The maps in this document are simply intended to enable the reader to locate the regions; the regional boundaries shown are also purely indicative. The scale used may differ depending on the country. The countries are in the official order, which is alphabetical, based on the spelling in the national language.

Since several regions within Europe have the same name, a distinction has been made by adding to each of these the abbreviation for the country concerned.

Some NUTS regions appear at several levels (example: Luxembourg appears as the country and at levels 1, 2 and 3). In this case, codes end in zero for a region with identical territory at the next lower level. The labels need not be identical at the different levels even if the regions concerned cover identical territory.

Depending on the variable concerned, regional statistical data at one or more of the 3 NUTS levels is available in publications and databases. Many variables and time series for regional data in different domains are available on the Internet in the New Cronos data base.

Basic principles

The NUTS nomenclature was created and developed according to the following principles:

a) The NUTS favours institutional breakdowns.

Different criteria may be used in subdividing national territory into regions. These are normally divided into normative and analytical criteria:

- **normative regions** are the expression of political will; their limits are fixed according to the tasks allocated to the territorial communities, according to the sizes of population necessary to carry out these tasks efficiently and economically, and according to historical, cultural and other factors;
- **analytical (or functional) regions** are defined according to analytical requirements; they group together zones using geographical criteria (e.g. altitude or type of soil) or using socio-economic criteria (e.g. homogeneity, complementarities, or polarity of regional economies).

For practical reasons to do with data availability and the implementation of regional policies, the NUTS nomenclature is based primarily on the **institutional divisions** currently in force in the Member States (normative criteria).

b) The NUTS favours regional units of a general character.

Territorial units specific to certain fields of activity (mining regions, rail traffic regions, farming regions, labour-market regions, etc.) may sometimes be used in certain Member States.

¹ Council Regulation (EEC) No 2052/88 on the tasks of the **Structural Funds**: OJ L 185, 15 July 1988.

² OJ L 154, 21 June 2003. *The text of the Regulation is set out in Annex 1 below.*

³ European regional statistics. Changes in the NUTS classification 1981-1999.

⁴ OJ L 39, 10 February 2007.



NUTS excludes specific territorial units and local units in favour of regional units of a general nature.

c) *The NUTS is a three-level hierarchical classification.*

Since this is a hierarchical classification, the NUTS subdivides each Member State into a whole number of NUTS 1 regions, each of which is in turn subdivided into a whole number of NUTS 2 regions and so on.

At regional level (without taking municipalities into account), the administrative structure of the Member States generally comprises two main regional levels (*Länder* and *Kreise* in Germany, *régions* and *départements* in France, *comunidades autónomas* and *provincias* in Spain, *regioni* and *provincie* in Italy, etc.).

The grouping together of comparable units at each NUTS level involves establishing, for each Member State, an additional regional level to the two main levels referred to above. This additional level therefore corresponds to a less important or even non-existent administrative structure, and its classification level varies within the first 3 levels of the NUTS, depending entirely on the Member State: NUTS 1 for France, Italy, Poland, Romania, and Spain, NUTS 2 for Germany, NUTS 3 for Belgium, etc.

The NUTS Regulation lays down the following minimum and maximum thresholds for the average size of the NUTS regions.

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

At a more detailed level, there are districts and municipalities. These are called "Local Administrative Units" (LAU) and are not subject to the NUTS Regulation. More information is available on the Internet⁵.

The NUTS Regulation lays down rules for future amendments of the regional breakdown used by the European Union. A first revision of the NUTS classification was scheduled for 2006, three years after the 2003 version. For the 10 new Member States, the same rule applies, i.e. amendments were possible in 2006. This means that, exceptionally, the moratorium before changes are allowed is only 2 years for the new Member States.

Changes to the NUTS classification will be proposed by the Commission, not more often than every three years, after initial notifications to Eurostat by the national statistical institutes in the Member States. Changes in national

administrative regions lead virtually automatically to a change in the NUTS classification; for non-administrative regions, however, the NUTS Regulation stipulates that changes must entail a reduction of the standard deviation in the size (measured in population) of the regions.

Following the 2006 decision by Parliament and Council to change the NUTS classification, the changes will enter into force on 1 January 2008. All agreed changes are reflected in this publication.

Purpose of NUTS

The NUTS nomenclature serves as a reference:

a) *for the collection, development and harmonisation of Community regional statistics:*

during the 1970s, the NUTS gradually replaced the specific divisions used in the various statistical domains (agricultural regions, transport regions, etc.), and it was on the basis of the NUTS that regional economic accounts were developed and the regional sections of Community surveys were defined.

b) *for socio-economic analyses of the regions:*

at the same time as establishing a correlation between regions in terms of size, the NUTS also provides several analytical levels. The 1961 Brussels Conference on Regional Economies, organised by the Commission, found that NUTS 2 (basic regions) was the framework generally used by Member States to apply their regional policies and was therefore the appropriate level for analysing regional/national problems, whereas NUTS 1 (major socio-economic regions grouping together basic regions) should be used for analysing regional Community problems, such as "the effect of the customs union and economic integration on areas at the next level down from national areas". NUTS 3, which broadly comprises regions which are too small for complex economic analyses, may be used for specific analysis or to pinpoint where regional measures need to be taken.

c) *for the framing of Community regional policies:*

for the purposes of appraising eligibility for aid from the Structural Funds, regions whose development is lagging behind (regions covered by the Convergence Objective) have been classified at the NUTS 2 level.

The areas eligible under the other priority Objectives have mainly been classified at the NUTS 3 level.

⁵ http://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/ramon/nuts/lau_en.html.



The regular report on the social and economic situation and development of the regions of the Community, which the Commission is required to produce every three years, under Article 31 of Council Regulation (EC) No 1083/2006 concerning the European Regional Development Fund, has so far mainly been drafted for the NUTS 2 level.

Regional classification beyond the EU

The NUTS nomenclature is defined only for the 27 member states of the European Union. For the other countries that make up the European Economic Area (EEA), and for Switzerland, regions have also been coded in a way which resembles the NUTS.

For the three **candidate countries**, Eurostat has drafted a nomenclature of statistical regions⁶ intended to produce a hierarchy similar to that of the NUTS. On accession to the EU, the bilaterally agreed breakdown into statistical regions in force in a given country becomes part of the NUTS and subject to the provisions of the NUTS Regulation.

Main characteristics

The current NUTS nomenclature valid from 1 January 2008 subdivides the economic territory of the European Union⁷ into 97 regions at NUTS 1 level, 271 regions at NUTS 2 level and 1303 regions at NUTS 3 level. Below that, two levels of Local Administrative Units (LAU) have been defined. The upper LAU level (LAU level 1, formerly NUTS level 4) is defined only for the following countries: Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Finland, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Poland, Portugal, Slovenia, Slovakia and the United Kingdom. The lower LAU level (formerly NUTS level 5) consists of around 120 000 municipalities or equivalent units in the 27 EU Member States (as of 2007).

Despite the aim of ensuring that regions of comparable size all appear at the same NUTS level, each level still contains regions which differ greatly in terms of area, population, economic weight or administrative powers. This heterogeneity across the Community often simply reflects the situation at Member State level.

In terms of area, the largest regions are situated in Sweden and in Finland:

- Manner-Suomi (Continental Finland), with 303 000 km², and Norra Sverige (SE), 288 450 km², at NUTS level 1;
- Övre Norrland (SE), 153 440 km², and Pohjois-Suomi (FI), 133 580 km², at NUTS level 2;
- Norrbottens län (SE), 98 250 km², Lappi (FI), 93 000 km², and Västerbottens län (SE), 55 200 km², at NUTS level 3.

In terms of population (2005 data), there are also marked differences between regions:

- at NUTS level 1, Nordrhein-Westfalen in Germany and Nord-Ovest in Italy have the most inhabitants (18 million and 15 million, respectively), while Åland (26 000 inhabitants) in Finland is the least populated region;
- at NUTS level 2, the Île de France and Lombardia have 11 million and 9 million inhabitants respectively, while 14 regions (most of them peripheral regions or islands) have fewer than 300 000: Åland, Burgenland (AT), Guyane, Ceuta, Melilla, Valle d'Aosta/Vallée d'Aoste, Luxembourg (BE), La Rioja, Corse, Açores, Madeira, and three Greek regions;
- at NUTS level 3, the Spanish provinces of Madrid and Barcelona, the Italian provinces of Milano, Roma and Napoli, the German city of Berlin and the Greek *nomos* of Attiki all have more than three million inhabitants, whereas a number of regions in Germany, Spain, Belgium, Austria, United Kingdom, Greece, and the island of Gozo in Malta have populations of under 50 000.

Tables 2 and 3 show the largest, smallest and average areas and populations at the three NUTS levels, for each Member State and for the European Union as a whole.

Changes compared with 2003/2004

The changes to the NUTS 2003 version, extended to the EU-25 on 1 May 2004, are as follows:

- Most territorial changes are at **NUTS level 3**, affecting 11 countries. The most important changes at NUTS level 2 occur in four countries, while only one country has changes to NUTS level 1.

⁶ "Statistical regions for the EFTA countries and the Candidate Countries", forthcoming version 2007, in English only.

⁷ Reference for the definition of the economic territory of the EU: See Council Regulation No 2223/1996 on ESA 1995 (European System of Accounts) Annex A: points 2.05 and 13.07, OJ L 310, 30.11.1996.



Belgium

NUTS level 3

One NUTS level 3 region, **Arr. Verviers**, will be split by making the German-speaking community a separate region.

Czech Republic

NUTS level 3

A minor boundary shift affects the regions **Výsočina** and **Jihomoravský kraj**. A number of small municipalities have been transferred between these NUTS level 3 regions.

Denmark

NUTS level 2

Following an extensive regional reform in Denmark, where new administrative regions were created, Denmark will be divided into NUTS level 2 regions. The previous NUTS 3 regions do not generally correspond to the new NUTS level 2 regions.

NUTS level 3

The previous 15 administrative regions have been abolished and in their place, 11 new non-administrative regions have been created by combining municipalities. Only two NUTS level 3 regions remain intact.

Germany

NUTS level 2

In the *Land Sachsen-Anhalt*, three regions have been merged into one. The six NUTS level 2 regions in the *Land Niedersachsen* are now non-administrative, but their territorial extent is unchanged.

NUTS level 3

In the *Land Sachsen-Anhalt*, 24 regions have been reorganised to constitute 14 new NUTS level 3 regions. A few regions scattered around Germany have received new names.

Spain

NUTS level 3

A major change has taken place in the islands. Every island in the **Canarias** and the **Illes Balears** will constitute a separate NUTS level 3 region, with the exception of Eivissa and Formentera, which together form one NUTS level 3 region.

Italy

NUTS level 3

The regions on the island of **Sardegna** have been reorganised, so that instead of four regions, there will now be eight at NUTS level 3.

The Netherlands

NUTS level 3

A minor boundary shift affects the regions **Achterhoek** and **Arnhem/Nijmegen** due to mergers of municipalities straddling the border of these non-administrative NUTS level 3 regions.

Poland

NUTS level 3

Half the non-administrative NUTS level 3 regions will be reorganised where necessary to comply with the NUTS Regulation criteria. A total of 23 regions are being split up and reorganised to form 44 new regions, i.e. a net increase of 21 NUTS level 3 regions. 22 NUTS level 3 regions remain intact.

Slovenia

NUTS level 2

Slovenia will be split into two regions at NUTS level 2.

Finland

NUTS level 3

A minor boundary shift affects the regions **Satakunta** and **Pirkanmaa**. One municipality only has been transferred between these NUTS level 3 regions.

Sweden

NUTS level 1

Three new non-administrative regions will be created in order to comply with the size criteria in the NUTS Regulation.

NUTS level 3

A border shift is taking place by moving one municipality from **Västmanlands län** to **Uppsala län**. As all NUTS level 3 regions will receive new codes with the introduction of NUTS level 1, this border shift will not be very visible in the coding structure.



United Kingdom

NUTS levels 2 and 3

In Scotland, the border between **North Eastern Scotland** and **Highlands and Islands** will be shifted by moving east **Moray** to the latter region. This will affect the borders at both NUTS level 2 and level 3.

A number of region names are being changed or corrected at all NUTS levels, in various parts of the United Kingdom.

All changes in the European regional classification will enter into force on 1 January 2008. For technical reasons, we will switch to the new version of NUTS (NUTS 2007/EU-27) in our dissemination database in late autumn 2007.

For the **new Member States of 2007**, the changes compared with the previous version of "Statistical Regions" (2001/2005) are as follows:

Bulgaria

NUTS level 1

There are still two regions at NUTS level 1, but the border between them has been modified to reflect the population size criteria in the NUTS Regulation. The northern region now includes the southeastern part of Bulgaria, while the

southern region is reduced to the southwestern and south central parts of Bulgaria.

NUTS level 2

The number of regions remains the same, but five of the six regions at NUTS level 2 have new borders with effect from 2007. The modification was necessary to reflect the population size criteria in the NUTS Regulation. The unchanged NUTS 2 region is the southwestern region around the capital of Sofia.

Romania

NUTS level 1

Due to the size of the country, it was necessary to introduce regions at NUTS level 1 to coincide with accession to EU. There are four non-administrative NUTS level 1 regions in Romania.

NUTS level 2

At NUTS level 2, there are no territorial changes, but there are a few modifications of names of existing regions.

One effect of the changes in NUTS is that when the codes are selected in ascending numerical order the different elements of the nomenclature are not necessarily presented in the order used by the Member States.



Table 1: Correspondence between the NUTS levels and the national administrative units (2007)

	NUTS 1		NUTS 2		NUTS 3		LAU 1		LAU 2	
BE	Gewesten / Régions	3	Provinces / Provinces	11	Arrondissementen / Arrondissements	44	-		Gemeenten / Communes	589
BG	Rajoni	2	Rajoni za planirane	6	Oblasti	28	Obshtini	264	Naseleni mesta	5 329
CZ	Území	1	Oblasti	8	Kraje	14	Okresy	77	Obce	6 249
DK	-	1	Regioner	5	Landsdeler	11	Kommuner	99	Sogne	2 148
DE	Länder	16	Regierungsbezirke	39	Kreise	429	Verwaltungsgemeinschaften	1 457	Gemeinden	12 379
EE	-	1	-	1	Groups of Maakond	5	Maakond	15	Vald, linn	227
IE	-	1	Regions	2	Regional Authority Regions	8	Counties, Cities	34	Electoral Districts	3 441
GR	Groups of development regions	4	Peripheries	13	Nomoi	51	Demoi, Koinotites	1 034	Demotiko diamerisma, Koinotiko diamerisma	6 130
ES	Agrupacion de comunidades Autonomas	7	Comunidades y ciudades Autonomas	19	Provincias + islas + Ceuta, Melilla	59	-		Municipios	8 111
FR	Z.E.A.T + DOM	9	Régions + DOM	26	Départements + DOM	100	Cantons de rattachement	3 787	Communes	36 683
IT	Gruppi di regioni	5	Regioni	21	Provincie	107	-		Comuni	8 101
CY	-	1	-	1	-	1	Eparchies	6	Dimoi, koinotites	613
LV	-	1	-	1	Reģioni	6	Rajoni, republikas pilsētas	33	Pilsētas, novadi, pagasti	527
LT	-	1	-	1	Apskritys	10	Savivaldybės	60	Seniūnijos	518
LU	-	1	-	1	-	1	Cantons	13	Communes	116
HU	Statisztikai nagyrégiók	3	Tervezési-statisztkai régiók	7	Megyék + Budapest	20	Statisztikai kistérségek	168	Települések	3 152
MT	-	1	-	1	Gzejjer	2	Distretti	6	Kunsilli	68
NL	Landsdelen	4	Provinces	12	COROP regio's	40	-		Gemeenten	443
AT	Gruppen von Bundesländern	3	Bundesländer	9	Gruppen von politischen Bezirkken	35	-		Gemeinden	2 357
PL	Regiony	6	Województwa	16	Podregiony	66	Powiaty i miasta na prawach powiatu	379	Gminy	2 478
PT	Continente + Regioes autonomas	3	Comissaoes de Coordenacao regional + Regioes autonomas	7	Grupos de Concelhos	30	Concelhos – Municípios	308	Freguesias	4 260
RO	Macroregiuni	4	Regiuni	8	Judet + Bucuresti	42	-		Comuni + Municipiu + Orase	3 174
SI	-	1	Kohezijske regije	2	Statistične regije	12	Upravne enote	58	Občine	210
SK	-	1	Oblasti	4	Kraje	8	Okresy	79	Obce	2 928



	NUTS 1		NUTS 2		NUTS 3		LAU 1		LAU 2	
FI	Manner-Suomi, Ahvenanmanmaa / Fasta Finland, Åland	2	Suuralueet / Storområden	5	Maakunnat / Landskap	20	Seutukunnat / Ekonomiska regioner	77	Kunnat / Kommuner	416
SE	Grupper av riksområden	3	Riksområden	8	Län	21	-		Kommuner	290
UK:	Government Office Regions; Country	12	Counties (some grouped); Inner and Outer London; Groups of unitary authorities	37	Upper tier authorities or groups of lower tier authorities (unitary authori- ties or districts)	133	Lower tier authori- ties (districts) or individual unitary authorities; In- dividual unitary authorities or LECs (or parts thereof); Districts	443	Wards (or parts thereof)	10 664
EU-25	-	91	-	257	-	1233		8 134		113 098
EU-27		97		271		1303		8 398		121 601

Abbreviations

DOM Département d'outre-Mer (French department beyond the seas)

Z.E.A.T. Zone économique d'aménagement du territoire (France)

COROP Coördinatie Commissie Regionaal Onderzoeksprogramma (this commission delineated the Dutch COROP-regions in 1970)

LEC Local Enterprise Company (Scotland)

GOR Government Office Region (England)

EEA European Economic Area

Table 2: Area of the regions (km²)

	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
	\overline{X}	\overline{X}	\overline{X}	Min	Min	Min	Max	Max	Max
EU-27	44 335	15 869	3 300	161	13	13	302 946	153 439	98 249
BE	10 109	2 757	689	161	161	101	16 803	4 438	1 592
BG	55 501	18 500	3 964	42 672	14 487	1 349	68 330	22 365	7 748
CZ	77 263	9 658	5 519	77 263	485	485	77 263	17 068	10 808
DK	43 098	8 620	3 918	43 098	2 561	180	43 098	13 124	8 720
DE	22 314	9 155	832	404	404	36	70 549	23 174	3 058
EE	43 432	43 432	8 686	43 432	43 432	3 364	43 432	43 432	15 533
IE	68 394	34 197	8 549	68 394	32 097	917	68 394	36 297	13 625
GR	32 679	10 055	2 563	3 806	2 297	355	56 142	18 884	5 369
ES	72 285	26 631	8 576	7 447	13	13	215 320	94 225	21 766
FR*	70 311	24 338	6 328	12 414	1 128	105	145 645	83 934	83 934
IT	60 267	14 349	2 816	49 301	3 239	211	72 063	25 409	7 400
CY	9 251	9 251	9 251	9 251	9 251	9 251	9 251	9 251	9 251
LV	62 290	62 290	10 382	62 290	62 290	256	62 290	62 290	14 801
LT	62 678	62 678	6 268	62 678	62 678	4 218	62 678	62 678	9 425
LU	2 586	2 586	2 586	2 586	2 586	2 586	2 586	2 586	2 586
HU	31 010	13 290	4 652	6 918	6 918	525	49 498	18 339	8 445
MT	316	316	158	316	316	70	316	316	246
NL	8 446	2 815	845	7 072	1 386	113	9 721	4 975	1 829
AT	27 493	9 164	2 357	23 005	396	396	33 861	18 929	4 556
PL	52 114	19 543	4 738	27 521	9 412	261	74 853	35 566	12 098
PT	30 706	13 160	3 071	828	828	814	88 968	31 551	8 542
RO	57 500	28 750	5 476	35 189	1 757	229	67 424	36 135	8 540
SI	20 141	10 071	1 678	20 141	8 024	263	20 141	12 117	2 666
SK	49 034	12 259	6 129	49 034	2 052	2 052	49 034	16 256	9 455
FI	152 237	60 895	15 224	1 527	1 527	1 527	302 946	133 578	93 004
SE	136 778	51 292	19 540	48 204	6 519	2 947	312 051	153 439	98 249
UK	20 256	6 569	1 828	1 572	319	35	77 907	39 777	14 295

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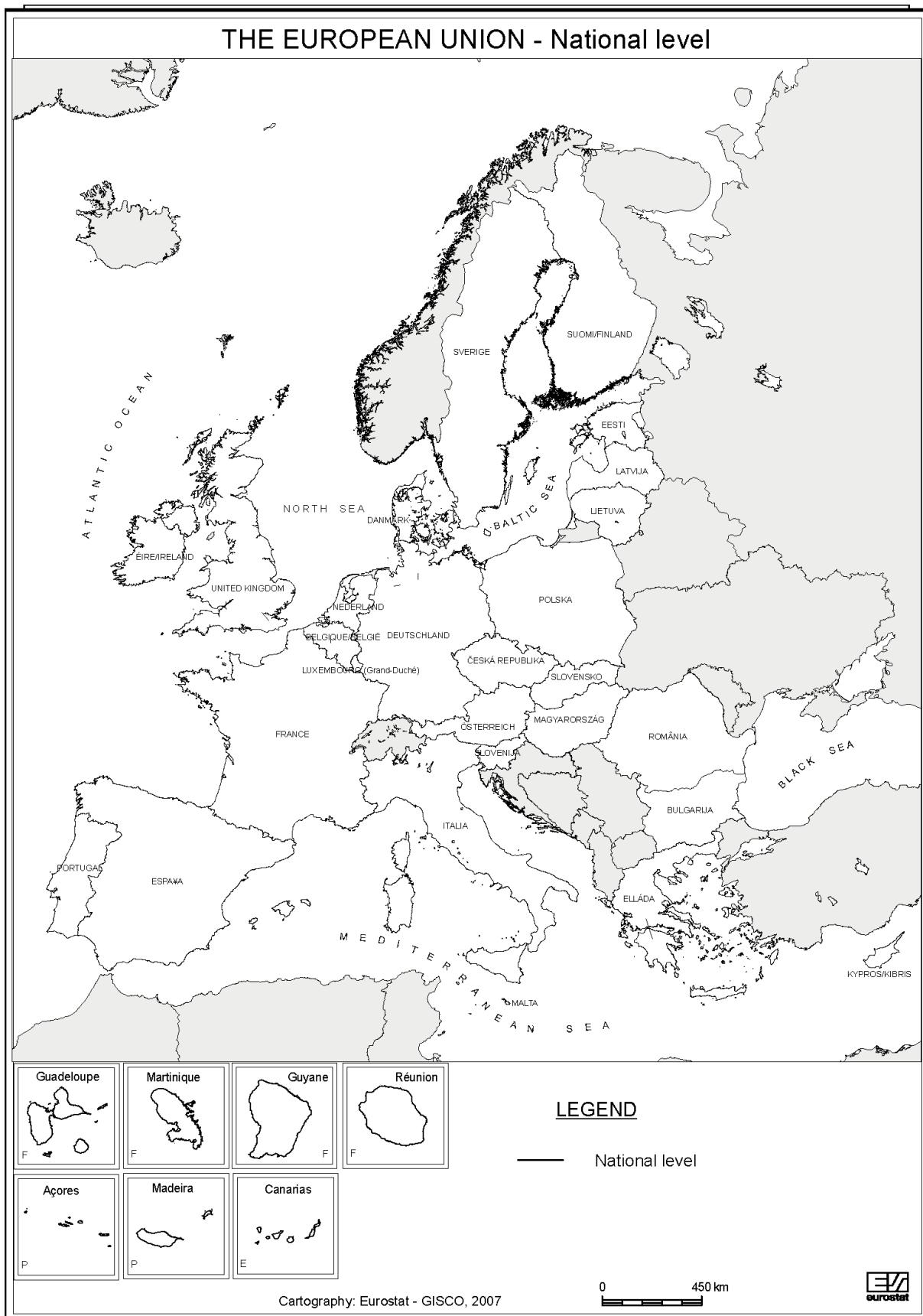


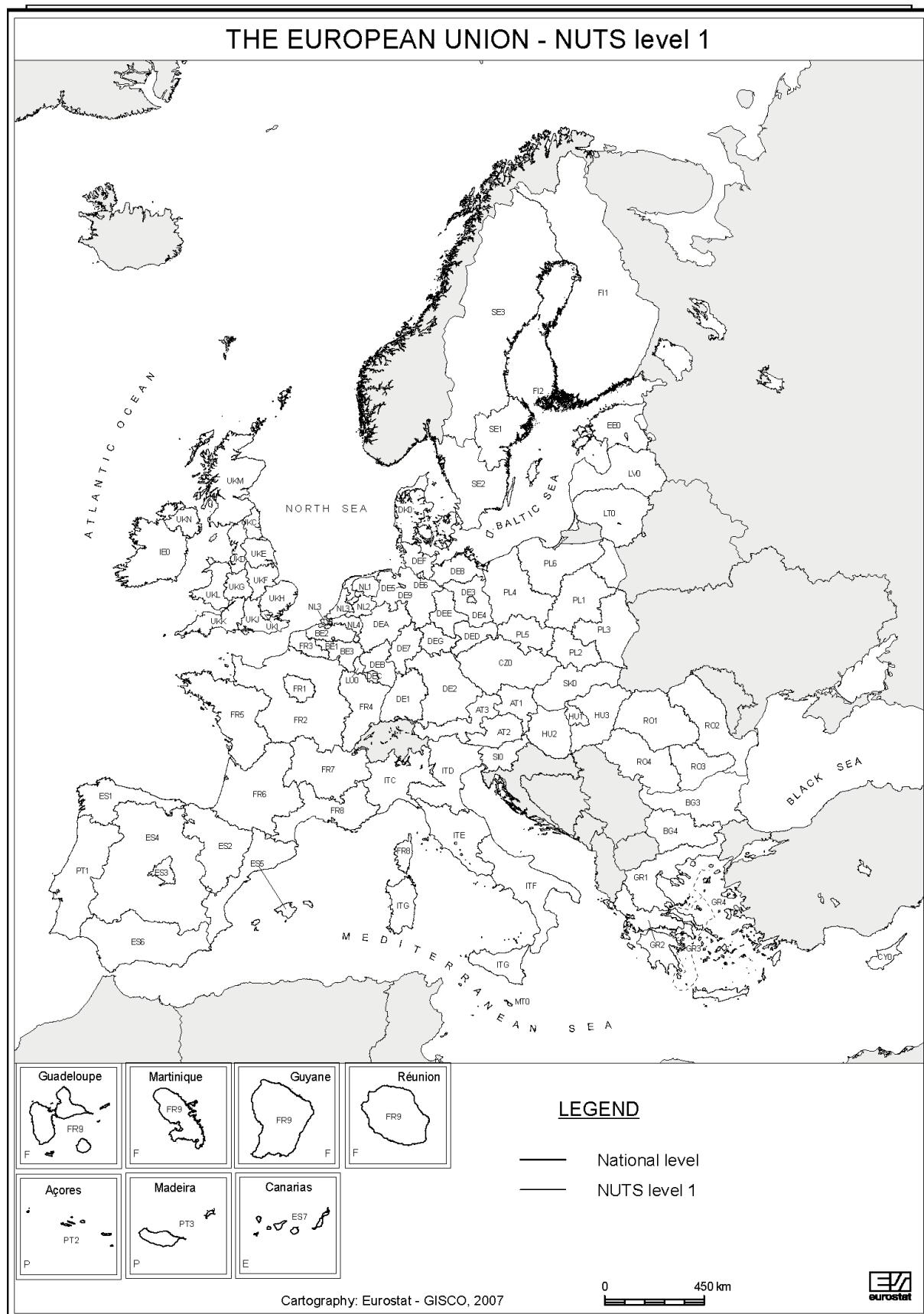
Table 3: Population of the regions 2005 (1,000)

	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
	\bar{X}	\bar{X}	\bar{X}	Min	Min	Min	Max	Max	Max
EU-27	5 081	1 819	378	27	27	10	18 067	11 360	5 218
BE	3 504	956	239	1 013	257	43	6 061	1 639	1 013
BG	3 859	1 286	276	3 683	954	119	4 057	2 117	1 226
CZ	10 236	1 281	732	10 236	1 127	304	10 236	1 641	1 252
DK	5 419	1 086	493	5 419	577	43	5 419	1 632	793
DE	5 152	2 114	192	663	514	35	18 067	5 232	3 392
EE	1 346	1 345	269	1 346	1 346	141	1 346	1 346	521
IE	4 159	2 105	526	4 159	1 112	246	4 159	3 047	1 168
GR	2 781	856	218	1 108	202	20	3 988	3 988	3 988
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RO	5 403	2 701	515	4 240	1 932	224	6 582	3 735	1 929
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FI	2 628	1 051	263	27	27	27	5 219	2 588	1 353
SE	3 016	1 131	431	1 706	371	58	3 926	1 881	1 881
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* incl. DOM

Note: FR, UK 2004 data. In italics: data from 2001 or 2002 census of population







BELGIQUE / BELGIË

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
BE			
BE1	RÉGION DE BRUXELLES-CAPITALE / BRUSSELS HOOFDSTEDELIJK GEWEST		
BE10		Région de Bruxelles-Capitale / Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest	
BE100			<i>Arr.⁸ de Bruxelles-Capitale / Arr. van Brussel-Hoofdstad</i>
BE2	VLAAMS GEWEST		
BE21		Prov. ⁹ Antwerpen	
BE211			<i>Arr. Antwerpen</i>
BE212			<i>Arr. Mechelen</i>
BE213			<i>Arr. Turnhout</i>
BE22		Prov. Limburg (B)	
BE221			<i>Arr. Hasselt</i>
BE222			<i>Arr. Maaseik</i>
BE223			<i>Arr. Tongeren</i>
BE23		Prov. Oost-Vlaanderen	
BE231			<i>Arr. Aalst</i>
BE232			<i>Arr. Dendermonde</i>
BE233			<i>Arr. Eeklo</i>
BE234			<i>Arr. Gent</i>
BE235			<i>Arr. Oudenaarde</i>
BE236			<i>Arr. Sint-Niklaas</i>
BE24		Prov. Vlaams-Brabant	
BE241			<i>Arr. Halle-Vilvoorde</i>
BE242			<i>Arr. Leuven</i>
BE25		Prov. West-Vlaanderen	
BE251			<i>Arr. Brugge</i>
BE252			<i>Arr. Diksmuide</i>
BE253			<i>Arr. Ieper</i>
BE254			<i>Arr. Kortrijk</i>
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BE256			<i>Arr. Roeselare</i>
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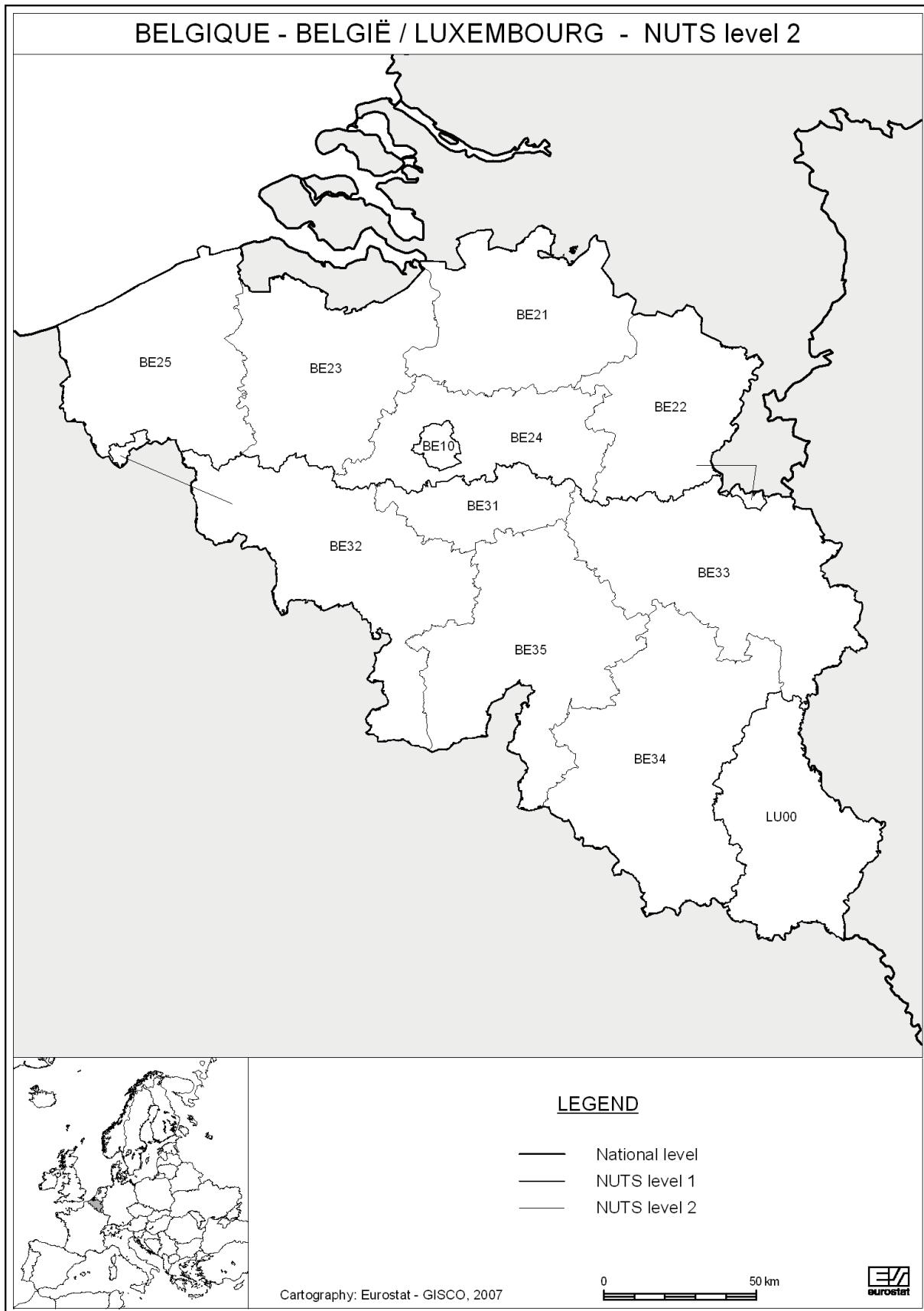
⁸ Arr. stands for Arrondissement administratif in French or Administratief arrondissement in Dutch.⁹ Prov. stands for Province in French or Provincie in Dutch.



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BE258			<i>Arr. Veurne</i>
BE3	RÉGION WALLONNE		
BE31		Prov. Brabant Wallon	
BE310			<i>Arr. Nivelles</i>
BE32		Prov. Hainaut	
BE321			<i>Arr. Ath</i>
BE322			<i>Arr. Charleroi</i>
BE323			<i>Arr. Mons</i>
BE324			<i>Arr. Mouscron</i>
BE325			<i>Arr. Soignies</i>
BE326			<i>Arr. Thuin</i>
BE327			<i>Arr. Tournai</i>
BE33		Prov. Liège	
BE331			<i>Arr. Huy</i>
BE332			<i>Arr. Liège</i>
BE334			<i>Arr. Waremme</i>
BE335			<i>Arr. Verviers - communes francophones</i>
BE336			<i>Bezirk Verviers - Deutschsprachige Gemeinschaft</i>
BE34		Prov. Luxembourg (B)	
BE341			<i>Arr. Arlon</i>
BE342			<i>Arr. Bastogne</i>
BE343			<i>Arr. Marche-en-Famenne</i>
BE344			<i>Arr. Neufchâteau</i>
BE345			<i>Arr. Virton</i>
BE35		Prov. Namur	
BE351			<i>Arr. Dinant</i>
BE352			<i>Arr. Namur</i>
BE353			<i>Arr. Philippeville</i>
BEZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
BEZZ		Extra-Regio	
BEZZZ			<i>Extra-Regio</i>



Belgique / België





BELGIQUE - BELGIË / LUXEMBOURG - NUTS level 3





БЪЛГАРИЯ

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
BG			
BG3	СЕВЕРНА И ЮГОИЗТОЧНА БЪЛГАРИЯ		
BG31		Северозападен	
BG311			Видин
BG312			Монтана
BG313			Враца
BG314			Плевен
BG315			Ловеч
BG32		Северен централен	
BG321			Велико Търново
BG322			Габрово
BG323			Русе
BG324			Разград
BG325			Силистра
BG33		Североизточен	
BG331			Варна
BG332			Добрич
BG333			Шумен
BG334			Търговище
BG34		Югоизточен	
BG341			Бургас
BG342			Сливен
BG343			Ямбол
BG344			Стара Загора
BG4	ЮГОЗАПАДНА И ЮЖНА ЦЕНТРАЛНА БЪЛГАРИЯ		
BG41		Югозападен	
BG411			София (столица)
BG412			София
BG413			Благоевград
BG414			Перник
BG415			Кюстендил
BG42		Южен централен	
BG421			Пловдив
BG422			Хасково
BG423			Пазарджик



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
BG424			Смолян
BG425			Кърджали
BGZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
BGZZ		Extra-Regio	
BGZZZ			<i>Extra-Regio</i>

BULGARIA¹⁰

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
BG3	SEVERNA I IZTOCHNA BULGARIA		
BG31		Severozapaden	
BG311			<i>Vidin</i>
BG312			<i>Montana</i>
BG313			<i>Vratsa</i>
BG314			<i>Pleven</i>
BG315			<i>Lovech</i>
BG32		Severen tsentralen	
BG321			<i>Veliko Tarnovo</i>
BG322			<i>Gabrovo</i>
BG323			<i>Ruse</i>
BG324			<i>Razgrad</i>
BG325			<i>Silistra</i>
BG33		Severoiztochen	
BG331			<i>Varna</i>
BG332			<i>Dobrich</i>
BG333			<i>Shumen</i>
BG334			<i>Targovishte</i>
BG34		Yugoiztochen	
BG341			<i>Burgas</i>
BG342			<i>Sliven</i>
BG343			<i>Yambol</i>
BG344			<i>Stara Zagora</i>
BG4	YUGOZAPADNA I YUZHNA TSENTRALNA BULGARIA		
BG41		Yugozapaden	
BG411			<i>Sofia (stolitsa)</i>

¹⁰ The version in Latin characters is not official. The transliteration has been provided by Bulgaria and is adapted to the English language. It is included here only for the sake of comprehension.



България

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
BG412			<i>Sofia</i>
BG413			<i>Blagoevgrad</i>
BG414			<i>Pernik</i>
BG415			<i>Kyustendil</i>
BG42		<i>Yuzhen tsentralen</i>	
BG421			<i>Plovdiv</i>
BG422			<i>Haskovo</i>
BG423			<i>Pazardzhik</i>
BG424			<i>Smolyan</i>
BG425			<i>Kardzhali</i>
BGZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
BGZZ		<i>Extra-Regio</i>	
BGZZZ			<i>Extra-Regio</i>



БЪЛГАРИЯ - NUTS level 2

LEGEND

- National level
- NUTS level 1
- NUTS level 2



Cartography: Eurostat - GISCO, 2007



България

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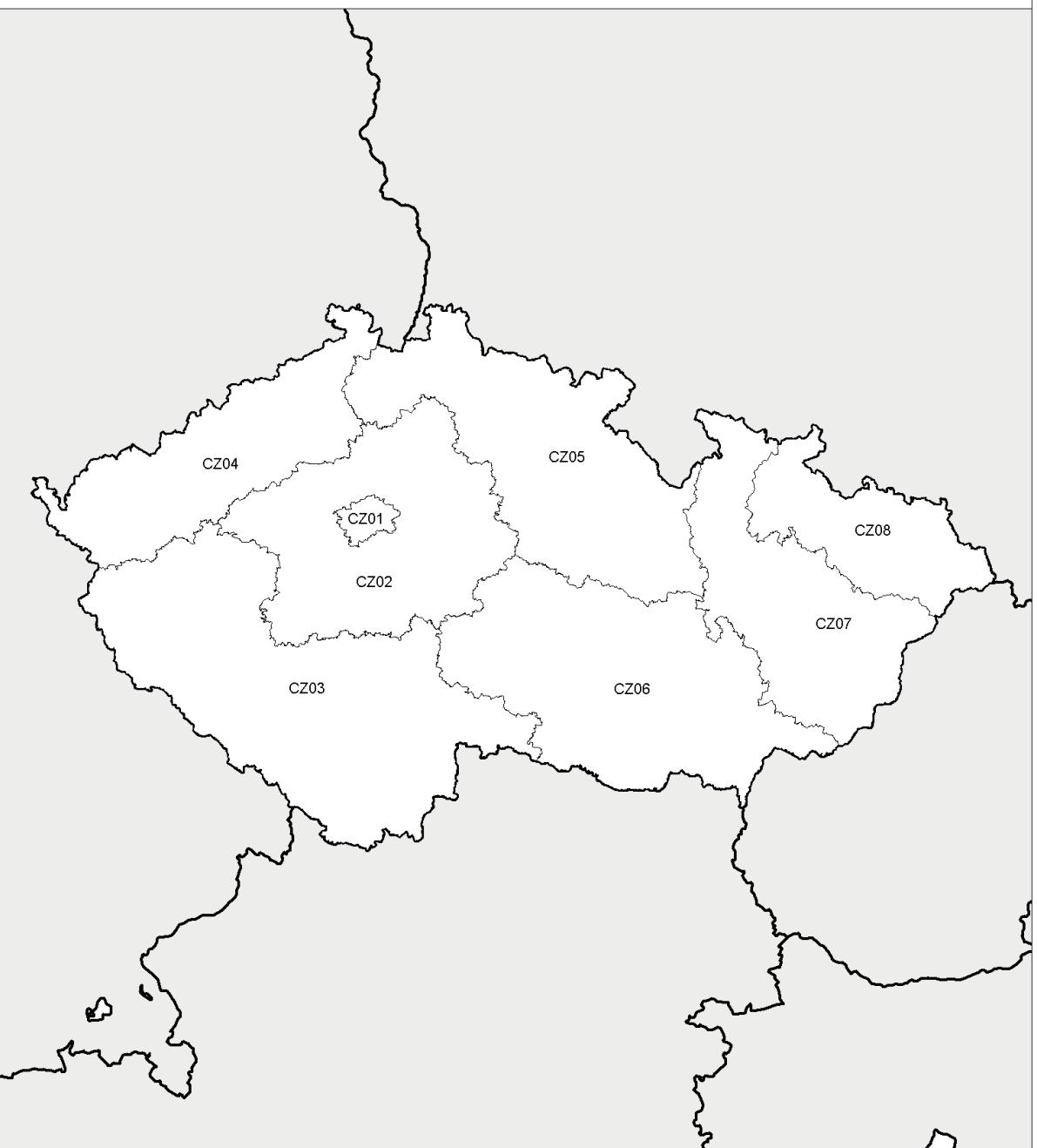


ČESKÁ REPUBLIKA

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
CZ			
CZ0	ČESKÁ REPUBLIKA		
CZ01		Praha	
CZ010			<i>Hlavní město Praha</i>
CZ02		Střední Čechy	
CZ020			<i>Středočeský kraj</i>
CZ03		Jihozápad	
CZ031			<i>Jihočeský kraj</i>
CZ032			<i>Plzeňský kraj</i>
CZ04		Severozápad	
CZ041			<i>Karlovarský kraj</i>
CZ042			<i>Ústecký kraj</i>
CZ05		Severovýchod	
CZ051			<i>Liberecký kraj</i>
CZ052			<i>Královéhradecký kraj</i>
CZ053			<i>Pardubický kraj</i>
CZ06		Jihovýchod	
CZ063			<i>Vysočina</i>
CZ064			<i>Jihomoravský kraj</i>
CZ07		Střední Morava	
CZ071			<i>Olomoucký kraj</i>
CZ072			<i>Zlínský kraj</i>
CZ08		Moravskoslezsko	
CZ080			<i>Moravskoslezský kraj</i>
CZZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
CZZZ		Extra-Regio	
CZZZZ			<i>Extra-Regio</i>



ČESKÁ REPUBLIKA - NUTS level 2



LEGEND

- National level
- NUTS level 1
- NUTS level 2



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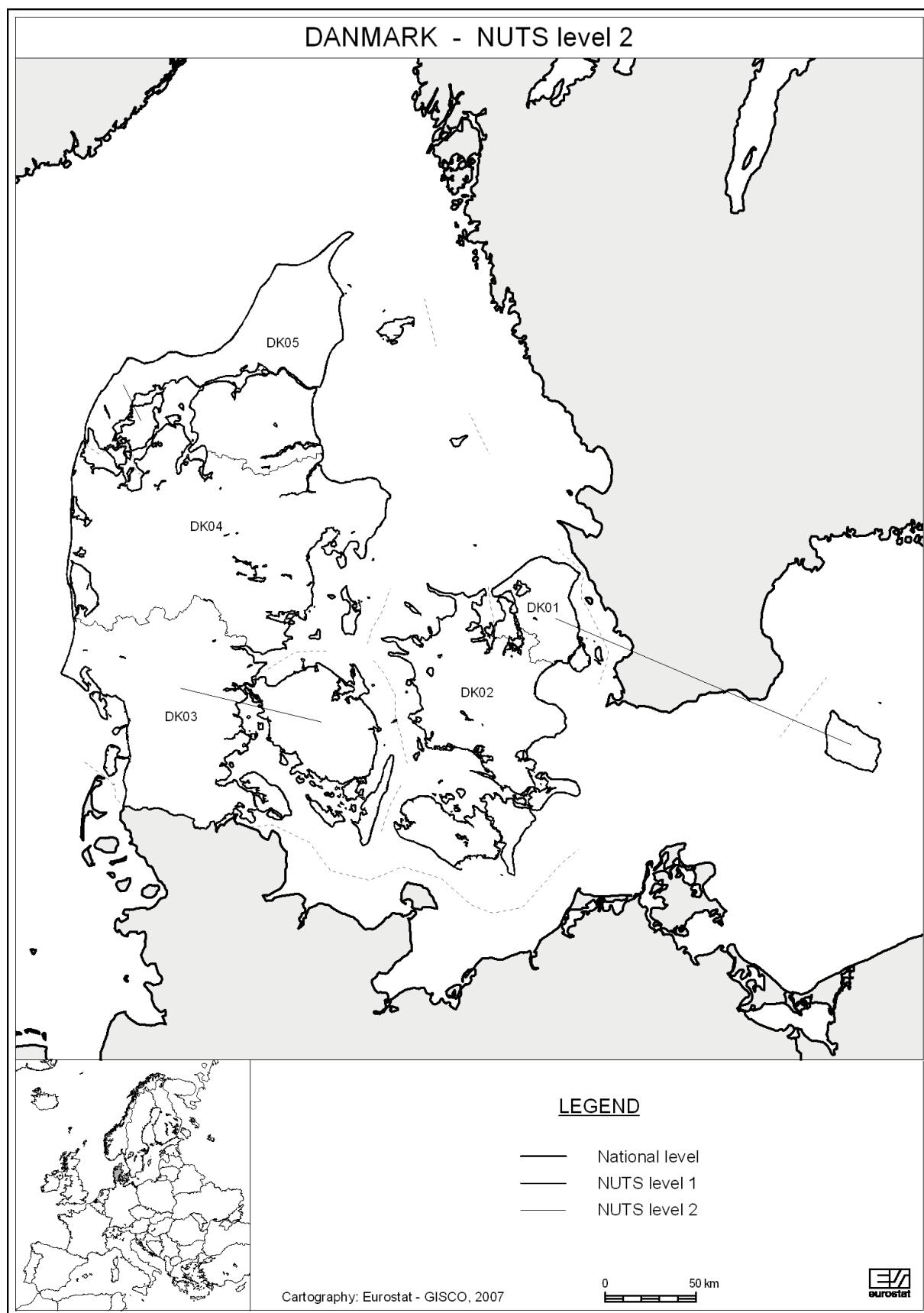






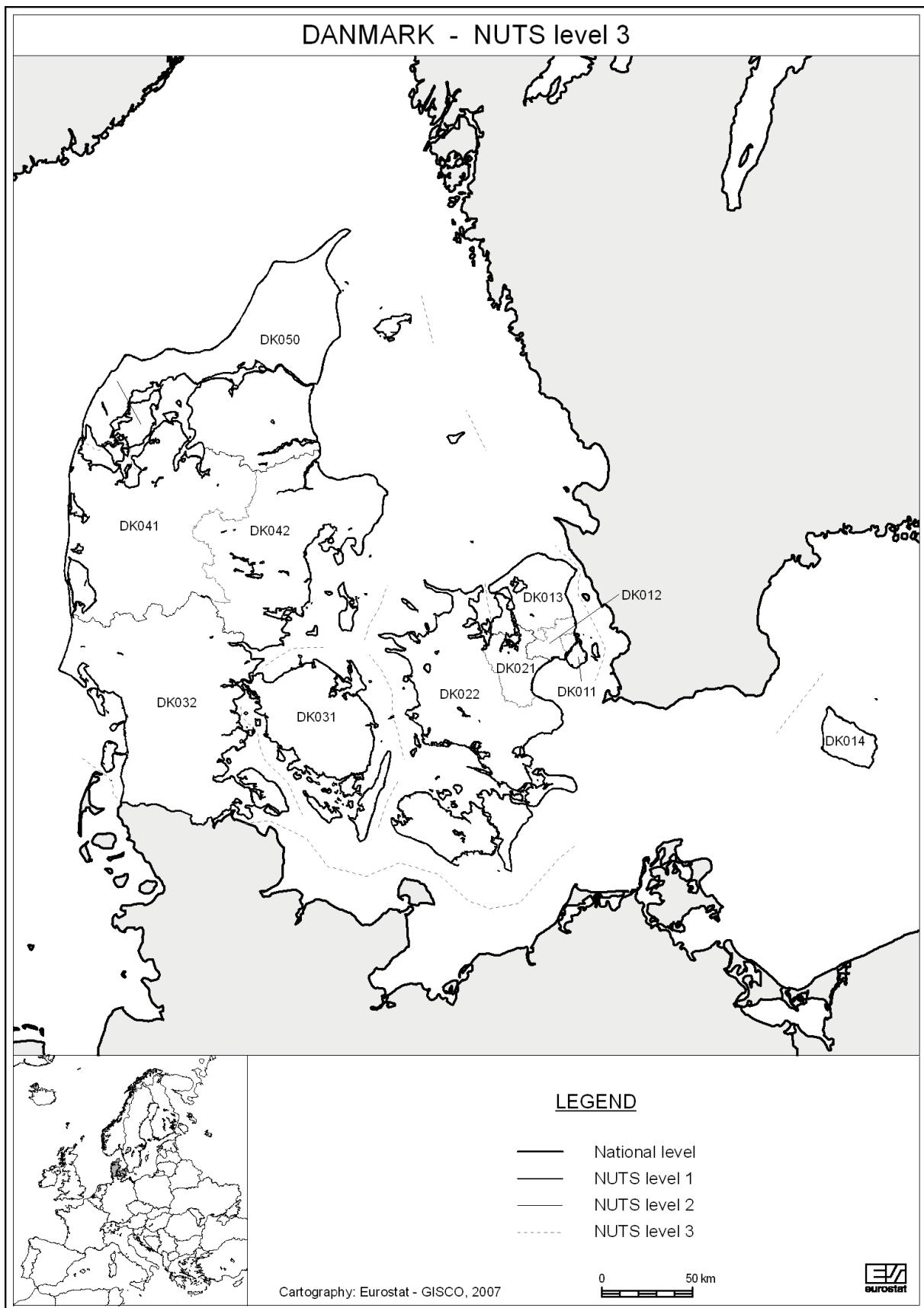
DANMARK

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
DK			
DK0	DANMARK		
DK01		Hovedstaden	
DK011			<i>Byen København</i>
DK012			<i>Københavns omegn</i>
DK013			<i>Nordsjælland</i>
DK014			<i>Bornholm</i>
DK02		Sjælland	
DK021			<i>Østsjælland</i>
DK022			<i>Vest- og Sydsjælland</i>
DK03		Syddanmark	
DK031			<i>Fyn</i>
DK032			<i>Syddjylland</i>
DK04		Midtjylland	
DK041			<i>Vestjylland</i>
DK042			<i>Østjylland</i>
DK05		Nordjylland	
DK050			<i>Nordjylland</i>
DKZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
DKZZ		Extra-Regio	
DKZZZ			<i>Extra-Regio</i>





Danmark





DEUTSCHLAND

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



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
DE137			<i>Tuttlingen</i>
DE138			<i>Konstanz</i>
DE139			<i>Lörrach</i>
DE13A			<i>Waldshut</i>
DE14		<i>Tübingen</i>	
DE141			<i>Reutlingen</i>
DE142			<i>Tübingen, Landkreis</i>
DE143			<i>Zollernalbkreis</i>
DE144			<i>Ulm, Stadtkreis</i>
DE145			<i>Alb-Donau-Kreis</i>
DE146			<i>Biberach</i>
DE147			<i>Bodenseekreis</i>
DE148			<i>Ravensburg</i>
DE149			<i>Sigmaringen</i>
DE2	BAYERN		
DE21		<i>Oberbayern</i>	
DE211			<i>Ingolstadt, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE212			<i>München, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE213			<i>Rosenheim, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE214			<i>Altötting</i>
DE215			<i>Berchtesgadener Land</i>
DE216			<i>Bad Tölz-Wolfratshausen</i>
DE217			<i>Dachau</i>
DE218			<i>Ebersberg</i>
DE219			<i>Eichstätt</i>
DE21A			<i>Erding</i>
DE21B			<i>Freising</i>
DE21C			<i>Fürstenfeldbruck</i>
DE21D			<i>Garmisch-Partenkirchen</i>
DE21E			<i>Landsberg a. Lech</i>
DE21F			<i>Miesbach</i>
DE21G			<i>Mühldorf a. Inn</i>
DE21H			<i>München, Landkreis</i>
DE21I			<i>Neuburg-Schrobenhausen</i>
DE21J			<i>Pfaffenhofen a. d. Ilm</i>
DE21K			<i>Rosenheim, Landkreis</i>
DE21L			<i>Starnberg</i>



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
DE21M			<i>Traunstein</i>
DE21N			<i>Weilheim-Schongau</i>
DE22		<i>Niederbayern</i>	
DE221			<i>Landshut, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE222			<i>Passau, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE223			<i>Straubing, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE224			<i>Deggendorf</i>
DE225			<i>Freyung-Grafenau</i>
DE226			<i>Kelheim</i>
DE227			<i>Landshut, Landkreis</i>
DE228			<i>Passau, Landkreis</i>
DE229			<i>Regen</i>
DE22A			<i>Rottal-Inn</i>
DE22B			<i>Straubing-Bogen</i>
DE22C			<i>Dingolfing-Landau</i>
DE23	<i>Oberpfalz</i>		
DE231			<i>Amberg, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE232			<i>Regensburg, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE233			<i>Weiden i. d. Opf, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE234			<i>Amberg-Sulzbach</i>
DE235			<i>Cham</i>
DE236			<i>Neumarkt i. d. OPf.</i>
DE237			<i>Neustadt a. d. Waldnaab</i>
DE238			<i>Regensburg, Landkreis</i>
DE239			<i>Schwandorf</i>
DE23A			<i>Tirschenreuth</i>
DE24	<i>Oberfranken</i>		
DE241			<i>Bamberg, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE242			<i>Bayreuth, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE243			<i>Coburg, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE244			<i>Hof, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE245			<i>Bamberg, Landkreis</i>
DE246			<i>Bayreuth, Landkreis</i>
DE247			<i>Coburg, Landkreis</i>
DE248			<i>Forchheim</i>
DE249			<i>Hof, Landkreis</i>
DE24A			<i>Kronach</i>



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
DE24B			<i>Kulmbach</i>
DE24C			<i>Lichtenfels</i>
DE24D			<i>Wunsiedel i. Fichtelgebirge</i>
DE25		Mittelfranken	
DE251			<i>Ansbach, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE252			<i>Erlangen, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE253			<i>Fürth, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE254			<i>Nürnberg, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE255			<i>Schwabach, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE256			<i>Ansbach, Landkreis</i>
DE257			<i>Erlangen-Höchstadt</i>
DE258			<i>Fürth, Landkreis</i>
DE259			<i>Nürnberger Land</i>
DE25A			<i>Neustadt a. d. Aisch-Bad Windsheim</i>
DE25B			<i>Roth</i>
DE25C			<i>Weissenburg-Gunzenhausen</i>
DE26		Unterfranken	
DE261			<i>Aschaffenburg, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE262			<i>Schweinfurt, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE263			<i>Würzburg, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE264			<i>Aschaffenburg, Landkreis</i>
DE265			<i>Bad Kissingen</i>
DE266			<i>Rhön-Grabfeld</i>
DE267			<i>Haßberge</i>
DE268			<i>Kitzingen</i>
DE269			<i>Miltenberg</i>
DE26A			<i>Main-Spessart</i>
DE26B			<i>Schweinfurt, Landkreis</i>
DE26C			<i>Würzburg, Landkreis</i>
DE27		Schwaben	
DE271			<i>Augsburg, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE272			<i>Kaufbeuren, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE273			<i>Kempten (Allgäu), Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE274			<i>Memmingen, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE275			<i>Aichach-Friedberg</i>
DE276			<i>Augsburg, Landkreis</i>
DE277			<i>Dillingen a.d. Donau</i>



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
DE278			Günzburg
DE279			Neu-Ulm
DE27A			Lindau (Bodensee)
DE27B			Ostallgäu
DE27C			Unterallgäu
DE27D			Donau-Ries
DE27E			Oberallgäu
DE3	BERLIN		
DE30		Berlin	
DE300			Berlin
DE4	BRANDENBURG		
DE41		Brandenburg - Nordost	
DE411			Frankfurt (Oder), Kreisfreie Stadt
DE412			Barnim
DE413			Märkisch-Oderland
DE414			Oberhavel
DE415			Oder-Spree
DE416			Ostprignitz-Ruppin
DE417			Prignitz
DE418			Uckermark
DE42		Brandenburg - Südwest	
DE421			Brandenburg an der Havel, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE422			Cottbus, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE423			Potsdam, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE424			Dahme-Spreewald
DE425			Elbe-Elster
DE426			Havelland
DE427			Oberspreewald-Lausitz
DE428			Potsdam-Mittelmark
DE429			Spree-Neiße
DE42A			Teltow-Fläming
DE5	BREMEN		
DE50		Bremen	
DE501			Bremen, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE502			Bremerhaven, Kreisfreie Stadt
DE6	HAMBURG		
DE60		Hamburg	



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
DE600			<i>Hamburg</i>
DE7	HESSEN		
DE71		Darmstadt	
DE711			<i>Darmstadt, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE712			<i>Frankfurt am Main, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE713			<i>Offenbach am Main, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE714			<i>Wiesbaden, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE715			<i>Bergstraße</i>
DE716			<i>Darmstadt-Dieburg</i>
DE717			<i>Groß-Gerau</i>
DE718			<i>Hochtaunuskreis</i>
DE719			<i>Main-Kinzig-Kreis</i>
DE71A			<i>Main-Taunus-Kreis</i>
DE71B			<i>Odenwaldkreis</i>
DE71C			<i>Offenbach, Landkreis</i>
DE71D			<i>Rheingau-Taunus-Kreis</i>
DE71E			<i>Wetteraukreis</i>
DE72		Gießen	
DE721			<i>Gießen, Landkreis</i>
DE722			<i>Lahn-Dill-Kreis</i>
DE723			<i>Limburg-Weilburg</i>
DE724			<i>Marburg-Biedenkopf</i>
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DE735			<i>Schwalm-Eder-Kreis</i>
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DE802			<i>Neubrandenburg, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE803			<i>Rostock, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DE804			<i>Schwerin, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>



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DE807			<i>Bad Doberan</i>
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DE809			<i>Güstrow</i>
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DE80C			<i>Müritz</i>
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DE80E			<i>Nordwestmecklenburg</i>
DE80F			<i>Ostvorpommern</i>
DE80G			<i>Parchim</i>
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DE912			<i>Salzgitter, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
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DE914			<i>Gifhorn</i>
DE915			<i>Göttingen</i>
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DE91A			<i>Peine</i>
DE91B			<i>Wolfenbüttel</i>
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DE94A			<i>Friesland (D)</i>
DE94B			<i>Grafschaft Bentheim</i>
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DEA14			<i>Krefeld, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEA15			<i>Mönchengladbach, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
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DEA2C			<i>Rhein-Sieg-Kreis</i>
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DEA46			<i>Minden-Lübbecke</i>



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DEA5A			<i>Siegen-Wittgenstein</i>
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DEB13			<i>Altenkirchen (Westerwald)</i>
DEB14			<i>Bad Kreuznach</i>
DEB15			<i>Birkenfeld</i>
DEB16			<i>Cochem-Zell</i>
DEB17			<i>Mayen-Koblenz</i>
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DEB19			<i>Rhein-Hunsrück-Kreis</i>
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DEB1B			<i>Westerwaldkreis</i>
DEB2		<i>Trier</i>	
DEB21			<i>Trier, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEB22			<i>Bernkastel-Wittlich</i>
DEB23			<i>Bitburg-Prüm</i>
DEB24			<i>Daun</i>
DEB25			<i>Trier-Saarburg</i>
DEB3		Rheinhessen-Pfalz	
DEB31			<i>Frankenthal (Pfalz), Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEB32			<i>Kaiserslautern, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEB33			<i>Landau in der Pfalz, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
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DEB35			<i>Mainz, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
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DEB37			<i>Pirmasens, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEB38			<i>Speyer, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEB39			<i>Worms, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEB3A			<i>Zweibrücken, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEB3B			<i>Alzey-Worms</i>
DEB3C			<i>Bad Dürkheim</i>
DEB3D			<i>Donnersbergkreis</i>
DEB3E			<i>Germersheim</i>
DEB3F			<i>Kaiserslautern, Landkreis</i>
DEB3G			<i>Kusel</i>
DEB3H			<i>Südliche Weinstraße</i>
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DEB3J			<i>Mainz-Bingen</i>
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DEC02			<i>Merzig-Wadern</i>
DEC03			<i>Neunkirchen</i>
DEC04			<i>Saarlouis</i>
DEC05			<i>Saarpfalz-Kreis</i>
DEC06			<i>St. Wendel</i>
DED	SACHSEN		
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DED11			<i>Chemnitz, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DED12			<i>Plauen, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DED13			<i>Zwickau, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DED14			<i>Annaberg</i>
DED15			<i>Chemnitzer Land</i>
DED16			<i>Freiberg</i>
DED17			<i>Vogtlandkreis</i>
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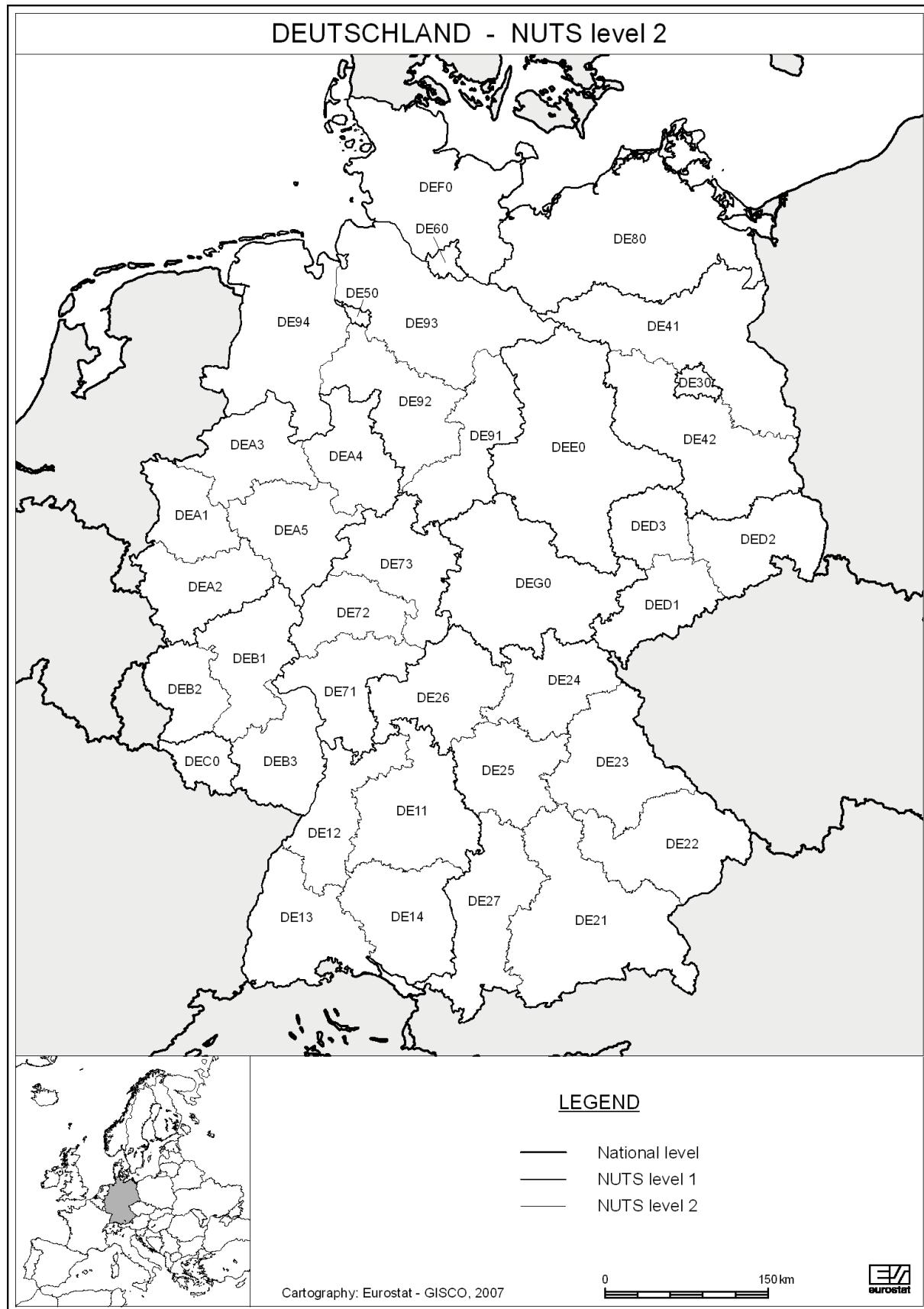
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DED23			<i>Hoyerswerda, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
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DED25			<i>Meißen</i>
DED26			<i>Niederschlesischer Oberlausitzkreis</i>
DED27			<i>Riesa-Großenhain</i>
DED28			<i>Löbau-Zittau</i>
DED29			<i>Sächsische Schweiz</i>
DED2A			<i>Weißeritzkreis</i>
DED2B			<i>Kamenz</i>
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DED31			<i>Leipzig, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DED32			<i>Delitzsch</i>
DED33			<i>Döbeln</i>
DED34			<i>Leipziger Land</i>
DED35			<i>Muldentalkreis</i>
DED36			<i>Torgau-Oschatz</i>
DEE	SACHSEN-ANHALT		
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DEE01			<i>Dessau-Roßlau, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEE02			<i>Halle (Saale), Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEE03			<i>Magdeburg, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEE04			<i>Altmarkkreis Salzwedel</i>
DEE05			<i>Anhalt-Bitterfeld</i>
DEE06			<i>Jerichower Land</i>
DEE07			<i>Börde</i>
DEE08			<i>Burgenland (D)</i>
DEE09			<i>Harz</i>
DEE0A			<i>Mansfeld-Südharz</i>
DEE0B			<i>Saalekreis</i>
DEE0C			<i>Salzland</i>
DEE0D			<i>Stendal</i>
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DEF	SCHLESWIG-HOLSTEIN		
DEF0		Schleswig-Holstein	
DEF01			<i>Flensburg, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEF02			<i>Kiel, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEF03			<i>Lübeck, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEF04			<i>Neumünster, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEF05			<i>Dithmarschen</i>
DEF06			<i>Herzogtum Lauenburg</i>
DEF07			<i>Nordfriesland</i>
DEF08			<i>Ostholstein</i>
DEF09			<i>Pinneberg</i>
DEF0A			<i>Plön</i>
DEF0B			<i>Rendsburg-Eckernförde</i>
DEF0C			<i>Schleswig-Flensburg</i>
DEF0D			<i>Segeberg</i>
DEF0E			<i>Steinburg</i>
DEF0F			<i>Stormarn</i>
DEG	THÜRINGEN		
DEG0		Thüringen	
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DEG02			<i>Gera, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEG03			<i>Jena, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEG04			<i>Suhl, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEG05			<i>Weimar, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
DEG06			<i>Eichsfeld</i>
DEG07			<i>Nordhausen</i>
DEG09			<i>Unstrut-Hainich-Kreis</i>
DEG0A			<i>Kyffhäuserkreis</i>
DEG0B			<i>Schmalkalden-Meiningen</i>
DEG0C			<i>Gotha</i>
DEG0D			<i>Sömmerda</i>
DEG0E			<i>Hildburghausen</i>
DEG0F			<i>Ilm-Kreis</i>
DEG0G			<i>Weimarer Land</i>
DEG0H			<i>Sonneberg</i>
DEG0I			<i>Saalfeld-Rudolstadt</i>
DEG0J			<i>Saale-Holzland-Kreis</i>

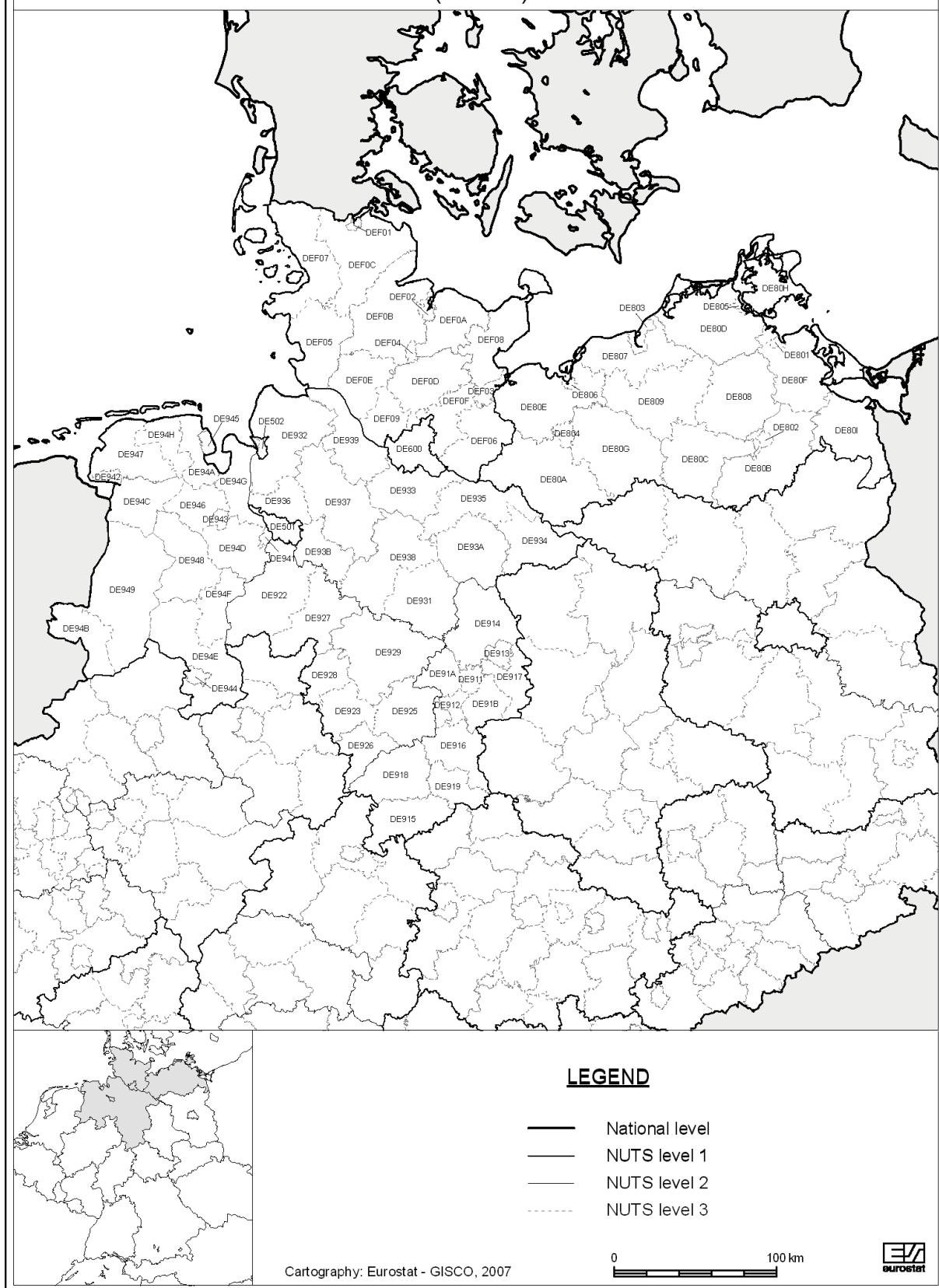


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DEGON			<i>Eisenach, Kreisfreie Stadt</i>
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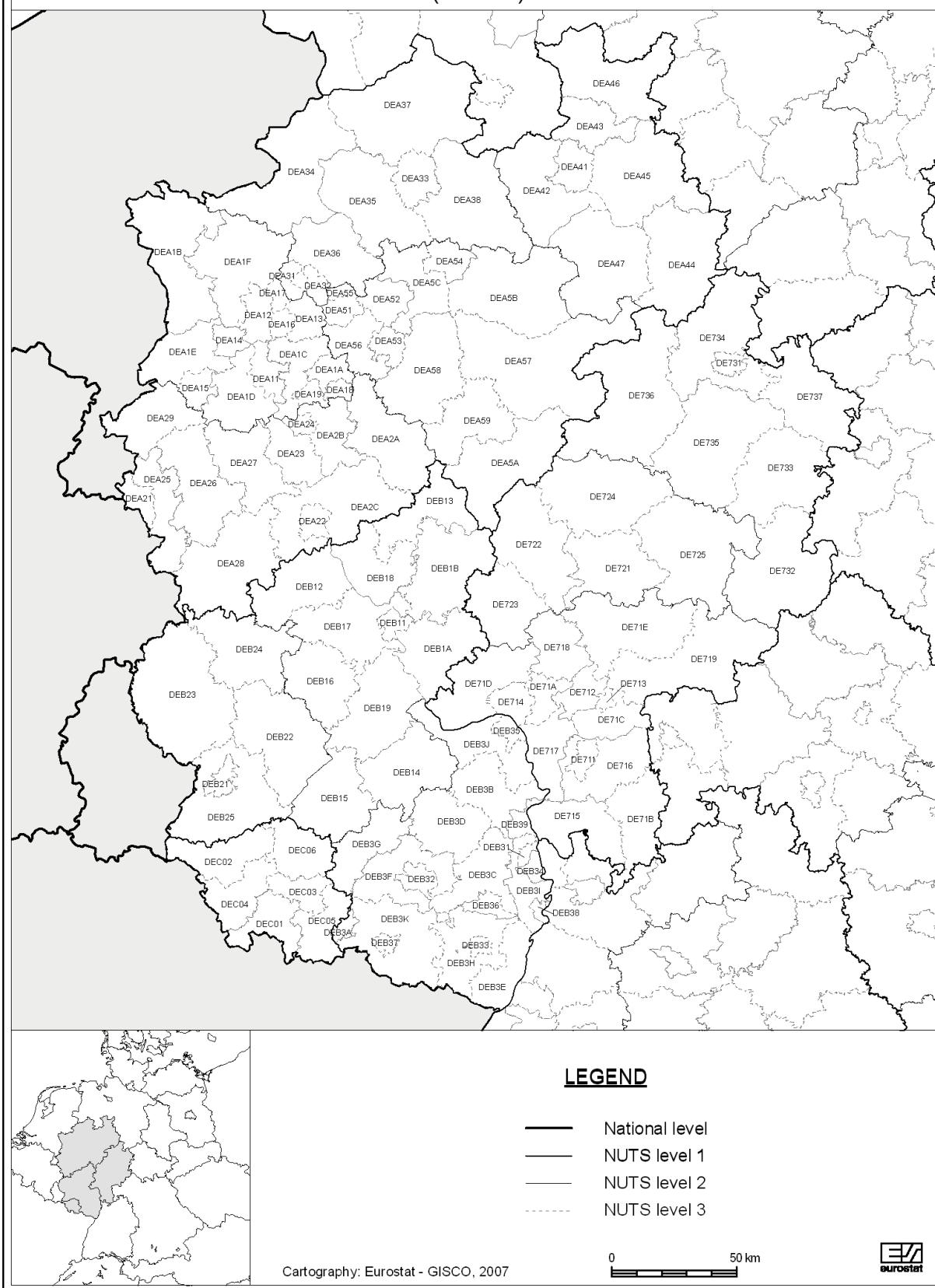


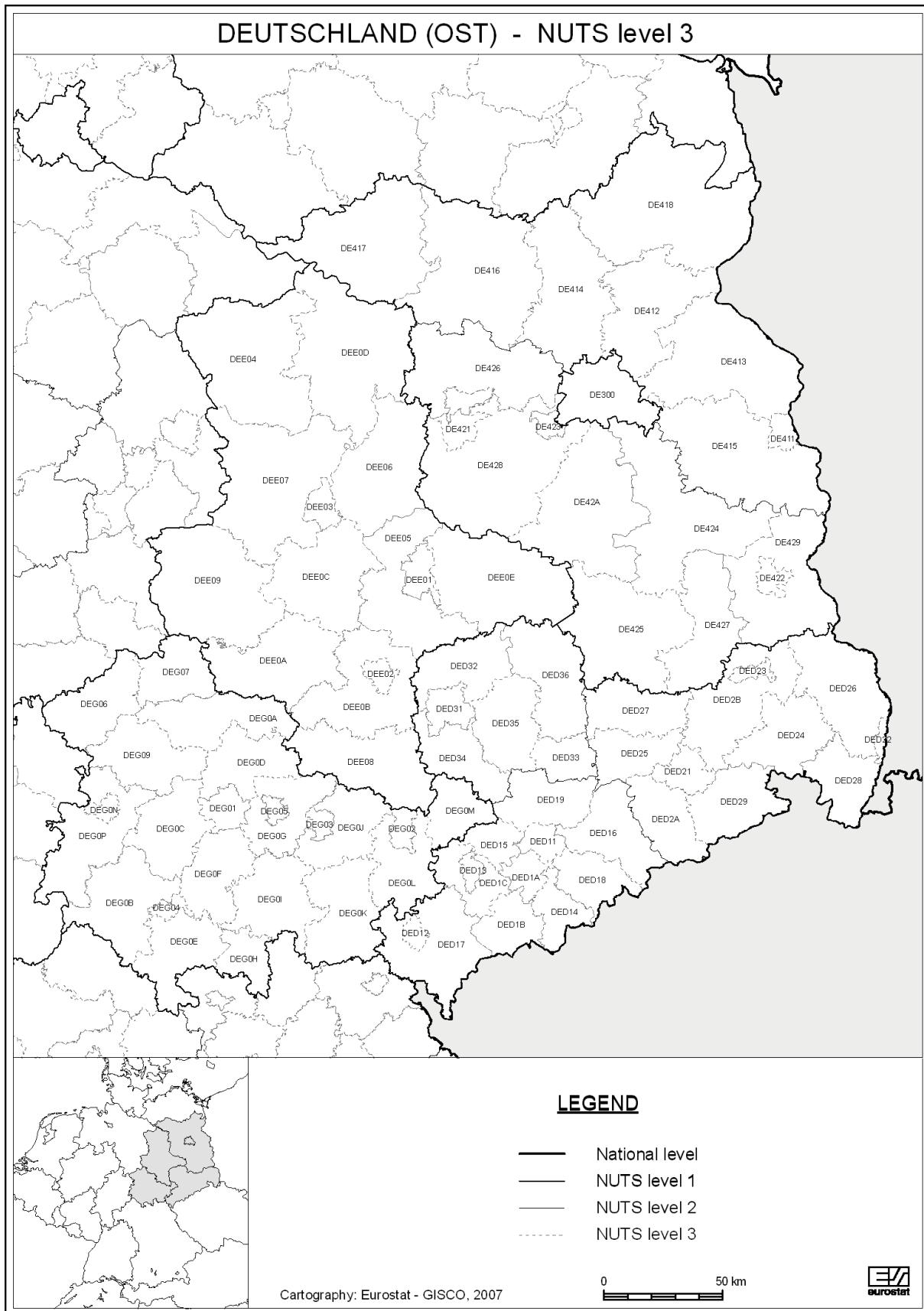
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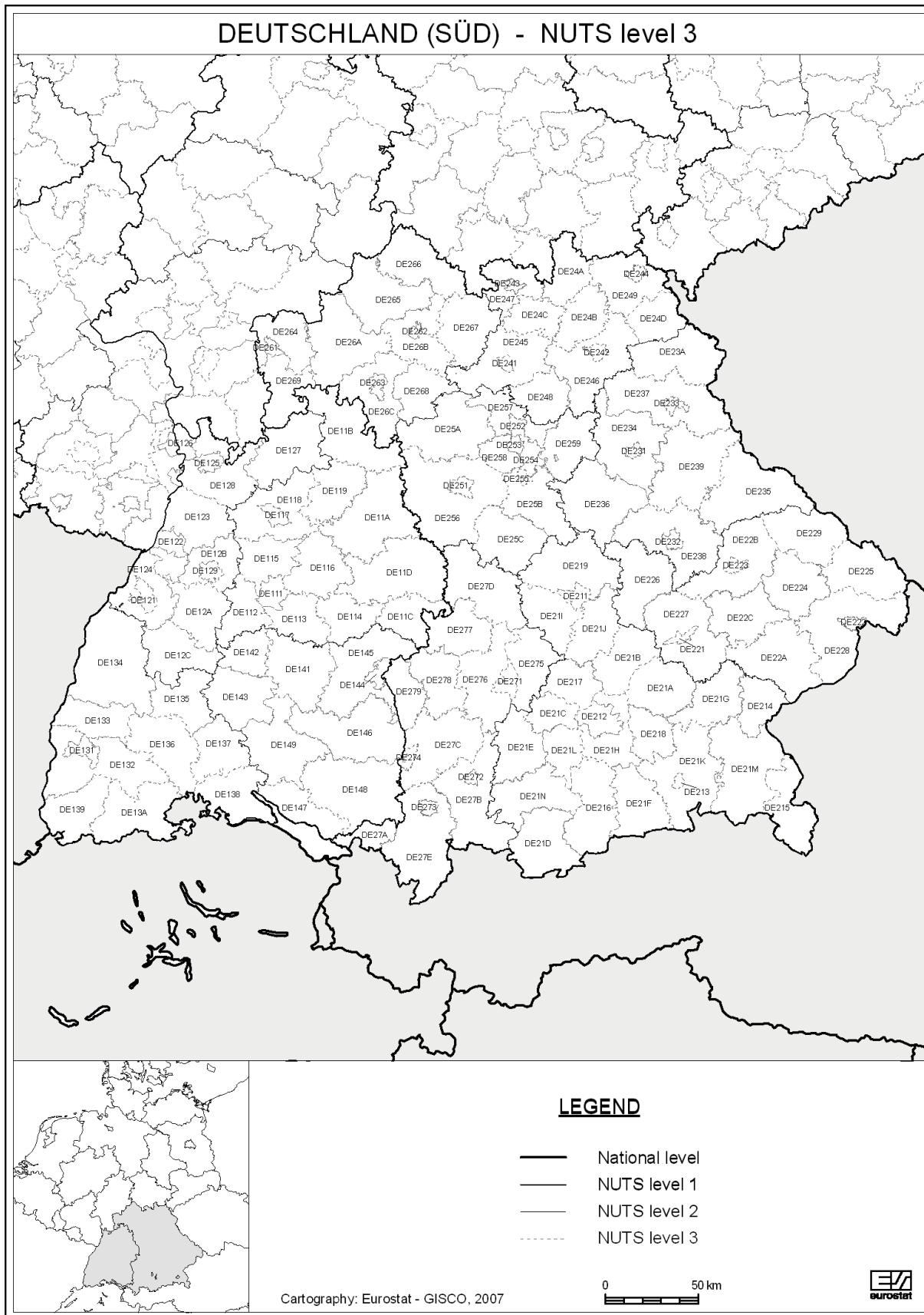




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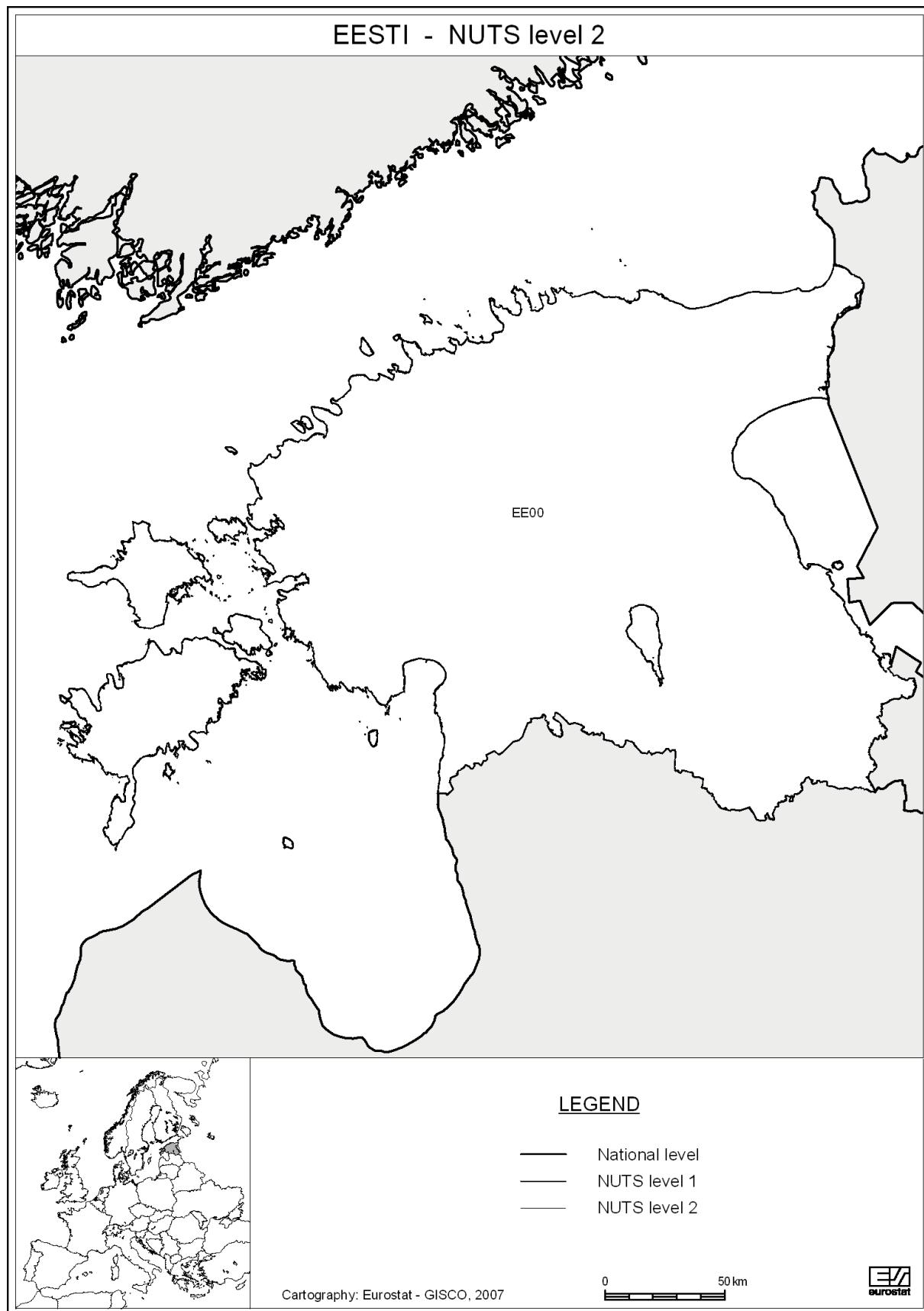




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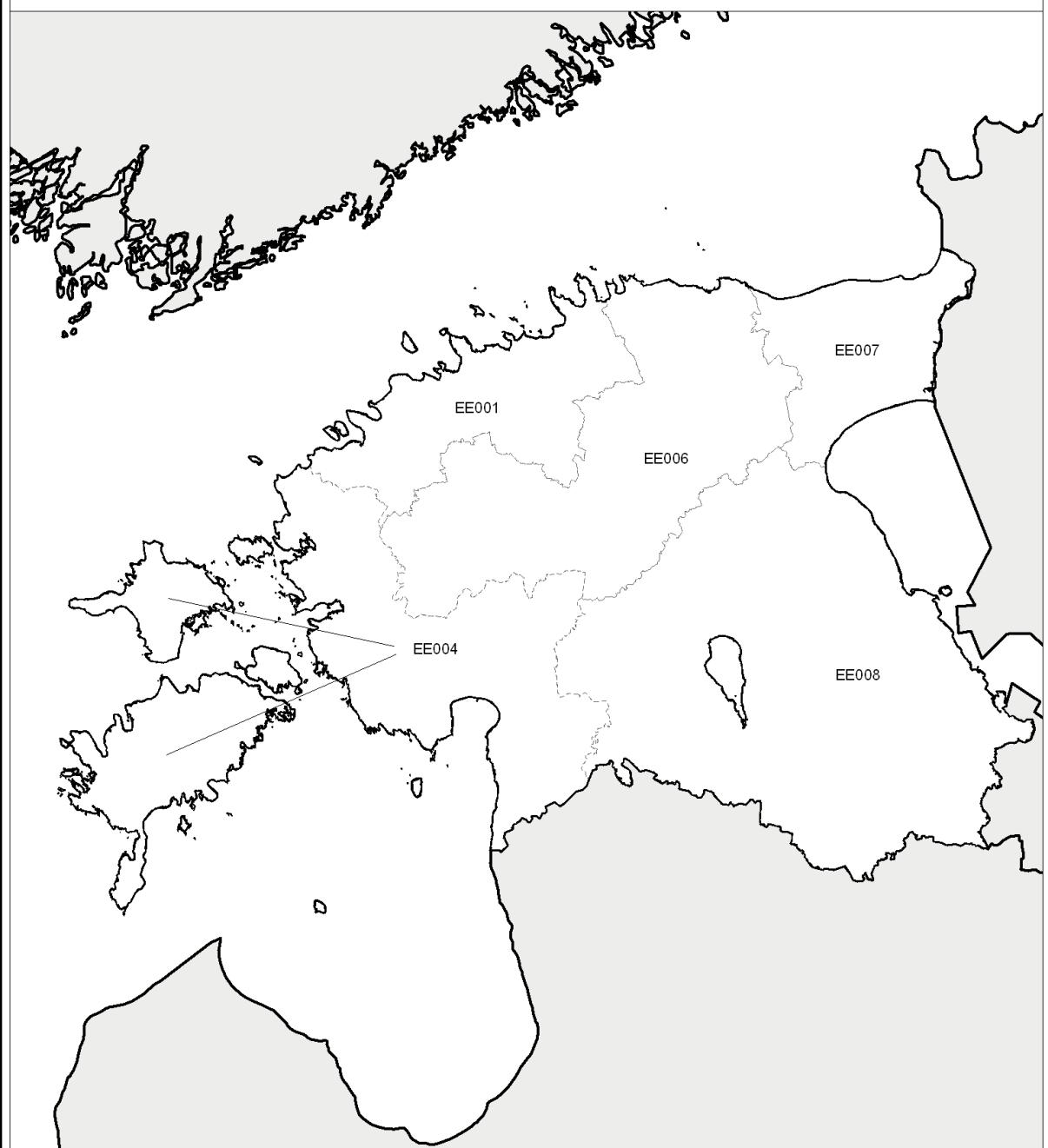
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EE006			<i>Kesk-Eesti</i>
EE007			<i>Kirde-Eesti</i>
EE008			<i>Lõuna-Eesti</i>
EEZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
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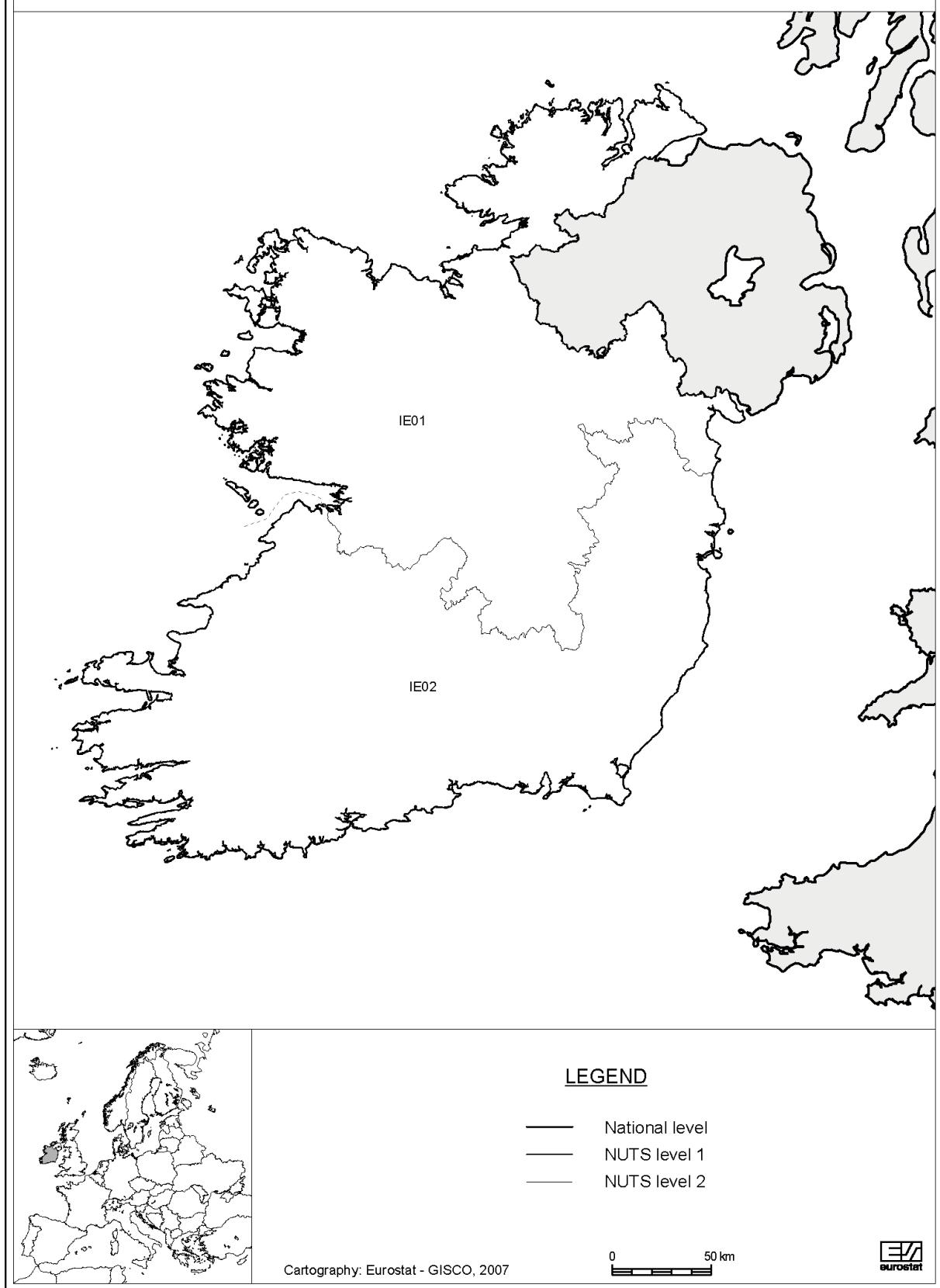
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IE012			<i>Midland</i>
IE013			<i>West</i>
IE02		Southern and Eastern	
IE021			<i>Dublin</i>
IE022			<i>Mid-East</i>
IE023			<i>Mid-West</i>
IE024			<i>South-East (IRL)</i>
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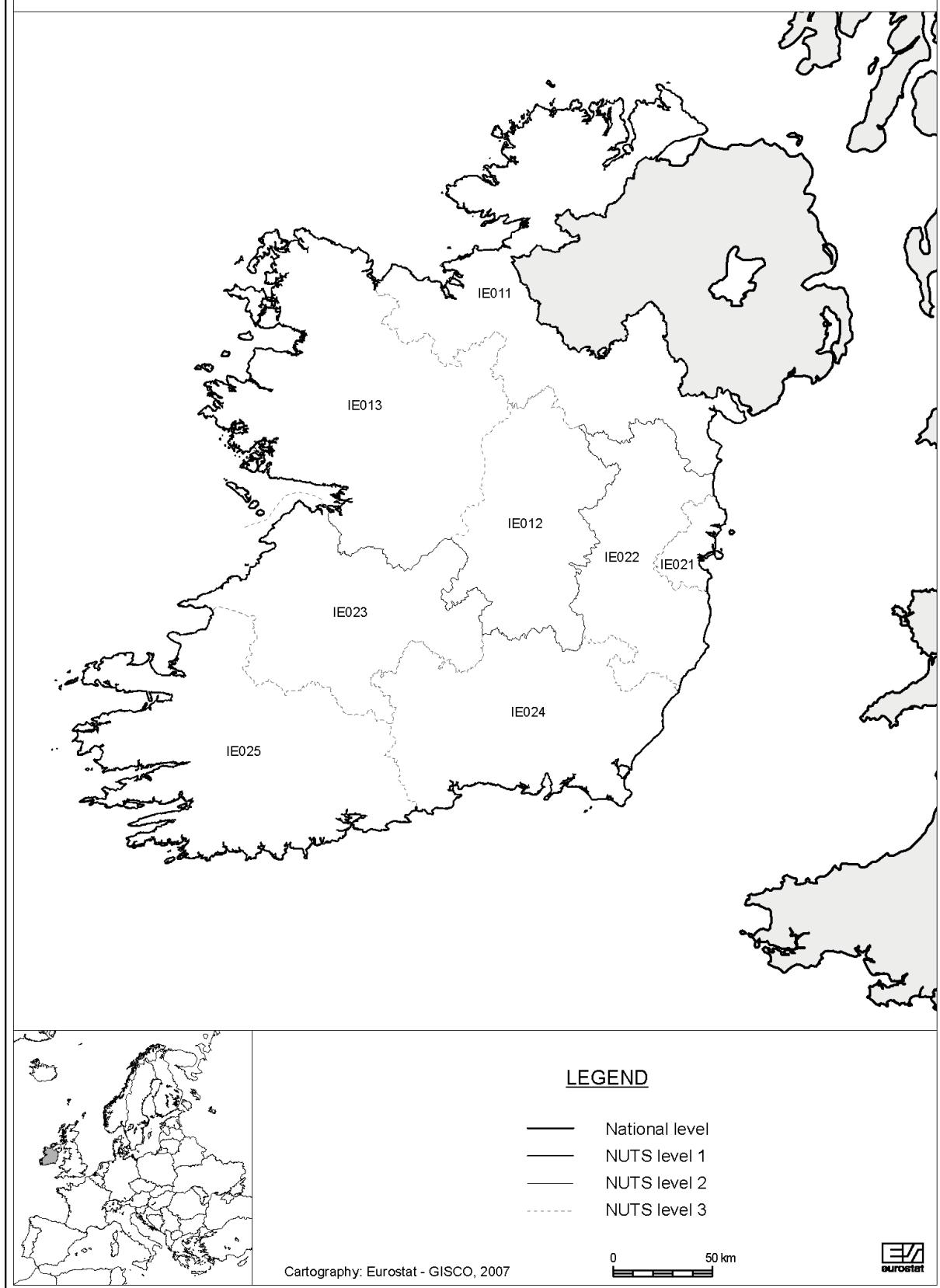
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GR111			Έβρος
GR112			Ξάνθη
GR113			Ροδόπη
GR114			Δράμα
GR115			Καβάλα
GR12		Κεντρική Μακεδονία	
GR121			Ημαθία
GR122			Θεσσαλονίκη
GR123			Κιλκίς
GR124			Πέλλα
GR125			Πιερία
GR126			Σέρρες
GR127			Χαλκιδική
GR13		Δυτική Μακεδονία	
GR131			Γρεβενά
GR132			Καστοριά
GR133			Κοζάνη
GR134			Φλώρινα
GR14		Θεσσαλία	
GR141			Καρδίτσα
GR142			Λάρισα
GR143			Μαγνησία
GR144			Τρίκαλα
GR2	ΚΕΝΤΡΙΚΗ ΕΛΛΑΔΑ		
GR21		Ήπειρος	
GR211			Αρτα
GR212			Θεσπρωτία
GR213			Ιωάννινα
GR214			Πρέβεζα
GR22		Ιόνια Νησιά	
GR221			Ζάκυνθος
GR222			Κέρκυρα
GR223			Κεφαλληνία



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GR245			Φωκίδα
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GR43		Κρήτη	
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GR12		Kentriki Makedonia	
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GR122			<i>Thessaloniki</i>
GR123			<i>Kilkis</i>
GR124			<i>Pella</i>
GR125			<i>Pieria</i>
GR126			<i>Serres</i>
GR127			<i>Chalkidiki</i>
GR13		Dytiki Makedonia	
GR131			<i>Grevena</i>
GR132			<i>Kastoria</i>
GR133			<i>Kozani</i>
GR134			<i>Florina</i>
GR14		Thessalia	
GR141			<i>Karditsa</i>
GR142			<i>Larisa</i>
GR143			<i>Magnisia</i>
GR144			<i>Trikala</i>
GR2	KENTRIKI ELLADA		
GR21		Ipeiros	
GR211			<i>Arta</i>
GR212			<i>Thesprotia</i>
GR213			<i>Ioannina</i>
GR214			<i>Preveza</i>
GR22		Ionia Nisia	
GR221			<i>Zakynthos</i>
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GR223			<i>Kefallinia</i>

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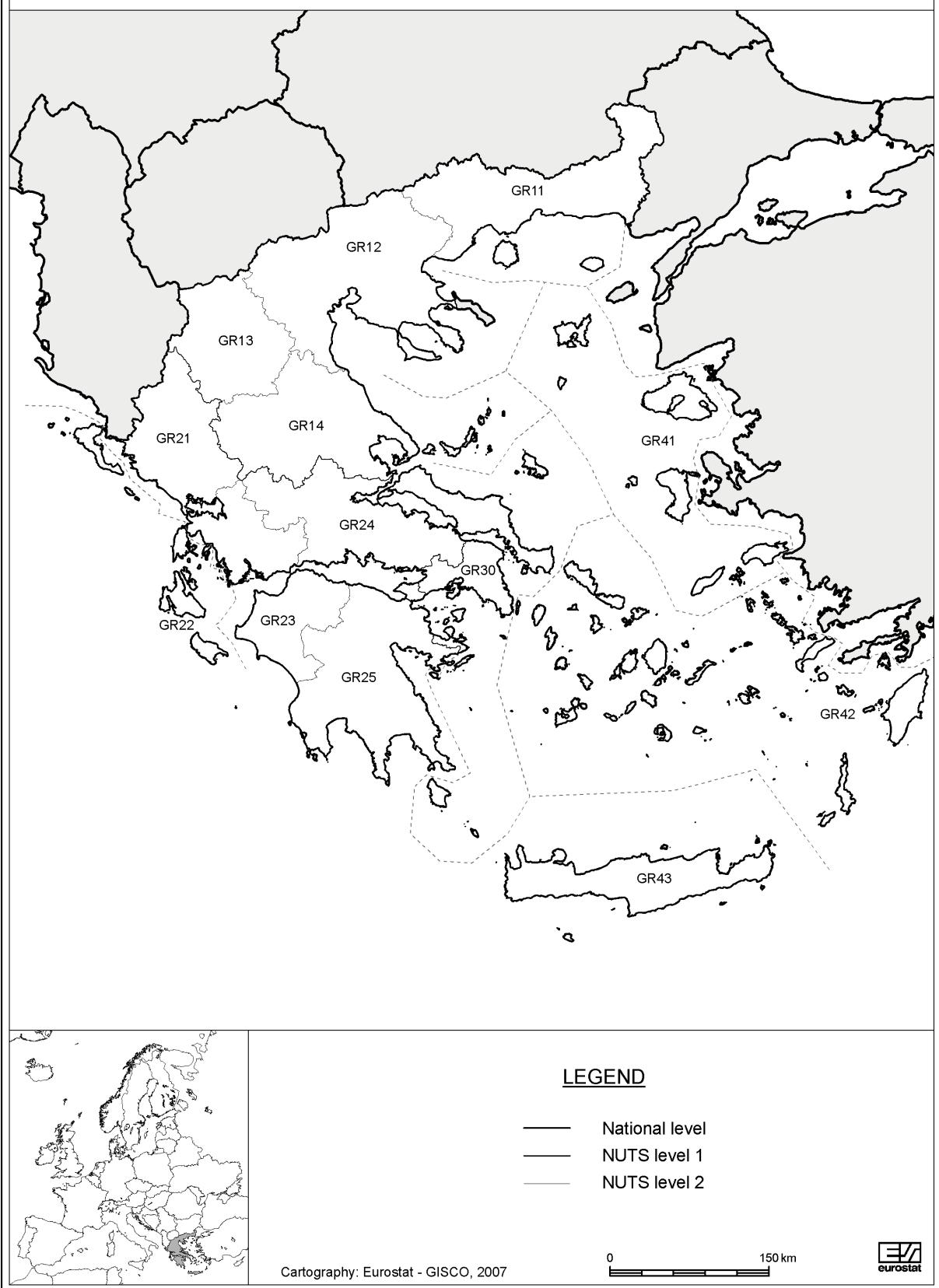


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GR232			<i>Achaea</i>
GR233			<i>Ileia</i>
GR24		Stereia Ellada	
GR241			<i>Viotia</i>
GR242			<i>Evoia</i>
GR243			<i>Evrytania</i>
GR244			<i>Fthiotida</i>
GR245			<i>Fokida</i>
GR25		Peloponnisos	
GR251			<i>Argolida</i>
GR252			<i>Arkadia</i>
GR253			<i>Korinthia</i>
GR254			<i>Lakonia</i>
GR255			<i>Messinia</i>
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GR30		Attiki	
GR300			<i>Attiki</i>
GR4	NISIA AIGAIOU, KRITI		
GR41		Voreio Aigaio	
GR411			<i>Lesvos</i>
GR412			<i>Samos</i>
GR413			<i>Chios</i>
GR42		Notio Aigaio	
GR421			<i>Dodekanisos</i>
GR422			<i>Kyklades</i>
GR43		Kriti	
GR431			<i>Irakleio</i>
GR432			<i>Lasithi</i>
GR433			<i>Rethymni</i>
GR434			<i>Chania</i>
GRZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
GRZZ		Extra-Regio	
GRZZZ			<i>Extra-Regio</i>



Ελλαδα

ΕΛΛΑΣ - NUTS level 2







ESPAÑA

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
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ES1	NOROESTE		
ES11		Galicia	
ES111			<i>A Coruña</i>
ES112			<i>Lugo</i>
ES113			<i>Ourense</i>
ES114			<i>Pontevedra</i>
ES12		Principado de Asturias	
ES120			<i>Asturias</i>
ES13		Cantabria	
ES130			<i>Cantabria</i>
ES2	NORESTE		
ES21		País Vasco	
ES211			<i>Álava</i>
ES212			<i>Guipúzcoa</i>
ES213			<i>Vizcaya</i>
ES22		Comunidad Foral de Navarra	
ES220			<i>Navarra</i>
ES23		La Rioja	
ES230			<i>La Rioja</i>
ES24		Aragón	
ES241			<i>Huesca</i>
ES242			<i>Teruel</i>
ES243			<i>Zaragoza</i>
ES3	COMUNIDAD DE MADRID		
ES30		Comunidad de Madrid	
ES300			<i>Madrid</i>
ES4	CENTRO (E)		
ES41		Castilla y León	
ES411			<i>Ávila</i>
ES412			<i>Burgos</i>
ES413			<i>León</i>
ES414			<i>Palencia</i>
ES415			<i>Salamanca</i>
ES416			<i>Segovia</i>
ES417			<i>Soria</i>



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
ES418			<i>Valladolid</i>
ES419			<i>Zamora</i>
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ES424			<i>Guadalajara</i>
ES425			<i>Toledo</i>
ES43		Extremadura	
ES431			<i>Badajoz</i>
ES432			<i>Cáceres</i>
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ES511			<i>Barcelona</i>
ES512			<i>Girona</i>
ES513			<i>Lleida</i>
ES514			<i>Tarragona</i>
ES52		Comunidad Valenciana	
ES521			<i>Alicante / Alacant</i>
ES522			<i>Castellón / Castelló</i>
ES523			<i>Valencia / València</i>
ES53		Illes Balears	
ES531			<i>Eivissa y Formentera</i>
ES532			<i>Mallorca</i>
ES533			<i>Menorca</i>
ES6	SUR		
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ES611			<i>Almería</i>
ES612			<i>Cádiz</i>
ES613			<i>Córdoba</i>
ES614			<i>Granada</i>
ES615			<i>Huelva</i>
ES616			<i>Jaén</i>
ES617			<i>Málaga</i>
ES618			<i>Sevilla</i>
ES62		Región de Murcia	
ES620			<i>Murcia</i>



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ES64		Ciudad Autónoma de Melilla	
ES640			<i>Melilla</i>
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ES70		Canarias	
ES703			<i>El Hierro</i>
ES704			<i>Fuerteventura</i>
ES705			<i>Gran Canaria</i>
ES706			<i>La Gomera</i>
ES707			<i>La Palma</i>
ES708			<i>Lanzarote</i>
ES709			<i>Tenerife</i>
ESZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
ESZZ		Extra-Regio	
ESZZZ			<i>Extra-Regio</i>





España

ESPAÑA - NUTS level 3





FRANCE

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



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
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FR262			<i>Nièvre</i>
FR263			<i>Saône-et-Loire</i>
FR264			<i>Yonne</i>
FR3	NORD - PAS-DE-CALAIS		
FR30		Nord - Pas-de-Calais	
FR301			<i>Nord</i>
FR302			<i>Pas-de-Calais</i>
FR4	EST		
FR41		Lorraine	
FR411			<i>Meurthe-et-Moselle</i>
FR412			<i>Meuse</i>
FR413			<i>Moselle</i>
FR414			<i>Vosges</i>
FR42		Alsace	
FR421			<i>Bas-Rhin</i>
FR422			<i>Haut-Rhin</i>
FR43		Franche-Comté	
FR431			<i>Doubs</i>
FR432			<i>Jura</i>
FR433			<i>Haute-Saône</i>
FR434			<i>Territoire de Belfort</i>
FR5	OUEST		
FR51		Pays de la Loire	
FR511			<i>Loire-Atlantique</i>
FR512			<i>Maine-et-Loire</i>
FR513			<i>Mayenne</i>
FR514			<i>Sarthe</i>
FR515			<i>Vendée</i>
FR52		Bretagne	
FR521			<i>Côtes-d'Armor</i>
FR522			<i>Finistère</i>
FR523			<i>Ille-et-Vilaine</i>
FR524			<i>Morbihan</i>
FR53		Poitou-Charentes	
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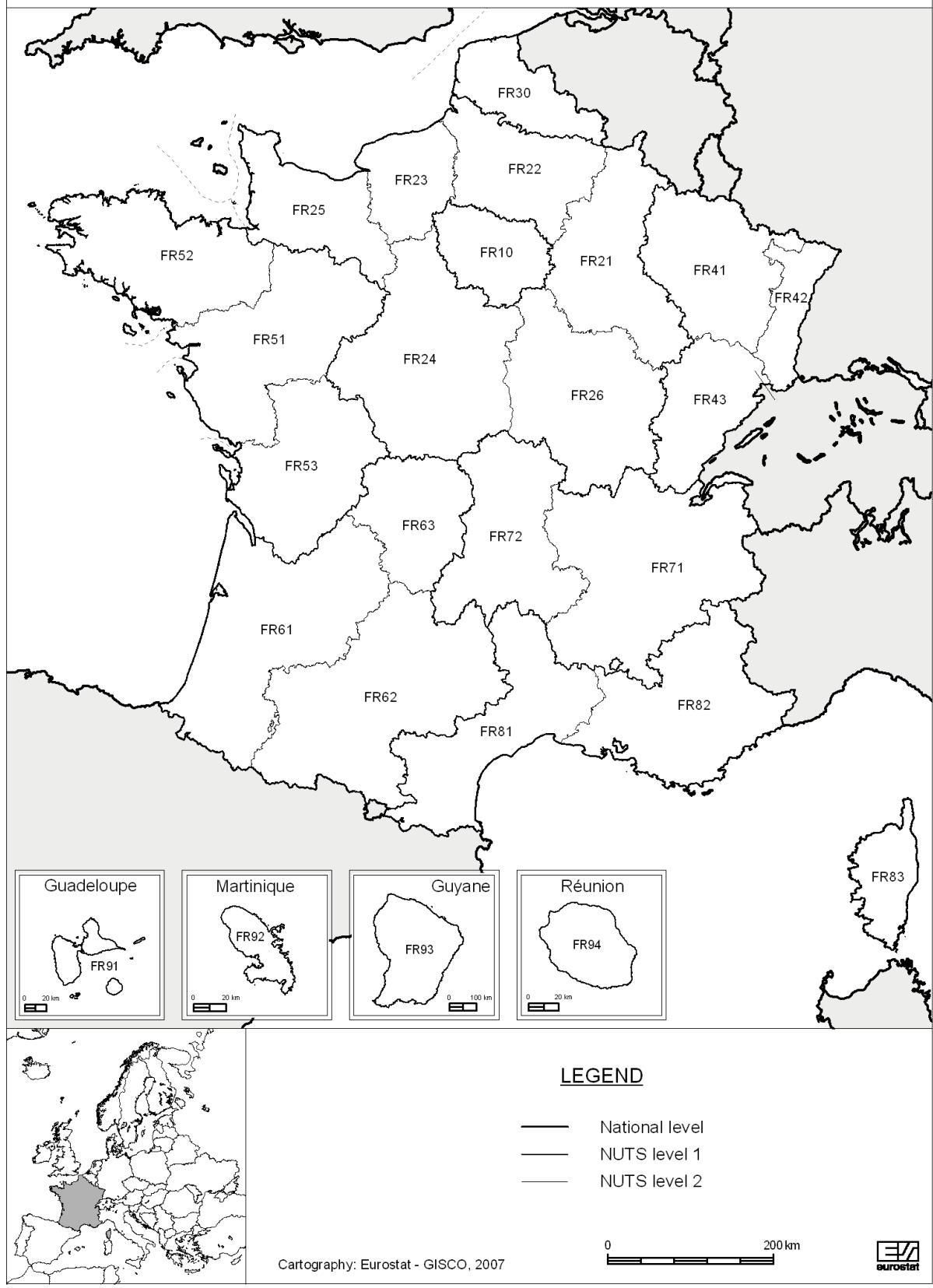
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FR611			<i>Dordogne</i>
FR612			<i>Gironde</i>
FR613			<i>Landes</i>
FR614			<i>Lot-et-Garonne</i>
FR615			<i>Pyrénées-Atlantiques</i>
FR62		Midi-Pyrénées	
FR621			<i>Ariège</i>
FR622			<i>Aveyron</i>
FR623			<i>Haute-Garonne</i>
FR624			<i>Gers</i>
FR625			<i>Lot</i>
FR626			<i>Hautes-Pyrénées</i>
FR627			<i>Tarn</i>
FR628			<i>Tarn-et-Garonne</i>
FR63		Limousin	
FR631			<i>Corrèze</i>
FR632			<i>Creuse</i>
FR633			<i>Haute-Vienne</i>
FR7	CENTRE-EST		
FR71		Rhône-Alpes	
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FR81		Languedoc-Roussillon	
FR811			<i>Aude</i>
FR812			<i>Gard</i>
FR813			<i>Hérault</i>
FR814			<i>Lozère</i>
FR815			<i>Pyrénées-Orientales</i>
FR82		Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur	
FR821			<i>Alpes-de-Haute-Provence</i>
FR822			<i>Hautes-Alpes</i>
FR823			<i>Alpes-Maritimes</i>
FR824			<i>Bouches-du-Rhône</i>
FR825			<i>Var</i>
FR826			<i>Vaucluse</i>
FR83		Corse	
FR831			<i>Corse-du-Sud</i>
FR832			<i>Haute-Corse</i>
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FR910			<i>Guadeloupe</i>
FR92		Martinique	
FR920			<i>Martinique</i>
FR93		Guyane	
FR930			<i>Guyane</i>
FR94		Réunion	
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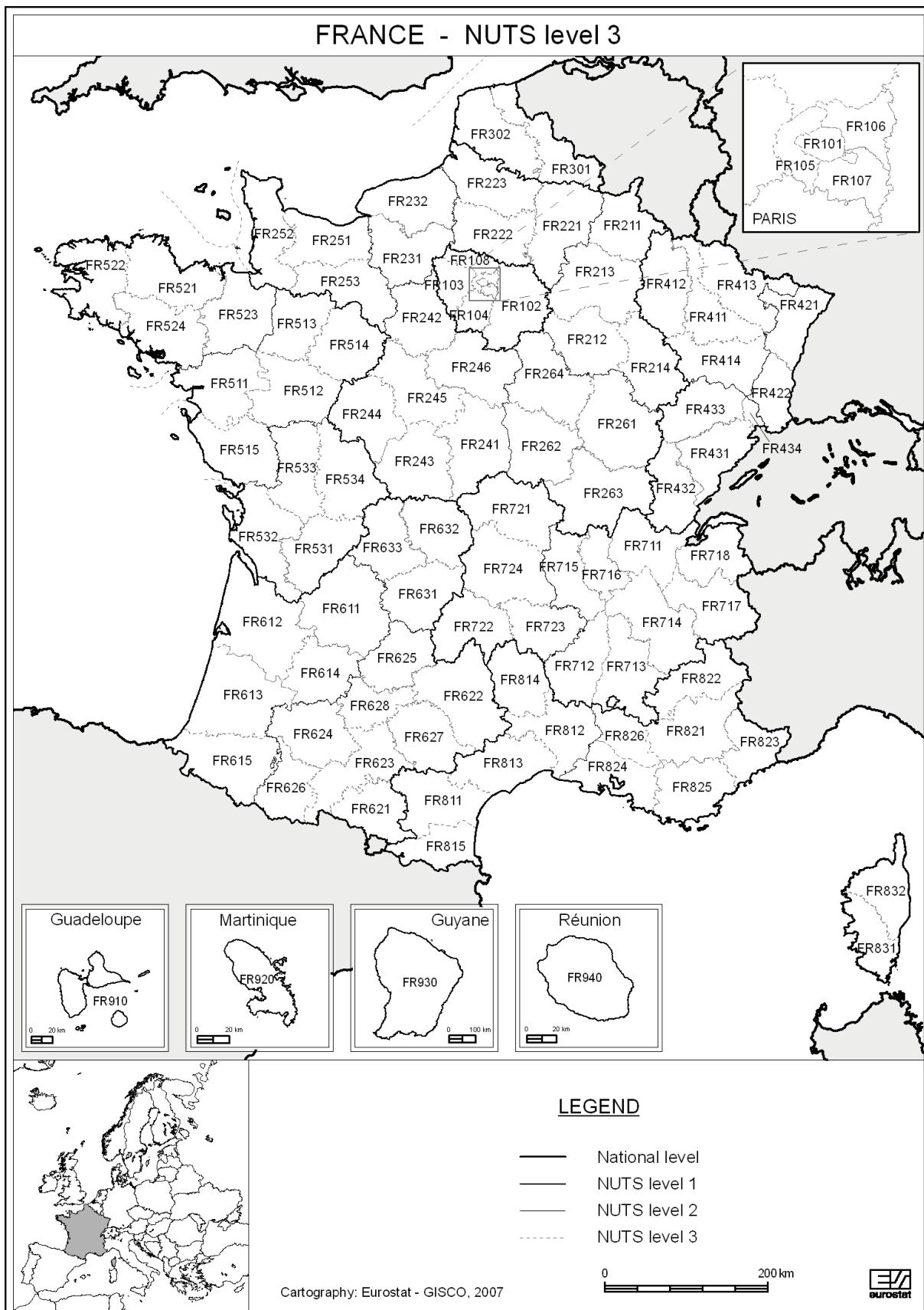


FRANCE - NUTS level 2





France





ITALIA

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ITC11			<i>Torino</i>
ITC12			<i>Vercelli</i>
ITC13			<i>Biella</i>
ITC14			<i>Verbano-Cusio-Ossola</i>
ITC15			<i>Novara</i>
ITC16			<i>Cuneo</i>
ITC17			<i>Asti</i>
ITC18			<i>Alessandria</i>
ITC2		Valle d'Aosta/Vallée d'Aoste	
ITC20			<i>Valle d'Aosta/Vallée d'Aoste</i>
ITC3		Liguria	
ITC31			<i>Imperia</i>
ITC32			<i>Savona</i>
ITC33			<i>Genova</i>
ITC34			<i>La Spezia</i>
ITC4		Lombardia	
ITC41			<i>Varese</i>
ITC42			<i>Como</i>
ITC43			<i>Lecco</i>
ITC44			<i>Sondrio</i>
ITC45			<i>Milano</i>
ITC46			<i>Bergamo</i>
ITC47			<i>Brescia</i>
ITC48			<i>Pavia</i>
ITC49			<i>Lodi</i>
ITC4A			<i>Cremona</i>
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ITD10			<i>Bolzano-Bozen</i>
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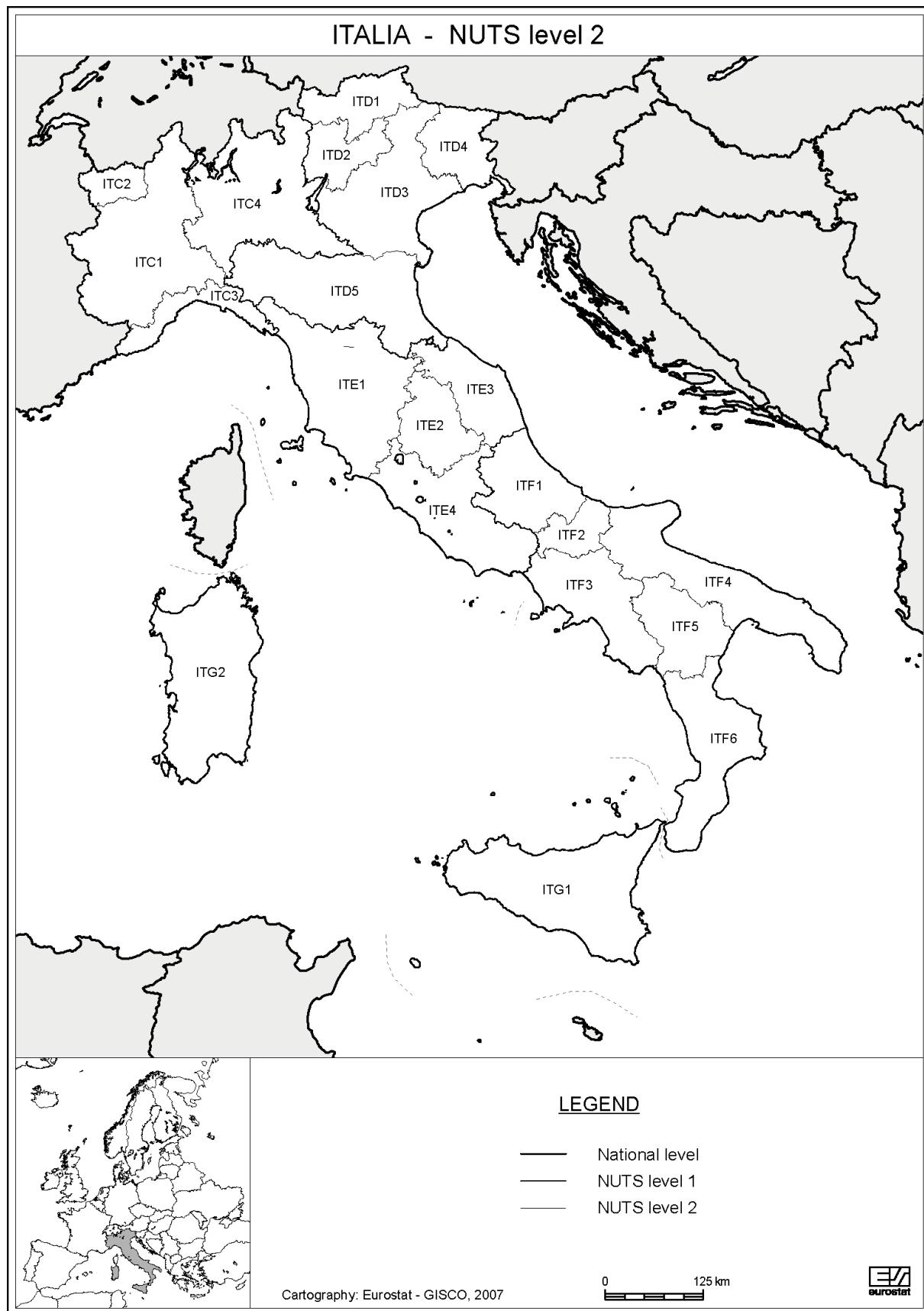
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ITD32			<i>Vicenza</i>
ITD33			<i>Belluno</i>
ITD34			<i>Treviso</i>
ITD35			<i>Venezia</i>
ITD36			<i>Padova</i>
ITD37			<i>Rovigo</i>
ITD4		<i>Friuli-Venezia Giulia</i>	
ITD41			<i>Pordenone</i>
ITD42			<i>Udine</i>
ITD43			<i>Gorizia</i>
ITD44			<i>Trieste</i>
ITD5		<i>Emilia-Romagna</i>	
ITD51			<i>Piacenza</i>
ITD52			<i>Parma</i>
ITD53			<i>Reggio nell'Emilia</i>
ITD54			<i>Modena</i>
ITD55			<i>Bologna</i>
ITD56			<i>Ferrara</i>
ITD57			<i>Ravenna</i>
ITD58			<i>Forlì-Cesena</i>
ITD59			<i>Rimini</i>
ITE	CENTRO (I)		
ITE1		<i>Toscana</i>	
ITE11			<i>Massa-Carrara</i>
ITE12			<i>Lucca</i>
ITE13			<i>Pistoia</i>
ITE14			<i>Firenze</i>
ITE15			<i>Prato</i>
ITE16			<i>Livorno</i>
ITE17			<i>Pisa</i>
ITE18			<i>Arezzo</i>
ITE19			<i>Siena</i>
ITE1A			<i>Grosseto</i>
ITE2		<i>Umbria</i>	



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
ITE21			<i>Perugia</i>
ITE22			<i>Terni</i>
ITE3		Marche	
ITE31			<i>Pesaro e Urbino</i>
ITE32			<i>Ancona</i>
ITE33			<i>Macerata</i>
ITE34			<i>Ascoli Piceno</i>
ITE4		Lazio	
ITE41			<i>Viterbo</i>
ITE42			<i>Rieti</i>
ITE43			<i>Roma</i>
ITE44			<i>Latina</i>
ITE45			<i>Frosinone</i>
ITF	SUD		
ITF1		Abruzzo	
ITF11			<i>L'Aquila</i>
ITF12			<i>Teramo</i>
ITF13			<i>Pescara</i>
ITF14			<i>Chieti</i>
ITF2		Molise	
ITF21			<i>Isernia</i>
ITF22			<i>Campobasso</i>
ITF3		Campania	
ITF31			<i>Caserta</i>
ITF32			<i>Benevento</i>
ITF33			<i>Napoli</i>
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ITF42			<i>Bari</i>
ITF43			<i>Taranto</i>
ITF44			<i>Brindisi</i>
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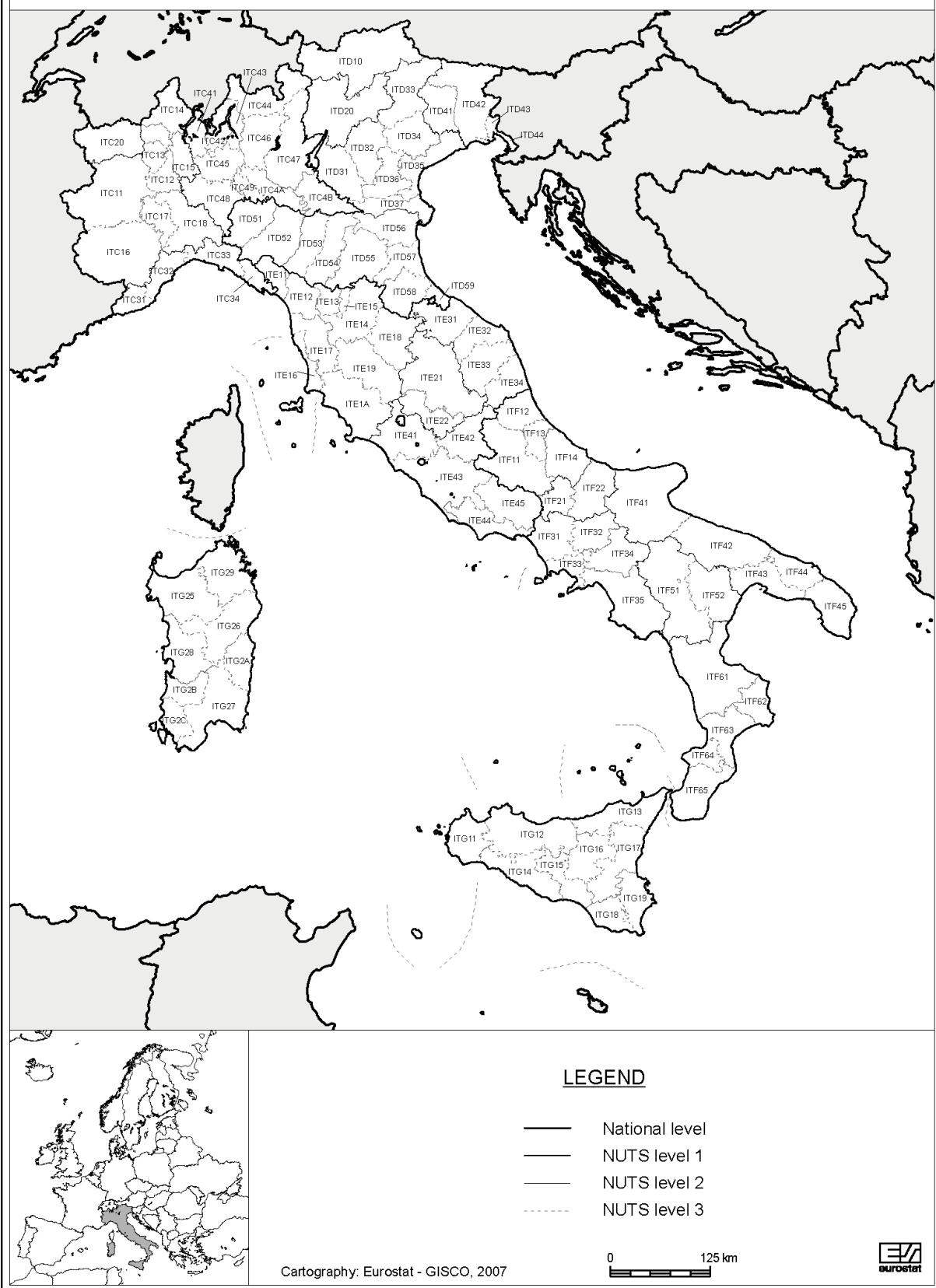
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ITF63			<i>Catanzaro</i>
ITF64			<i>Vibo Valentia</i>
ITF65			<i>Reggio di Calabria</i>
ITG	ISOLE		
ITG1		Sicilia	
ITG11			<i>Trapani</i>
ITG12			<i>Palermo</i>
ITG13			<i>Messina</i>
ITG14			<i>Agrigento</i>
ITG15			<i>Caltanissetta</i>
ITG16			<i>Enna</i>
ITG17			<i>Catania</i>
ITG18			<i>Ragusa</i>
ITG19			<i>Siracusa</i>
ITG2		Sardegna	
ITG25			<i>Sassari</i>
ITG26			<i>Nuoro</i>
ITG27			<i>Cagliari</i>
ITG28			<i>Oristano</i>
ITG29			<i>Olbia-Tempio</i>
ITG2A			<i>Ogliastra</i>
ITG2B			<i>Medio Campidano</i>
ITG2C			<i>Carbonia-Iglesias</i>
ITZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
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ITZZZ			<i>Extra-Regio</i>





Italia

ITALIA - NUTS level 3





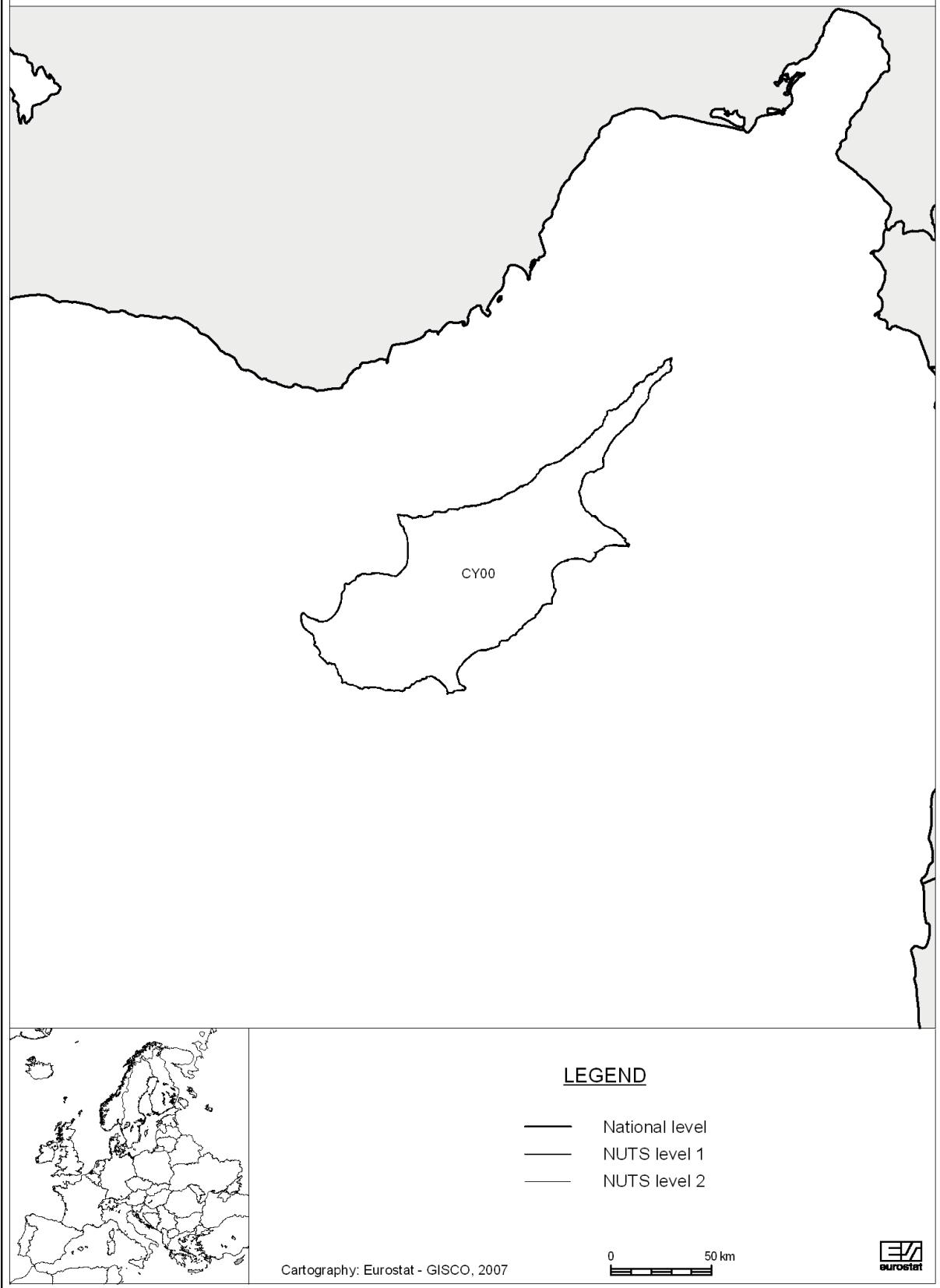
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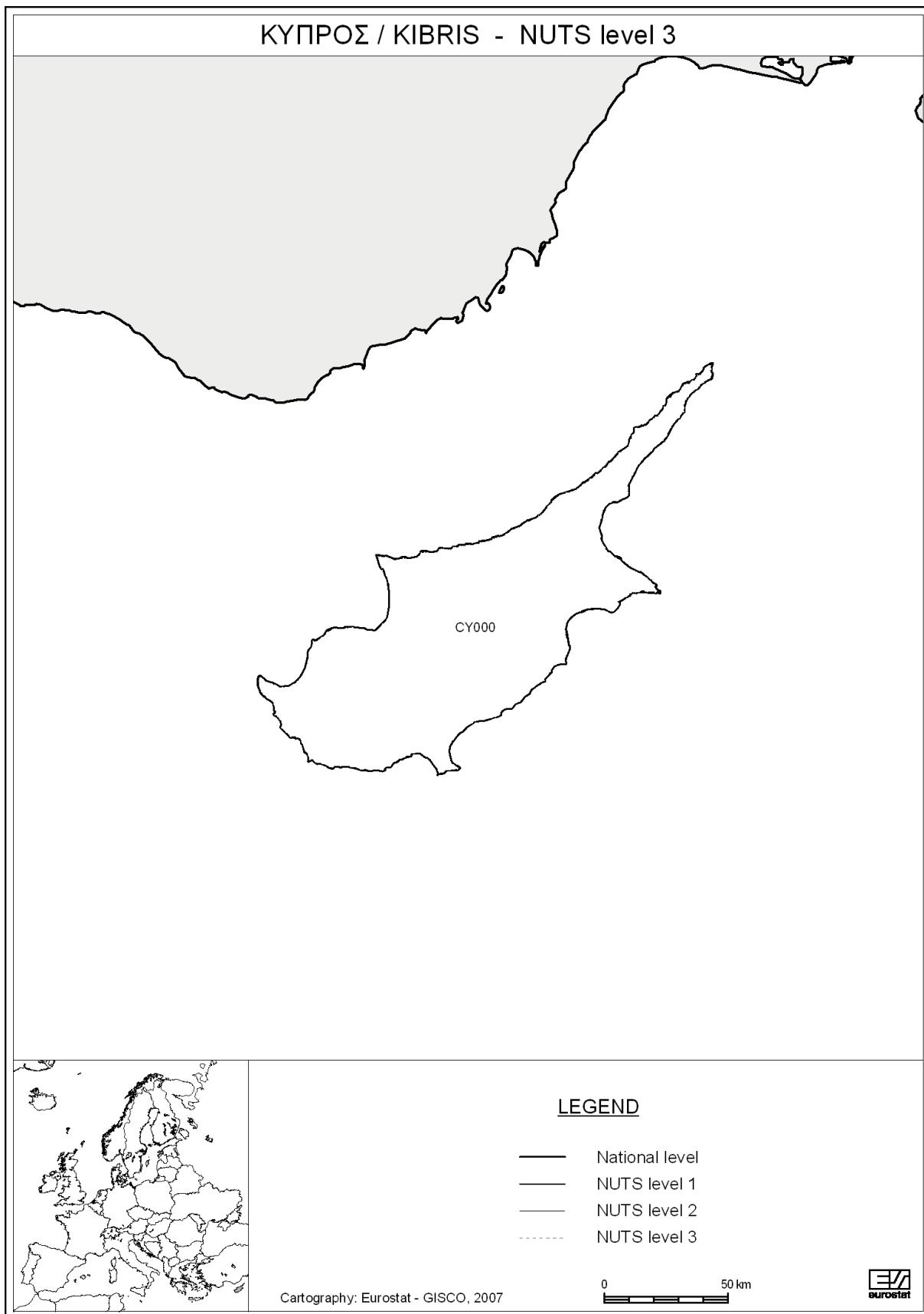
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CYZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
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Κυπρος / Kibris

ΚΥΠΡΟΣ / KIBRIS - NUTS level 2



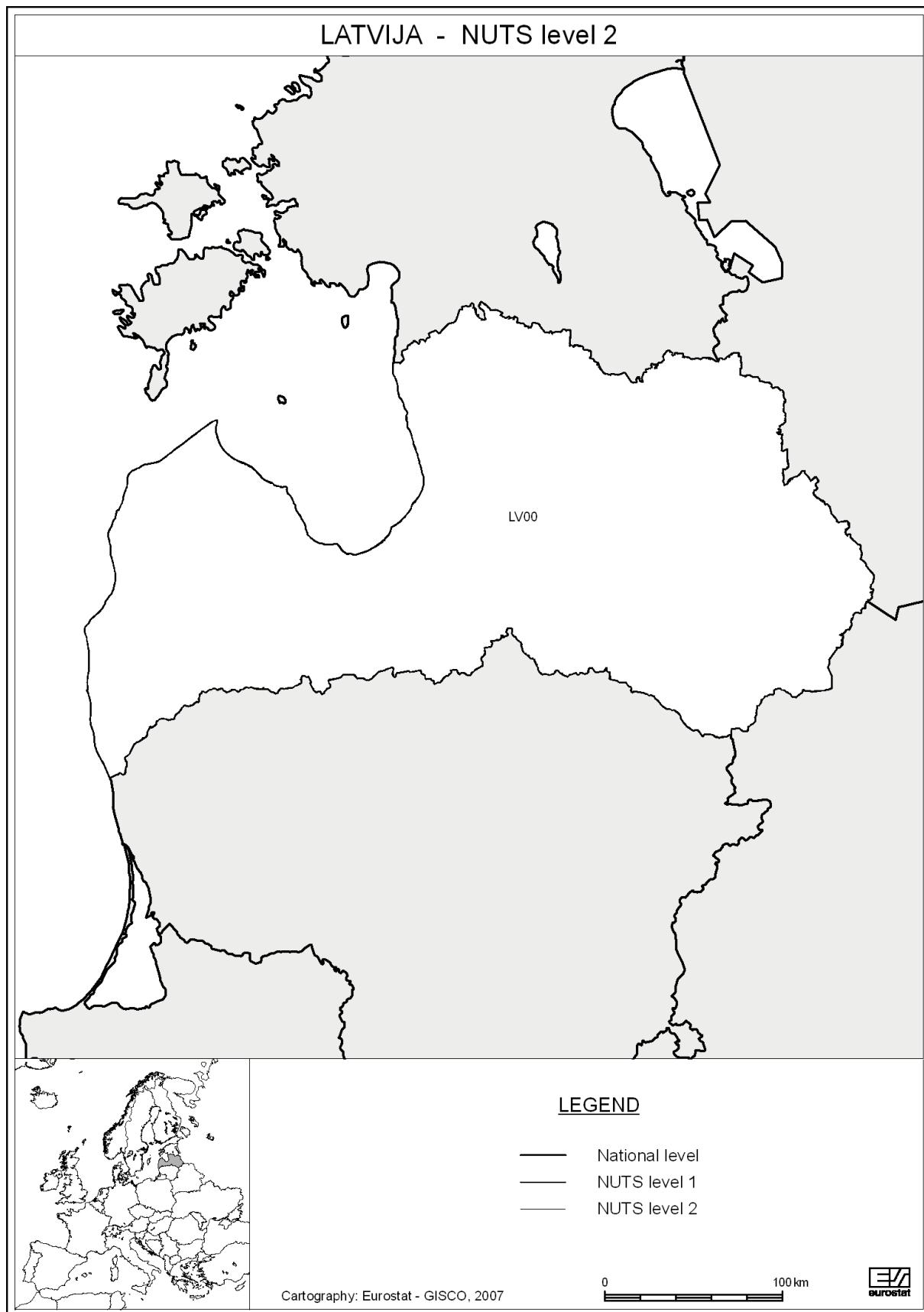




Latvija

LATVIJA

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LV005			<i>Latgale</i>
LV006			<i>Rīga</i>
LV007			<i>Pieriga</i>
LV008			<i>Vidzeme</i>
LV009			<i>Zemgale</i>
LVZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
LVZZ		Extra-Regio	
LVZZZ			<i>Extra-Regio</i>





Latvija





LIETUVA

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
LT			
LT0	LIETUVA		
LT00		Lietuva	
LT001			<i>Alytaus apskritis</i>
LT002			<i>Kauno apskritis</i>
LT003			<i>Klaipėdos apskritis</i>
LT004			<i>Marijampolės apskritis</i>
LT005			<i>Panevėžio apskritis</i>
LT006			<i>Šiaulių apskritis</i>
LT007			<i>Tauragės apskritis</i>
LT008			<i>Telšių apskritis</i>
LT009			<i>Utenos apskritis</i>
LT00A			<i>Vilniaus apskritis</i>
LTZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
LTZZ		Extra-Regio	
LTZZZ			<i>Extra-Regio</i>



Lietuva

LIETUVA - NUTS level 2



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LEGEND

- National level
- NUTS level 1
- NUTS level 2



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LIETUVA - NUTS level 3

LEGEND

- National level
- NUTS level 1
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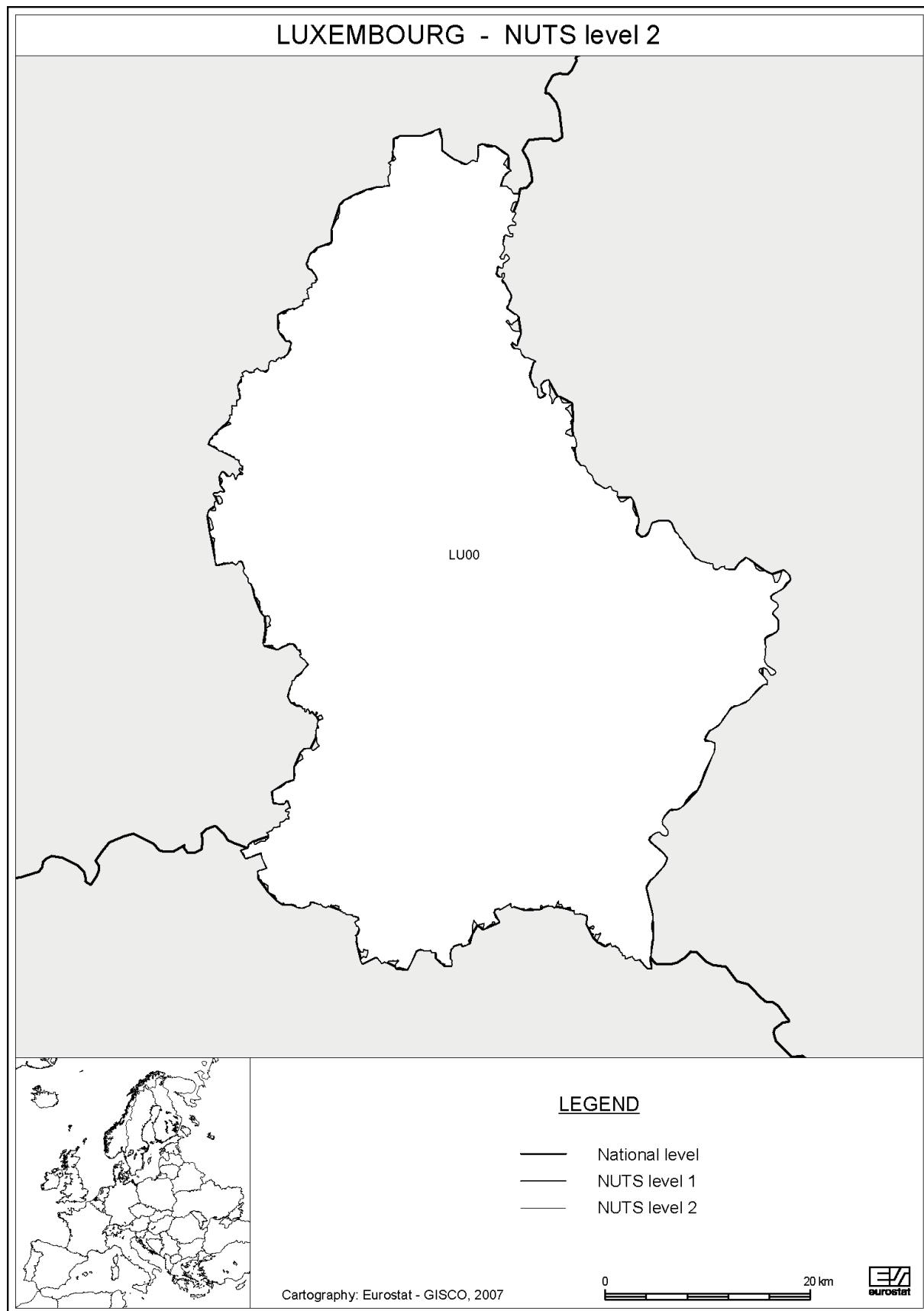
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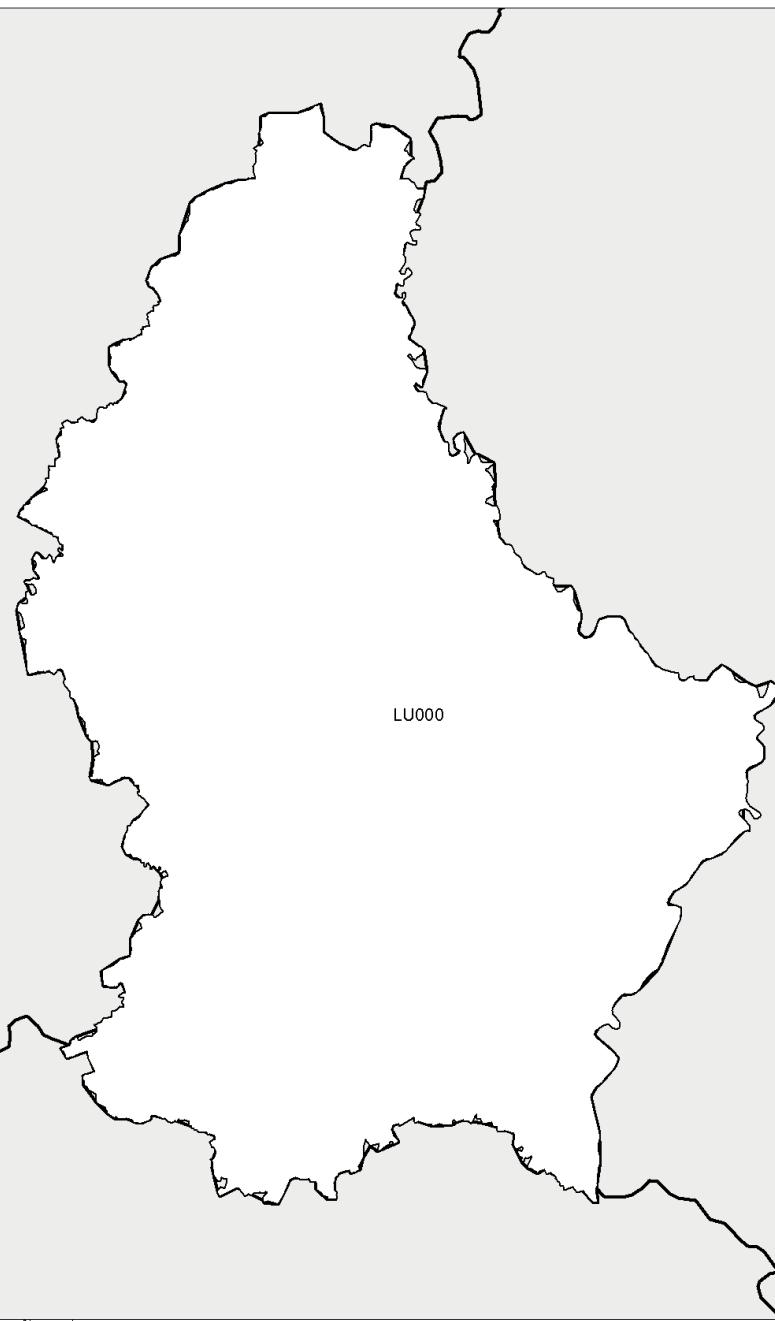
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LUZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
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LUZZZ			<i>Extra-Regio</i>





Luxembourg (Grand-Duché)

LUXEMBOURG - NUTS level 3



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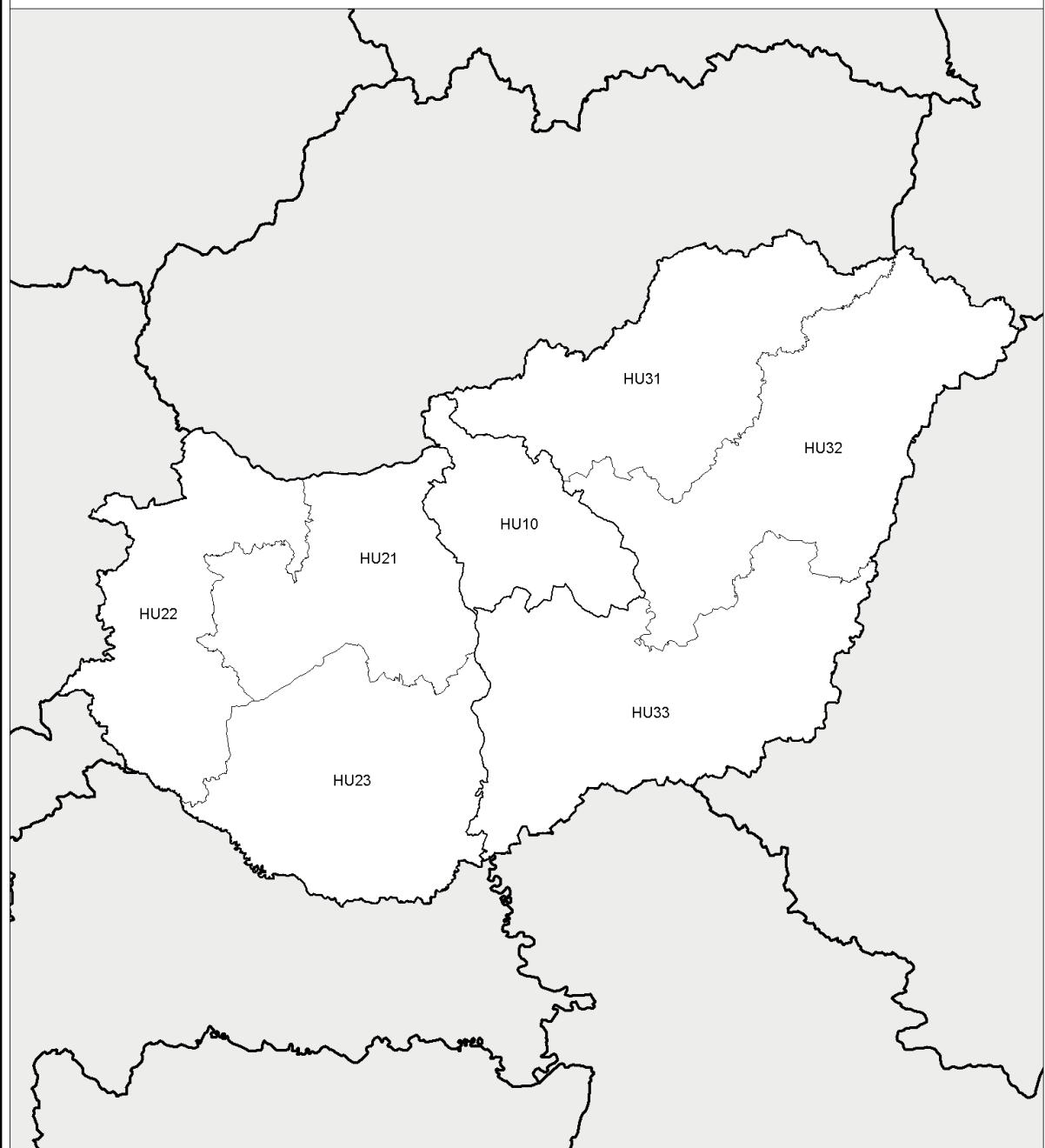
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HU102			<i>Pest</i>
HU2	DUNÁNTÚL		
HU21		Közép-Dunántúl	
HU211			<i>Fejér</i>
HU212			<i>Komárom-Esztergom</i>
HU213			<i>Veszprém</i>
HU22		Nyugat-Dunántúl	
HU221			<i>Győr-Moson-Sopron</i>
HU222			<i>Vas</i>
HU223			<i>Zala</i>
HU23		Dél-Dunántúl	
HU231			<i>Baranya</i>
HU232			<i>Somogy</i>
HU233			<i>Tolna</i>
HU3	ALFÖLD ÉS ÉSZAK		
HU31		Észak-Magyarország	
HU311			<i>Borsod-Abaúj-Zemplén</i>
HU312			<i>Heves</i>
HU313			<i>Nógrád</i>
HU32		Észak-Alföld	
HU321			<i>Hajdú-Bihar</i>
HU322			<i>Jász-Nagykun-Szolnok</i>
HU323			<i>Szabolcs-Szatmár-Bereg</i>
HU33		Dél-Alföld	
HU331			<i>Bács-Kiskun</i>
HU332			<i>Békés</i>
HU333			<i>Csongrád</i>
HUZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
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MAGYARORSZÁG - NUTS level 2



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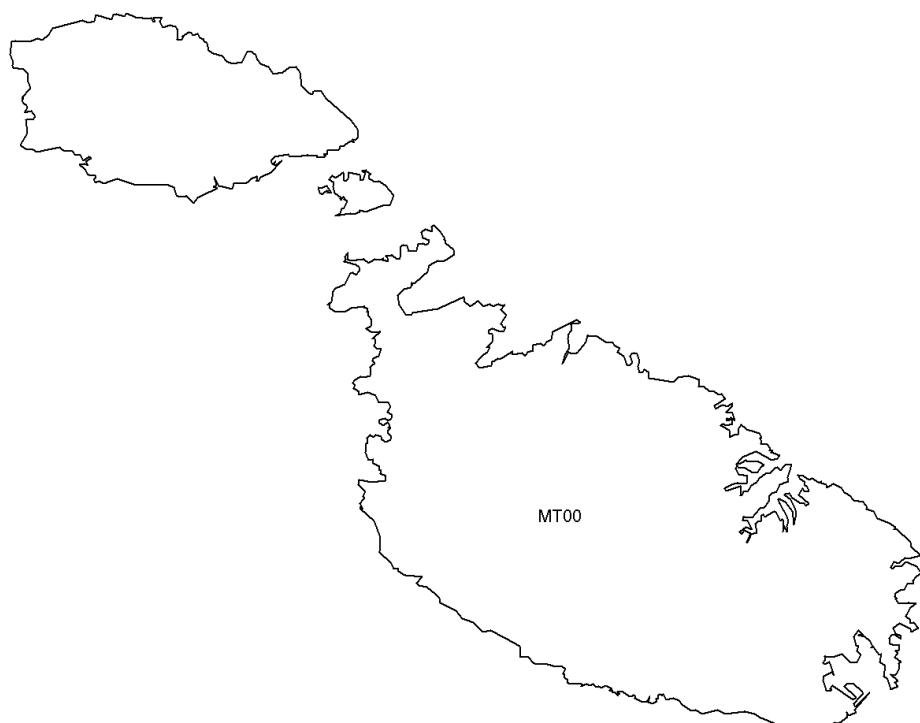
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MALTA

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MTZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
MTZZ		Extra-Regio	
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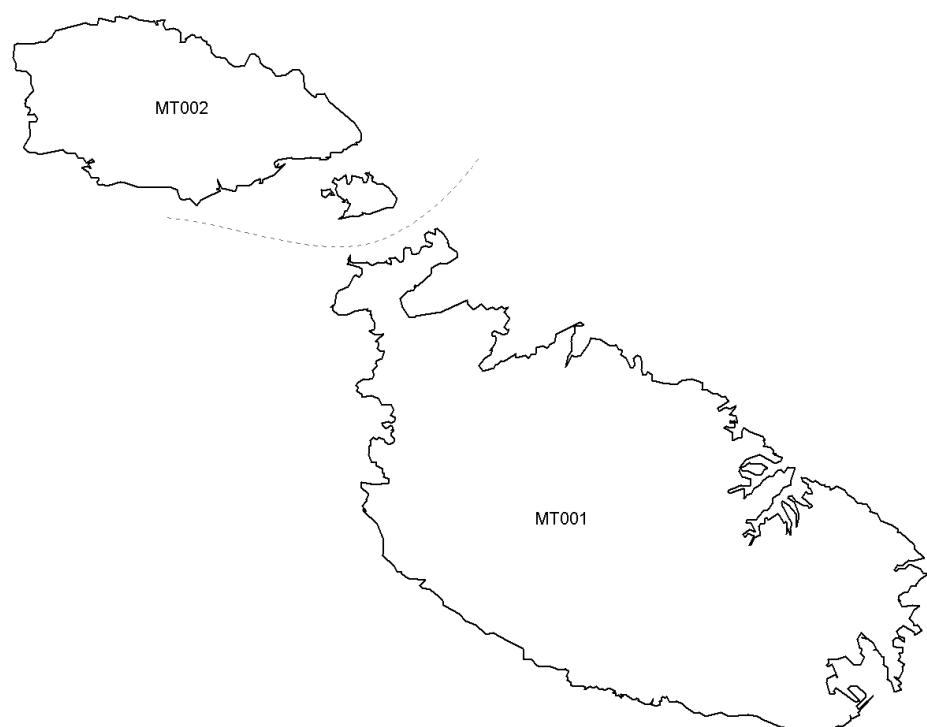
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NEDERLAND

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NL			
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NL11		Groningen	
NL111			Oost-Groningen
NL112			Delfzijl en omgeving
NL113			Overig Groningen
NL12		Friesland (NL)	
NL121			Noord-Friesland
NL122			Zuidwest-Friesland
NL123			Zuidoost-Friesland
NL13		Drenthe	
NL131			Noord-Drenthe
NL132			Zuidoost-Drenthe
NL133			Zuidwest-Drenthe
NL2	OOST-NEDERLAND		
NL21		Overijssel	
NL211			Noord-Overijssel
NL212			Zuidwest-Overijssel
NL213			Twente
NL22		Gelderland	
NL221			Veluwe
NL224			Zuidwest-Gelderland
NL225			Achterhoek
NL226			Arnhem/Nijmegen
NL23		Flevoland	
NL230			Flevoland
NL3	WEST-NEDERLAND		
NL31		Utrecht	
NL310			Utrecht
NL32		Noord-Holland	
NL321			Kop van Noord-Holland
NL322			Alkmaar en omgeving
NL323			IJmond
NL324			Agglomeratie Haarlem
NL325			Zaanstreek
NL326			Groot-Amsterdam



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
NL327			<i>Het Gooi en Vechtstreek</i>
NL33		Zuid-Holland	
NL331			<i>Agglomeratie Leiden en Bollenstreek</i>
NL332			<i>Agglomeratie 's-Gravenhage</i>
NL333			<i>Delft en Westland</i>
NL334			<i>Oost-Zuid-Holland</i>
NL335			<i>Groot-Rijnmond</i>
NL336			<i>Zuidoost-Zuid-Holland</i>
NL34		Zeeland	
NL341			<i>Zeeuwsch-Vlaanderen</i>
NL342			<i>Overig Zeeland</i>
NL4	ZUID-NEDERLAND		
NL41		Noord-Brabant	
NL411			<i>West-Noord-Brabant</i>
NL412			<i>Midden-Noord-Brabant</i>
NL413			<i>Noordoost-Noord-Brabant</i>
NL414			<i>Zuidoost-Noord-Brabant</i>
NL42		Limburg (NL)	
NL421			<i>Noord-Limburg</i>
NL422			<i>Midden-Limburg</i>
NL423			<i>Zuid-Limburg</i>
NLZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
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Nederland

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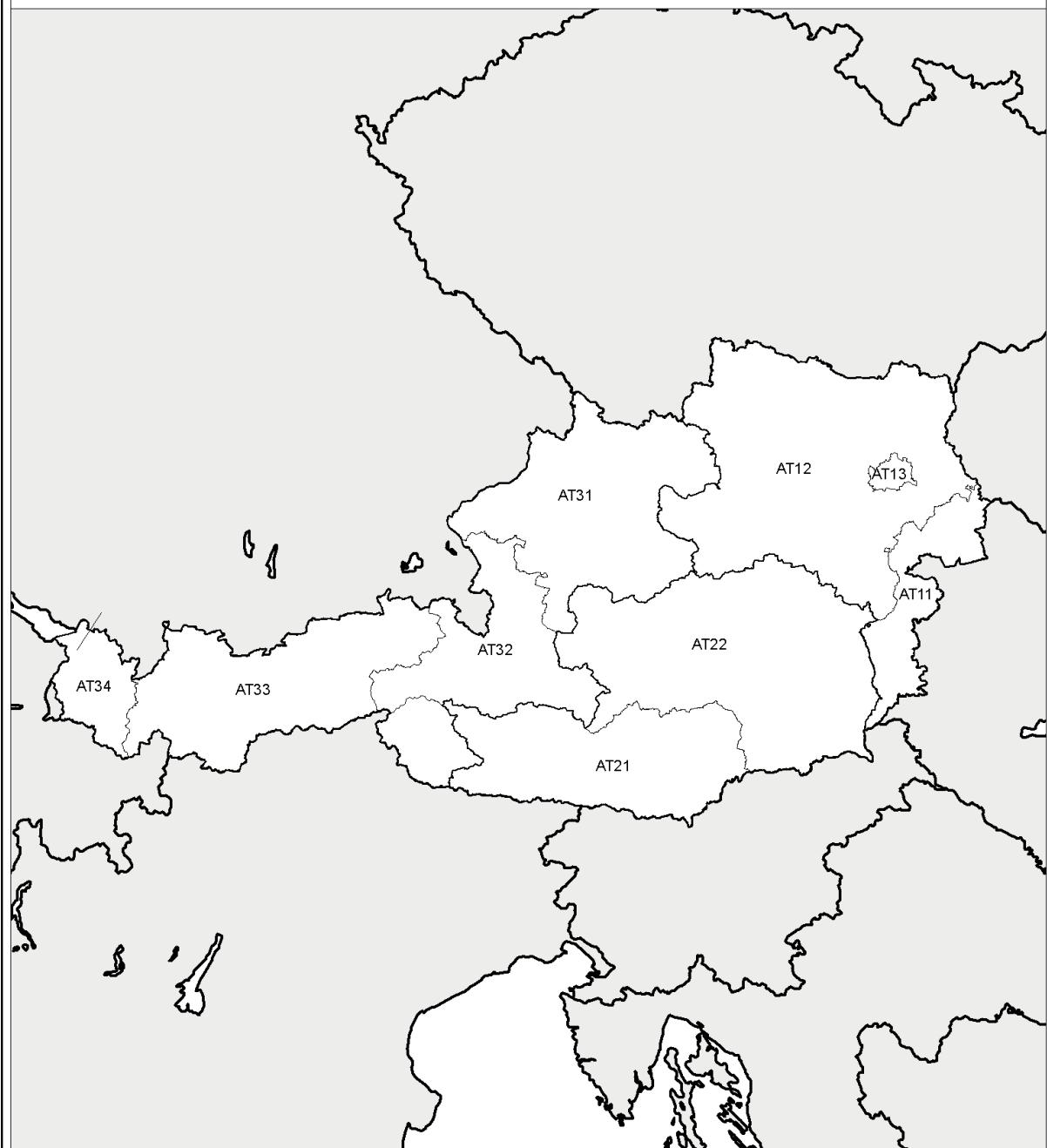
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AT112			<i>Nordburgenland</i>
AT113			<i>Südburgenland</i>
AT12		Niederösterreich	
AT121			<i>Mostviertel-Eisenwurzen</i>
AT122			<i>Niederösterreich-Süd</i>
AT123			<i>Sankt Pölten</i>
AT124			<i>Waldviertel</i>
AT125			<i>Weinviertel</i>
AT126			<i>Wiener Umland/Nordteil</i>
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AT13		Wien	
AT130			<i>Wien</i>
AT2	SÜDÖSTERREICH		
AT21		Kärnten	
AT211			<i>Klagenfurt-Villach</i>
AT212			<i>Oberkärnten</i>
AT213			<i>Unterkärnten</i>
AT22		Steiermark	
AT221			<i>Graz</i>
AT222			<i>Liezen</i>
AT223			<i>Östliche Obersteiermark</i>
AT224			<i>Oststeiermark</i>
AT225			<i>West- und Südsteiermark</i>
AT226			<i>Westliche Obersteiermark</i>
AT3	WESTÖSTERREICH		
AT31		Oberösterreich	
AT311			<i>Innviertel</i>
AT312			<i>Linz-Wels</i>
AT313			<i>Mühlviertel</i>
AT314			<i>Steyr-Kirchdorf</i>
AT315			<i>Traunviertel</i>
AT32		Salzburg	



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
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AT322			<i>Pinzgau-Pongau</i>
AT323			<i>Salzburg und Umgebung</i>
AT33	Tirol		
AT331			<i>Außerfern</i>
AT332			<i>Innsbruck</i>
AT333			<i>Osttirol</i>
AT334			<i>Tiroler Oberland</i>
AT335			<i>Tiroler Unterland</i>
AT34	Vorarlberg		
AT341			<i>Bludenz-Bregenzer Wald</i>
AT342			<i>Rheintal-Bodenseegebiet</i>
ATZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
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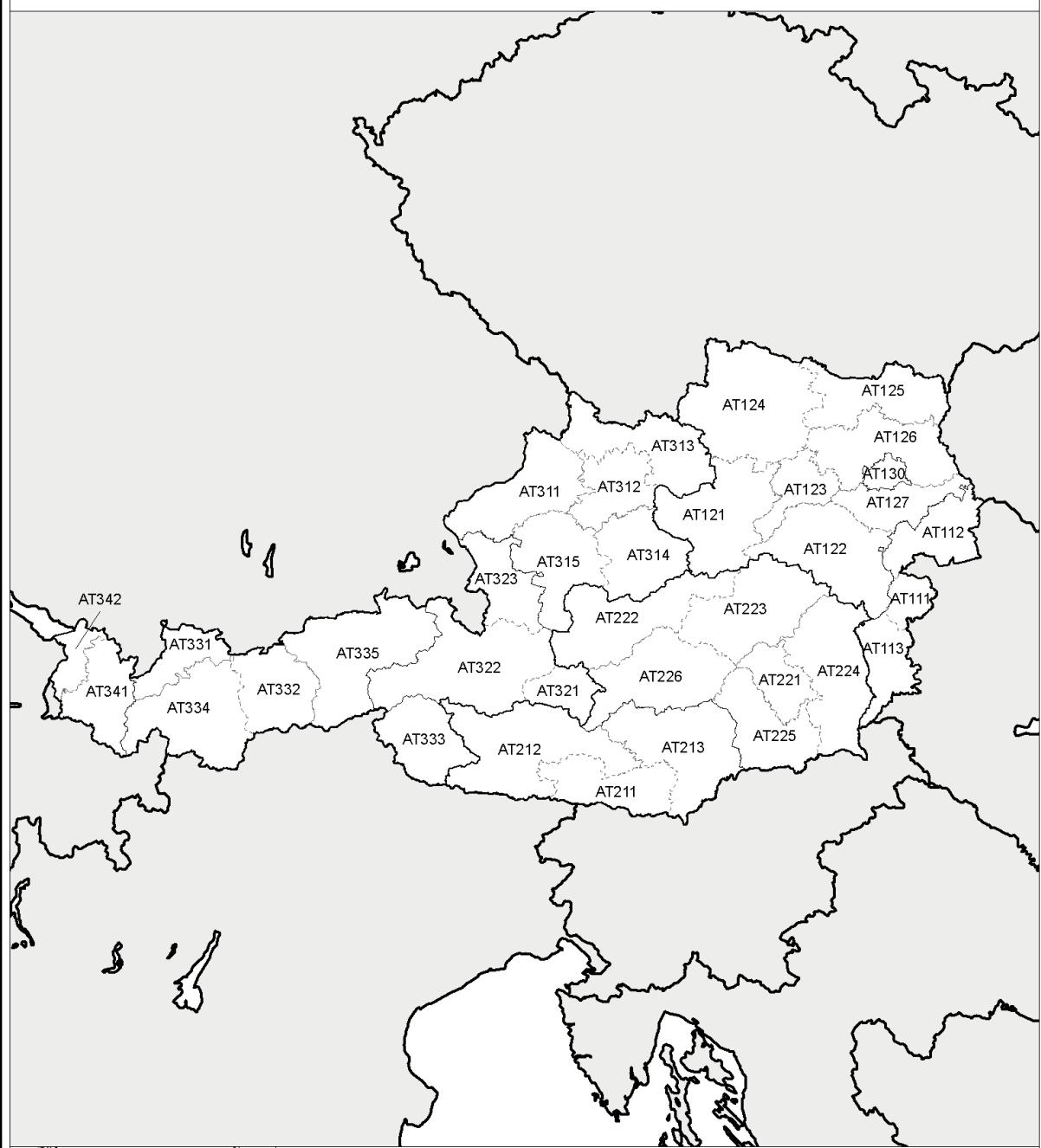


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Österreich

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LEGEND

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0 125 km





Polska

POLSKA

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
PL			
PL1	REGION CENTRALNY		
PL11		Łódzkie	
PL113			<i>Miasto Łódź</i>
PL114			<i>Łódzki</i>
PL115			<i>Piotrkowski</i>
PL116			<i>Sieradzki</i>
PL117			<i>Skierniewicki</i>
PL12		Mazowieckie	
PL121			<i>Ciechanowsko-płocki</i>
PL122			<i>Ostrołęcko-siedlecki</i>
PL127			<i>Miasto Warszawa</i>
PL128			<i>Radomski</i>
PL129			<i>Warszawski-wschodni</i>
PL12A			<i>Warszawski-zachodni</i>
PL2	REGION POŁUDNIOWY		
PL21		Małopolskie	
PL213			<i>Miasto Kraków</i>
PL214			<i>Krakowski</i>
PL215			<i>Nowosądecki</i>
PL216			<i>Oświęcimski</i>
PL217			<i>Tarnowski</i>
PL22		Śląskie	
PL224			<i>Częstochowski</i>
PL225			<i>Bielski</i>
PL227			<i>Rybnicki</i>
PL228			<i>Bytomski</i>
PL229			<i>Gliwicki</i>
PL22A			<i>Katowicki</i>
PL22B			<i>Sosnowiecki</i>
PL22C			<i>Tyski</i>
PL3	REGION WSCHODNI		
PL31		Lubelskie	
PL311			<i>Bialski</i>
PL312			<i>Chełmsko-zamojski</i>
PL314			<i>Lubelski</i>



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
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PL32		Podkarpackie	
PL323			<i>Krośnieński</i>
PL324			<i>Przemyski</i>
PL325			<i>Rzeszowski</i>
PL326			<i>Tarnobrzeski</i>
PL33		Świętokrzyskie	
PL331			<i>Kielecki</i>
PL332			<i>Sandomiersko-jędrzejowski</i>
PL34		Podlaskie	
PL343			<i>Białostocki</i>
PL344			<i>Łomżyński</i>
PL345			<i>Suwalski</i>
PL4	REGION PÓŁNOCNO-ZACHODNI		
PL41		Wielkopolskie	
PL411			<i>Piński</i>
PL414			<i>Koniński</i>
PL415			<i>Miasto Poznań</i>
PL416			<i>Kaliski</i>
PL417			<i>Leszczyński</i>
PL418			<i>Poznański</i>
PL42		Zachodniopomorskie	
PL422			<i>Koszaliński</i>
PL423			<i>Stargardzki</i>
PL424			<i>Miasto Szczecin</i>
PL425			<i>Szczeciński</i>
PL43		Lubuskie	
PL431			<i>Gorzowski</i>
PL432			<i>Zielonogórski</i>
PL5	REGION POŁUDNIOWO-ZACHODNI		
PL51		Dolnośląskie	
PL514			<i>Miasto Wrocław</i>
PL515			<i>Jeleniogórski</i>
PL516			<i>Legnicko-głogowski</i>
PL517			<i>Wałbrzyski</i>



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PL52		Opolskie	
PL521			<i>Nyski</i>
PL522			<i>Opolski</i>
PL6	REGION PÓŁNOCNY		
PL61		Kujawsko-pomorskie	
PL613			<i>Bydgosko-toruński</i>
PL614			<i>Grudziądzki</i>
PL615			<i>Włocławski</i>
PL62		Warmińsko-mazurskie	
PL621			<i>Elbląski</i>
PL622			<i>Olsztyński</i>
PL623			<i>Elckie</i>
PL63		Pomorskie	
PL631			<i>Sląski</i>
PL633			<i>Trójmiejski</i>
PL634			<i>Gdański</i>
PL635			<i>Starogardzki</i>
PLZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
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POLSKA - NUTS level 2



LEGEND

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POLSKA - NUTS level 3





PORTUGAL

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PT			
PT1	CONTINENTE		
PT11		Norte	
PT111			<i>Minho-Lima</i>
PT112			<i>Cávado</i>
PT113			<i>Ave</i>
PT114			<i>Grande Porto</i>
PT115			<i>Tâmega</i>
PT116			<i>Entre Douro e Vouga</i>
PT117			<i>Douro</i>
PT118			<i>Alto Trás-os-Montes</i>
PT15		Algarve	
PT150			<i>Algarve</i>
PT16		Centro (P)	
PT161			<i>Baixo Vouga</i>
PT162			<i>Baixo Mondego</i>
PT163			<i>Pinhal Litoral</i>
PT164			<i>Pinhal Interior Norte</i>
PT165			<i>Dâo-Lafões</i>
PT166			<i>Pinhal Interior Sul</i>
PT167			<i>Serra da Estrela</i>
PT168			<i>Beira Interior Norte</i>
PT169			<i>Beira Interior Sul</i>
PT16A			<i>Cova da Beira</i>
PT16B			<i>Oeste</i>
PT16C			<i>Médio Tejo</i>
PT17		Lisboa	
PT171			<i>Grande Lisboa</i>
PT172			<i>Península de Setúbal</i>
PT18		Alentejo	
PT181			<i>Alentejo Litoral</i>
PT182			<i>Alto Alentejo</i>
PT183			<i>Alentejo Central</i>
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PT2	Região Autónoma dos AÇORES		

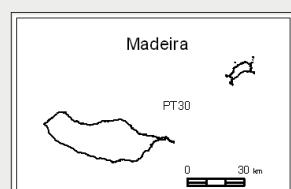
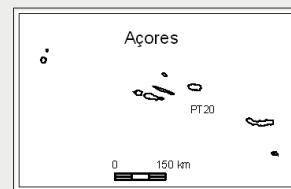
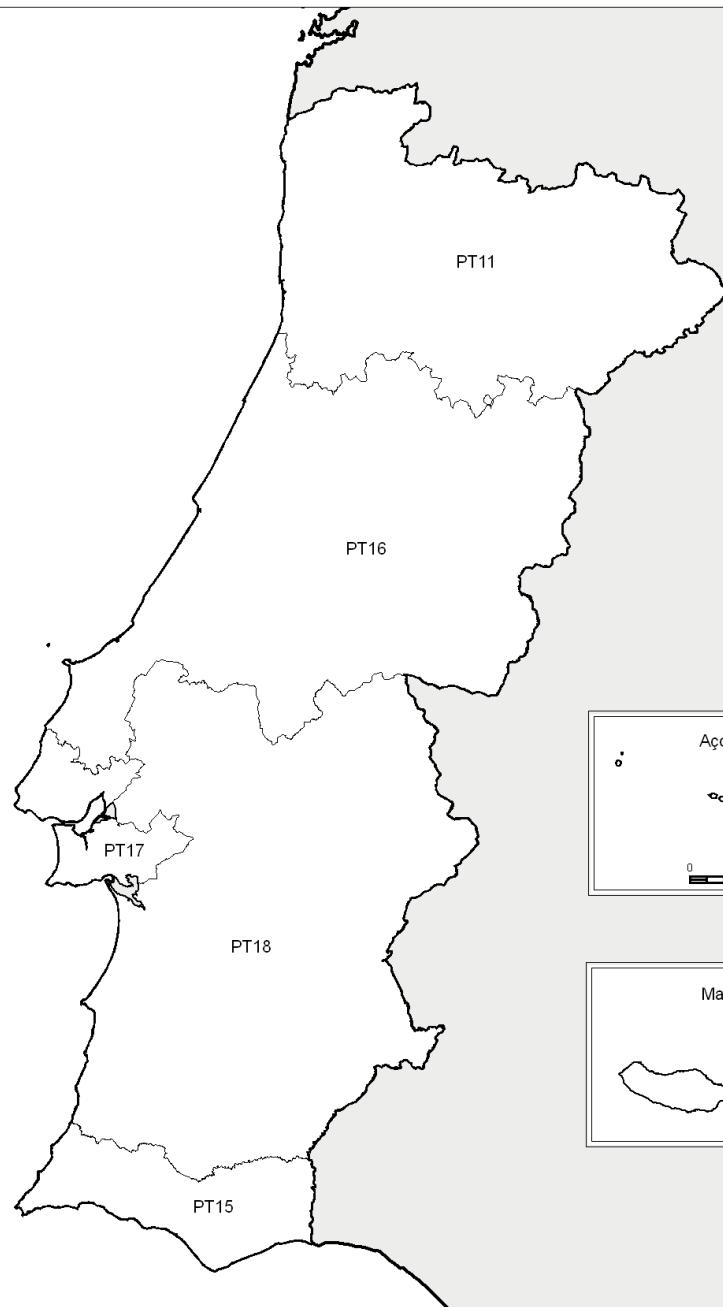


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PT30		Região Autónoma da Madeira	
PT300			<i>Região Autónoma da Madeira</i>
PTZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
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Portugal

PORUGAL - NUTS level 2



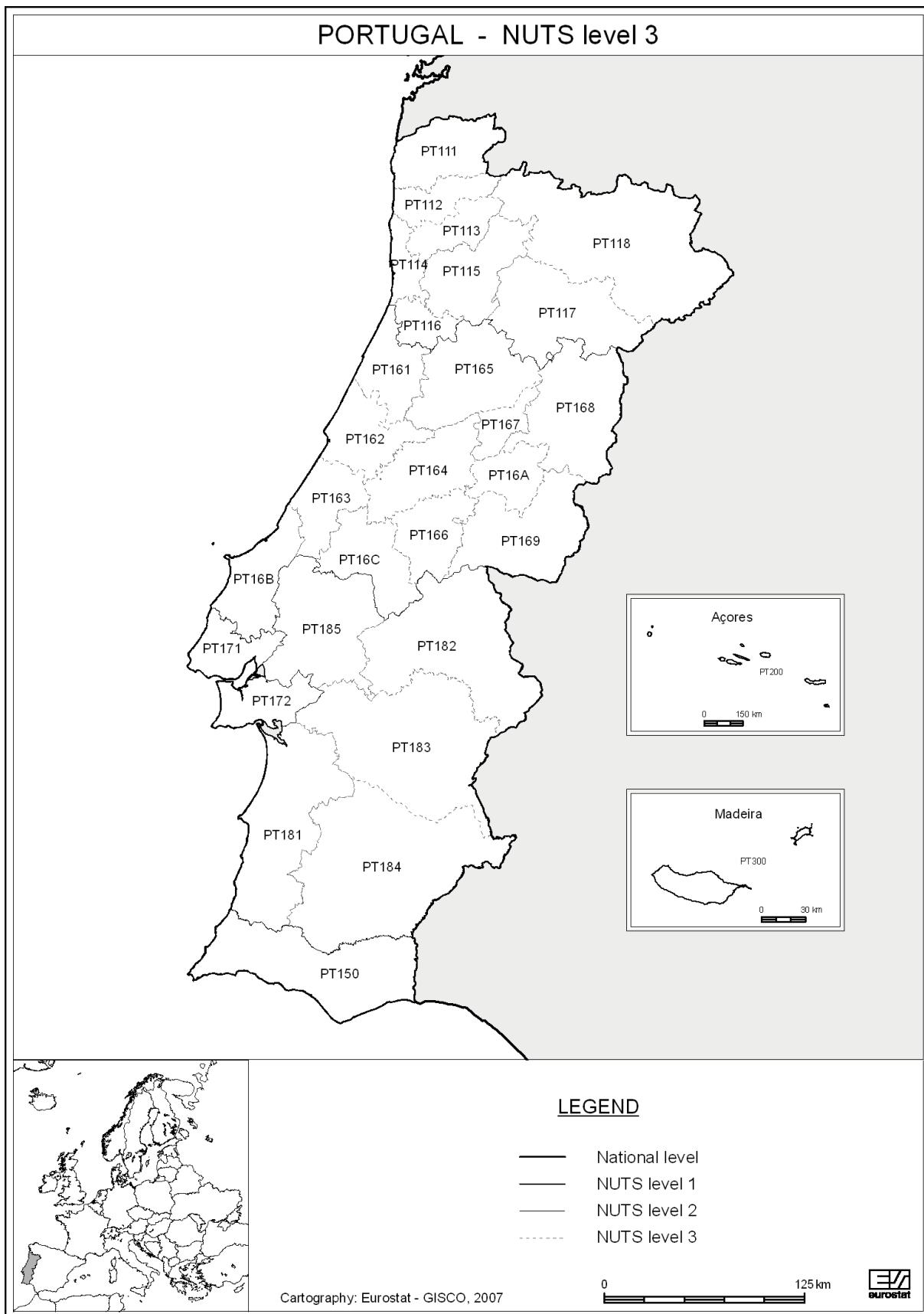
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ROMÂNIA

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RO			
RO1	MACROREGIUNEA UNU		
RO11		Nord-Vest	
RO111			<i>Bihor</i>
RO112			<i>Bistrița-Năsăud</i>
RO113			<i>Cluj</i>
RO114			<i>Maramureș</i>
RO115			<i>Satu Mare</i>
RO116			<i>Sălaj</i>
RO12		Centru	
RO121			<i>Alba</i>
RO122			<i>Brașov</i>
RO123			<i>Covasna</i>
RO124			<i>Harghita</i>
RO125			<i>Mureș</i>
RO126			<i>Sibiu</i>
RO2	MACROREGIUNEA DOI		
RO21		Nord-Est	
RO211			<i>Bacău</i>
RO212			<i>Botoșani</i>
RO213			<i>Iași</i>
RO214			<i>Neamț</i>
RO215			<i>Suceava</i>
RO216			<i>Vaslui</i>
RO22		Sud-Est	
RO221			<i>Brăila</i>
RO222			<i>Buzău</i>
RO223			<i>Constanța</i>
RO224			<i>Galați</i>
RO225			<i>Tulcea</i>
RO226			<i>Vrancea</i>
RO3	MACROREGIUNEA TREI		
RO31		Sud - Muntenia	
RO311			<i>Argeș</i>
RO312			<i>Călărași</i>
RO313			<i>Dâmbovița</i>



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
RO314			<i>Giurgiu</i>
RO315			<i>Ialomița</i>
RO316			<i>Prahova</i>
RO317			<i>Teleorman</i>
RO32		București - Ilfov	
RO321			<i>București</i>
RO322			<i>Ilfov</i>
RO4	MACROREGIUNEA PATRU		
RO41		Sud-Vest Oltenia	
RO411			<i>Dolj</i>
RO412			<i>Gorj</i>
RO413			<i>Mehedinți</i>
RO414			<i>Olt</i>
RO415			<i>Vâlcea</i>
RO42		Vest	
RO421			<i>Arad</i>
RO422			<i>Caraș-Severin</i>
RO423			<i>Hunedoara</i>
RO424			<i>Timiș</i>
ROZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
ROZZ		Extra-Regio	
ROZZZ			<i>Extra-Regio</i>



România

ROMÂNIA - NUTS level 2





ROMÂNIA - NUTS level 3

LEGEND

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SLOVENIJA

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
SI			
SI0	SLOVENIJA		
SI01		Vzhodna Slovenija	
SI011			<i>Pomurska</i>
SI012			<i>Podravska</i>
SI013			<i>Koroška</i>
SI014			<i>Savinjska</i>
SI015			<i>Zasavska</i>
SI016			<i>Spodnjeposavska</i>
SI017			<i>Jugovzhodna Slovenija</i>
SI018			<i>Notranjsko-kraška</i>
SI02		Zahodna Slovenija	
SI021			<i>Osrednjeslovenska</i>
SI022			<i>Gorenjska</i>
SI023			<i>Goriška</i>
SI024			<i>Obalno-kraška</i>
SIZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
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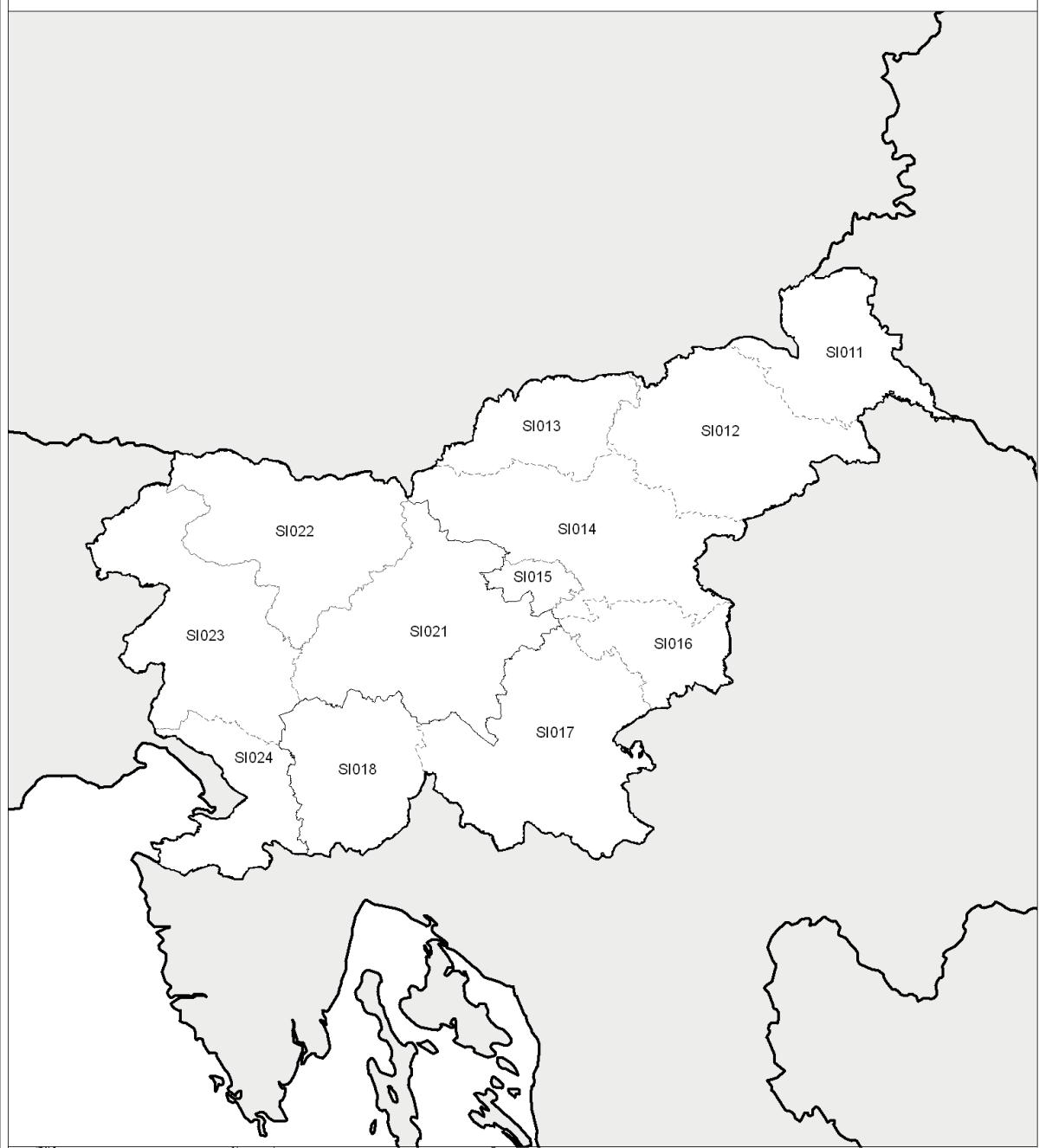
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Slovenija

SLOVENIJA - NUTS level 3



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SLOVENSKÁ REPUBLIKA

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
SK			
SK0	SLOVENSKÁ REPUBLIKA		
SK01		Bratislavský kraj	
SK010			<i>Bratislavský kraj</i>
SK02		Západné Slovensko	
SK021			<i>Trnavský kraj</i>
SK022			<i>Trenčiansky kraj</i>
SK023			<i>Nitriansky kraj</i>
SK03		Stredné Slovensko	
SK031			<i>Žilinský kraj</i>
SK032			<i>Banskobystrický kraj</i>
SK04		Východné Slovensko	
SK041			<i>Prešovský kraj</i>
SK042			<i>Košický kraj</i>
SKZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
SKZZ		Extra-Regio	
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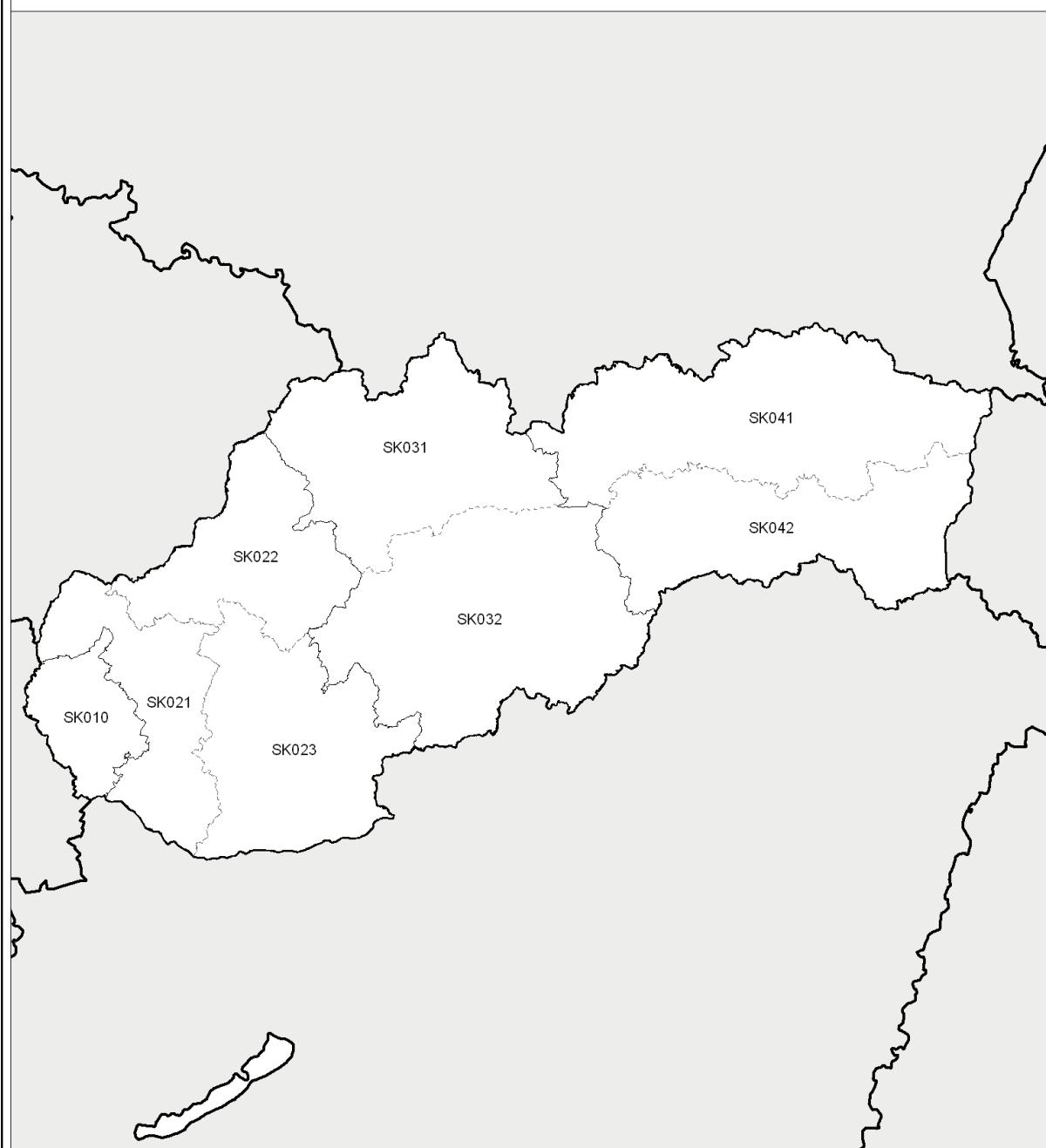
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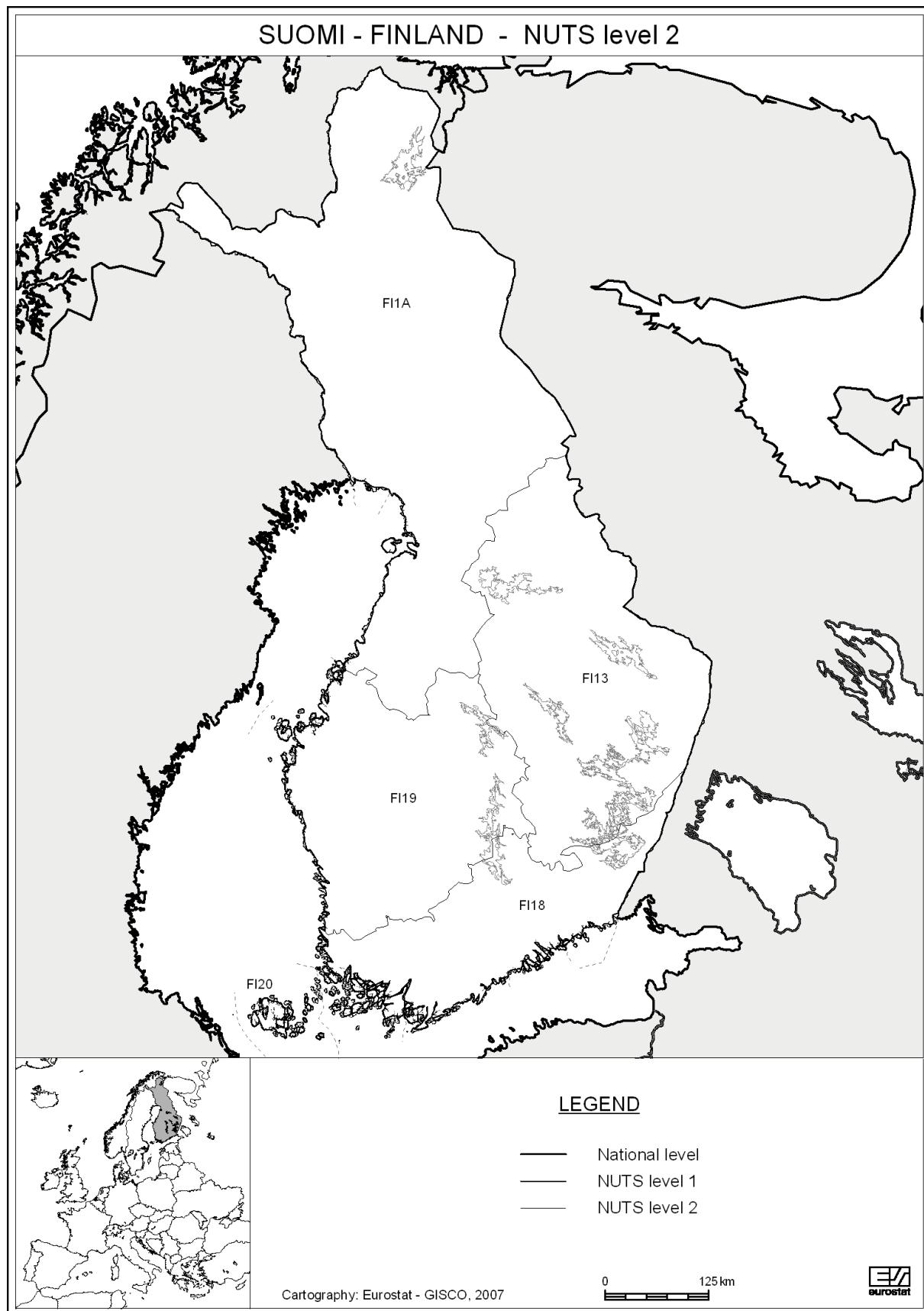
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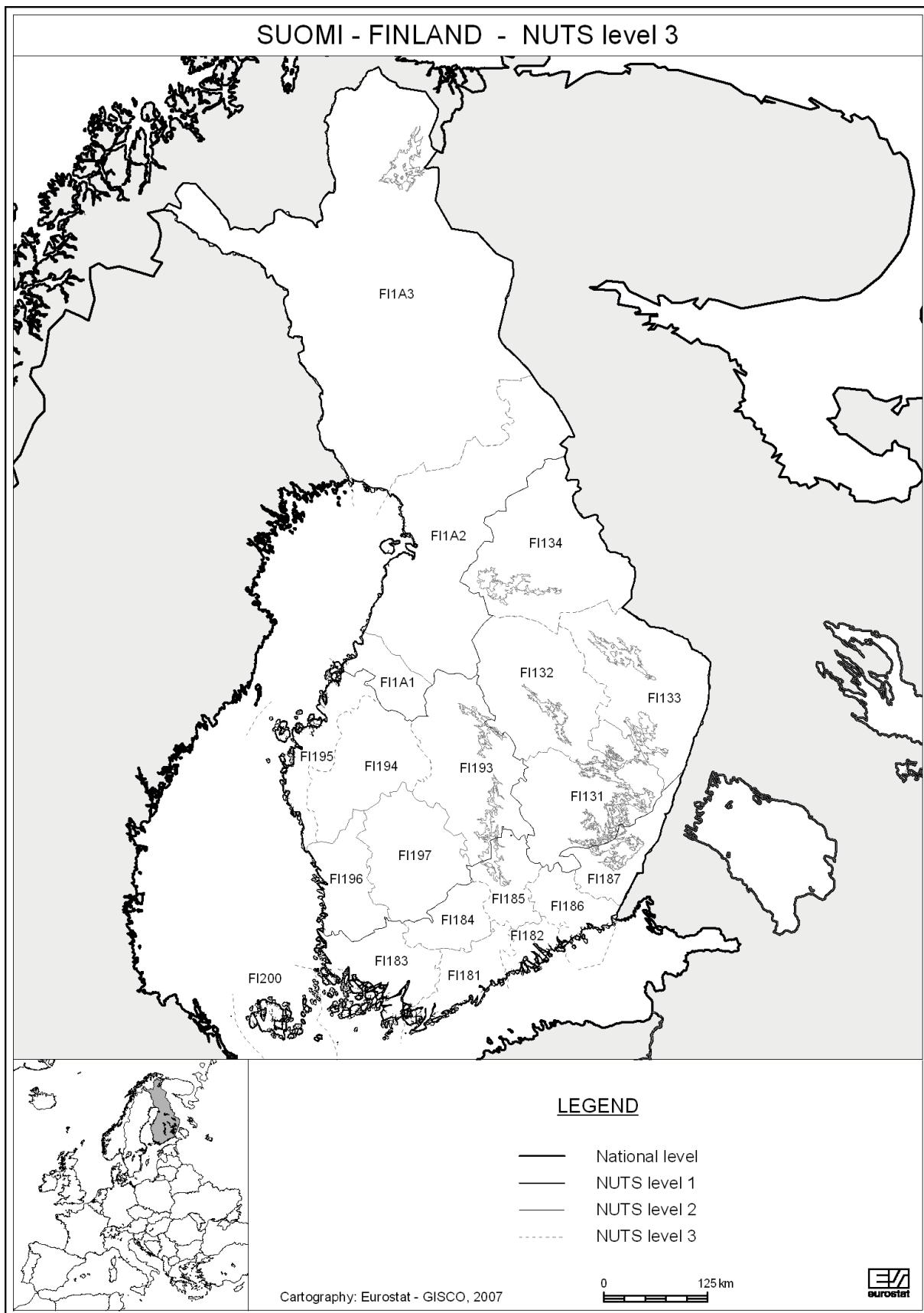
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FI132			<i>Pohjois-Savo</i>
FI133			<i>Pohjois-Karjala</i>
FI134			<i>Kainuu</i>
FI18		Etelä-Suomi	
FI181			<i>Uusimaa</i>
FI182			<i>Itä-Uusimaa</i>
FI183			<i>Varsinais-Suomi</i>
FI184			<i>Kanta-Häme</i>
FI185			<i>Päijät-Häme</i>
FI186			<i>Kymenlaakso</i>
FI187			<i>Etelä-Karjala</i>
FI19		Länsi-Suomi	
FI193			<i>Keski-Suomi</i>
FI194			<i>Etelä-Pohjanmaa</i>
FI195			<i>Pohjanmaa</i>
FI196			<i>Satakunta</i>
FI197			<i>Pirkanmaa</i>
FI1A		Pohjois-Suomi	
FI1A1			<i>Keski-Pohjanmaa</i>
FI1A2			<i>Pohjois-Pohjanmaa</i>
FI1A3			<i>Lappi</i>
FI2	ÅLAND		
FI20		Åland	
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FIZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
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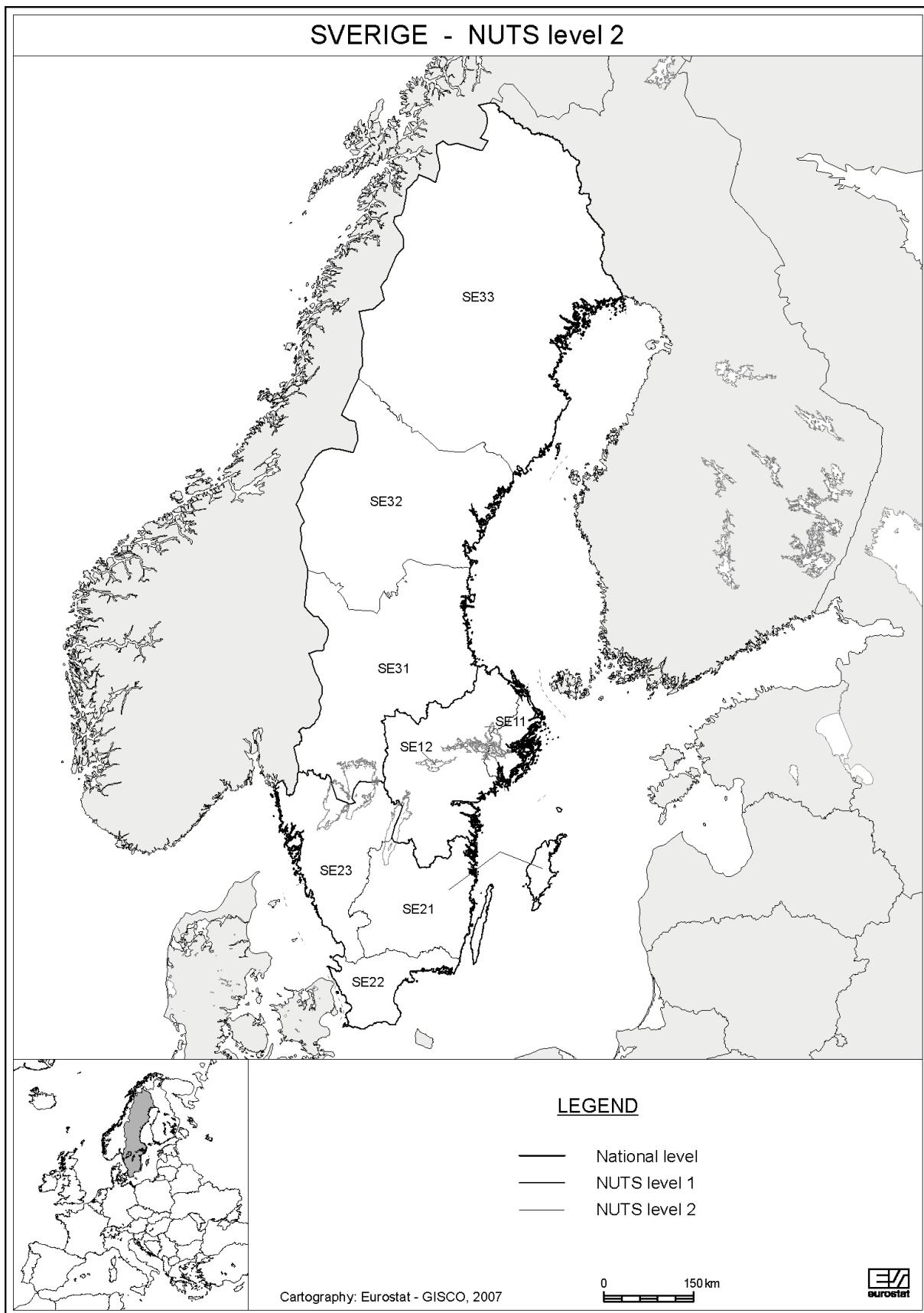


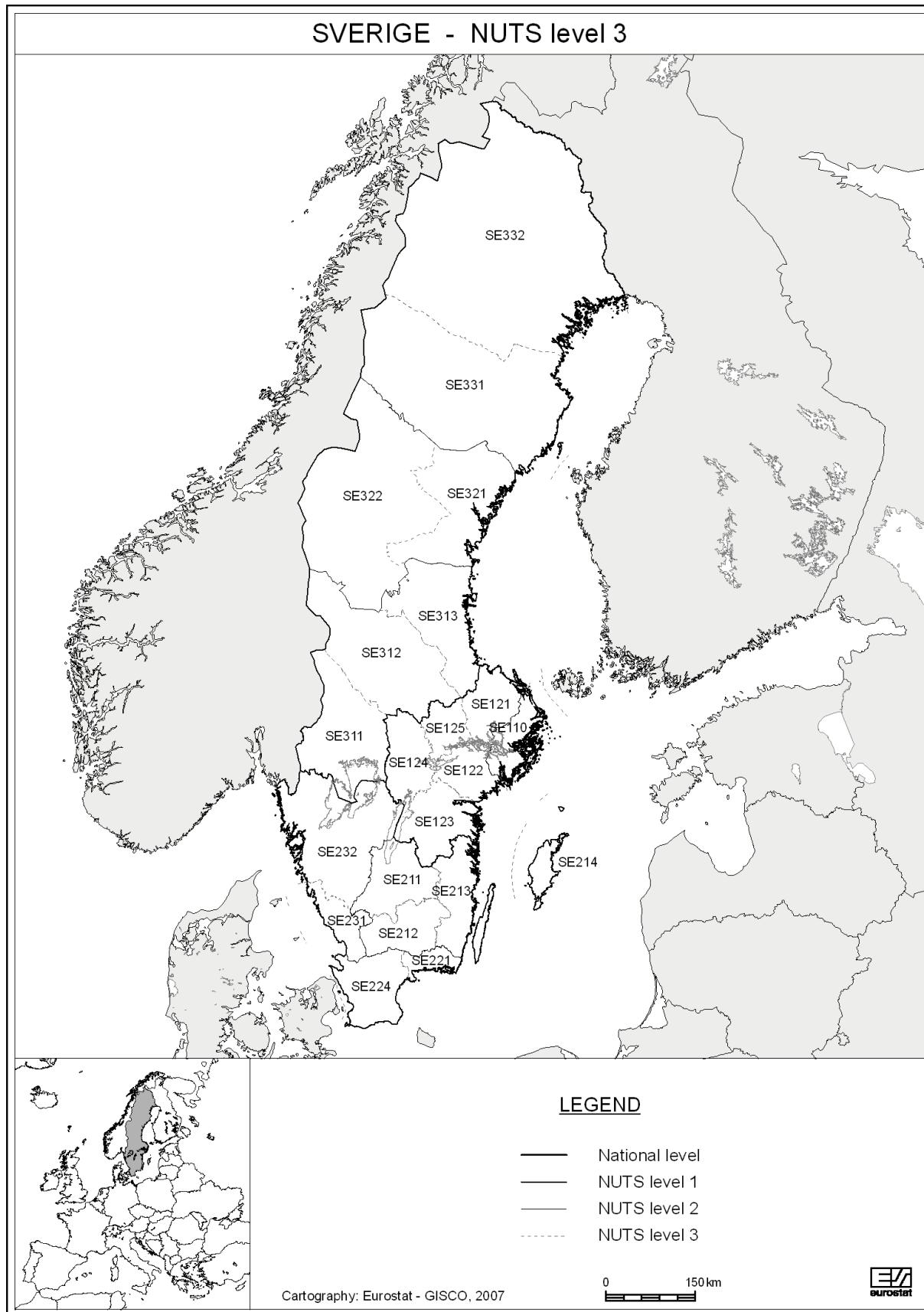
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SE12		Östra Mellansverige	
SE121			<i>Uppsala län</i>
SE122			<i>Södermanlands län</i>
SE123			<i>Östergötlands län</i>
SE124			<i>Örebro län</i>
SE125			<i>Västmanlands län</i>
SE2	SÖDRA SVERIGE		
SE21		Småland med öarna	
SE211			<i>Jönköpings län</i>
SE212			<i>Kronobergs län</i>
SE213			<i>Kalmar län</i>
SE214			<i>Gotlands län</i>
SE22		Sydsverige	
SE221			<i>Blekinge län</i>
SE224			<i>Skåne län</i>
SE23		Västsverige	
SE231			<i>Hallands län</i>
SE232			<i>Västra Götalands län</i>
SE3	NORRA SVERIGE		
SE31		Norra Mellansverige	
SE311			<i>Värmlands län</i>
SE312			<i>Dalarnas län</i>
SE313			<i>Gävleborgs län</i>
SE32		Mellersta Norrland	
SE321			<i>Västernorrlands län</i>
SE322			<i>Jämtlands län</i>
SE33		Övre Norrland	
SE331			<i>Västerbottens län</i>
SE332			<i>Norrbottens län</i>
SEZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
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UNITED KINGDOM

CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
UK			
UKC	NORTH EAST (ENGLAND)		
UKC1		Tees Valley and Durham	
UKC11			<i>Hartlepool and Stockton-on-Tees</i>
UKC12			<i>South Teesside</i>
UKC13			<i>Darlington</i>
UKC14			<i>Durham CC</i>
UKC2		Northumberland and Tyne and Wear	
UKC21			<i>Northumberland</i>
UKC22			<i>Tyneside</i>
UKC23			<i>Sunderland</i>
UKD	NORTH WEST (ENGLAND)		
UKD1		Cumbria	
UKD11			<i>West Cumbria</i>
UKD12			<i>East Cumbria</i>
UKD2		Cheshire	
UKD21			<i>Halton and Warrington</i>
UKD22			<i>Cheshire CC</i>
UKD3		Greater Manchester	
UKD31			<i>Greater Manchester South</i>
UKD32			<i>Greater Manchester North</i>
UKD4		Lancashire	
UKD41			<i>Blackburn with Darwen</i>
UKD42			<i>Blackpool</i>
UKD43			<i>Lancashire CC</i>
UKD5		Merseyside	
UKD51			<i>East Merseyside</i>
UKD52			<i>Liverpool</i>
UKD53			<i>Sefton</i>
UKD54			<i>Wirral</i>
UKE	YORKSHIRE AND THE HUMBER		
UKE1		East Yorkshire and Northern Lincolnshire	
UKE11			<i>Kingston upon Hull, City of</i>
UKE12			<i>East Riding of Yorkshire</i>
UKE13			<i>North and North East Lincolnshire</i>



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



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
UKG31			<i>Birmingham</i>
UKG32			<i>Solihull</i>
UKG33			<i>Coventry</i>
UKG34			<i>Dudley and Sandwell</i>
UKG35			<i>Walsall and Wolverhampton</i>
UKH	EAST OF ENGLAND		
UKH1		<i>East Anglia</i>	
UKH11			<i>Peterborough</i>
UKH12			<i>Cambridgeshire CC</i>
UKH13			<i>Norfolk</i>
UKH14			<i>Suffolk</i>
UKH2		<i>Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire</i>	
UKH21			<i>Luton</i>
UKH22			<i>Bedfordshire CC</i>
UKH23			<i>Hertfordshire</i>
UKH3		<i>Essex</i>	
UKH31			<i>Southend-on-Sea</i>
UKH32			<i>Thurrock</i>
UKH33			<i>Essex CC</i>
UKI	LONDON		
UKI1		<i>Inner London</i>	
UKI11			<i>Inner London - West</i>
UKI12			<i>Inner London - East</i>
UKI2		<i>Outer London</i>	
UKI21			<i>Outer London - East and North East</i>
UKI22			<i>Outer London - South</i>
UKI23			<i>Outer London - West and North West</i>
UKJ	SOUTH EAST (ENGLAND)		
UKJ1		<i>Berkshire, Buckinghamshire and Oxfordshire</i>	
UKJ11			<i>Berkshire</i>
UKJ12			<i>Milton Keynes</i>
UKJ13			<i>Buckinghamshire CC</i>
UKJ14			<i>Oxfordshire</i>
UKJ2		<i>Surrey, East and West Sussex</i>	
UKJ21			<i>Brighton and Hove</i>
UKJ22			<i>East Sussex CC</i>



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
UKJ23			<i>Surrey</i>
UKJ24			<i>West Sussex</i>
UKJ3		Hampshire and Isle of Wight	
UKJ31			<i>Portsmouth</i>
UKJ32			<i>Southampton</i>
UKJ33			<i>Hampshire CC</i>
UKJ34			<i>Isle of Wight</i>
UKJ4		Kent	
UKJ41			<i>Medway</i>
UKJ42			<i>Kent CC</i>
UKK	SOUTH WEST (ENGLAND)		
UKK1		Gloucestershire, Wiltshire and Bristol/Bath area	
UKK11			<i>Bristol, City of</i>
UKK12			<i>Bath and North East Somerset, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire</i>
UKK13			<i>Gloucestershire</i>
UKK14			<i>Swindon</i>
UKK15			<i>Wiltshire CC</i>
UKK2		Dorset and Somerset	
UKK21			<i>Bournemouth and Poole</i>
UKK22			<i>Dorset CC</i>
UKK23			<i>Somerset</i>
UKK3		Cornwall and Isles of Scilly	
UKK30			<i>Cornwall and Isles of Scilly</i>
UKK4		Devon	
UKK41			<i>Plymouth</i>
UKK42			<i>Torbay</i>
UKK43			<i>Devon CC</i>
UKL	WALES		
UKL1		West Wales and The Valleys	
UKL11			<i>Isle of Anglesey</i>
UKL12			<i>Gwynedd</i>
UKL13			<i>Conwy and Denbighshire</i>
UKL14			<i>South West Wales</i>
UKL15			<i>Central Valleys</i>
UKL16			<i>Gwent Valleys</i>



CODE	NUTS 1	NUTS 2	NUTS 3
UKL17			<i>Bridgend and Neath Port Talbot</i>
UKL18			<i>Swansea</i>
UKL2		<i>East Wales</i>	
UKL21			<i>Monmouthshire and Newport</i>
UKL22			<i>Cardiff and Vale of Glamorgan</i>
UKL23			<i>Flintshire and Wrexham</i>
UKL24			<i>Powys</i>
UKM	SCOTLAND		
UKM2		<i>Eastern Scotland</i>	
UKM21			<i>Angus and Dundee City</i>
UKM22			<i>Clackmannanshire and Fife</i>
UKM23			<i>East Lothian and Midlothian</i>
UKM24			<i>Scottish Borders</i>
UKM25			<i>Edinburgh, City of</i>
UKM26			<i>Falkirk</i>
UKM27			<i>Perth & Kinross and Stirling</i>
UKM28			<i>West Lothian</i>
UKM3		<i>South Western Scotland</i>	
UKM31			<i>East Dunbartonshire, West Dunbartonshire and Helensburgh & Lomond</i>
UKM32			<i>Dumfries & Galloway</i>
UKM33			<i>East Ayrshire and North Ayrshire mainland</i>
UKM34			<i>Glasgow City</i>
UKM35			<i>Inverclyde, East Renfrewshire and Renfrewshire</i>
UKM36			<i>North Lanarkshire</i>
UKM37			<i>South Ayrshire</i>
UKM38			<i>South Lanarkshire</i>
UKM5		<i>North Eastern Scotland</i>	
UKM50			<i>Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire</i>
UKM6		<i>Highlands and Islands</i>	
UKM61			<i>Caithness & Sutherland and Ross & Cromarty</i>
UKM62			<i>Inverness & Nairn and Moray, Badenoch & Strathspey</i>
UKM63			<i>Lochaber, Skye & Lochalsh, Arran & Cumbrae and Argyll & Bute</i>
UKM64			<i>Eilean Siar (Western Isles)</i>
UKM65			<i>Orkney Islands</i>
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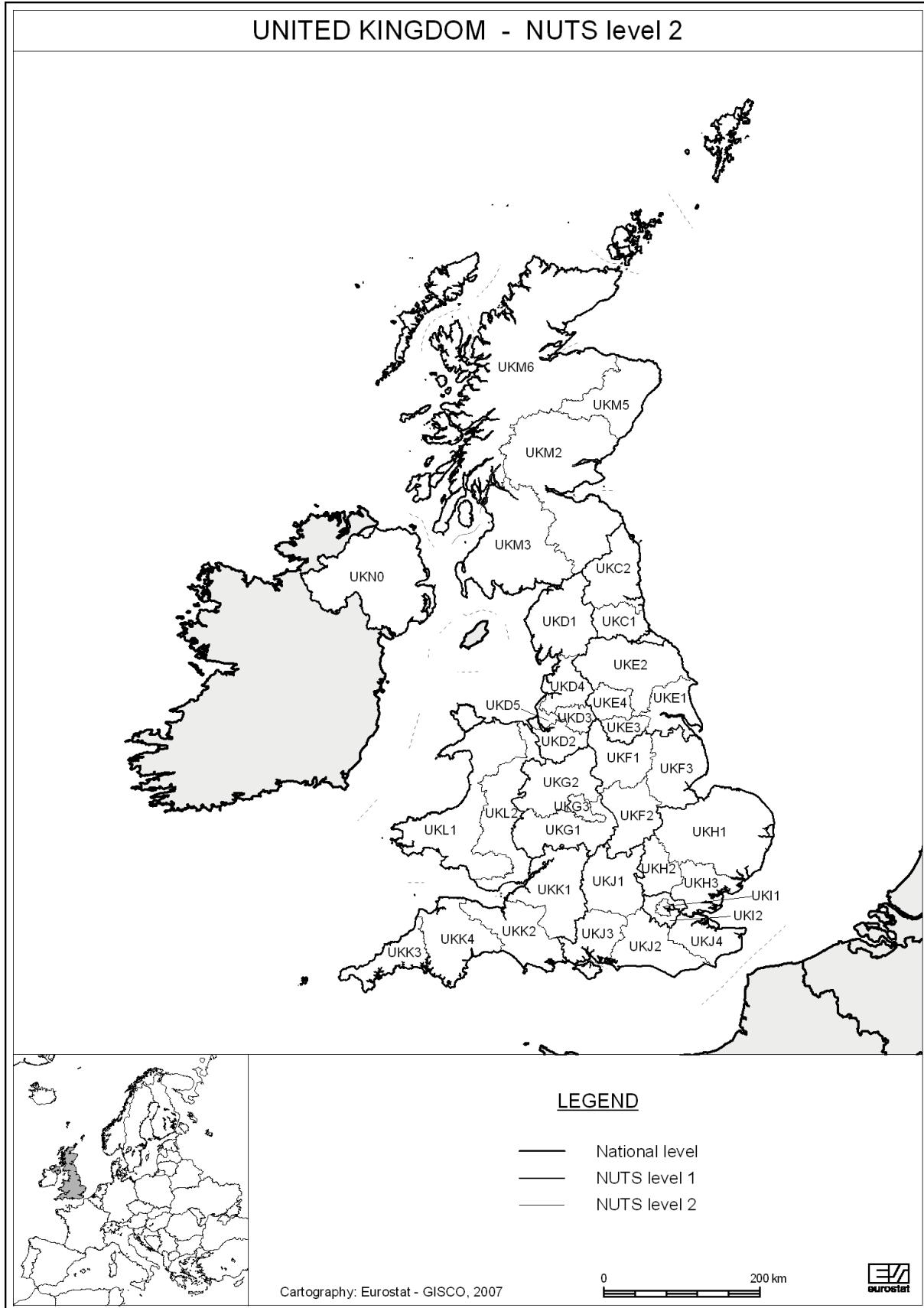


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UKN02			<i>Outer Belfast</i>
UKN03			<i>East of Northern Ireland</i>
UKN04			<i>North of Northern Ireland</i>
UKN05			<i>West and South of Northern Ireland</i>
UKZ	EXTRA-REGIO		
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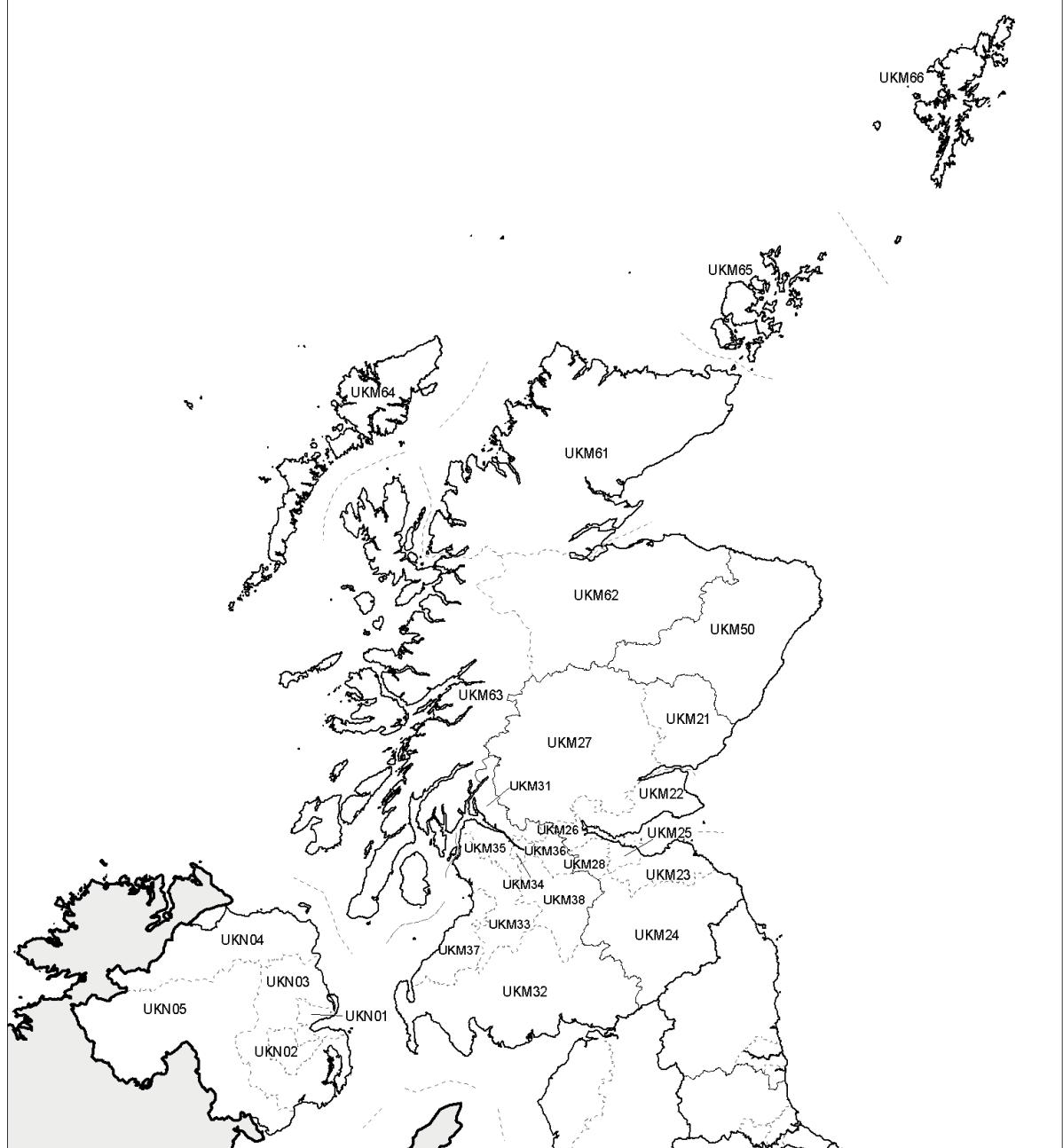
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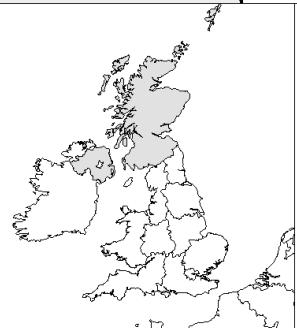




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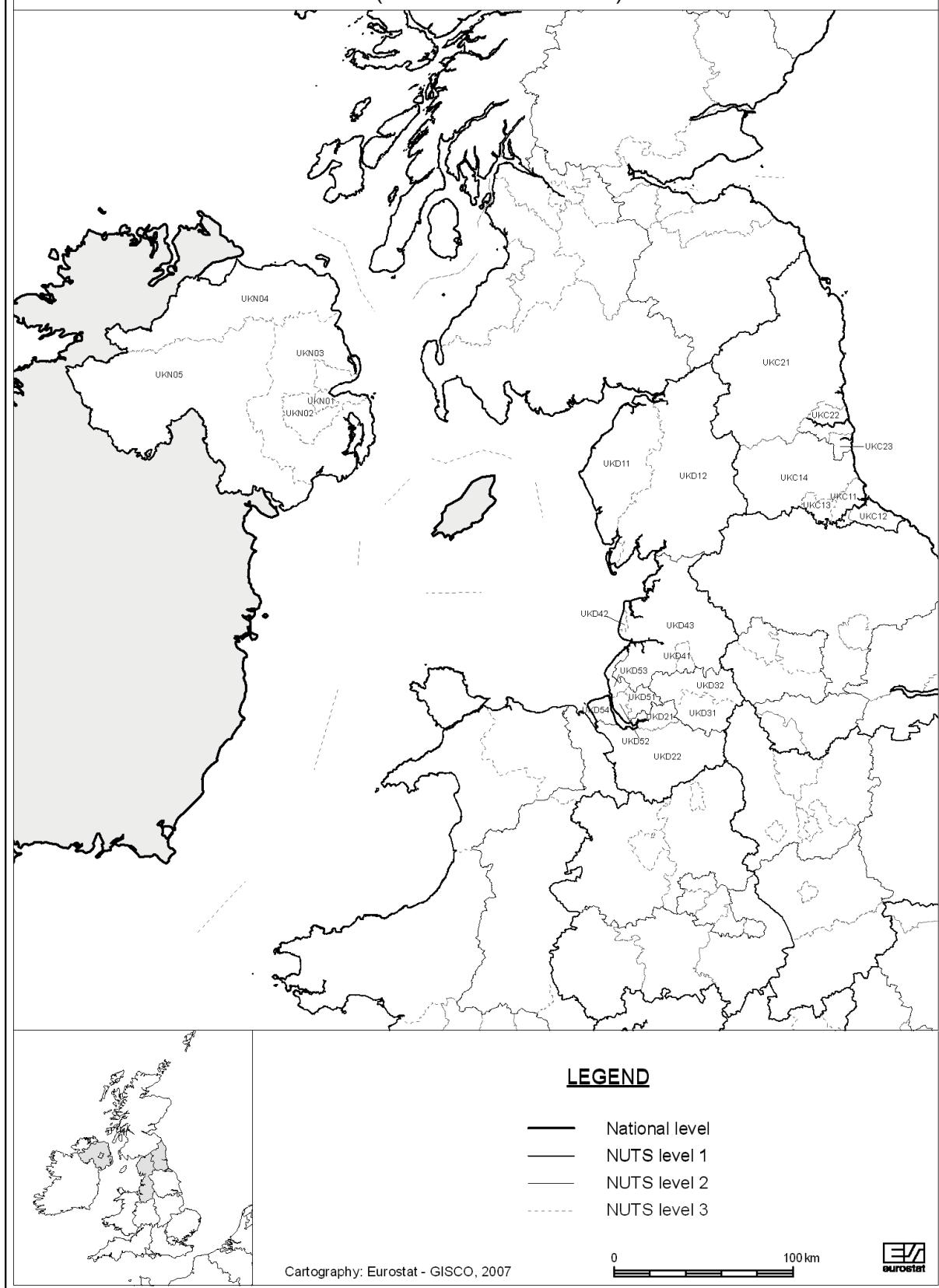
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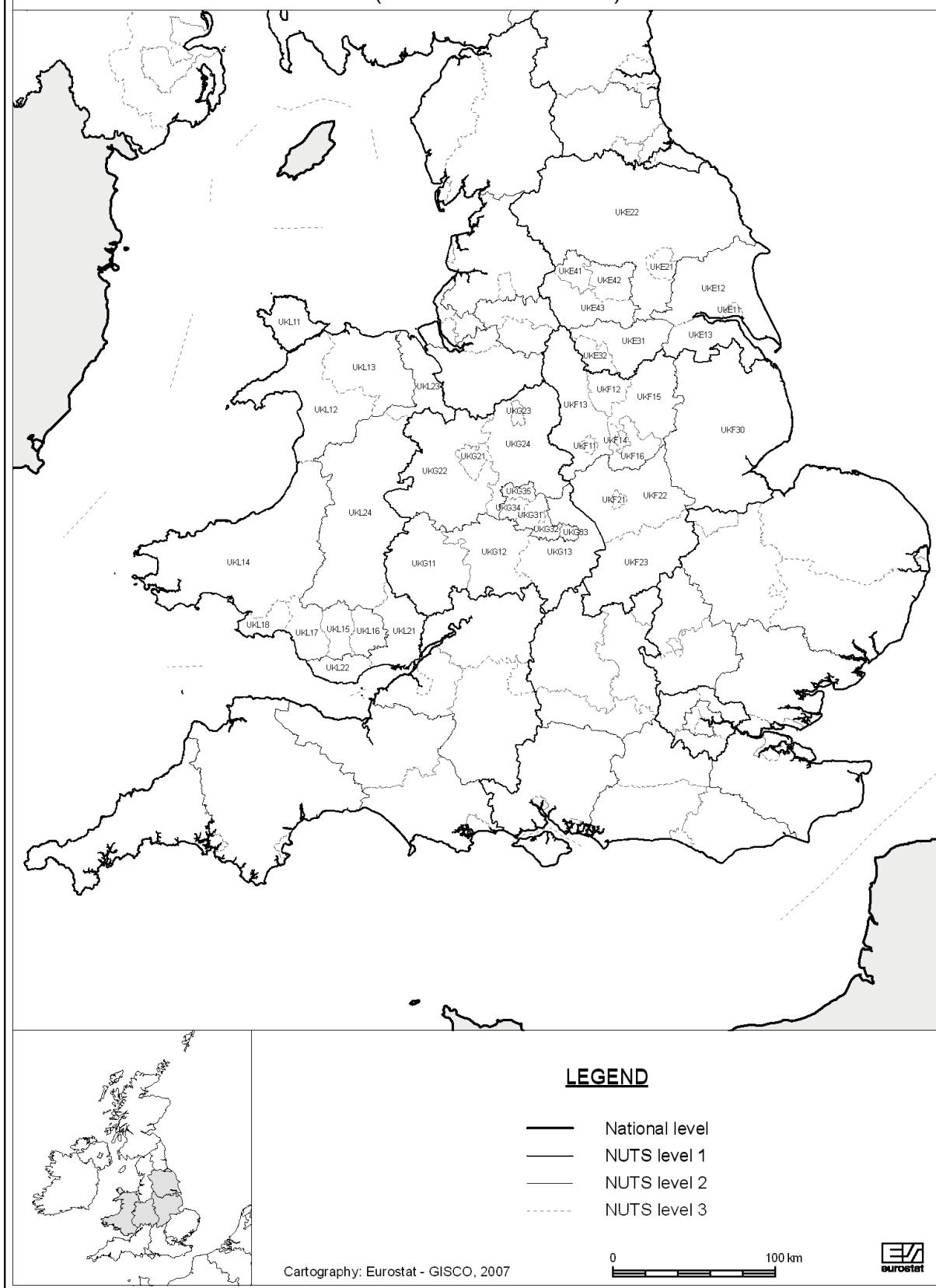
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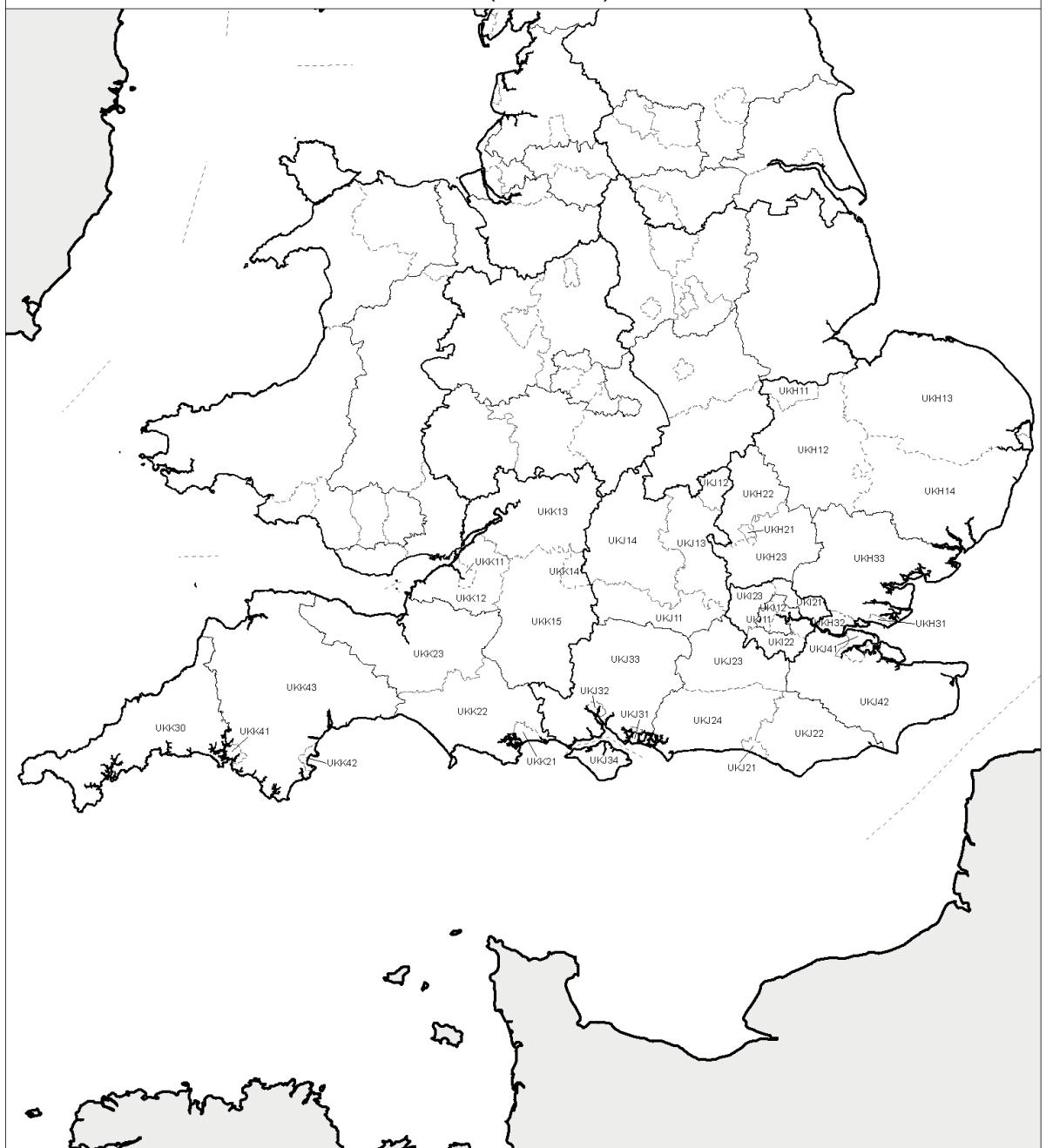
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United Kingdom

UNITED KINGDOM (SOUTH) - NUTS level 3



LEGEND

- National level
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Annexes



Annex I

**Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003
of the European Parliament and of the Council
of 26 May 2003
on the establishment of a common
classification
of territorial units for statistics (NUTS)**

THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND THE COUNCIL
OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

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

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission¹,

Having regard to the opinion of the European Economic and Social Committee²,

Having regard to the opinion of the Committee of the Regions³,

Acting in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 251 of the Treaty⁴,

Whereas:

- (1) Users of statistics express an increasing need for harmonisation in order to have comparable data across the European Union. In order to function, the internal market requires statistical standards applicable to the collection, transmission and publication of national and Community statistics so that all operators in the single market can be provided with comparable statistical data. In this context, classifications are an important tool for the collection, compilation and dissemination of comparable statistics.
- (2) Regional statistics are a cornerstone of the European Statistical System. They are used for a wide range of purposes. For many years European regional statistics have been collected, compiled and disseminated on the basis of a common regional classification, called "Nomenclature of territorial units for statistics" (hereinafter referred to as NUTS). It is now appropriate to fix this regional

classification in a legal framework and to institute clear rules for future amendments of this classification. The NUTS classification should not preclude the existence of other subdivisions and classifications.

- (3) Accordingly, all Member States' statistics transmitted to the Commission, which are broken down by territorial units, should use the NUTS classification, where applicable.
- (4) In its analysis and dissemination, the Commission should use the NUTS classification for all statistics classified by territorial units, where applicable.
- (5) Different levels are needed for regional statistics depending on the purpose of these statistics at national and European level. It is appropriate to have at least three hierarchical levels of detail in the European regional NUTS classification. Member States could have further levels of NUTS details, where they consider it necessary.
- (6) Information on the current territorial composition of NUTS level 3 regions is necessary for the proper administration of the NUTS classification and should therefore be transmitted regularly to the Commission.
- (7) Objective criteria for the definition of regions are necessary in order to ensure impartiality when regional statistics are compiled and used.
- (8) Users of regional statistics need stability of the nomenclature over time. The NUTS classification should hence not be amended too frequently. This Regulation will ensure a greater stability of rules over time.
- (9) Comparability of regional statistics requires that the regions be of a comparable size in terms of population. In order to achieve this goal, amendments of the NUTS classification should render the regional structure more homogeneous in terms of population size.
- (10) The actual political, administrative and institutional situation must also be respected. Non-administrative units must reflect economic, social, historical, cultural, geographical or environmental circumstances.
- (11) Reference should be made to the definition of the "population" on which the classification is based.

¹ OJ C 180 E, 26.6.2001, p. 108.

² OJ C 260, 17.9.2001, p. 57.

³ OJ C 107, 3.5.2002, p. 54.

⁴ Opinion of the European Parliament of 24 October 2001 (OJ C 112 E, 9.5.2002, p. 146), Council Common Position of 9 December 2002 (OJ C 32 E, 11.2.2003, p. 26) and Decision of the European Parliament of 8 April 2003 (not yet published in the Official Journal)



- (12) The NUTS classification is restricted to the economic territory of the Member States and does not provide complete coverage of the territory to which the Treaty establishing the European Community applies. Its use for Community purposes will therefore need to be assessed on a case-by-case basis. The economic territory of each country, as defined in Commission Decision 91/450/EEC⁵, also includes extraregio territory, made up of parts of the economic territory that cannot be attached to a certain region (air-space, territorial waters and the continental shelf, territorial enclaves, in particular embassies, consulates and military bases, and deposits of oil, natural gas, etc. in international waters, outside the continental shelf, worked by resident units). The NUTS classification must also provide the possibility of statistics for this extraregio territory.
- (13) Amendments to the NUTS classification will require close consultations with the Member States.
- (14) Since the objective of the proposed action, namely the harmonisation of regional statistics, cannot be sufficiently achieved by the Member States and can therefore be better achieved at Community level, the Community may adopt measures, in accordance with the principle of subsidiarity as set out in Article 5 of the Treaty. In accordance with the principle of proportionality, as set out in that Article, this Regulation does not go beyond what is necessary in order to achieve that objective.
- (15) The NUTS classification laid down in this Regulation should replace the "Nomenclature of territorial units for statistics (NUTS)" established to date by the Statistical Office of the European Communities in cooperation with the national statistical institutes. As a consequence, all references in Community acts to the "Nomenclature of territorial units for statistics (NUTS)" should now be understood as referring to the NUTS classification laid down in this Regulation.
- (16) Council Regulation (EC) No 322/97 of 17 February 1997 on Community Statistics⁶ constitutes the reference framework for the provisions of this Regulation.
- (17) The measures necessary for the implementation of this Regulation should be adopted in accordance with Council Decision 1999/468/EC of 28 June 1999 laying down the procedures for the exercise of implementing powers conferred on the Commission⁷.
- (18) The Statistical Programme Committee established by Council Decision 89/382/EEC, Euratom⁸ has been consulted in accordance with Article 3 thereof,

HAVE ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

Subject matter

1. The purpose of this Regulation is to establish a common statistical classification of territorial units, hereinafter referred to as "NUTS", in order to enable the collection, compilation and dissemination of harmonised regional statistics in the Community.
2. The NUTS classification laid down in Annex I shall replace the "Nomenclature of territorial units for statistics (NUTS)" established by the Statistical Office of the European Communities in cooperation with the national statistical institutes of the Member States.

Article 2

Structure

1. The NUTS classification subdivides the economic territory of the Member States, as defined in Decision 91/450/EEC, into territorial units. It ascribes to each territorial unit a specific code and name.
2. The NUTS classification is hierarchical. It subdivides each Member State into NUTS level 1 territorial units, each of which is subdivided into NUTS level 2 territorial units, these in turn each being subdivided into NUTS level 3 territorial units.
3. However, a particular territorial unit may be classified at several NUTS levels.
4. At the same NUTS level, two different territorial units in the same Member State may not be identified by the same name. If two territorial units in different Member States have the same name, the country identifier is added to the territorial units' names.
5. In each Member State, there can be further hierarchical levels of detail, decided by the Member State, whereby NUTS level 3 is subdivided. Within two years from the entry into force of this Regulation, the Commission, after consulting the Member States, shall submit a communication to the European Parliament and the Council on the appropriateness of establishing rules on a Europe-wide basis for more detailed levels in the NUTS classification.

⁵ OJ L 240, 29.8.1991, p. 36.

⁶ OJ L 52, 22.2.1997, p. 1.

⁷ OJ L 184, 17.7.1999, p. 23.

⁸ OJ L 181, 28.6.1989, p. 47.



Article 3

Classification criteria

- Existing administrative units within the Member States shall constitute the first criterion used for the definition of territorial units.

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

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

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

If the population of a whole Member State is below the minimum threshold for a given NUTS level, the whole Member State shall be one NUTS territorial unit for this level.

- For the purpose of this Regulation, the population of a territorial unit shall consist of those persons who have their usual place of residence in this area.
- The existing administrative units that are used for the NUTS classification are laid down in Annex II. Amendments to Annex II shall be adopted in accordance with the regulatory procedure referred to in Article 7(2).
- If for a given level of NUTS no administrative units of a suitable scale exist in a Member State, in accordance with the criteria referred to in paragraph 2, this NUTS level shall be constituted by aggregating an appropriate number of existing smaller contiguous administrative units. This aggregation shall take into consideration such relevant criteria as geographical, socio-economic, historical, cultural or environmental circumstances.

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

In accordance with the regulatory procedure referred to in Article 7(2), individual non-administrative units may however deviate from these thresholds because of particular geographical, socio-economic, historical, cultural or environmental circumstances, especially in the islands and the outermost regions.

Article 4

Components of NUTS

- Within six months after the entry into force of this Regulation, the Commission shall publish the components of each NUTS level 3 territorial unit in terms of the smaller administrative units as laid down in Annex III, as transmitted to it by the Member States. Amendments to Annex III shall be adopted in accordance with the regulatory procedure referred to in Article 7(2).
- Within the first six months of each year, Member States shall transmit to the Commission all changes of the components for the previous year that may affect the NUTS level 3 boundaries and in so doing shall respect the electronic data format requested by the Commission.

Article 5

Amendments to NUTS

- The Member States shall inform the Commission of:
 - all changes that have occurred in administrative units, in so far as they may affect the NUTS classification, as laid down in Annex I, or the contents of Annexes II and III;
 - all other changes at the national level that may affect the NUTS classification, in accordance with the classification criteria laid down in Article 3.
- Changes to NUTS level 3 boundaries due to changes of smaller administrative units as laid down in Annex III:
 - shall not be considered as amendments of NUTS if they involve a population transfer equal to or less than one percent of the NUTS 3 territorial units concerned;
 - shall be considered as amendments of NUTS, in accordance with paragraph 3 of this Article, if they involve a population transfer of more than one percent of the NUTS 3 territorial units concerned.
- Amendments to the NUTS for the non-administrative units in a Member State, as referred to in Article 3(5), may be made if, at the NUTS level in question, the amendment reduces the standard deviation of the size in terms of population of all EU territorial units.
- Amendments to the NUTS classification shall be adopted in the second half of the calendar year in accordance with the regulatory procedure referred to in Article 7(2), not more frequently than every three years, on the basis of the criteria laid down in Article 3. Nevertheless, in the case of a substantial reorganisation of the relevant administrative structure of a Member State, the amendments to the NUTS classification may be adopted at intervals of less than three years.



The Commission implementing measures referred to in the first subparagraph shall enter into force, with regard to the transmission of the data to the Commission, on 1 January of the second year after their adoption.

5. When an amendment is made to the NUTS classification, the Member State concerned shall transmit to the Commission the time series for the new regional breakdown, to replace data already transmitted. The list of the time series and their length will be specified in accordance with the regulatory procedure referred to in Article 7(2) taking into account the feasibility of providing them. These time series are to be supplied within two years of the amendment to the NUTS classification.

Article 6

Management

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

- (a) drafting and updating of explanatory notes on NUTS;
- (b) examination of problems arising from the implementation of NUTS in the Member States' classifications of territorial units.

Article 7

Procedure

1. The Commission shall be assisted by the Statistical Programme Committee, established by Article 1 of Decision 89/382/EEC, Euratom (hereinafter referred to as the Committee).
2. Where reference is made to this paragraph, Articles 5 and 7 of Decision 1999/468/EC shall apply, having regard to the provisions of Article 8 thereof.

The period laid down in Article 5(6) of Decision 1999/468/EC shall be set at three months.

3. The Committee shall adopt its rules of procedure.

Article 8

Reporting

Three years after the entry into force of this Regulation, the Commission shall submit a report on its implementation to the European Parliament and the Council.

Article 9

Entry into force

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 20th day following that of its publication in the Official Journal of the European Union.

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

Done at Brussels, 26 May 2003.

For the European Parliament

The President

P. Cox

For the Council

The President

G. Drys



Annex 1

Existing administrative units

At NUTS level 1 for Belgium ‘Gewesten/Régions’, for Germany ‘Länder’, for Portugal ‘Continente’, Região dos Aços and Região da Madeira, and for United Kingdom Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland and the Government Office Regions of England.

At NUTS level 2 for Belgium ‘Provinces/Provinces’, for Denmark ‘Regioner’, for Germany ‘Regierungsbezirke’, for Greece ‘periferies’, for Spain ‘comunidades y ciudades autónomas’, for France ‘régions’, for Italy ‘regioni’, for the Netherlands ‘provincies’, for Austria ‘Länder’ and for Poland ‘Województwa’.

At NUTS level 3 for Belgium ‘arrondissementen/arrondissements’, for Bulgaria ‘Области (Oblasti)’, for the Czech Republic ‘Kraje’, for Germany ‘Kreise/kreisfreie Städte’, for Greece ‘nomoi’, for Spain ‘provincias, consejos insulares, cabildos’, for France ‘départements’, for Italy ‘provincie’, for Lithuania ‘Apskritis’, for Hungary ‘Megyék’, for Romania ‘Judeţe’, for the Slovak Republic ‘Kraje’, for Finland ‘maakunnat/landskap’ and for Sweden ‘län’.

Annex 2

Smaller administrative units

For Belgium ‘Gemeenten/Communes’, for Bulgaria ‘Общини (Obshtini)’, for the Czech Republic ‘Obce’, for Denmark ‘Kommuner’, for Germany ‘Gemeinden’, for Estonia ‘Vald, Linn’, for Greece ‘Δήμοι/Κοινότητες (Dimoi/Koinotites)’, for Spain ‘Municipios’, for France ‘Communes’, for Ireland ‘Counties or Cities’, for Italy ‘Comuni’, for Cyprus ‘Δήμοι/Κοινότητες (Dimoi/Koinotites)’, for Latvia ‘Pilsētas, novadi, pagasti’, for Lithuania ‘Seniūnija’, for Luxembourg ‘Communes’, for Hungary ‘Települések’, for Malta ‘Localities’, for the Netherlands ‘Gemeenten’, for Austria ‘Gemeinden’, for Poland ‘Gminy, miasta’, for Portugal ‘Freguesias’, for Romania ‘Municipii, Oraşe, Comune’, for Slovenia ‘Občina’, for the Slovak Republic ‘Obce’, for Finland ‘Kunnat/Kommuner’, for Sweden ‘Kommuner’ and for the United Kingdom ‘Wards’.



Annex II

**COMMISSION REGULATION (EC)
No 105/2007 of 1 February 2007**

**amending the Annexes to Regulation (EC) No
1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of
the Council on the establishment of a common
classification of territorial units for statistics
(NUTS)**

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS)¹, and in particular Article 5 (4) thereof,

Whereas:

- (1) Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 constitutes the legal framework for the regional classification in order to enable the collection, compilation and dissemination of harmonised regional statistics in the Community.
- (2) The Annexes to Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 list the territorial units to be used for statistics.
- (3) In accordance with the provisions [Article 5 (4)] of Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003, amendments to the NUTS classification shall be adopted in the second half of the calendar year not more frequently than every three years.
- (4) According to the information provided to the Commission, the administrative territorial division has changed in several Member States.
- (5) Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 should therefore be amended accordingly.
- (6) The measures provided for in this Regulation are in accordance with the opinion of the Statistical Programme Committee,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

The Annexes to Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 are replaced by the text in the Annex to this Regulation.

Article 2

This Regulation shall apply, with regard to the transmission of data to the Commission (Eurostat), from 1 January 2008.

Article 3

This Regulation shall enter into force on the 20th day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Union*.

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

Done at Brussels, 1 February 2007.

For the Commission

Joaquín ALMUNIA

Member of the Commission

¹ OJ L 154, 21.6.2003, p. 1. Regulation as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1888/2005 (OJ L 309, 25.11.2005, p. 1).

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