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Reports: Working Group on Country Names**List of country names****Summary****

The full report contains the names of 195 countries in the language or languages used in an official capacity within each country. The names are provided in two forms: the short names, which are the ones in common use (whether official or not), and the formal names, which are those used in an official diplomatic context. The names are presented in their native scripts, and the non-Roman scripts are romanized according to systems, if available, approved by the United Nations. The names are updated as at March 2019.

The report also contains the short and formal country names in the six official languages of the United Nations as set out in the United Nations Terminology Database (UNTERM, available at unterm.un.org), which is the authoritative source for country names used at the United Nations.

* [GEGN.2/2019/1](https://unstats.un.org/unsd/geoinfo/UNEGN/1st_session_UNEGN.html).

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