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PREFACE

The ASFIS Geographic Authority List was first published in 1974 and revised and reprinted in 1976, 1979, 1985 and 1992. This version supersedes all previous editions.

A major revision of the List has been undertaken, to extend the hierarchical approach to geographic indexing introduced in the 1992 Revision. This should make the List more useful to both indexers and searchers. Recent changes in country names have been introduced, and additional entries added to reflect increased scientific and/or economic interest.

The alphabetical listing presented is based on English language descriptions, usually as they appear in the Times Atlas. Some alignment with the Getty Thesaurus of geographic Terms has been attempted. A list of the authorities consulted appears in the Bibliography at the end of this document. The codes used in the designation of coastal areas, sea areas, currents and undersea features are assigned on the basis of the map on page 111, and the accompanying definitions.

The List has been developed as the authority for the preparation of geographic index-entries for the ASFIS bibliographic database and its print products Aquatic Sciences and Fisheries Abstracts (ASFA) and ASFA Aquaculture Abstracts. For this purpose, it should be used in conjunction with the latest revision of the "ASFIS Guidelines for Subject Categorization and Indexing (ASFIS-5)".

The List should also be used as the authority for names of geographic features in the preparation of English abstracts and the English translation of non-English titles. With discretion, it may be used as the authority for country names in other parts of ASFIS records, viz. in corporate authority and patent assignee names, in authors' addresses/affiliations, in conference place names, and in country of publication, but if, and only if, such use is not in conflict with the "ASFIS Guidelines for Bibliographic Description (ASFIS-3, Revision 4)".

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Alphabetical sequence

Abu Dhabi

note: before 1992 search ABU DHABI
use: **United Arab Emirates, Abu Dhabi**
for coast use: **ISW, United Arab Emirates, Abu Dhabi**
see also: United Arab Emirates

Abu Qir Field

note: before 2016 search ISW, EGYPT, ARAB REP., ABU QIR FIELD
use: **ISW, Egypt, Abu Qir Field**

Abukir Field

note: before 2016 search ISW, EGYPT, ARAB REP., ABU QIR FIELD
use: **ISW, Egypt, Abu Qir Field**

Abyssinia

use: **Ethiopia**

Adams Island (Auckland Islands Archipelago)

use: **New Zealand, Auckland Islands, Adams Island**
for coast use: **PSE, New Zealand, Auckland Islands, Adams Island**

Addu Atoll

use: **Maldiv Islands, Addu Atoll**
for coast use: **ISW, Maldiv Islands, Addu Atoll**

Adelie Land

use: **Antarctica, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Adelie Land**
for coast use: **PSE, Antarctica, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Adelie Land**

Aden Gulf

use: **ISW, Gulf of Aden**

Admiralty Islands

use: **Papua New Guinea, Bismarck Archipelago, Admiralty Islands**
for coast use: **ISEW, Papua New Guinea, Bismarck Archipelago, Admiralty Islands**

Adriatic Sea

use: **MED, Adriatic Sea**

Aegean Islands

note: Use only for items covering both Greek and Turkish Aegean Islands. Before 1992 search AEGEAN I. From 1992 to 2011 search GREECE, AEGEAN I.
for coast use: **MED, Aegean Islands**
for more specific studies use:

Greece, Aegean Islands

Turkey, Aegean Islands

Aegean Plate

Aegean Sea

use: **MED, Aegean Sea**

Afghanistan

note: no coastline

Africa

use of a more specific entry is recommended

Africa Coasts

use of a more specific entry is recommended,
e.g.:
ASE, Africa (for West Africa Coast)
ISW, Africa (for East Africa Coast)
MED, Africa (for North Africa Coast)
PSW, Africa (for Southern Africa Coast)

Africa, Blue Nile River

for more specific studies use:
Ethiopia, Blue Nile River
Sudan, Blue Nile River
see also: Africa, Nile River

Africa, Central

(used for Central Africa land areas. Central Africa is a core region of the African continent)
regions: the five nations of Central Africa are
Burundi
Central African Republic
Chad
Democratic Republic of the Congo
Rwanda
see also: Africa, Middle

Africa, Congo River

note: known as the Zaire R. until 1997.
note: before 2016 search AFRICA, ZAIRE R.
for more specific studies use:
Republic of the Congo, Congo River
Democratic Republic of the Congo, Congo River

Africa, East

(used for East Africa land areas. Based on the 1999 United Nations geoscheme)
for coast use: **ISW, Africa**

Africa, Great Lakes

includes:
Africa, Lake Albert
Africa, Lake Kivu
Africa, Lake Malawi

Africa, Lake Tanganyika
Africa, Lake Turkana
Africa, Lake Victoria

Africa Inland Waters

(used for FAO Fishing Area 01 (CIFA Area))
use of a more specific entry is recommended

Africa, Lake Albert

(equal to Lake Mobutu Sese Seko)
note: before 2016 search AFRICA, ALBERT L.,
UGANDA, ALBERT L. and ZAIRE,
ALBERT L.

for more specific studies use:
Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake Albert
Uganda, Western, Lake Albert

Africa, Lake Chad

note: before 2016 search AFRICA, CHAD L.
for more specific studies use:

Cameroon, Lake Chad
Chad, Lake Chad
Niger, Lake Chad
Nigeria, Lake Chad

Africa, Lake Chilwa

note: before 2016 search AFRICA, CHILWA L.

for more specific studies use:

Malawi, Lake Chilwa
Mozambique, Lake Chilwa

Africa, Lake Edward

note: before 2016 search AFRICA, EDWARD L.,
UGANDA, EDWARD L. and ZAIRE,
EDWARD L.

for more specific studies use:
Uganda, Western, Queen Elizabeth National Park, Lake Edward
Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake Edward

Africa, Lake Kariba

note: before 2016 search AFRICA, KARIBA L.,
ZAMBIA, KARIBA L. and ZIMBABWE, KARIBA L.

for more specific studies use:

Zambia, Lake Kariba
Zimbabwe, Lake Kariba

Africa, Lake Kivu

note: before 2016 search AFRICA, KIVU L.,
RWANDA, KIVU L. and ZAIRE, KIVU L.

for more specific studies use:

Rwanda, Lake Kivu
Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake Kivu

Africa, Lake Malawi

(equal to Africa, Lake Niassa, Africa, Lake Nyassa and Africa, Lake Nyasa)

for more specific studies use:

Malawi, Lake Malawi
Mozambique, Lake Malawi
Tanzania, Lake Nyasa

Africa, Lake Mweru

(equal to Lake Moero)

note: before 2016 search AFRICA, MWERU L.,
ZAIRE, MWERU L. and ZAMBIA,
MWERU L.

for more specific studies use:

Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake Mweru
Zambia, Lake Mweru

Africa, Lake Nasser

note: before 2016 search AFRICA, NASSER L.,
and EGYPT, ARAB REP., NASSER L.

for more specific studies use:

Egypt, Lake Nasser
Sudan, Lake Nubia

Africa, Lake Rudolf

use **Africa, Lake Turkana**

Africa, Lake Tanganyika

note: before 2016 search AFRICA,
TANGANYIKA L.; BURUNDI,
TANGANYIKA L.; TANZANIA,
TANGANYIKA, L.; ZAIRE, TANGANYIKA L.
and ZAMBIA, TANGANYIKA L.

for more specific studies use:

Burundi, Lake Tanganyika
Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake Tanganyika
Tanzania, Lake Tanganyika
Zambia, Lake Tanganyika

Africa, Lake Turkana

(equal to Africa, Lake Rudolf)

note: before 2016 search AFRICA, TURKANA L.,
ETHIOPIA, TURKANA L. and KENYA,
TURKANA L.

for more specific studies use:

Ethiopia, Lake Turkana
Kenya, Rift Valley, Lake Turkana

Africa, Lake Victoria

note: before 2016 search AFRICA, VICTORIA L.,
KENYA, VICTORIA L. and UGANDA,
VICTORIA L.

for more specific studies use:

Kenya, Lake Victoria
Tanzania, Lake Victoria
Uganda, Lake Victoria

Africa, Middle

(used for Middle Africa land areas (as used by the United Nations when categorising geographic subregions). It is an analogous term that describes the portion of Africa south of the Sahara Desert, east of Western Africa, but west of the Great Rift Valley.)

regions: the nine nations of Middle Africa are

Angola
Cameroon
Central African Republic
Chad
Democratic Republic of the Congo
Equatorial Guinea
Gabon
Republic of the Congo
Sao Tome and Príncipe

see also: Africa, Central

Africa, Nile River

for more specific studies use:

Africa, Blue Nile River
Egypt, Nile River
Ethiopia, Blue Nile River
MED, Egypt, Nile Delta
Sudan, Blue Nile River
Sudan, Nile River
Sudan, White Nile River
South Sudan, White Nile River
Uganda, Nile River

Africa, North

(used for North Africa land areas)

for coast use: **MED, Africa** apart from the Atlantic coast of Morocco and for Western Sahara. For these areas use **ASE, Morocco** and **ASE, Western Sahara** respectively. For the Red Sea coasts of Egypt and Sudan use **ISW, Egypt** and **ISW, Sudan** respectively

Africa, Sahelian Zone

(not to be used for coastal areas)

Africa, South

(used for Southern Africa land areas)

for coast use: **PSW, Africa**

see also: South Africa

Africa, West

(used for West Africa land areas)

for coast use: **ASE, Africa**

Africa, Zaire River

use: **Africa, Congo River**

African Islands

use: **Seychelles, Amirante Islands, African Islands**

for coast use: **ISW, Seychelles, Amirante Islands, African Islands**

see also: Amirante Islands

African Plate

African Union

use: **AU**

Afrotropical Ecozone

used for: Ethiopian Region

Agulhas Basin

use: **PSW, Agulhas Basin**

Agulhas Current

use: **ISW, Agulhas Current**
or **PSW, Agulhas Current**

or both as necessary

see also: Madagascar Current
Mozambique Current

Agulhas Plateau

use: **PSW, Agulhas Plateau**

Aitutaki

use: **Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands, Aitutaki**

for coast use: **ISE, Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands, Aitutaki**

Ajman

(member of United Arab Emirates)

note: before 1992 search AJMAN

use: **United Arab Emirates, Ajman**

for coast use: **ISW, United Arab Emirates, Ajman**

see also: United Arab Emirates

Akyuz Plateau

use: **MED, Akyuz Plateau**

Alaska

use: **USA, Alaska**

for coast use: **INE, USA, Alaska**

or **PNW, USA, Alaska**

or both as necessary

Alaska Current

(equal to Alaskan Stream)

use: **INE, Alaska Current**

Alaska Gulf

use: **INE, USA, Alaska, Gulf of Alaska**

- Alaska Gyre
use: **INE, Alaska Gyre**
- Alaskan Stream
use: **INE, Alaska Current**
- Albania**
for coast use: **MED, Albania**
- Albatross Cordillera
use: **PSW, Albatross Cordillera**
- Albert Lake (Africa)
use: **Africa, Lake Albert**
for more specific studies use:
Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake Albert
Uganda, Western, Lake Albert
- Albert Lake (Minnesota)
use: **USA, Minnesota, Albert Lake**
- Albert Lake (New South Wales)
use: **Australia, New South Wales, Lake Albert**
- Albert Lake (South Australia)
use: **Australia, South Australia, Lake Albert**
- Albert Park Lake (Victoria)
use: **Australia, Victoria, Albert Park Lake**
- Alboran Sea
use: **MED, Alboran Sea**
- Aldabra Islands
note: before 1992 search ALDABRA I.
Between 1992 and 2011 search SEYCHELLES, ALDABRA I.
use: **Seychelles, Aldabra Islands**
for coast use: **ISW, Seychelles, Aldabra Islands**
see also: Seychelles
- Aldabra Ridge
use: **ISW, Farquhar Ridge**
- Alderney
use: **Channel Islands, Alderney**
for coast use: **ANE, Channel Islands, Alderney**
- Aleutian Current
(equal to Subarctic Current)
use: **IN, Aleutian Current**
for more specific studies use:
INE, Aleutian Current
or **INW, Aleutian Current**
- Aleutian Islands
note: before 1992 search ALEUTIAN I.
Between 1992 and 2011 search USA, ALASKA, ALEUTIAN I.
use: **USA, Alaska, Aleutian Islands**
for complete coast use: **IN, USA, Alaska, Aleutian Islands**
for coast of those islands East of longitude 180° use INE e.g.: **INE, USA, Alaska, Aleutian Islands, Unimak Island**
for coast of those islands West of longitude 180° use INW e.g.: **INW, USA, Alaska, Aleutian Islands, Rat Islands**
- Aleutian Trench
use: **IN, Aleutian Trench**
for more specific studies use:
INE, Aleutian Trench
or **INW, Aleutian Trench**
- Alexander Island
use: **Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory, Palmer Land, Alexander Island**
for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory, Palmer land, Alexander Island**
- Algeria**
for coast use: **MED, Algeria**
- Alphonse Island
use: **Seychelles, Amirante Islands, Alphonse Island**
for coast use: **ISW, Seychelles, Amirante Islands, Alphonse Island**
- Amami Islands
note: before 1992 search AMAMI I. Between 1992 and 2011 search JAPAN, AMAMI I.
use: **Japan, Nansei Islands, Satsunan Islands, Amami Islands**
for coast use: **ISEW, Japan, Nansei Islands, Satsunan Islands, Amami Islands**
see also: Japan
- Amazon Delta
use: **ASW, Brazil, Amazon Delta**
see also: South America, Amazon River
Brazil, Amazon River
Peru, Amazon River
- Amazon River
use: **South America, Amazon River**
for more specific studies use:
Brazil, Amazon River
Peru, Amazon River
ASW, Brazil, Amazon Delta

Ambon Island
note: before 1992 search MOLUCCAS,
AMBON I. Between 1992 and 2011
search INDONESIA, MOLUCCAS,
AMBON I.
use: **Indonesia, Moluccas, Ambon Island**
for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia, Moluccas,
Ambon Island**

Amchitka Island
note: before 1992 search AMCHITKA I.
Between 1992 and 2011 search USA,
ALASKA, ALEUTIAN ISLANDS,
AMCHITKA I.
use: **USA, Alaska, Aleutian Islands, Rat
Islands, Amchitka Island**
for coast use: **INE, USA, Alaska, Aleutian
Islands, Rat Islands, Amchitka Island**

Amerasia Basin
use: **PNE, Amerasia Basin**

America
(used for North + Central + South America land
areas)
use of a more specific entry is recommended,
e.g.:
North America
South America
see also: America Coasts

America Coasts
use of a more specific entry is recommended,
e.g.:
AW, America (for East Coast)
IE, America (for West Coast)
PSW, America (for South Coast)
PNW, America (for North Coast)

America Inland Waters
for more specific studies use:
North America Inland Waters
South America Inland Waters

American Mediterranean
use: **ASW, Caribbean Sea**

American Samoa
includes: American Samoa, Manua Islands and
American Samoa, Tutuila Island
for coast use: **ISE, American Samoa**
see also: Samoan Islands
Samoa

American Virgin Islands
use: **Leeward Islands, US Virgin Islands**

Amindiv Islands
use: **India, Lakshadweep, Amindiv Islands**
for coast use: **ISW, India, Lakshadweep,
Amindiv Islands**
see also: India, Lakshadweep
Laccadive Islands
Minicoy Island

Amirante Islands
note: before 1992 search AMIRANTE I.
Between 1992 and 2011 search
SEYCHELLES, AMIRANTE I.
use: **Seychelles, Amirante Islands**
includes: **Seychelles, Amirante Islands,
African Islands
Seychelles, Amirante Islands, Alphonse
Islands
Seychelles, Amirante Islands, Desroches
Seychelles, Amirante Islands, Poivre
Islands**
which may be used as subentries
for coast use: **ISW, Seychelles, Amirante
Islands**
see also: Seychelles

Amirante Trench
use: **ISW, Amirante Trench**

Amsterdam Fracture Zone
use: **ISW, Nieuw Amsterdam Fracture Zone**

Amsterdam Island (Indian Ocean)
note: before 1992 search AMSTERDAM I.
Between 1992 and 2011 search
ANTARCTICA, FRENCH AUSTRAL AND
ANTARCTIC TERR., AMSTERDAM I.
use: **Antarctica, French Southern and
Antarctic Lands, Amsterdam Island**
for coast use: **ISW, Antarctica, French
Southern and Antarctic Lands,
Amsterdam Island**
see also: French Southern and Antarctic Lands

Amsterdam Island (Spitsbergen)
use: **Norway, Svalbard, Amsterdam Island**
for coast use: **PNE, Norway, Svalbard,
Amsterdam Island**

Amundsen Sea
use: **PSW, Amundsen Sea**

Anatolia
use: **Asia Minor**

Anatolian Plate

Andaman and Nicobar Islands
use: **India, Andaman and Nicobar Islands**
for coast use: **ISW, India, Andaman and Nicobar Islands**

Andaman Islands
note: before 1992 search ANDAMAN I.
Between 1992 and 2011 search INDIA, ANDAMAN I.
use: **India, Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Andaman Islands**
for coast use: **ISW, India, Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Andaman Islands**
see also: India

Andaman Sea
use: **ISW, Andaman Sea**

Andhra Pradesh
use: **India, Andhra Pradesh**
for coast use: **ISW, India, Andhra Pradesh**

Andorra
note: no coastline

Angar Basin
use: **PNE, Eurasia Basin**

Angara
(Earth history - A continental mass of Asia, China, and the Far East that existed during the Palaeozoic)

Angola
(formerly part of Portuguese West Africa, equal to Republic of Angola)
for coast use: **ASE, Angola**

Angola Basin
use: **ASE, Angola Basin**

Anguilla
note: before 1992 search ANGUILLA I.
Between 1992 and 2011 search LEEWARD I., ANGUILLA
use: **Leeward Islands, Anguilla**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, Anguilla**
see also: Leeward Islands

Anjouan
note: before 2016 search COMORO I., ANJOUAN
use: **Comoros, Nzwani**
for coast use: **ISW, Comoros, Nzwani**
see also: Comoro Islands

Antarctic Bottom Current

(equal to Atlantic Bottom Current)
use: **PSW, Antarctic Bottom Current**

Antarctic Circumpolar Current
use: **PS, Antarctic Circumpolar Current**
for more specific studies use:
PSE, Antarctic Circumpolar Current
or **PSW, Antarctic Circumpolar Current**

Antarctic Coastal Current
(counter current to Antarctic Circumpolar Current)
use: **PS, East Wind Drift**

Antarctic Convergence
use: **PSW, Antarctic Polar Front**

Antarctic Deep Current
(equal to Atlantic Deep Current)
use: **PSW, Antarctic Deep Current**

Antarctic Intermediate Current
(equal to Atlantic Intermediate Current)
use: **AS, Antarctic Intermediate Current**
for more specific studies use:
ASE, Antarctic Intermediate Current
or **ASW, Antarctic Intermediate Current**

Antarctic Ocean
(equal to Southern Ocean, equal to Yuzhnyj Ledovithyj Okean)
use: **PS, Antarctic Ocean**
for more specific studies use:
PSE, Antarctic Ocean
or **PSW, Antarctic Ocean**

Antarctic Plate

Antarctic Polar Front
use: **PSW, Antarctic Polar Front**

Antarctica
use of a more specific entry is recommended
for coast use: **PSE, Antarctica** (45|E east to 180|E)
or **PSW, Antarctica** (180|E to 45|E)
or **PS, Antarctica** for all coasts
regions include:
Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory
Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory
Antarctica, Dronning Maud Land
Antarctica, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Adelie Land
Antarctica, Lesser Antarctica
Antarctica, Ross Dependency
Antarctica, South Pole

Antigua
(in the Leeward Islands)
use: **Leeward Islands, Antigua and Barbuda, Antigua**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, Antigua and Barbuda, Antigua**

Antigua and Barbuda
use: **Leeward Islands, Antigua and Barbuda**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, Antigua and Barbuda**
see also: Leeward Islands

Antigua and Barbuda, Antigua
note: before 1992 search ANTIGUA. Between 1992 and 2011 search LEEWARD I., ANTIGUA
use: **Leeward Islands, Antigua and Barbuda, Antigua**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, Antigua and Barbuda, Antigua**

Antigua and Barbuda, Barbuda
note: before 1992 search BARBUDA. Between 1992 and 2011 search LEEWARD I., BARBUDA
use: **Leeward Islands, Antigua and Barbuda, Barbuda**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, Antigua and Barbuda, Barbuda**

Antilles
(equal to Greater Antilles + Lesser Antilles)
use of a more specific entry is recommended
for coast use: **ASW, Antilles**
see also: Greater Antilles
Lesser Antilles

Antilles Countercurrent
use: **ASW, Antilles Countercurrent**

Antilles Current
use: **ASW, Antilles Current**

Antilles-Guiana Countercurrent
use: **AS, Antilles-Guiana Countercurrent**

Antipodes Islands
note: before 1992 search ANTIPODES I. Between 1992 and 2011 search NEW ZEALAND, ANTIPODES I.
use: **New Zealand, Antipodes Islands**
for coast use: **PSE, New Zealand, Antipodes Islands**

Apulian Plate

Aqaba Gulf
(used for Gulf of Eilat)
use: **ISW, Gulf of Aqaba**

Arab League
includes: Algeria
Bahrain
Comoros
Djibouti
Egypt
Eritria
India
Iraq
Jordan
Kuwait
Lebanon
Libya
Mauritania
Morocco
Oman
Palestine
Qatar
Saudi Arabia
Somalia
Sudan
Syria
Tunisia
United Arab Emirates
Venezuela
Yemen

Arab Republic of Egypt
note: before 2016 search EGYPT, ARAB REP.
use: **Egypt**
for Mediterranean coast use:
MED, Egypt
for Red Sea coast use:
ISW, Egypt
or both as necessary

Arab Republic of Yemen
note: before 1992 search YEMEN, ARAB REP. and YEMEN, PEOPLE'S DEM. REP.
use: **Yemen**
for coast use: **ISW, Yemen**

Arabia
use of a more specific entry is recommended
The following nations are considered to be part of the peninsula:
Bahrain (an island nation off the east coast of the peninsula.)
Kuwait
Oman
Qatar
Saudi Arabia
United Arab Emirates
Yemen

Arabian Basin
use: **ISW, Arabian Basin**

Arabian Gulf
use: **ISW, Persian Gulf**

Arabian Plate

Arabian Sea
use: **ISW, Arabian Sea**

Arafura Sea
use: **ISEW, Arafura Sea**

Aral Sea
note: before 1992 search USSR, ARAL SEA
use: **Eurasia, Aral Sea**
for more specific studies use:
Aral Sea, Kazakhstan
or **Aral Sea, Uzbekistan**

Arcachon Basin
(equal to Arcachon Bay and Arcachon Lagoon)
note: before 1992 search ANE, FRANCE,
ARCACHON LAGOON
use: **ANE, France, Aquitaine, Gironde,**
Arcachon Basin

Arcachon Bay
note: before 1992 search ANE, FRANCE,
ARCACHON LAGOON
use: **ANE, France, Aquitaine, Gironde,**
Arcachon Basin

Arcachon Lagoon
note: before 1992 search ANE, FRANCE,
ARCACHON LAGOON
use: **ANE, France, Aquitaine, Gironde,**
Arcachon Basin

Archipelago de Tierra del Fuego
use: **South America, Tierra del Fuego**

Arctic

note: the Arctic region is defined as the area
North of the Arctic Circle (66°33'N) and
includes the Arctic Ocean
for coast use: **PNW, Arctic** (169|W east to
40|W)
or **PNE, Arctic** (40|W east to 169|W)
or **PN, Arctic** for all coasts
see also: Arctic Ocean
Canadian Arctic Archipelago
North Pole

Arctic Archipelago
use: **PNW, Canadian Arctic Archipelago**

Arctic Ocean
(equal to Arctic Mediterranean Sea)
use: **PN, Arctic Ocean**
for more specific studies use:
PNE, Arctic Ocean
or **PNW, Arctic Ocean**

Arctic Plate

Ardeshir Field
use: **ISW, Persian Gulf, Ardeshir Field**

Ardjung Field
use: **ISEW, Java Sea, Ardjung Field**

Argentina

for coast use: **PSW, Argentina**

PROVINCES	CODE
Argentina, Buenos Aires	PSW
Argentina, Catamarca	no coast
Argentina, Chaco	no coast
Argentina, Chubut	PSW
Argentina, Cordoba	no coast
Argentina, Corrientes	no coast
Argentina, Entre Ríos	no coast
Argentina, Formosa	no coast
Argentina, Jujuy	no coast
Argentina, La Pampa	no coast
Argentina, La Rioja	no coast
Argentina, Mendoza	no coast
Argentina, Misiones	no coast
Argentina, Neuquen	no coast
Argentina, Río Negro	PSW
Argentina, Salta	no coast
Argentina, San Juan	no coast
Argentina, San Luis	no coast
Argentina, Santa Cruz	PSW
Argentina, Santa Fe	no coast
Argentina, Santiago del Estero	no coast
Argentina, Tierra del Fuego	PSW
Argentina, Tucuman	no coast

Argentine Basin
use: **PSW, Argentine Basin**

Argyll Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Argyll Field**

Ariake Sea
use: **INW, Ariake Sea**

Armenia

(equal to Armeniya SSR, equal to Republic of
Armenia)
note: before 2016 search USSR, ARMENIA
No coastline

Armeniya SSR

see: Armenia

Armyanskaya SSR

see: Armenia

Arno Atoll

see: Arno Islands

Arno Islands

use: **Marshall Islands, Arno Islands**

for coast use: **ISEW, Marshall Islands, Arno Islands**

see also: Marshall Islands

Aruba

(in the Lesser Antilles)

note: before 1992 search ARUBA

use: **Lesser Antilles, Aruba**

for coast use: **ASW, Lesser Antilles, Aruba**

see also: Lesser Antilles

Arunachal Pradesh

use: **India, Arunachal Pradesh**

note: no coastline

Ascension Island

for coast use: **ASE, Ascension Island**

ASEAN

(used for: Association of South East Asian Nations)

includes: Brunei

Cambodia

Indonesia

Lao

Malaysia

Myanmar

Philippines

Singapore

Thailand

Viet Nam

Asia

includes: Russia

use of a more specific entry is recommended

Asia, Central

for more specific studies use:

Kazakhstan

Kyrgyzstan

Tajikistan

Turkmenistan

Uzbekistan

Asia, Central, Aral Sea

for more specific studies use:

Kazakhstan, Aral Sea

or **Uzbekistan, Aral Sea**

Asia Coasts

includes: Russia

use of a more specific entry is recommended

Asia, Ganges River

note: before 2016 search ASIA, GANGES R.

for more specific studies use:

Bangladesh, Ganges River

India, Ganges River

ISW, India, West Bengal, Ganges Delta

Nepal, Ganges River

Asia Inland Waters**Asia, Mekong River**

note: before 2016 search ASIA, MEKONG R.

for more specific studies use:

Cambodia, Mekong River

China, People's Republic, Mekong River

Lao, Mekong River

ISEW, Viet Nam, Mekong River Delta

Region, Mekong Delta

Myanmar, Mekong River

Thailand, Mekong River

Viet Nam, Mekong River

Asia Minor

(Turkish peninsula between Aegean, Black Sea and Mediterranean, equal to Anatolia)

use of a more specific entry is recommended

Assam

use: **India, Assam**

note: no coastline

Associated States of New Zealand

(The Cook Islands (since 1965) and Niue (since 1974)—neither is independent—are formally said to be "in free association" with New Zealand)

for coast use: **ISE, Associated States of New Zealand**

for more specific studies see:

Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands

Associated States of New Zealand, Niue

Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands

note: before 1992 search COOK I. Between 1992 and 2011 search NEW ZEALAND ISLAND TERR., COOK I.

for coast use: **ISE, Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands**

includes:

Associated States of New Zealand,

Cook Islands, Aitutaki
Associated States of New Zealand,
Cook Islands, Atiu

Associated States of New Zealand, Niue

note: before 1992 search COOK I., NIUE I.
Between 1992 and 2011 search NEW
ZEALAND ISLAND TERR., COOK I.,
NIUE I.

for coast use: **ISE, Associated States of New
Zealand, Niue**

Association of South East Asian Nations

use: **ASEAN**

Athens Gulf

note: before 1992 search MED, ATHENS
GULF

use: **MED, Greece, Attiki, Gulf of Athens**

Atiu

use: **Associated States of New Zealand,**
Cook Islands, Atiu

for coast use: **ISE, Associated States of New
Zealand, Cook Islands, Atiu**

Atlantic Bottom Current

use: **PSW, Antarctic Bottom Current**

Atlantic Deep Current

use: **PSW, Antarctic Deep Current**

Atlantic Equatorial Countercurrent

use: **AS, Equatorial Countercurrent** or for
more specific studies use:
ASE, Equatorial Countercurrent or
ASW, Equatorial Countercurrent

Atlantic Equatorial Undercurrent

use: **AS, Equatorial Undercurrent** or for more
specific studies use:
ASE, Equatorial Undercurrent or
ASW, Equatorial Undercurrent

Atlantic Intermediate Current

use: **AS, Antarctic Intermediate Current**
for more specific studies use:
ASE, Antarctic Intermediate Current
or **ASW, Antarctic Intermediate Current**

Atlantic Ocean

use of a more specific entry is recommended
use: **A, Atlantic**
for more specific studies use:
ANE, Atlantic
ANW, Atlantic
ASE, Atlantic
ASW, Atlantic

see also: **AS, Central Atlantic**
ASE, Central Atlantic
ASW, Central Atlantic
AE, East Atlantic
AS, Equatorial Atlantic
ASE, Equatorial Atlantic
ASW, Equatorial Atlantic
A, North Atlantic
AN, North Atlantic
AS, North Atlantic
ANE, North Atlantic
ANW, North Atlantic
ASE, North Atlantic
ASW, North Atlantic
AS, South Atlantic
ASE, South Atlantic
ASW, South Atlantic
AS, Subtropical Atlantic
ASE, Subtropical Atlantic
ASW, Subtropical Atlantic
AS, Tropical Atlantic
ASE, Tropical Atlantic
ASW, Tropical Atlantic
AW, West Atlantic

Atlantic Plate

Atlantic-Antarctic Ridge

use: **PSW, Atlantic-Indian Ridge**

Atlantic-Indian Basin

(equal to Atlantic-Indian-Antarctic Basin)
use: **PSW, Atlantic-Indian Basin**

Atlantic-Indian Ridge

(equal to Atlantic-Antarctic Ridge)
use: **PSW, Atlantic-Indian Ridge**

Atlantic-Indian-Antarctic Basin

use: **PSW, Atlantic-Indian Basin**

Auckland Islands (Archipelago)

note: before 1992 search AUCKLAND I.
Between 1992 and 2011 search NEW
ZEALAND, AUCKLAND I.

use: **New Zealand, Auckland Islands**

for coast use: **PSE, New Zealand, Auckland
Islands**

Auckland Island (Auckland Islands Archipelago)
(The main island of the seven islands in the
Auckland Islands Archipelago)

use: **New Zealand, Auckland Islands,**
Auckland Island

for coast use: **PSE, New Zealand, Auckland
Islands, Auckland Island**

AU

(used for African Union)
note: before 2016 search OAU

Auk Field

use: **ANE, North Sea, Auk Field**

Austral Seamount Chain

use: **ISE, Austral Seamounts**

Austral Seamounts

(equal to Austral Seamount Chain)
use: **ISE, Austral Seamounts**

Australasia

use: **Oceania**

Australasia Coasts

use: **Oceania Coasts**

Australia

note: before 1992 Tasmania was indexed separately
note: before 1992 for Northern Terr. search NORTHERN TERRITORY
use of a more specific entry is recommended,

e.g.:

Australia, Australian Capital Territory

no coast

Australia, New South Wales

for coast use: **PSE, Australia, New South Wales**

Australia, Northern Territory

for coast use: **ISEW, Australia, Northern Territory**

Australia, Queensland

for coast use: **ISEW, Australia, Queensland**

Australia, South Australia

for coast use: **ISW, Australia, South Australia**

Australia, Tasmania

for coast use: **PSE, Australia, Tasmania**

Australia, Victoria

for coast use: **PSE, Australia, Victoria**

Australia, Western Australia

for coast use: **ISW, Australia, Western Australia**

for New South Wales + Victoria coasts

use: **PSE, Australia**

for Northern Territory + Queensland coasts

use: **ISEW, Australia**

for South Australia + Western Australia coasts

use: **ISW, Australia**

for the complete coastline of Australia

use: **ISW, Australia + ISEW, Australia + PSE, Australia**

see also:

Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory
Australia, Christmas Island

Australia, Cocos (Keeling) Islands

Australia, Gambier Island

Australia, Lord Howe Island

Australia, Norfolk Island

Australia, Christmas Island

note: before 2016 search AUSTRALIA, CHRISTMAS I.

for coast use: **ISW, Australia, Christmas Island**

Australia, Cocos (Keeling) Islands

note: before 1992 search COCOS (KEELING)

I. Between 1992 and 2011 search

AUSTRALIA, COCOS (KEELING) I.

for coast use: **ISW, Australia, Cocos (Keeling) Islands**

Australia, New South Wales, Lord Howe Island

note: before 1992 search LORD HOWE I.

for coast use: **PSE, Australia, New South Wales, Lord Howe Island**

Australia, Norfolk Island

note: before 1992 search NORFOLK I.

for coast use: **PSE, Australia, Norfolk Island**

Australia, South Australia, Gambier Island

note: before 1992 search GAMBIER I. Between 1992 and 2011 search AUSTRALIA, SOUTH AUSTRALIA, GAMBIER I.

for coast use: **ISW, Australia, South Australia, Gambier Island**

Australian Antarctic Basin

use: **PSE, South Indian Basin**

Australian Antarctic Territory

note: before 1992 search AUSTRALIAN ANTARCTIC TERR. Before 2016 for coast search PS, ANTARCTICA, AUSTRALIAN ANTARCTIC TERR.

use: **Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory**

for coast use: **PSE, Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory**

includes:

Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, Enderby Land

Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, George V Land

Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, Kemp Land

Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, MacRobertson Land

Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, Oates Land

Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory,

Princess Elizabeth Land
Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory,
Queen Mary Land
Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory,
Wilhelm II Land
Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory,
Wilkes Land

see also:

Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory
Antarctica, Dronning Maud Land
Antarctica, French Southern and Antarctic
lands, Adelie Land
Antarctica, Lesser Antarctica
Antarctica, Ross Dependency

Australian Plate

Australian Ecozone

(Zoogeographic entries only)

Austramerica

(Earth history)

Austria

(equal to Autriche, equal to Osterreich)

note: no coastline

Austria, Danube River

see also: Europe, Danube River

Bulgaria, Danube River
Danube Delta
Germany, Danube River
Hungary, Danube River
MED, Black Sea, Danube Delta
MED, Black Sea, Romania, Danube Delta
MED, Black Sea, Ukraine, Danube Delta
Romania, Danube River
Serbia, Danube River
Slovakia, Danube River

Austria, Lake Constance

note: before 1992 search also GERMANY,
FED. REP., CONSTANCE L.

see also:

Europe, Lake Constance
Germany, Baden-Wuerttemberg, Lake
Constance
Switzerland, Lake Constance

Avon (English county)

note: before 2016 search BRITISH ISLES,
ENGLAND, AVON. This county name was
abolished in 1996 and the area split
between the counties of Gloucestershire
and Somerset

Azerbaijan

note: before 1992 search USSR, AZERBAIJAN

for coast use: **Azerbaijan, Caspian Sea**

Azores

includes: **Azores, Corvo**

Azores, Faial

Azores, Flores

Azores, Graciosa

Azores, Pico

Azores, Santa Maria

Azores, Sao Jorge

Azores, Sao Miguel

Azores, Terceira

which may be used as subentries

for coast use: **ANE, Azores**

Azov Sea

use: **MED, Azov Sea**

Bab El Mandeb Strait

use: **ISW, Bab El Mandeb Strait**

Baden-Wuerttemberg

note: before 1992 search GERMANY, FED.
REP., BADEN-WURTTENBURG

use: **Germany, Baden-Wuerttemberg**

Baffin Basin

use: **ANW, Baffin Basin**

Baffin Bay

use: **ANW, Baffin Bay**

for more specific studies use:

ANW, Baffin Bay, Canada

or ANW, Baffin Bay, Greenland

Baffin Current

use: **PNW, Baffin Current**

Baffin Island

note: before 1992 search BAFFIN I. between
1992 and 2011 search CANADA,
NORTHWEST TERR., BAFFIN I.

use: **Canada, Nunavut, Baffin Island**

for Northeast coast use: **ANW, Canada,**

Nunavut, Baffin Island

for Southwest coast use: **PNW, Canada,**

Nunavut, Baffin Island

or both as necessary

Bahama Islands

use: **Bahamas**

Bahamas

use of a subentry is recommended, e.g.:

Bahamas, Andros

Bahamas, Eleuthera

Bahamas, Grand Bahama

Bahamas, Great Abaco

- Bahamas, New Providence**
Bahamas, Paradise Island
Bahamas, San Salvador
for coast use: **ASW, Bahamas**
- Bahia de Campeche
use: **ASW, Mexico, Campeche Bay**
- Bahrain**
for coast use: **ISW, Bahrain**
- Baie de la Seine
note: before 2016 search ANE, SEINE BAY
use: **ANE, France, Haute-Normandie, Seine-Maritime, Seine Bay**
- Baie de Somme
note: before 2016 search ANE, SOMME BAY
use: **ANE, France, Picardie, Somme, Somme Bay**
- Baikal Lake
(equal to Ozero Baykal)
note: before 1992 search USSR, BAIKAL L.
Between 1992 and 2011 search USSR, RUSSIA, BAIKAL L.
use: **Russia, Lake Baikal**
- Baja California
use: **Mexico, Baja California**
for coast use: **ISE, Mexico, Baja California**
- Baker Island (Alaska)
use: **USA, Alaska, Alexander Archipelago, Baker Island**
for coast use: **INE, USA, Alaska, Alexander Archipelago, Baker Island**
- Baker Island (Central Pacific)
(US administered)
use: **USA, Phoenix Islands, Baker Island**
for coast use: **ISE, USA, Phoenix Islands, Baker Island**
see also: Phoenix Islands
- Balaton Lake
note: before 2016 search HUNGARY BALATON L.
use: **Hungary, Lake Balaton**
- Balearic Islands
(equal to Islas Baleares)
note: before 1992 search BALEARIC I.
includes: **Spain, Balearic Islands, Ibiza**
Spain, Balearic Islands, Majorca
Spain, Balearic Islands, Menorca
Spain, Balearic Islands, Formentera
which may be used as subentries
- use: **Spain, Balearic Islands**
for coast use: **MED, Spain, Balearic Islands**
see also: Spain
- Balearic Sea
(equal to Iberian Sea)
use: **MED, Balearic Sea**
- Bali
use: **Indonesia, Lesser Sunda Islands, Bali**
for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia, Lesser Sunda Islands, Bali**
see also: Indonesia
- Bali Sea
use: **ISEW, Bali Sea**
- Balkhash Lake
(equal to Ozero Balkhash)
note: before 1992 search USSR, BALKHASH L. Between 1992 and 2011 search USSR, KAZAKHSTAN, BALKHASH L.
use: **Kazakhstan, Lake Balkhash**
- Balleney Islands
note: before 1992 search USSR, BALLENEY I.
use: **Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Balleney Islands**
for coast use: **PSE, Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Balleney Islands**
- Baltic Proper
note: before 1992 search ANE, BALTIC, BALTIC PROPER.
use: **ANE, Baltic Sea, Baltic Proper**
see also: Baltic Sea
- Baltic Plate**
- Baltic Sea
(equal to Ostsee)
note: before 1992 search ANE, BALTIC
use: **ANE, Baltic Sea**
use of a subentry is recommended, e.g.:
ANE, Baltic Sea, Baltic Proper
ANE, Baltic Sea, Belt Sea
ANE, Baltic Sea, Gulf of Bothnia
ANE, Baltic Sea, Gulf of Bothnia, Bothnian Bay
ANE, Baltic Sea, Gulf of Finland
ANE, Baltic Sea, Gulf of Gdansk
ANE, Baltic Sea, Gulf of Riga
ANE, Baltic Sea, Kiel Bight
ANE, Baltic Sea, Mecklenburg Bight
see also: ANE, Kattegat
ANE, Skagerrak

Baltica

(Earth history)

Banaba

(equal to Ocean Island in Kiribati)

note: before 1992 search BANABA

use: **Kiribati, Banaba**

for coast use: **ISEW, Kiribati, Banaba**

see also: Kiribati

Banda Sea

use: **ISEW, Banda Sea**

Bangalore

use: **India, Karnataka, Bengaluru**

Bangka

use: **Indonesia, Sumatra, Bangka Island**

for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia, Sumatra, Bangka Island**

see also: Indonesia

Bangladesh

(formerly East Bengal, formerly East Pakistan)

for coast use: **ISW, Bangladesh**

see also: Pakistan

Bangladesh, Ganges River

see also: Asia, Ganges River

India, Ganges River

ISW, India, West Bengal, Ganges Delta

Nepal, Ganges River

Banks Island (British Columbia)

use: **Canada, British Columbia, Banks Island**

for coast use: **INE, Canada, British Columbia, Banks Island**

Banks Islands (Vanuatu)

use: **Vanuatu, Banks Islands**

for coast use: **ISEW, Vanuatu, Banks Islands**

see also: Vanuatu

Barbados

(in Windward Islands)

note: before 1992 search BARBADOS.

Between 1992 and 2011 search
WINDWARD I., BARBADOS

for coast use: **ASW, Barbados**

see also: Windward Islands

Barbuda

(in Leeward Islands)

note: before 1992 search BARBUDA. Between
1992 and 2011 search LEEWARD I.,
BARBUDA

use: **Leeward Islands, Antigua and Barbuda,**

Barbuda

for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, Antigua and Barbuda, Barbuda**

see also: **Leeward Islands**

Barents Sea

use: **PNE, Barents Sea**

Baringo Lake

note: before 2016 search KENYA, BARINGO L.

use: **Kenya, Rift Valley, Lake Baringo**

Bass Strait

note: before 1992 search PSE, BASS STRAIT

use: **PSE, Australia, Bass Strait**

Basutoland

use: **Lesotho**

Bauer Deep

use: **ISE, Bauer Deep**

Bavaria

use: **Germany, Bavaria**

Bay of ...

see under name of Bay

Bayern

use: **Germany, Bavaria**

Baykal Lake

note: before 1992 search USSR, BAIKAL L.

Between 1992 and 2011 search USSR,
RUSSIA, BAIKAL L.

use: **Russia, Lake Baikal**

Bear Island (Antarctica)

use: **Antarctica, Bear Island**

for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, Bear Island**

Bear Island (Nunavut, Labrador Sea)

use: **Canada, Nunavut, Labrador Sea, Bear Island**

for coast use: **PNW, Canada, Nunavut, Labrador Sea, Bear Island**

Bear Islands (Nunavut, Hudson Bay)

Note: Bear Islands not Bear Island

use: **Canada, Nunavut, Hudson Bay, Bear Islands**

for coast use: **PNW, Canada, Nunavut, Hudson Bay, Bear Islands**

Beatrice Field

use: **ANE, North Sea, Beatrice Field**

Beaufort Sea
use: **PNW, Beaufort Sea**

Bechuanaland
use: **Botswana**
note: no coastline

Bedford Basin
use: **ANW, Bedford Basin**

Beibu Gulf
(equal to Beibu Wan, equal to Gulf of Tonkin,
equal to Tongking Gulf)
note: before 1992 search ISEW, TONKIN
GULF
use: **ISEW, Beibu Gulf**

Beibu Wan
use: **ISEW, Beibu Gulf**

Belarus
before 2016 search USSR, BYELORUSSIA
note: no coastline

Belau Islands
use: **Palau**

Belgium
for coast use: **ANE, Belgium**

Belgium, Meuse River
see also: Europe, Meuse River
France, Meuse River
Netherlands, Meuse River

Belitung
(equal to Billiton)
use: **Indonesia, Sumatra, Billiton Island**
for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia, Sumatra,
Billiton Island**
see also: Indonesia

Belize
(formerly British Honduras)
for coast use: **ASW, Belize**

Bellingshausen Sea
use: **PSW, Bellingshausen Sea**

Belorussiya SSR
see: **Belarus**

Beloruskaya SSR
see: **Belarus**

Beloye More
use: **PNE, White Sea**

Belt Sea
use: ANE, Baltic Sea, Belt Sea
see also: Baltic Sea

Bengal Bay
note: before 2016 search ISW, BENGAL BAY
use: **ISW, Bay of Bengal**

Bengaluru
note: previously known as Bangalore until
1996. Before 2016 search INDIA,
KARNATAKA, BANGALORE
use: **India, Karnataka, Bengaluru**

Benguela Current
use: **ASE, Benguela Current**
or **PSW, Benguela Current**
or both as necessary

Benguela Upwelling
use: **ASE, Benguela Upwelling**
or **PSW, Benguela Upwelling**
or both as necessary

Benin
(formerly Benin People's Republic, formerly
Republic of Benin, formerly Dahomey)
for coast use: **ASE, Benin**

Benin Bight
use: **ASE, Benin Bight**

Benin People's Republic
use: **Benin**

Bere Island
use: **Eire, Cork, Bere Island**
for coast use: **ANE, Eire, Cork, Bere Island**

Bering Sea
for east of 180|W use: **INE, Bering Sea**
for west of 180|W use: **INW, Bering Sea**
for both, use: **IN, Bering Sea**

Bering Strait
use: **INE, Bering Strait**

Bermuda
note: before 1992 for coast search ASW,
BERMUDA
for coast use: **ANW, Bermuda**

Beryl Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Beryl Field**

Beta Field
use: **INE, USA, California, Beta Field**

Bhutan
note: no coastline
(equal to Chernoye More, equal to Kara Deniz)
use: **MED, Black Sea**

Biafra Gulf
use: **ASE, Bonny Bight**

Bihar
use: **India, Bihar**
note: no coastline

Bikini
note: one of 23 islands on Bikini Atoll
use: **Marshall Islands, Bikini Atoll, Bikini**
for coast use: **ISEW, Marshall Islands, Bikini Atoll, Bikini**
see also: **Marshall Islands**

Bikini Atoll
note: there are 23 islands on Bikini Atoll
use: **Marshall Islands, Bikini Atoll**
for coast use: **ISEW, Marshall Islands, Bikini Atoll**
see also: **Marshall Islands**

Billiton
(equal to Belitung)
use: **Indonesia, Sumatra, Billiton Island**
for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia, Sumatra, Billiton Island**
see also: Indonesia

Bird Island (Seychelles)
use: **Seychelles, Bird Island**
for coast use: **ISW, Seychelles, Bird Island**
see also: Seychelles

Biscay Bay
note: before 2016 search ANE, BISCAY BAY
use: **ANE, Bay of Biscay**

Bismarck Archipelago
(part of Papua New Guinea)
note: before 1992 see Bismarck Archipelago
use: **Papua New Guinea, Bismarck Archipelago**
for coast use: **ISEW, Papua New Guinea, Bismarck Archipelago**
see also: Admiralty Islands
New Britain
New Ireland
Papua New Guinea

Bismarck Plate

Bismarck Sea
use: **ISEW, Bismarck Sea**

Black Sea

Black Sea Plate

Blake Plateau
use: ASW, Blake Plateau

Blue Nile River
use: **Africa, Blue Nile River**
for more specific studies use:
Ethiopia, Blue Nile River
Sudan, Blue Nile River
see also: Africa, Nile River

Bo Hai
use: **INW, Bohai Sea**

Bodensee
use: **Europe, Lake Constance**
for more specific studies use:
Austria, Lake Constance
Germany, Baden-Wuerttemberg, Lake Constance
Switzerland, Lake Constance

Bohai Sea
(equal to Bo Hai, equal to Gulf of Chihli)
note: before 1992 search INW, BO HAI
use: **INW, Bohai Sea**

Bohemia
note: before 2016 search CZECHOSLOVAKIA, BOHEMIA
use: **Czech Republic, Bohemia**
no coastline

Bolivia
note: no coastline

Bolivia, Lake Titicaca
note: before 2016 search BOLIVIA, TITICACA L.
see also: South America, Lake Titicaca

Bombay
use: **India, Maharashtra, Mumbai**

Bombay High Field
use: **ISW, India, Maharashtra, Bombay High Field**

Bonaire
(in Lesser Antilles)
note: before 1992 search BONAIRE
use: **Lesser Antilles, Bonaire**
for coast use: **ASW, Lesser Antilles, Bonaire**
see also: Lesser Antilles
Netherlands Antilles

Bonifacio Strait
 note: before 2016 search MED, BONIFACIO STRAIT
 use: **MED, Strait of Bonifacio**

Bonin Islands
 (equal to Ogasawara-Gunto)
 note: before 1992 search BONIN I.
 use: **Japan, Bonin Islands**
 for coast use: **ISEW, Japan, Bonin Islands**
 see also: Japan

Bophuthatswana
 note: before 2016 search SOUTH AFRICA, BOPHUTHATSWANA
 now split into:
South Africa, Mpumalanga
South Africa, North West

Borneo
 part of Greater Sunda Islands; part in Indonesia (Kalimantan); part in Malaysia; and includes the country of Brunei)
 for coast use: **ISEW, Borneo**
 see also:
 Greater Sunda Islands
 Indonesia

Bornholm
 note: before 1992 search BORNHOLM
 use: **Denmark, Bornholm**
 for coast use: **ANE, Denmark, Bornholm**
 see also: Denmark

Bosnia
 use: **Bosnia and Herzegovina**
 for coast use: **MED, Bosnia and Herzegovina**

Bosnia and Herzegovina
 note: before 2016 search YUGOSLAVIA, BOSNIA
 for coast use: **MED, Bosnia and Herzegovina**

Bosphorus
 use: **MED, Bosphorus**

Bothnia Gulf
 (equal to Bothnian Sea)
 note: before 2016 search ANE, BALTIC, BOTHNIA GULF
 use: **ANE, Baltic Sea, Gulf of Bothnia**
 see also: Baltic Sea
 Bothnian Bay

Bothnian Bay
 note: before 2016 search ANE, BALTIC, BOTHNIA GULF, BOTHNIAN BAY

use: **ANE, Baltic Sea, Gulf of Bothnia, Bothnian Bay**
 see also: Baltic Sea

Bothnian Sea
 use: **ANE, Baltic Sea, Gulf of Bothnia**

Botswana
 (formerly Bechuanaland)
 note: no coastline

Bounty Island (Fiji)
 use: **Fiji, Mamanuca Islands, Kadavulailai**
 for coast use: **ISEW, Fiji, Mamanuca Islands, Kadavulailai**

Bounty Islands (New Zealand)
 note: before 1992 search BOUNTY I. Between 1992 and 2011 search NEW ZEALAND, BOUNTY I.
 use: **New Zealand, Bounty Islands**
 for coast use: **PSE, New Zealand, Bounty Islands**
 see also: New Zealand

Bouvet Island
 for coast use: **PSW, Bouvet Island**

Brae Field
 use: **ANE, North Sea, Brae Field**

Bransfield Strait
 use: **PSW, Bransfield Strait**

Brazil
 for coast use: **ASW, Brazil**

STATES	CODE
Brazil, Acre	no coast
Brazil, Alagoas	ASW
Brazil, Amapa	ASW
Brazil, Amazonas	no coast
Brazil, Bahia	ASW
Brazil, Ceara	ASW
Brazil, Distrito Federal	no coast
Brazil, Espirito Santo	ASW
Brazil, Goias	no coast
Brazil, Maranhao	ASW
Brazil, Mato Grosso	no coast
Brazil, Mato Grosso do Sul	no coast
Brazil, Minas Gerais	no coast
Brazil, Para	ASW
Brazil, Paraiba	ASW
Brazil, Parana	ASW
Brazil, Pernambuco	ASW
Brazil, Piaui	ASW
Brazil, Rio de Janeiro	ASW
Brazil, Rio Grande do Norte	ASW
Brazil, Rio Grande do Sul	ASW

Brazil, Rondonia no coast
Brazil, Roraima no coast
Brazil, Santa Catarina ASW
Brazil, Sao Paulo ASW
Brazil, Sergipe ASW
Brazil, Tocantins no coast
 see also: Trindade

Brazil, Amazon River
 see also:
 ASW, Brazil, Amazon Delta
 Peru, Amazon River
 South America, Amazon River

Brazil Basin
 use: **ASW, Brazil Basin**

Brazil Current
 use: **ASW, Brazil Current**

Brent Field
 use: **ANE, North Sea, Brent Field**

Brest Roadsted
 note: before 1992 search ANE, FRANCE,
 BREST ROADSTED. Between 1992 and
 2011 search ANE, BREST ROADSTED
 use: **ANE, France, Brittany, Brest Roadsted**

Bristol Bay
 note: before 2016 search INE, BRISTOL BAY
 use: **INE, USA, Alaska, Bristol Bay**

Bristol Channel
 use: **ANE, UK, Bristol Channel**

British Antarctic Territory
 note: before 2016 search BRITISH
 ANTARCTIC TERR.
 use: **Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory**
 for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, British
 Antarctic Territory**

includes:
**Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory,
 Coats Land**
**Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory,
 Graham Land**
**Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory,
 Palmer Land**
**Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory,
 Palmer Land, Alexander Island**
**Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory,
 South Orkney Islands**
**Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory,
 South Shetland Islands**
 which may be used as subentries
 see also: Antarctica
 Australian Antarctic Territory

Dronning Maud Land
 French Austral and Antarctic Territory
 Lesser Antarctica
 Ross Dependency

British Commonwealth
 see: **Commonwealth of Nations**

British Guiana
 use: **Guyana**

British Honduras
 use: **Belize**

British Indian Ocean Territory
 use: **Chagos Archipelago**

British Isles
 note: before 2016 used for the UK. From 2011
 only used for studies dealing with the
 whole archipelago – i.e. UK, Eire, Isle of
 Man, Channel Islands, and all the other
 999 small islands around the shores
 for coast use: **ANE, British Isles**

British North Borneo
 use: **Malaysia, Sabah**

British Overseas Territories
 (equals British-Dependent Territory)
 for more specific studies use:
Leeward Islands, Anguilla
Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory
Bermuda
Cayman Islands
Falkland Islands
Gibraltar
Leeward Islands, Montserrat
Pitcairn Islands
**South Georgia and the South Sandwich
 Islands**
Saint Helena
Turks and Caicos Islands

British Solomon Islands
 use: **Solomon Islands**

British Virgin Islands
 (in Leeward Islands)
 note: before 1992 search BRITISH VIRGIN I.
 use: **Leeward Islands, British Virgin Islands**
 for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, British
 Virgin Islands**
 see also: Leeward Islands

Browns Bank
 use: **ANW, Scotian Shelf, Browns Bank**

Brunei

for coast use: **ISEW, Brunei**

Buccaneer Field

use: **ASW, Gulf of Mexico, Buccaneer Field**

Buchan Field

use: **ANE, North Sea, Buchan Field**

Bulgaria

note: before 2016 for coast search MED,
BULGARIA

for coast use: **MED, Black Sea, Bulgaria**

PROVINCES	CODE
Bulgaria, Blagoevgrad	no coast
Bulgaria, Burgas	MED, Black Sea
Bulgaria, Dobrich	MED, Black Sea
Bulgaria, Gabrovo	no coast
Bulgaria, Haskovo	no coast
Bulgaria, Kardzhali	no coast
Bulgaria, Kyustendil	no coast
Bulgaria, Lovech	no coast
Bulgaria, Montana	no coast
Bulgaria, Pazardzhik	no coast
Bulgaria, Pernik	no coast
Bulgaria, Pleven	no coast
Bulgaria, Plovdiv	no coast
Bulgaria, Razgrad	no coast
Bulgaria, Rousse	no coast
Bulgaria, Shumen	no coast
Bulgaria, Silistra	no coast
Bulgaria, Sliven	no coast
Bulgaria, Smolyan	no coast
Bulgaria, Sofia	no coast
Bulgaria, Stara Zagora	no coast
Bulgaria, Targovishte	no coast
Bulgaria, Varna	MED, Black Sea
Bulgaria, Veliko Tarnovo	no coast
Bulgaria, Vidin	no coast
Bulgaria, Vratsa	no coast
Bulgaria, Yambo	no coast

Bulgaria, Danube River

see also: Europe, Danube River

Austria, Danube River

Danube Delta

Germany, Danube River

Hungary, Danube River

MED, Black Sea, Danube Delta

MED, Black Sea, Romania, Danube Delta

MED, Black Sea, Ukraine, Danube Delta

Romania, Danube River

Serbia, Danube River

Slovakia, Danube River

Bundesrepublik Deutschland

use: **Germany**

Burkina Faso

(formerly Upper Volta, equal to Haute Volta)

note: before 1987 search UPPER VOLTA

note: no coastline

Burma

note: before 1992 search BURMA

use: **Myanmar**

for coast use: **ISW, Myanmar**

Buru

note: before 1992 search MOLUCCAS, BURU

use: **Indonesia, Moluccas, Buru**

for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia, Moluccas, Buru**

see also: Moluccas

Burundi

note: no coastline

Burundi, Lake Tanganyika

see also: Africa, Lake Tanganyika

Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake
Tanganyika

Tanzania, Lake Tanganyika

Zambia, Lake Tanganyika

Byelorussia

before 2016 search USSR, BYELORUSSIA

use: **Belarus**

note: no coastline

Byrd Land

use: **Antarctica, Lesser Antarctica, Marie**

Byrd Land

Cabot Strait

use: **ANW, Cabot Strait**

CACM

used for: Central American Common Market

Cadiz Gulf

note: before 2016 search ANE, CADIZ GULF

use: **ANE, Gulf of Cadiz**

Caicos Islands

(part of Turks and Caicos Islands)

note: before 2016 search CAICOS I.

use: **Turks and Caicos Islands, Caicos Islands**

for coast use: **ASW, Turks and Caicos Islands, Caicos Islands**

see also: Turks Islands

Calcutta

note: before 2016 search INDIA, WEST

BENGAL, CALCUTTA
use: **India, West Bengal, Kolkata**

California Countercurrent
see: California Undercurrent

California Current
use: **IE, California Current**
for more specific studies use:
INE, California Current
or **ISE, California Current**

California Gulf
(equal to Cortez Sea)
note: before 2016 search ISE, CALIFORNIA
GULF
use: **ISE, Mexico, Gulf of California**

California Undercurrent
(used for California Countercurrent)
use: **IE, California Undercurrent**
for more specific studies use: **INE, California
Undercurrent**
or **ISE, California Undercurrent**

Cambay Gulf
use: **ISW, India, Gujarat, Gulf of Khambhat**

Cambodia
(equal to Cambodge, equal to Democratic
Kampuchea, equal to Kampuchea
equal to Khmer Republic)
note: before 1992 search DEMOCRATIC
KAMPUCHEA
for coast use: **ISEW, Cambodia**

Cambodia, Mekong River
note: before 1992 search DEMOCRATIC
KAMPUCHEA, MEKONG R. Between
1992 and 2011 search CAMBODIA,
MEKONG RIVER

see also: Asia, Mekong River
Cambodia, Mekong River
China, People's Republic, Mekong River
Lao, Mekong River
ISEW, Viet Nam, Mekong River Delta
Region, Mekong Delta
Myanmar, Mekong River
Thailand, Mekong River
Viet Nam, Mekong River

Cameroon
note: before 1992 search CAMEROON
(UNITED REP.)
(equal to West Cameroon)
for coast use: **ASE, Cameroon**

Cameroon, Lake Chad

see also: Africa, Lake Chad
Chad, Lake Chad
Niger, Lake Chad
Nigeria, Lake Chad

Campbell Island (British Columbia)
use: **Canada, British Columbia, Campbell
Island**
for coast use: **INE, Canada, British Columbia,
Campbell Island**

Campbell Island (New Zealand)
note: before 1992 search CAMPBELL I.
use: **New Zealand, Campbell Island**
for coast use: **PSE, New Zealand, Campbell
Island**
see also: New Zealand, Campbell Island Group

Campbell Island Group
use: **New Zealand, Campbell Island Group**
for coast use: **PSE, New Zealand, Campbell
Island Group**

Campbell Islands
use: **New Zealand, Campbell Island Group**
for coast use: **PSE, New Zealand, Campbell
Island Group**

Campbell Plateau
use: **PSE, New Zealand, Campbell Plateau**

Campeche "Bahia" Bay
see Campeche Bay

Campeche Bank
use: **ASW, Campeche Bank**

Campeche Bay
note: before 2016 search ASW, CAMPECHE
BAHIA.
use: **ASW, Mexico, Campeche Bay**

Campeche Field
use: **ASW, Gulf of Mexico, Campeche Field**

Canada
note: Before 2016 for Canada, Newfoundland
and Labrador search CANADA, LABRADOR and
CANADA, NEWFOUNDLAND. For Canada,
Yukon search CANADA, YUKON TERR.
use of a subentry is recommended, e.g.:
Canada, Alberta
for coast use: no coastline
Canada, British Columbia
for coast use: **INE, Canada, British Columbia**
Canada, Manitoba
for coast use: **PNW, Canada, Manitoba,
Hudson Bay**

Canada, New Brunswick

for coast use: **ANW, Canada, New Brunswick**

Canada, Newfoundland and Labrador

for coast use: **ANW, Canada, Newfoundland and Labrador**

Canada, Northwest Territories

for coast use: **PNW, Canada, Northwest Territories**

Canada, Nova Scotia

for coast use: **ANW, Canada, Nova Scotia**

Canada, Nunavut

for coast use: **PNW, Canada, Nunavut**

Canada, Ontario

for coast use: **PNW, Canada, Ontario**

Canada, Prince Edward Island

for coast use: **ANW, Canada, Prince Edward Island**

Canada, Quebec

for coast use: **ANW, Canada, Quebec**
or **PNW, Canada, Quebec, Hudson Bay**

Canada, Saskatchewan

for coast use: no coastline

Canada, Yukon

for coast use: **PNW, Canada, Yukon**

for other coastal areas use:

PNW, Canada (for Northwest Territories + Yukon)

ANW, Canada (two or more of bordering East coast regions)

Canada Coasts (for PNW + INE + ANW)

see also: Canada Coasts

Canada, East Coast

Canada, Maritime Provinces

Canada, Prairie Provinces

Canada, Queen Elizabeth Islands

Canada, West Coast

Canadian Arctic Archipelago

Ellesmere Island

Prince Edward Island

Queen Charlotte Island

Canada Basin

(equal to Laurentian Basin)

use: **PNW, Canada Basin**

Canada Coasts

used for: PNW + INE + ANW coasts

Canada, East Coast

use: **ANW, Canada**

Canada, Lake Erie

use: **Canada, Ontario, Lake Eire**

Canada, Lake Huron

use: **Canada, Ontario, Lake Huron**

Canada, Lake Ontario

use: **Canada, Ontario, Lake Ontario**

Canada, Lake Saint Clair

use: **Canada, Ontario, Lake Saint Clair**

note: before 2016 search CANADA, ST. CLAIR L.

see also: North America, Lake Saint Clair

Canada, Lake Superior

use: **Canada, Ontario, Lake Superior**

Canada, Maritime Provinces

note: Consists of three provinces: New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and Prince Edward Island. Before 1992 search ANW, CANADA, MARITIME PROV.

for coast use: **ANW, Canada, Maritime Provinces**

Canada, Ontario, Lake Eire

note: before 2016 search CANADA, EIRE L.

see also: North America, Lake Erie

Canada, Ontario, Lake Huron

note: before 2016 search CANADA, HURON L

see also: North America, Lake Huron

Canada, Ontario, Lake Ontario

note: before 2016 search CANADA, ONTARIO L

see also: North America, Lake Ontario

Canada, Ontario, Lake Superior

note: before 2016 search CANADA, SUPERIOR L.

see also: North America, Lake Superior

Canada, Prairie Provinces

note: between 1992 and 2011 search CANADA, PRAIRIE PROV.

for coast use: **PNW, Canada, Manitoba, Hudson Bay**

Canada, Queen Elizabeth Islands

note: Before 2016 search CANADA ELIZABETH I.

for coast use: **PNW, Canada, Queen Elizabeth Islands**

Canada, Saint Lawrence River

note: before 2016 search CANADA, ST. LAWRENCE R.

see also: North America, Saint Lawrence River USA, Saint Lawrence River

Canada, Saint Lawrence Seaway

note: before 2016 search CANADA, ST. LAWRENCE SEAWAY

- Canada, West Coast
use: **INE, Canada**
- Canadian Arctic
use: **PNW, Canadian Arctic Archipelago**
- Canadian Arctic Archipelago
(equal to Canadian Arctic, Canadian Arctic Islands, equal to Canadian High Arctic)
use: **PNW, Canada, Arctic Archipelago**
- Canadian Arctic Islands
use: **PNW, Canadian Arctic Archipelago**
- Canadian High Arctic
use: **PNW, Canadian Arctic Archipelago**
- Canary Countercurrent
use: **ASE, Canary Countercurrent**
- Canary Current
use: **ASE, Canary Current**
- Canary Islands
use: **Spain, Canary Islands**
for coast use: **ASE, Spain, Canary Islands**
includes:
Spain, Canary Islands, Fuerteventura
Spain, Canary Islands, Gomera
Spain, Canary Islands, Grand Canary
Spain, Canary Islands, Hierro
Spain, Canary Islands, La Palma
Spain, Canary Islands, Lanzarote
Spain, Canary Islands, Tenerife
which may be used as subentries
- Canary Upwelling
use: **ASE, Canary Upwelling**
- Canterbury Current
use: **PSE, Canterbury Current**
- Canton Island
(equal to Kanton Island)
note: before 1992 search PHOENIX I.,
CANTON I.
use: **Kiribati, Phoenix Islands, Canton Island**
for coast use: **ISE, Kiribati, Phoenix Islands,**
Canton Island
see also: Kiribati
- Cape Basin
(equal to Walvis Basin)
use: **PSW, Cape Basin**
- Cape Cod Bay
note: before 1992 search ANW, CAPE COD
BAY
- use: **ANW, USA, Massachusetts, Cape Cod Bay**
- Cape of Good Hope Province
see: Cape Province
- Cape Province
note: before 2016 search SOUTH AFRICA,
CAPE PROV.
now split into:
South Africa, Eastern Cape
South Africa, Northern Cape
South Africa, Western Cape
- Cape Verde Basin
use: **AS, Cape Verde Basin**
for more specific studies use:
ASE, Cape Verde Basin
or **ASW, Cape Verde Basin**
- Cape Verde**
note: before 2016 search CAPE VERDE I.
for coast use: **ASE, Cape Verde**
- Cape Verde Islands
use: **Cape Verde**
- Caribbean Community and Common Market
use: **CARICOM**
- Caribbean Current
use: **ASW, Caribbean Current**
- Caribbean Islands**
use of a more specific entry is recommended
for coast use: **ASW, Caribbean Islands**
- Caribbean Plate**
- Caribbean Region**
(equal to countries bordering the Caribbean
Sea)
- Caribbean Sea
(equal to American Mediterranean)
use: **ASW, Caribbean Sea**
- CARICOM**
has members:
Antigua and Barbuda
Bahamas
Barbados
Belize
Greater Antilles, Jamaica
Guyana
Haiti
Leeward Islands, Montserrat
Leeward Islands, Saint Kitts and Nevis

Suriname
Windward Islands, Dominica
Windward Islands, Grenada
Windward Islands, Saint Lucia
Windward Islands, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
Windward Islands, Trinidad and Tobago
used for: Caribbean Community and Common Market

Carlsberg Ridge
use: **ISW, Carlsberg Ridge**

Carnegie Ridge
use: **ISE, Carnegie Ridge**

Caroline Island (Kiribati)
(island in Line Islands)
use: **Kiribati, Line Islands, Caroline Island**
for coast use: **ISE, Kiribati, Line Islands, Caroline Island**

Caroline Islands
for coast use: **ISEW, Caroline Islands**
includes:
Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Chuuk
Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Kosrae
Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Pohnpei
Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Yap
Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Yap, Ifalik Atoll
Caroline Islands, Palau
see also: Micronesia
Palau Islands

Caroline-Solomon Ridge
use: **ISEW, Kapingamarangi Rise**

CARPAS Fishing Area
use: **ASW + PSW, America**

Carpentaria Gulf
note: before 1992 search ISEW,
CARPENTARIA GULF Between 1992 and
2011 search ISEW, AUSTRALIA,
CARPENTARIA GULF
use: **ISEW, Australia, Gulf of Carpentaria**

Carpenters Ridge
use: **ISW, Ninety East Ridge**

Carriacou Island
(in Windward Islands)
note: before 1992 search CARRIACOU I.

use: **Windward Islands, Grenada, Carriacou Island**
for coast use: **ASW, Windward Islands, Grenada, Carriacou Island**
see also: Grenada

Casablanca Field
use: **ANE, Spain, Casablanca Field**

Caspian Sea
note: before 1992 search USSR, CASPIAN SEA
use: **Eurasia, Caspian Sea**
for more detailed studies use:
Caspian Sea, Azerbaijan
or **Caspian Sea, Iran**
or **Caspian Sea, Kazakhstan**
or **Caspian Sea, Russia**
or **Caspian Sea, Turkmenistan**
or as many as necessary

Castellon Field
use: **MED, Spain, Castellon Field**

Catalan Sea
use: **MED, Catalan Sea**

Cayman Islands
(is a British Overseas Territory)
for coast use: **ASW, Cayman Islands**
includes:
Cayman Islands, Cayman Brac
Cayman Islands, Grand Cayman
Cayman Islands, Little Cayman
which may be used as subentries

Cayman Trench
use: **ASW, Cayman Trench**

CECAF Fishing Area
use: **ASE**

Celebes
(equal to Sulawesi; in Indonesia; part of Greater Sunda Islands)
note: before 1992 search CELEBES
use: **Indonesia, Sulawesi**
for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia, Sulawesi**
see also: Greater Sunda Islands
Indonesia

Celebes Sea
use: **ISEW, Celebes Sea**

Celtic Sea
use: **ANE, Celtic Sea**

Central African Empire
use: **Central African Republic**

Central African Republic
(formerly Oubangui Chari; Central African Empire)
note: no coastline
note: between 1992 and 2011 search
CENTRAL AFRICAN REP.

Central America
(the isthmus joining North and South America)
use of a more specific entry is recommended

Central America Coasts
use of a more specific entry is recommended

Central American Common Market
use: **CACM**

Central Atlantic
use: **ASE, Central Atlantic**
or **ASW, Central Atlantic**
for both use: **AS, Central Atlantic**
see also: Atlantic Ocean

Central Indian Ocean
use: **ISW, Central Indian Ocean**
see also: Indian Ocean

Central Indian Ocean Basin
(equal to CIOB)
use: **ISW, Central Indian Ocean Basin**

Central Pacific
use: **IN, Central Pacific**
or **IS, Central Pacific**
for both use: **I, Central Pacific**
for more specific studies use:
INE, Central Pacific
INW, Central Pacific
ISE, Central Pacific
ISEW, Central Pacific
see also: Pacific Ocean

Ceram
use: **Indonesia, Moluccas, Seram**

Ceram Sea
see: **ISEW, Seram Sea**

Ceylon
use: **Sri Lanka**

Chad
(equal to Tchad)
note: no coastline

Chad Lake
use: **Africa, Lake Chad**
for more specific studies use:
Cameroon, Lake Chad
Chad, Lake Chad
Niger, Lake Chad
Nigeria, Lake Chad

Chad, Lake Chad
note: before 2016 search CHAD, CHAD L.
see also: Africa, Lake Chad
Cameroon, Lake Chad
Niger, Lake Chad
Nigeria, Lake Chad

Chagos Archipelago
note: before 1992 search CHAGOS
ARCHIPELAGO. Between 1992 and 2011
search BRITISH INDIAN OCEAN TERR.,
CHAGOS ARCHIPELAGO
for coast use: **ISW, Chagos Archipelago**
includes: Chagos Archipelago, Diego Garcia
Chagos Archipelago, Peros Banhos
Chagos Archipelago, Salomon Chagos
used for: British Indian Ocean Territory

Challenger Deep
use: **ISEW, Mariana Trench**

Chandigarh
use: **India, Chandigarh**
note: no coastline

Changjiang River
(equal to Yangtze River)
note: before 2016 search CHINA, PEOPLE'S
REP., CHANGJIANG R.
use: **China, People's Republic, Changjiang
River**

Channel Islands
note: before 2016 only included Alderney,
Herm, Jethou and Sark. Before 2016
separate searches required for Guernsey
and Jersey
for coast use: **ANE, Channel Islands**
includes:
Channel Islands, Alderney ANE
Channel Islands, Guernsey ANE
Channel Islands, Herm ANE
Channel Islands, Jersey ANE
Channel Islands, Jethou ANE
Channel Islands, Sark ANE

Chatham Islands
note: before 1992 search CHATHAM I.
Between 1992 and 2011 search NEW
ZEALAND, CHATHAM I.

use: **New Zealand, Chatham Islands**
includes: **New Zealand, Chatham Islands, Pitt Island**

for coast use: **PSW, New Zealand, Chatham Islands**

see also: New Zealand

Chesapeake Bay

note: before 2016 search ANW, CHESAPEAKE BAY

use: **ANW, USA, Chesapeake Bay**

for more specific studies use:

ANW, USA, Maryland, Chesapeake Bay

ANW, USA, Virginia, Chesapeake Bay

Chesterfield Islands

Use: **New Caledonia Chesterfield Islands**

for coast use: **ISEW, New Caledonia Chesterfield Islands**

Chhattisgarh

use: **India, Chhattisgarh**

note: no coastline

Chihli Gulf

use: **INW, Bohai Sea**

Chile

for coast use: **ISE, Chile** (north of 28|S)

or **PSW, Chile** (south of 28|S)

or both as necessary

REGIONS	CODE
Chile, Aisen	PSW
Chile, Antofagasta	ISE
Chile, Araucania	PSW
Chile, Arica and Parinacota	ISE
Chile, Atacama	ISE
Chile, Biobio	PSW
Chile, Coquimbo	PSW
Chile, Los Lagos	PSW
Chile, Los Rios	PSW
Chile, Magallanes-Antartica	PSW
Chile, Maule	PSW
Chile, O'Higgins	PSW
Chile, Santiago	PSW
Chile, Tarapaca	ISE
Chile, Valparaiso	PSW

see also: Chile, Desventurados Islands

Chile, Easter Island

Chile, Juan Fernandez Islands

Patagonia

Chile Rise

use: **PSW, Chile Rise**

Chilwa Lake

note: before 2016 search AFRICA, CHILWA L.

use: **Africa, Lake Chilwa**

for more specific studies use:

Malawi, Lake Chilwa

Mozambique, Lake Chilwa

China

see: **China, People's Republic** (equal to mainland China, Hong Kong and Macau)

China, Republic (equal to Formosa, equal to Taiwan, Penghu, Kinmen, and Matsu)

China Sea

use: **ISEW China Sea**

for more detailed studies use:

ISEW, Donghai Sea

ISEW, South China Sea

see also: Huanghai Sea

China, People's Republic

(equal to Mainland China, Hong Kong and Macao)

note: before 1992 see also China, People's Rep., Inner Mongolia and China, People's Rep., Tibet. Between 1992 and 2011 search separately for Hong Kong and Macao

use of a more specific entry is recommended, e.g.: China, People's Republic, Shandong Province

for coast: enter first the code, then China, People's Republic, then the Province name if possible, e.g.: INW, China, People's Republic, Shandong Province

PROVINCE/ADMINISTRATIVE REGION

China, People's Republic, Anhui Province

no coast

China, People's Republic, Beijing Municipality

no coast

China, People's Republic, Chongqing

Municipality no coast

China, People's Republic, Fujian Province

ISEW

China, People's Republic, Gansu Province

no coast

China, People's Republic, Guangdong

Province ISEW

China, People's Republic, Guangxi Zhuang

Autonomous Region ISEW

China, People's Republic, Guizhou Province

no coast

China, People's Republic, Hainan Province

ISEW

China, People's Republic, Hebei Province

INW

China, People's Republic, Heilongjiang

Province no coast

China, People's Republic, Henan Province

no coast

China, People's Republic, Hong Kong Special Administrative Region ISEW
China, People's Republic, Hubei Province
no coast
China, People's Republic, Hunan Province
no coast
China, People's Republic, Inner Mongolia Autonomous Region no coast
China, People's Republic, Jiangsu Province INW
China, People's Republic, Jiangxi Province
no coast
China, People's Republic, Jilin Province
no coast
China, People's Republic, Liaoning Province INW
China, People's Republic, Macao Special Administrative Region ISEW
China, People's Republic, Ningxia Hui Autonomous Region no coast
China, People's Republic, Qinghai Province
no coast
China, People's Republic, Shaanxi Province
no coast
China, People's Republic, Shandong Province INW
China, People's Republic, Shanghai Municipality INW
China, People's Republic, Shanxi Province
no coast
China, People's Republic, Sichuan Province
no coast
China, People's Republic, Tianjin Municipality INW
China, People's Republic, Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region no coast
China, People's Republic, Xizang Autonomous Region (equal to Tibet) no coast
China, People's Republic, Yunnan Province
no coast
China, People's Republic, Zhejiang Province ISEW

for southern coasts use: **ISEW, China, People's Republic** (south of 30|N (Shanghai))

for northern coasts use: **INW, China, People's Republic** (north of 30|N (Shanghai))

or both as necessary
see also: **Taiwan**
Xisha Islands

China, People's Republic, Mekong River
see also: Asia, Mekong River
Cambodia, Mekong River
ISEW, Viet Nam, Mekong River Delta
Region, Mekong Delta

Lao, Mekong River
Myanmar, Mekong River
Thailand, Mekong River
Viet Nam, Mekong River

China, People's Republic, Taiwan Province
see: **Taiwan**

China, Republic
(equal to China, People's Republic, Taiwan Province, equal to Formosa, equal to Taiwan)
see: **Taiwan**

Christmas Island (Australia)
(island in Indian Ocean)
use: **Australia, Christmas Island**
for coast use: **ISW, Australia, Christmas Island**
see also: Australia

Christmas Island (Kiribati)
(equal to Kiritimati in Pacific Ocean)
note: before 1992 search LINE I., CHRISTMAS I.
use: **Kiribati, Line Islands, Christmas Island**
for coast use: **ISE, Kiribati, Line Islands, Christmas Island**
see also: Kiribati

Chuckchee Sea
(equal to Chuckchi Sea, equal to Chukchi Sea)
note: east of 169|W use: **PNW, Chuckchee Sea**
note: west of 169|W use: **PNE, Chuckchee Sea**
for both use: **PN, Chuckchee Sea**

Chuckchi Sea
see: **Chuckchee Sea**

Chukchi Sea
see: **Chuckchee Sea**

Chuuk
use: **Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Chuuk**
for coast use: **ISEW, Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Chuuk**

CIFA Fishing Area
(FAO Fishing Area 01)
use: **Africa Inland Waters**
use of a more specific entry is recommended

CIOB
use: **ISW, Central Indian Ocean Basin**

Clarion Fracture Zone
 use: **ISE, Clarion Fracture Zone**

Claymore Field
 use: **ANE, North Sea, Claymore Field**

Cleveland (English county)
 note: County abolished in 1996 and area taken back under North Yorkshire. Before 2016 search BRITISH ISLES, ENGLAND, CLEVELAND

Clipperton Fracture Zone
 use: **ISE, Clipperton Fracture Zone**

Clyde Firth
 use: **ANE, UK, Scotland, Clyde Sea**

Clyde Sea
 (equal to Clyde Firth and Firth of Clyde)
 note: before 1992 search ANE, CLYDE SEA. Between 1992 and 2011 search ANE, BRITISH ISLES, SCOTLAND, STRATHCLYDE and ANE, CLYDE SEA
 use: **ANE, UK, Scotland, Clyde Sea**

Coats Land
 note: before 1992 search BRITISH ANTARCTIC TERR., COATS LAND
 use: **Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory, Coats Land**
 for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory, Coats Land**

Cobb Seamount
 use: **INE, Cobb Seamount**

Cocos (Keeling) Islands
 note: before 1992 search COCOS (KEELING) I.
 use: **Australia, Cocos (Keeling) Islands**
 for coast use: **ISW, Australia, Cocos (Keeling) Islands**

Cocos Plate

Cocos Ridge
 use: **ISE, Cocos Ridge**

Cognac Field
 use: **ASW, Gulf of Mexico, Cognac Field**

Colombia

Use of a more specific entry is recommended,

DEPARTMENT	CODE
Colombia, Amazonas	no coast
Colombia, Antioquia	ASW
Colombia, Arauca	no coast
Colombia, Atlantico	ASW

Colombia, Bolívar	ASW
Colombia, Boyaca	no coast
Colombia, Caldas	no coast
Colombia, Caqueta	no coast
Colombia, Casanare	no coast
Colombia, Cauca	ISE
Colombia, Cesar	no coast
Colombia, Choco	ISE
Colombia, Cordoba	ASW
Colombia, Cundinamarca	no coast
Colombia, Guainía	no coast
Colombia, Guaviare	no coast
Colombia, Huila	no coast
Colombia, La Guajira	ASW
Colombia, Magdalena	ASW
Colombia, Meta	no coast
Colombia, Nariño	ISE
Colombia, North Santander	no coast
Colombia, Putumayo	no coast
Colombia, Quindío	no coast
Colombia, Risaralda	no coast
Colombia, San Andres, Providencia and Santa Catalina	no coast
Colombia, Santander	no coast
Colombia, Sucre	ASW
Colombia, Tolima	no coast
Colombia, Valle del Cauca	ISE
Colombia, Vaupes	no coast
Colombia, Vichada	no coast
Colombia, Capital District	no coast

for east (Atlantic) coast use:
ASW, Colombia

for west (Pacific) coast use:
ISE, Colombia
 or both as necessary

Colon Archipelago
 use: **Ecuador, Galapagos**
 for coast use: **ISE, Ecuador, Galapagos**

Commander Islands (Russia)
 (equal to Commodore Islands, equal to Komandorskiye Ostrova)
 note: before 1992 search COMMODORE I. Between 1992 and 2011 search USSR, RUSSIA, COMMODORE I.
 use: **Russia, Far Eastern, Kamchatka, Commander Islands**
 for coast use: **INW, Russia, Far Eastern, Kamchatka, Commander Islands**
 see also: Russia

Commodore Island (Nunavut, Canada)
 use: **Canada, Nunavut, Commodore Island**
 for coast use: **PNW, Canada, Nunavut, Commodore Island**

Comodore Islands (Russia)
use: **Russia, Far Eastern, Kamchatka, Commander Islands**
for coast use: **INW, Russia, Far Eastern, Kamchatka, Commander Islands**

Comoro Islands
(equal to Archipel des Comores)
note: Politically, the islands are now divided into two entities - **Comoros**, a sovereign state and **Mayotte**, an overseas collectivity of France. See separate entries for these entities
for coast use: **ISW, Comoro Islands**

Comoros
note: before 2016 search COMORO I.
for coast use: **ISW, Comoros**
regions:
Comoros, Mwali
Comoros, Ngazidja
Comoros, Nzwani

Congo (Brazzaville)
use: **Republic of the Congo**

Congo (Kinshasha)
use: **Democratic Republic of the Congo**

Congo River
use: **Africa, Congo River**
for more specific studies use:
Democratic Republic of the Congo, Congo River
Republic of the Congo, Congo River

Congo, Democratic Republic
use: **Democratic Republic of the Congo**

Congo, People's Republic
(formerly Congo (Brazzaville))
note: before 2016 search CONGO, PEOPLE'S REP.
use: **Republic of the Congo**
for coast use: **ASE, Republic of the Congo**

Constance Lake
note: before 1992 search also GERMANY, FED. REP., CONSTANCE L.
use: **Europe, Lake Constance**
for more specific studies use:
Austria, Lake Constance
Germany, Baden-Wuerttemberg, Lake Constance
Switzerland, Lake Constance

Cook Islands (South Pacific)
(equal to Hervey Islands; part of Associated

States of New Zealand)
note: Before 1992 search COOK I. Between 1992 and 2011 search NEW ZEALAND ISLAND TERR., COOK I.
use: **Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands**
for coast use: **ISE, Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands**
includes:
Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands, Aitutaki
Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands, Atiu
Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands, Manuae
Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands, Palmerston Island
etc
see also:
New Zealand Island Territories
Tokelau Islands

Cook Island (South Sandwich Islands)
use: **South Sandwich Islands, Cook Island**
for coast use: **PSW, South Sandwich Islands, Cook Island**

Cook Strait
note: before 1992 search PSE, COOK STRAIT
use: **PSE, New Zealand, Cook Strait**

Coral Sea
use: **ISEW, Coral Sea**

Corfu
(equal to Kerkira)
note: before 1992 search CORFU
use: **Greece, Ionian Islands, Corfu**
for coast use: **MED, Greece, Ionian Islands, Corfu**
see also: Ionian Islands

Cormorant Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Cormorant Field**

Corse
see: Corsica

Corsica
(equal to Corse)
use: **France, Corsica**
for coast use: **MED, France, Corsica**

Cortez Sea
use: **ISE, Mexico, Gulf of California**

Cosmoledo Island
note: before 1992 search COSMOLEDO
use: **Seychelles, Cosmoledo Island**
for coast use: **ISW, Seychelles, Cosmoledo Island**
see also: Seychelles

Costa Rica
for east coast use: **ASW, Costa Rica**
for west coast use: **ISE, Costa Rica**
or both as necessary

PROVINCES:
Costa Rica, Alajuela no coast
Costa Rica, Cartago no coast
Costa Rica, Guanacaste ISE
Costa Rica, Heredia no coast
Costa Rica, Limon ASW
Costa Rica, Puntarenas ISE
Costa Rica, San Jose no coast

Cote d'Ivoire
(equal to Ivory Coast)
note: before 1992 search IVORY COAST
for coast use: **ASE, Cote d'Ivoire**

Cotes d'Armor
note: before 1992 search COTES DU NORD.
From 1992 to 2011 search COTES
D'ARMOR
use: **France, Brittany, Cotes d'Armor**
for coast use: **ANE, France, Brittany, Cotes d'Armor**

Cotes du Nord
use: **France, Brittany, Cotes d'Armor**

Council of Europe
has members: **Albania**
Andorra
Armenia
Austria
Azerbaijan
Belgium
Bosnia and Herzegovina
Bulgaria
Croatia
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Eire
Estonia
Finland
France
Georgia
Germany
Greece
Hungary
Iceland

Italy
Latvia
Liechtenstein
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Macedonia, Former Yugoslav Republic
Malta
Moldova
Monaco
Montenegro
Netherlands
Norway
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Russia
San Marino
Serbia
Slovakia
Slovenia
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland
Turkey
Ukraine
United Kingdom

Cousin Island
note: before 1992 search COUSIN
use: **Seychelles, Cousin Island**
for coast use: **ISW, Seychelles, Cousin Island**
see also: Seychelles

Cretan Trough
use: **MED, Cretan Trough**

Crete
(equal to Kriti)
note: before 1992 search CRETE
use: **Greece, Crete**
for coast use: **MED, Greece, Crete**
see also: Greece

Crete Sea
use: **MED, Crete Sea**

Croatia
note: before 2016 search YUGOSLAVIA,
CROATIA
for coast use: **MED, Croatia**

Cromwell Current
(equal to Pacific Equatorial Undercurrent)
use: **IS, Pacific, Cromwell Current**
for more specific studies use:
ISE, Cromwell Current
or **ISEW, Cromwell Current**

Crozet Basin
 (equal to Kerguelen Basin)
 use: **ISW, Crozet Basin**

Crozet Islands
 note: Before 1992 search CROZET I. Between 1992 and 2011 search ANTARCTICA, FRENCH AUSTRAL AND ANTARCTIC TERR., CROZET I.
 use: **Antarctica, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Crozet Islands**
 for coast use: **PSE, Antarctica, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Crozet Islands**

Cuba
 (equal to Kuba)
 note: before 1992 search CUBA.
 use: **Greater Antilles, Cuba**
 for coast use: **ASW, Greater Antilles, Cuba**
 see also: Greater Antilles

Curacao
 (in Lesser Antilles)
 note: before 1992 search CURACAO
 use: **Lesser Antilles, Curacao**
 for coast use: **ASW, Lesser Antilles, Curacao**
 see also: Lesser Antilles
 Netherlands Antilles

Cyclades
 (equal to Kikladhes)
 note: before 1992 search AEGEAN I., CYCLADES
 use: **Greece, Aegean Islands, Cyclades**
 for coast use: **MED, Greece, Aegean Islands, Cyclades**
 see also: Aegean Islands

Cyprus
 (equal to Zypern)
 for coast use: **MED, Cyprus**

Czech and Slovak Federal Republic
 note: this was the official name of Czechoslovakia from April 1990 until 31 December 1992, when the country was dissolved into the Czech Republic and the Slovakia
 see: **Czech Republic and Slovakia**

Czech Republic
 note: before 2016 search CZECHOSLOVAKIA
 note: the following may be used as subentries:
 Bohemia
 note: no coastline

Czech Republic, Elbe River
 see also:
 Europe, Elbe River
 Germany, Elbe River

Czechoslovakia
 note: on January 1, 1993, Czechoslovakia peacefully split into the **Czech Republic** and **Slovakia**

Czechoslovakia, Danube River
 note before 2016 search CZECHOSLOVAKIA, DANUBE R.
 use: **Slovakia, Danube River**
 see also: Europe, Danube River
 Austria, Danube River
 Bulgaria, Danube River
 Danube Delta
 Germany, Danube River
 Hungary, Danube River
 MED, Black Sea, Danube Delta
 MED, Black Sea, Romania, Danube Delta
 MED, Black Sea, Ukraine, Danube Delta
 Romania, Danube River
 Serbia, Danube River
 Slovakia, Danube River

Dadra and Nagar Haveli
 use: **India, Dadra and Nagar Haveli**
 note: no coastline

Daenemark
 use: **Denmark**

Dahomey
 use: **Benin**

Daito Islands
 (equal to Borodino Islands)
 note: before 1992 search DAITO I. Between 1992 and 2011 search JAPAN, DAITO I.
 use: **Japan, Nansei Islands, Ryukyu Islands, Daito Islands**
 for coast use: **ISEW, Japan, Nansei Islands, Ryukyu Islands, Daito Islands**
 see also: Japan

Dalmatia
 note: Dalmatia also includes the Bay of Kotor - for studies that include all of the Dalmatia region use Croatia, Dalmatia and MED, Montenegro, Bay of Kotor
 use: **Croatia, Dalmatia**
 for coast use: **MED, Croatia, Dalmatia**

Dalmatian Current
 use: **MED, Dalmatian Current**

- Daman
use: **India, Daman**
for coast use: **ISW, India, Daman**
- Dan Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Dan Field**
- Danube Delta
note: before 2016 search MED, DANUBE DELTA
use: **MED, Black Sea, Danube Delta**
for more specific studies use: **MED, Black Sea, Romania, Danube Delta**
or **MED, Black Sea, Ukraine, Danube Delta**
see also: Europe, Danube River
- Danube River
use: **Europe, Danube River**
for more specific studies see under Europe, Danube River entry
- Danzig Gulf
use: **ANE, Baltic Sea, Gulf of Gdansk**
- Davidson Current
use: **INE, Davidson Current**
- Davis Strait
use: **ANW, Davis Strait**
- De Horn Islands
note: before 2016 search DE HORN I.
use: **Wallis and Futuna, Hoorn Islands**
includes:
Wallis and Futuna, Hoorn Islands, Alofi Wallis and Futuna, Hoorn Islands, Futuna
for coast use: **ISE, Wallis and Futuna, Hoorn Islands**
- Dead Sea
note: before 2016 search ISRAEL, DEAD SEA and JORDAN, DEAD SEA
use: **Levant, Dead Sea**
for more detailed studies use:
Dead Sea, Israel
or **Dead Sea, Jordan**
- Delaware Bay
note: before 1992 search ANW, DELAWARE BAY
use: **ANW, USA, Delaware Bay**
for more specific studies use:
ANW, USA, Delaware, Delaware Bay
or **ANW, USA, New Jersey, Delaware Bay**
- Delhi
see: **India, Delhi**
note: no coastline
- Democratic Kampuchea
use: **Cambodia**
- Democratic People's Republic of Korea
note: before 2016 search KOREA, DEM. PEOPLE'S REP.
use: **Korea, Democratic People's Republic**
- Democratic Republic of the Congo**
(equal to the Congo Free State (1805 - 1908), Belgian Congo (1908 - 1960), Congo-Leopoldville (1960 - 1965), and Zaire (1965 -1997))
note: before 2016 search ZAIRE
for coast use: **ASE, Democratic Republic of the Congo**
- Democratic Republic of the Congo, Congo River**
use for specific studies on this region
for studies on the complete river system use:
Africa, Congo River
- Democratic Republic of Vietnam
use: **Viet Nam**
- Denis Island
use: **Seychelles, Denis Island**
for coast use: **ISW, Seychelles, Denis Island**
see also: Seychelles
- Denmark**
(equal to Daenemark)
for coast use: **ANE, Denmark**
- Denmark Strait
use: **ANE, Denmark Strait**
- Desroches
note: before 1992 search DESROCHES
use: **Seychelles, Amirante Islands, Desroches**
for coast use: **ISW, Seychelles, Amirante Islands, Desroches**
see also: Amirante Islands
- Desventurados Islands
note: before 1992 search DESVENTURADOS I.
use: **Chile, Desventurados Islands**
for coast use: **ISE, Chile, Desventurados Islands**
see also: Chile

- Diego Garcia
(part of Chagos Archipelago, which equals British Indian Ocean Territory)
note: Before 1992 search DIEGO GARCIA.
Between 1992 and 2011 search BRITISH INDIAN OCEAN TERR., CHAGOS ARCHIPELAGO, DIEGO GARCIA
use: **Chagos Archipelago, Diego Garcia**
for coast use: **ISW, Chagos Archipelago, Diego Garcia**
see also: Chagos Archipelago
- Diu
use: **India, Daman and Diu, Dui**
for coast use: **ISW, India, Daman and Diu, Diu**
- Djibouti**
(equal to Republic of Djibouti; formerly French Territory of the Afars and the Issas, equal to French Somali Coast)
for coast use: **ISW, Djibouti**
- Dnieper River
note: before 2016 search EUROPE, DNIEPER R.
use: **Europe, Dnieper River**
for more specific studies use:
Belarus, Dnieper River
or **Russia, Dnieper River**
or **Ukraine, Dnieper River**
- Dodecanese
note: before 1992 search AEGEAN I., DODECANESE
use: **Greece, Aegean Islands, Dodecanese**
for coast use: **MED, Greece, Aegean Islands, Dodecanese**
see also: Aegean Islands
- Dominica
(in Windward Islands)
note: before 1992 search DOMINICA
use: **Windward Islands, Dominica**
for coast use: **ASW, Windward Islands, Dominica**
see also: Windward Islands
- Dominican Republic**
(The Dominican Republic is a nation on the island of Hispaniola in the Greater Antilles)
note: Between 1992 and 2011 search GREATER ANTILLES, DOMINICAN REP.
for coast use: **ASW, Dominican Republic**
see also: Greater Antilles
Hispaniola
- Donau
use: **Europe, Danube River**
- Dong Hai
use: **ISW, Donghai Sea**
- Donghai Sea
(equal to Dong Hai, equal to East China Sea, equal to Tunghai)
note: before 1992 search EAST CHINA SEA
use: **IW, Donghai Sea**
for more specific studies use:
INW, Donghai Sea
or **ISEW, Donghai Sea**
- Dorada Field
use: **MED, Spain, Dorada Field**
- Dover Strait
note: before 2016 search ANE, DOVER STRAIT
use: **ANE, Strait of Dover**
- Drake Passage
use: **PSW, Drake Passage**
- Dronning Maud Land
(equal to Queen Maud Land)
use: **Antarctica, Dronning Maud Land**
for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, Dronning Maud Land**
see also: Antarctica
- Dubai
(member of United Arab Emirates)
note: before 1992 search DUBAI
use: **United Arab Emirates, Dubai**
for coast use: **ISW, United Arab Emirates, Dubai**
see also: United Arab Emirates
- Dunlin Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Dunlin Field**
- East Africa
use: **Africa, East**
- East Africa Coast
use: **ISW, Africa**
- East Atlantic
(used from January 1985)
use: **AE, East Atlantic**
see also: Atlantic Ocean
- East Auckland Current
use: **PSE, East Auckland Current**

- East Australian Current
use: **ISEW, East Australian Current**
or **PSE, East Australian Current**
or both as necessary
- East Cape Current
use: **PSE, East Cape Current**
- East China Sea
use: **IW, Donghai Sea**
for more specific studies use:
INW, Donghai Sea
or **ISEW, Donghai Sea**
- East Germany
see: Germany
- East Greenland Current
use: **AE, East Greenland Current**
for more specific studies use:
ANE, East Greenland Current
or **PNE, East Greenland Current**
- East Indian Ocean
(used from January 1985)
use: **ISW, East Indian Ocean**
or **PSE, East Indian Ocean**
or both as necessary
see also: Indian Ocean
- East Indian Ridge
use: **ISW, Ninety East Ridge**
- East Korean Warm Current
use: **INW, East Korean Warm Current**
- East Pacific
(used from January 1985)
use: **IE, East Pacific**
see also: Pacific Ocean
- East Pacific Ridge
use: **ISE, East Pacific Rise**
or **PSW, East Pacific Rise**
or both as necessary
- East Pacific Rise
(equal to East Pacific Ridge)
use: **ISE, East Pacific Rise**
or **PSW, East Pacific Rise**
or both as necessary
- East Sea
use: **INW, Japan Sea**
- East Siberian Sea
use: **PNE, East Siberian Sea**
- East Timor**
note: before 2016 search INDONESIA, TIMOR
for coast use: **ISEW East Timor**
see also: **Indonesia, Lesser Sunda Islands,**
East Lesser Sunda Islands, West Timor
- East Wind Drift
use: **PS, East Wind Drift**
- Easter Island
(equal to Isla de Pascua, equal to Rapa Nui)
note: before 1992 search EASTER I.
use: **Chile, Easter Island**
for coast use: **ISE, Chile, Easter Island**
see also: Chile
- Eastern Atlantic
(used to December 1984)
use: **AE, East Atlantic**
- Eastern Indian Ocean
(used to December 1984)
use: **ISW, East Indian Ocean**
or **PSE, East Indian Ocean**
or both as necessary
see also: Indian Ocean
- Eastern Mediterranean Sea
use: **MED, Eastern Mediterranean Sea**
see also: Mediterranean Sea
- Eastern Pacific
(used to December 1984)
use: **IE, East Pacific**
see also: Pacific Ocean
- Eastern-Indian Antarctic Basin
use: **PSE, South Indian Basin**
- ECCAS**
(equal to Economic Community of Central
African States)
has members:
Angola
Burundi
Cameroon
Central African Republic
Chad
Democratic Republic of the Congo
Equatorial Guinea
Gabon
Republic of the Congo
Rwanda
Sao Tome and Príncipe
- Ecuador**
includes: Galapagos
for coast use: **ISE, Ecuador**

Edward Lake
note: before 2016 search AFRICA, EDWARD L.
use: **Africa, Lake Edward**
for more specific studies use:
**Uganda, Western, Queen Elizabeth
National Park, Lake Edward**
**Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake
Edward**

EEC
(used for European Economic Community.
After 2011 use **EU**)
use: **EU**
EEC included: Belgium
Denmark
Eire
France
Germany
Greece
Italy
Luxembourg
Netherlands
Portugal
Spain
UK

EFTA
(equal to European Free Trade Association)
note: before 2016 included the following
countries:
Austria, Finland (from 1986), Iceland,
Norway, Portugal, Sweden, Switzerland
members from 2011:
Iceland
Liechtenstein
Norway
Switzerland

Egypt
note: before 2016 search EGYPT, ARAB REP.
for Mediterranean coast use:
MED, Egypt
for Red Sea coast use:
ISW, Egypt
or both as necessary

Egypt, Lake Nasser
note: before 2016 search EGYPT, ARAB REP.,
NASSER L.
see also: Africa, Lake Nasser
and Sudan, Lake Nubia

Egypt, Nile River
note: before 2016 search EGYPT, ARAB REP.,
NILE R.
see also: Africa, Nile River

Egypt, Suez Canal
note: before 2016 search EGYPT, ARAB REP.,
SUEZ CANAL

EIFAC Fishing Area
(FAO Fishing Area 05)
use of a more specific entry is recommended
use: **Europe Inland Waters**

Eilat Gulf
use: **ISW, Gulf of Aqaba**

Eimeo
use: **Society Islands, Moorea**

Eire
(equal to Irish Republic)
for coast use: **ANE, Eire**
regions:
Eire, Carlow no coast
Eire, Cavan no coast
Eire, Clare ANE
Eire, Cork ANE
Eire, Donegal ANE
Eire, Dublin ANE
Eire, Galway ANE
Eire, Kerry ANE
Eire, Kildare no coast
Eire, Kilkenny no coast
Eire, Laois no coast
Eire, Leitrim ANE
Eire, Limerick no coast
Eire, Longford no coast
Eire, Louth ANE
Eire, Mayo ANE
Eire, Meath ANE
Eire, Monaghan no coast
Eire, Offaly no coast
Eire, Roscommon no coast
Eire, Sligo ANE
Eire, Tipperary no coast
Eire, Waterford ANE
Eire, Westmeath no coast
Eire, Wexford ANE
Eire, Wicklow ANE
see also: UK, Northern Ireland
Ireland

Ekofisk Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Ekofisk Field**

El Salvador
for coast use: **ISE, El Salvador**

Eilat Gulf
(equal to Eilat Gulf)
use: **ISW, Gulf of Aqaba**

- Elbe River
 note: Before 1992 search EUROPE, ELBE R., or GERMAN DEM. REP., ELBE R. or GERMANY, FED. REP., ELBE R. Between 1992 and 2011 search GERMANY, ELBE R.
 use: **Europe, Elbe River**
 for more specific studies use:
Germany, Elbe River
 or **Czech Republic, Elbe River**
- Elizabeth Islands (USA, Massachusetts)
 use: **USA, Massachusetts, Elizabeth Islands**
 for coast use: **ANW, USA, Massachusetts, Elizabeth Islands**
 see also: USA
- Ellesmere Island
 note: before 1992 search ELLESMERE I. Between 1992 and 2011 search CANADA, NORTHWEST TERR., ELLESMERE I.
 use: **Canada, Nunavut, Queen Elizabeth Islands, Ellesmere Island**
 for coast use: **ANW, Canada, Nunavut, Queen Elizabeth Islands, Ellesmere Island**
 or **PNW, Canada, Nunavut, Queen Elizabeth Islands, Ellesmere Island**
 or both as necessary
 see also: Canada
- Ellice Islands
 use: **Tuvalu**
- Ellsworth Land
 use: **Antarctica, Lesser Antarctica, Ellsworth Land**
 for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, Lesser Antarctica, Ellsworth Land**
- Emperor Seamounts
 use: **INW, Emperor Seamounts**
- Ems River (England)
 use, **UK, England, Hampshire, Ems River**
- Ems River (Europe)
 use: **Europe, Ems River**
 for more specific studies use:
Germany, Ems River
 or **Netherlands, Ems River**
- Ems-Dollard Estuary
 note: before 1992 search EUROPE, EMS-DOLLARD ESTUARY and also ANE, GERMANY, FED. REP., EMS-DOLLARD ESTUARY. Between 1992 and 2011 search EUROPE, EMS-DOLLARD ESTUARY and also ANE, GERMANY, EMS-DOLLARD ESTUARY.
 use: **ANE, Europe, Ems-Dollard Estuary**
 for more specific studies use:
ANE, Germany, Ems-Dollard Estuary
ANE, Netherlands, Ems-Dollard Estuary
- Ems-Dollart Estuary
 see: Ems-Dollard Estuary
- Enchova Field
 use: **ASW, Brazil, Enchova Field**
- Enderbury Island
 (in Phoenix Islands)
 note: before 1992 search ENDERBURY I.
 use: **Phoenix Islands, Kiribati, Enderbury Island**
 for coast use: **ISE, Phoenix Islands, Kiribati, Enderbury Island**
 see also: Kiribati
- Enderby Land
 use: **Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, Enderby Land**
 for coast use: **PSE, Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, Enderby Land**
- Enewetak
 (equal to Eniwetok)
 note: before 2016 search MARSHALL I., ENIWETOK
 use: **Marshall Islands, Enewetak Atoll**
 for coast use: **ISEW, Marshall Islands, Enewetak Atoll**
 see also: Marshall Islands
- England
 use: **UK, England**
 for coast use: **ANE, UK, England**
- English Channel
 use: **ANE, English Channel**
- Eniwetok
 (equal to Enewetak)
 note: before 2016 search MARSHALL I., ENIWETOK
 use: **Marshall Islands, Enewetak Atoll**
 for coast use: **ISEW, Marshall Islands, Enewetak Atoll**
 see also: Marshall Islands
- Equator Seamount
 use: **ISW, Equator Seamount**

Equatorial Atlantic

use: **AS, Equatorial Atlantic**
for more detailed studies use:
ASE, Equatorial Atlantic
or **ASW, Equatorial Atlantic**
see also: Atlantic Ocean

Equatorial Countercurrent

note: use of a more specific term is recommended
for Atlantic use: **AS, Equatorial Countercurrent**
for more specific studies use:
ASE, Equatorial Countercurrent
or **ASW, Equatorial Countercurrent**
for Indian Ocean use: **ISE, Equatorial Countercurrent**
for Pacific use: **IS, Pacific, Equatorial Countercurrent**
for more specific studies use:
ISE, Equatorial Countercurrent
or **ISEW, Equatorial Countercurrent**
or use as many as necessary

Equatorial Guinea

(equal to Spanish Guinea)
includes: **Equatorial Guinea, Bioko Island**
Equatorial Guinea, Río Muni
for coast use: **ASE, Equatorial Guinea**

Equatorial Indian Ocean

use: **ISW, Equatorial Indian Ocean**
see also: Indian Ocean

Equatorial Pacific

use: **IS, Equatorial Pacific**
for more specific studies use:
ISE, Equatorial Pacific
or **ISEW, Equatorial Pacific**
see also: Pacific Ocean

Equatorial Undercurrent

note: use of a more specific term is recommended
for Atlantic use: **AS, Equatorial Undercurrent**
for more specific studies use:
ASE, Equatorial Undercurrent
or **ASW, Equatorial Undercurrent**
for Indian Ocean use: **ISW, Equatorial Undercurrent**
for Pacific use: **IS, Pacific, Cromwell Current**
for more specific studies use:
ISE, Cromwell Current
or **ISEW, Cromwell Current**

Equatorial Zone

use: **World Equatorial Zone**

Erie Lake

note: before 2016 search NORTH AMERICA, ERIE L.
use: **North America, Lake Erie**
for more specific studies use:
Canada, Ontario, Lake Erie
USA, Lake Erie

Eritrea

Before 2016 was included with Ethiopia
for coast use: **ISW, Eritrea**

Estonia

note: before 1992 search USSR, ESTONIA
for coast use: **ANE, Estonia**

Ethiopia

(formerly Abyssinia)
Before 2016 included Eritrea
for coast use: **ISW, Ethiopia**

Ethiopia, Blue Nile River

note: before 2016 search ETHIOPIA, BLUE NILE R.
see also: Africa, Blue Nile River
Africa, Nile River
Sudan, Blue Nile River

Ethiopian Region

use; **Afrotropical Ecozone**
(Zoogeographic entries only)

EU

(equal to EEC, European Communities, European Economic Community, European Union)
note: before 2016 search EEC
has members:

Austria
Belgium
Bulgaria
Cyprus
Czech Republic
Denmark
Eire
Estonia
Finland
France
Germany
Greece
Hungary
Italy
Latvia
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Malta
Netherlands
Poland
Portugal

Romania
Slovakia
Slovenia
Spain
Sweden
UK

Euboea

(equal to Evvoia)

note: before 1992 search AEGEAN I.,
EUBOEA

use: **Greece, Aegean Islands, Euboea**

for coast use: **MED, Greece, Aegean Islands, Euboea**

see also: Aegean Islands

Eurasia

(equal to Europe + Asia)

use of a more specific entry is recommended

Eurasia Basin

use: **PNE, Eurasia Basin**

Eurasia Coasts

(equal to Europe + Asia)

use of a more specific entry is recommended

Eurasian Plate

Europe

use of a more specific entry is recommended

Europe Coasts

use of a more specific entry is recommended

Europe, Danube River

(equal to Donau)

note: before 2016 search EUROPE DANUBE R. Between 1992 and 2011 search also CZECHOSLOVAKIA, DANUBE R. and YUGOSLAVIA, DANUBE R. Before 1992 search also GERMANY, FED. REP., DANUBE R.

for more specific studies use:

Austria, Danube River

Bulgaria, Danube River

MED, Black Sea, Danube Delta

MED, Black Sea, Romania, Danube Delta

MED, Black Sea, Ukraine, Danube Delta

Germany, Danube River

Hungary, Danube River

Romania, Danube River

Serbia, Danube River

Slovakia, Danube River

Europe, Dnieper River

note: before 2016 search EUROPE,
DNIEPER R..

for more specific studies use:

Belarus, Dnieper River

Russia, Dnieper River

Ukraine, Dnieper River

Europe, Elbe River

note: before 2016 search EUROPE, ELBE R.

for more specific studies use:

Germany, Elbe River

Czech Republic, Elbe River

Europe, Ems River

note: before 2016 search EUROPE, EMS R.

for more specific studies use:

Germany, Ems River

or **Netherlands, Ems River**

Europe, Ems-Dollard Estuary

note: before 1992 search EUROPE, EMS-DOLLARD ESTUARY and also ANE, GERMANY, FED. REP., EMS-DOLLARD ESTUARY. Between 1992 and 2011 search EUROPE, EMS-DOLLARD ESTUARY and also ANE, GERMANY, EMS-DOLLARD ESTUARY.

use: **ANE, Europe, Ems-Dollard Estuary**

for more specific studies use:

ANE, Germany, Ems-Dollard Estuary

ANE, Netherlands, Ems-Dollard Estuary

Europe Inland Waters

(used for FAO Fishing Area 05)(EIFAC Region)

Europe, Lake Constance

(equal to Bodensee)

note: before 2016 search EUROPE,
CONSTANCE L.

for more specific studies use:

Austria, Lake Constance

Germany, Baden-Wuerttemberg, Lake Constance

Switzerland, Lake Constance

Europe, Lake Geneva

(equal to Genfersee, equal to Lac Lemman)

note: before 2016 search EUROPE, GENEVA L.

for more specific studies use:

France, Lake Geneva

Switzerland, Lake Geneva

Europe, Lake Lugano

for more specific studies use:

Italy, Lake Lugano

Switzerland, Lake Lugano

Europe, Lake Maggiore

for more specific studies use:

Italy, Lake Maggiore

Switzerland, Lake Maggiore

Europe, Lake Neusiedler

(between Austria and Hungary, equal to Ferto, equal to Neusiedlersee)

note: before 2016 search EUROPE, NEUSIENDLER L.

for more specific studies use:

Austria, Lake Neusiedler
Hungary, Lake Neusiedler

Europe, Meuse River

(equal to Maas R.)

for more specific studies use:

Belgium, Meuse River
France, Meuse River
Netherlands, Meuse River

Europe, Mosel River

(equal to Moselle River)

note: before 2016 search EUROPE, MOSEL R.

for more specific studies use:

France, Mosel River
Germany, Mosel River
Luxembourg, Mosel River

Europe, Muonio River

(between Finland and Sweden)

note: before 2016 search EUROPE, MUONIO R.

Europe, Oder River

(equal to Odra River)

note: before 2016 search EUROPE, ODER R.

for more specific studies use:

Germany, Oder River
Poland, Oder River

Europe, Rhine River

(equal to Rhein)

note: before 2016 search EUROPE, RHINE R.

for more specific studies use:

France, Rhine River
Germany, Rhine River
Netherlands, Rhine River
Switzerland, Rhine River

Europe, Rhone River

note: before 2016 search EUROPE, RHONE R.

for more specific studies use:

France, Rhone River
Switzerland, Rhone River

European Communities

use: **EU**

European Economic Community

use: **EU**

European Free Trade Association

use: **EFTA**

Evvoia

use: **Greece, Aegean Islands, Euboea**

Faeroe Islands

(equal to Faroe Islands)

for coast use: **ANE, Faeroe Islands**

Faial

(equal to Fayal)

use: **Azores, Faial**

for coast use: **ANE, Azores, Faial**

see also: Azores

Falkland Current

use: **PSW, Falkland Current**

Falkland Islands

(equal to Islas Malvinas)

for coast use: **PSW, Falkland Islands**

Falkland Plateau

use: **PSW, Falkland Plateau**

FAO

(used for Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations)

FAO Fishing Area 01

(CIFA region)

use of a more specific entry is recommended

use: **Africa Inland Waters**

FAO Fishing Area 03

use of a more specific entry is recommended

use: **South America Inland Waters**

FAO Fishing Area 05

(EIFAC region)

use of a more specific entry is recommended

use: **Europe Inland Waters**

FAO Fishing Area 18

use: **PN**

FAO Fishing Area 21

(NAFO region)

use: **ANW**

FAO Fishing Area 27

(NEAFC region)

use: **ANE**
and **PNE**

FAO Fishing Area 31
(WECAFC region)
use: **A, Atlantic**

FAO Fishing Area 34
(CECAF region)
use: **ASE**

FAO Fishing Area 37
(GFCM region)
use: **MED**

FAO Fishing Area 41
(CARPAS region)
use: **ASW**
and **PSW, America**

FAO Fishing Area 47
(ICSEAF region)
use: **ASE**
and **PSW, Africa**

FAO Fishing Area 48
use: **PSW**

FAO Fishing Area 51
(IOFC region in part)
use: **ISW**
and **PSE**

FAO Fishing Area 57
(IOFC region in part)
use: **ISW**
and **PSE**

FAO Fishing Area 58
use: **PS**

FAO Fishing Area 61
(IPFC region in part)
use: **I**

FAO Fishing Area 67
(IPFC region in part)
use: **IN**

FAO Fishing Area 71
(IPFC region in part)
use: **ISEW**

FAO Fishing Area 77
(IPFC region in part)
use: **I**

FAO Fishing Area 81
(IPFC region in part)
use: **PS**

FAO Fishing Area 87
(IPFC region in part)
use: **ISE**
and **PSW, America**

FAO Fishing Area 88
use: **PS**

Far East
use: **Asia, Southeast**

Farallon Plate

Farquhar
note: before 1992 search FARQUHAR
use: **Seychelles, Farquhar**
for coast use: **ISW, Seychelles, Farquhar**
see also: Seychelles

Farquhar Ridge
(equal to Aldabra Ridge)
use: **ISW, Farquhar Ridge**

Fayal
use: **Azores, Faial**

Federated States of Micronesia
note: before 1992 Micronesia was used for a region of the Pacific, and included Kiribati; Marianas; Marshall I., Truk I.; Tuvalu and Yap. From 2011 see Micronesia (region) to include these extra areas
use: **Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia**
for coast use: **ISEW, Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia**
for more detailed studies use:
Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Chuuk
Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Kosrae
Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Pohnpei
Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Yap
see also: Caroline Islands

Fernando Po
(in Equatorial Guinea)
note: Before 1992 search FERNANDO PO
Between 1992 and 2011 search EQUATORIAL GUINEA, FERNANDO PO
use: **Equatorial Guinea, Bioko Island**
for coast use: **ASE, Equatorial Guinea, Bioko Island**
see also: Equatorial Guinea

Fidji
see: **Fiji**

Fiji
(equal to Fidji)
includes:
Fiji, Rotuma
Fiji, Vanua Levu
Fiji, Viti Levu
for coast use: **ISEW, Fiji**

Fiji Plate

Fimbul Ice Shelf
for coast use: **PS, Fimbul Ice Shelf**

Finland
for coast use: **ANE, Finland**
see also: Lapland

Finland Gulf
note: before 1992 search ANE, FINLAND GULF. Between 1992 and 2011 search ANE, BALTIC, FINLAND GULF
use: **ANE, Baltic Sea, Gulf of Finland**
see also: Baltic Sea

Firth of Clyde
see: Clyde Sea

Firth of Forth
note: before 1992 search ANE, BRITISH ISLES, FIRTH OF FORTH. From 1992 to 2011 search ANE, BRITISH ISLES, SCOTLAND and ANE, FIRTH OF FORTH
use: **ANE, UK, Scotland, Firth of Forth**

Fishing Areas
see: FAO Fishing Area....

Flores
use: **Azores, Flores**
for coast use: **ANE, Azores, Flores**
see also: Azores

Flores Sea
use: **ISEW, Flores Sea**

Florida Current
use: **ASW, Florida Current**

Florida Straits
note: before 2016 search ASW, FLORIDA STRAITS
use: **ASW, Straits of Florida**

Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations

use: **FAO**

Formosa
use: **Taiwan**

Forth Firth
use: **ANE, UK, Scotland, Firth of Forth**

Forties Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Forties Field**

Foveaux Strait
note: before 1992 search PSE, FOVEAUX STRAIT
use: **PSE, New Zealand, Foveaux Strait**

Fram Strait
use: **PNE, Fram Strait**

France
use of a subentry is recommended, e.g.:

France, Alsace	no coast
France, Alsace, Bas-Rhin	no coast
France, Alsace, Haut-Rhin	no coast
France, Aquitaine	ANE
France, Aquitaine, Dordogne	no coast
France, Aquitaine, Gironde	ANE
France, Aquitaine, Landes	ANE
France, Aquitaine, Lot-et-Garonne	no coast
France, Aquitaine, Pyrenees Atlantiques	ANE
France, Auvergne	no coast
France, Auvergne, Allier	no coast
France, Auvergne, Cantal	no coast
France, Auvergne, Haute-Loire	no coast
France, Auvergne, Puy-de-Dome	no coast
France, Basse-Normandie	ANE
France, Basse-Normandie, Calvados	ANE
France, Basse-Normandie, Manche	ANE
France, Basse-Normandie, Orne	no coast
France, Bourgogne	no coast
France, Bourgogne, Cote-D'Or	no coast
France, Bourgogne, Nièvre	no coast
France, Bourgogne, Saone-et-Loire	no coast
France, Bourgogne, Yonne	no coast
France, Brittany	ANE
France, Brittany, Cotes-du-Nord	ANE
France, Brittany, Finistere	ANE
France, Brittany, Ille-et-Vilaine	ANE
France, Brittany, Morbihan	ANE
France, Centre	no coast
France, Centre, Cher	no coast
France, Centre, Eure-et-Loire	no coast
France, Centre, Indre	no coast
France, Centre, Indre-et-Loire	no coast
France, Centre, Loir-et-Cher	no coast

France, Centre, Loiret	no coast	France, Midi-Pyrenees, Aveyron	no coast
France, Champagne	no coast	France, Midi-Pyrenees, Gers	no coast
France, Champagne, Ardennes	no coast	France, Midi-Pyrenees, Haute-Garonne	no coast
France, Champagne, Aube	no coast	France, Midi-Pyrenees, Hautes-Pyrenees	no coast
France, Champagne, Haute-Marne	no coast	France, Midi-Pyrenees, Lot	no coast
France, Champagne, Marne	no coast	France, Midi-Pyrenees, Tarn	no coast
Champagne-Ardenne use:		France, Midi-Pyrenees, Tarn-et-Garonne	no coast
France, Champagne		France, Nord-Pas de Calais	ANE
France, Corsica	MED	France, Nord-Pas de Calais, Nord	ANE
France, Corsica, Corse du Sud	MED	France, Nord-Pas de Calais,	
France, Corsica, Haute-Corse	MED	Pas-de-Calais	ANE
France, Franche-Comte	no coast	France, Pays-de-la-Loire	ANE
France, Franche-Comte, Doubs	no coast	France, Pays-de-la-Loire, Loire-Atlantique	ANE
France, Franche-Comte, Jura	no coast	France, Pays-de-la-Loire, Maine-et-Loire	no coast
France, Franche-Comte, Haute-Saone	no coast	France, Pays-de-la-Loire, Mayenne	no coast
France, Franche-Comte, Territoire de		France, Pays-de-la-Loire, Sarthe	no coast
Belfort	no coast	France, Pays-de-la-Loire, Vendee	ANE
France, Haute-Normandie	ANE	France, Picardie	ANE
France, Haute-Normandie, Eure	no coast	France, Picardie, Aisne	no coast
France, Haute-Normandie, Seine-Maritime	ANE	France, Picardie, Oise	no coast
France, Ile-de-France	no coast	France, Picardie, Somme	ANE
(before 2016 search France, Region		France, Poitou-Charentes	ANE
Parisienne)		France, Poitou-Charentes, Charente	no coast
France, Ile-de-France, Essonne		France, Poitou-Charentes, Charente-Maritime	ANE
France, Ile-de-France, Hauts-de-Seine		France, Poitou-Charentes, Deux-Sevres	no coast
France, Ile-de-France, Paris		France, Poitou-Charentes, Vienne	no coast
(Departement)		France, Provence-Alpes-Cote d'Azur	MED
France, Ile-de-France, Seine-et-Marne		France, Provence- Alpes-Cote d'Azur,	
France, Ile-de-France, Seine-Saint-Denis		Alpes-de-Haute-Provence	no coast
France, Ile-de-France, Val-de-Marne		France, Provence- Alpes-Cote d'Azur,	
France, Ile-de-France, Val-d'Oise		Alpes-Maritimes	MED
France, Ile-de-France, Yvelines		France, Provence- Alpes-Cote d'Azur,	
France, Languedoc-Roussillon	MED	Bouches-du-Rhone	MED
France, Languedoc-Roussillon, Aude	MED	France, Provence- Alpes-Cote d'Azur,	
France, Languedoc-Roussillon, Gard	MED	Hautes-Alpes	no coast
France, Languedoc-Roussillon, Herault	MED	France, Provence- Alpes-Cote d'Azur,	
France, Languedoc-Roussillon, Lozere	no coast	Var	MED
France, Languedoc-Roussillon,		France, Provence- Alpes-Cote d'Azur,	
Pyrenees-Orientales	MED	Vaucluse	no coast
France, Limousin	no coast	Region Parisienne use: France, Ile-de-France	
France, Limousin, Correze	no coast	France, Rhone-Alpes	no coast
France, Limousin, Creuse	no coast	France, Rhone-Alpes, Ain	
France, Limousin, Haute-Vienne	no coast	France, Rhone-Alpes, Ardèche	
France, Lorraine	no coast	France, Rhone-Alpes, Drome	
France, Lorraine, Meurthe-et-Moselle	no coast	France, Rhone-Alpes, Haute-Savoie	
France, Lorraine, Meuse	no coast	France, Rhone-Alpes, Isère	
France, Lorraine, Moselle	no coast	France, Rhone-Alpes, Loire	
France, Lorraine, Vosges	no coast	France, Rhone-Alpes, Rhone	
France, Midi-Pyrenees	no coast		
France, Midi-Pyrenees, Ariège	no coast		

France, Rhone-Alpes, Savoie

for coast of France use:

ANE, France

MED, France

or both as necessary

for inland waters see:

French Drainage Basin Authorities

see also:

French Southern and Antarctic Lands

French Overseas Collectivities

France, Lake Geneva

note: before 2016 search FRANCE,
GENEVA L.

see also: Europe, Lake Geneva
Switzerland, Lake Geneva

France, Meuse River

note: before 2016 search FRANCE, MEUSE R.

see also: Europe, Meuse River
Belgium, Meuse River
Netherlands, Meuse River

France, Mosel River

note: before 2016 search FRANCE,
MOSELLE R.

see also: Europe, Mosel River
Germany, Mosel River
Luxembourg, Mosel River

France, Rhine River

note: before 2016 search FRANCE, RHINE R.

see also: Europe, Rhine River
Germany, Rhine River
Netherlands, Rhine River
Switzerland, Rhine River

France, Rhone River

note: before 2016 search FRANCE, RHONE R.

see also: Europe, Rhone River
Switzerland, Rhone River

Franz Josef Land

note: Before 1992 search FRANZ JOSEF
LAND. Between 1992 and 2011 search
USSR, RUSSIA, FRANZ JOSEF LAND

use: **Russia, Franz Josef Land**

for coast use: **PNE, Russia, Franz Josef Land**

see also: Russia

Freeman Ridge

use: **ANW, Freeman Ridge**

French Austral and Antarctic Territory

use: **French Southern and Antarctic Lands**

French Drainage Basin Authorities

note: for inland waters, use the following as

subentries of France, only if the whole, or a part of
the inland basin or river is referred to:

France, Adour-Garonne

France, Artois-Picardie

France, Loire-Bretagne

France, Rhin-Meuse

France, Rhone-Mediterranee-Corse

France, Seine-Normandie

French Guiana

for coast use: **ASW, French Guiana**

French Overseas Collectivities

note: The French overseas collectivities, like
the French regions, themselves, are first-
order administrative divisions of France.
The collectivities include some former
French Overseas Territories and other
French overseas entities with a particular
status, all of which were given the name
collectivites d'outre-mer by constitutional
reform on 28 March 2003

the collectivities are:

Collectivity of Saint Barthelemy

Collectivity of Saint Martin

French Polynesia

Mayotte

Saint Pierre and Miquelon

Wallis and Futuna

French Overseas Departments

note: the French Overseas Departments
consist broadly of French-administered
territories outside of the European
continent. Use of a more specific region is
recommended

regions include:

French Guiana

Leeward Islands, Guadeloupe

Mascarene Islands, Reunion Island

Windward Islands, Martinique

French Overseas Territories

note: All but one area (French Southern and
Antarctic Lands) were redesignated as
French Overseas Collectivities in 2003

see: French Southern and Antarctic Lands

French Overseas Collectivities

French Polynesia

use of a more specific entry is recommended,

e.g.:

French Polynesia, Austral Islands

French Polynesia, Marquesas Islands

French Polynesia, Society Islands

French Polynesia, Tuamotu Islands

for coast use: **ISE, French Polynesia**

French Somali Coast
use: **Djibouti**

French Southern and Antarctic Lands
(equal to Territory of the French Southern and Antarctic Lands)

note: use of a more specific entry is preferred
see:

Antarctica, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Adelie Land

Antarctica, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Amsterdam Island

Antarctica, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Crozet Islands

Antarctica, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Kerguelen Islands

Antarctica, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Saint Paul Island

French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Scattered Islands in the Indian Ocean

see also: Antarctica

Australian Antarctic Territory

Dronning Maud Land

Lesser Antarctica

Ross Dependency

French Territory of the Afars and the Issas
use: **Djibouti**

French West Indies

note: The term French West Indies refers to the four territories presently under French sovereignty in the Caribbean. Use of a more specific region is recommended

for coast use: **ASW, French West Indies**

regions:

Collectivity of Saint Barthelemy

Collectivity of Saint Martin

Leeward Islands, Guadeloupe

Windward Islands, Martinique

Friendly Islands
use: **Tonga**

Friesland
use: **Netherlands, Friesland**
for coast use: **ANE, Netherlands, Friesland**
see also: Netherlands

Frigg Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Frigg Field**

Frisian Islands

(equal to Wadden Islands; chain of islands along the coasts of Denmark, Germany and the Netherlands)

for coast use: **ANE, Frisian Islands**

Fuerteventura
use: **Spain, Canary Islands, Fuerteventura**
for coast use: **ASE, Spain, Canary Islands, Fuerteventura**
see also: Canary Islands

Fujairah
(member of United Arab Emirates)
note: before 1992 search FUJAIRAH
use: **United Arab Emirates, Fujairah**
for coast use: **ISW, United Arab Emirates, Fujairah**
see also: United Arab Emirates

Fulmar Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Fulmar Field**

Fundy Bay
note: before 1992 search ANW, FUNDY BAY
use: **ANW, Canada, Bay of Fundy**

Futuna Island (Vanuatu)
note: Before 2016 search ISEW, FUTUNA
use: **Vanuatu, Futuna Island**
for coast use: **ISEW, Vanuatu, Futuna Island**
see also: Vanuatu

Futuna Island (Wallis and Futuna)
note: before 2016 search ISE, FUTUNA
use: **Wallis and Futuna, Hoorn Islands, Futuna Island**
for coast use: **ISE, Wallis and Futuna, Hoorn Islands, Futuna Island**
see also: Wallis and Futuna, Hoorn Islands

Gabon
for coast use: **ASE, Gabon**

Gala Field
use: **MED, Italy, Gala Field**

Galapagos
note: before 1992 search GALAPAGOS
use: **Ecuador, Galapagos**
for coast use: **ISE, Ecuador, Galapagos**
see also: Ecuador

Galapagos Fracture Zone
use: **ISE, Galapagos Fracture Zone**

Galapagos Rift
use: **ISE, Galapagos Rift**

Galilee, Sea of
use: **Israel, Lake Kinneret**

Galveston Bay
note: Before 2016 search ASW,

GALVERSTON BAY
use: **ASW, USA, Texas, Galveston Bay**

Gambia

(equal to The Gambia, Republic of The Gambia)
for coast use: **ASE, Gambia**

Gambier Island (British Columbia)
use: **Canada, British Columbia, Gambier Island**
for coast use: **INE, Canada, British Columbia, Gambier Island**

Gambier Island (South Australia)
note: Located in the Spencer Gulf, South Australia - West of Adelaide
use: **Australia, South Australia, Gambier Island**
for coast use: **ISW, Australia, South Australia, Gambier Island**

Gambier Islands (French Polynesia)
note: before 1992 search GAMBIER I.
use: **French Polynesia, Gambier Islands**
for coast use: **ISE, French Polynesia, Gambier Islands**

Ganges Delta
use: **ISW, India, West Bengal, Ganges Delta**
see also: Ganges River

Ganges River
note: before 2016 search ASIA, GANGES R.
use: **Asia, Ganges River**
for more specific studies use:
Bangladesh, Ganges River
ISW, India, West Bengal, Ganges Delta
India, Ganges River
Nepal, Ganges River

Garoupa Field
use: **ASW, Brazil, Garoupa Field**

Gascogne Gulf
use: **ANE, Bay of Biscay**

Gaspe Current
use: **ANW, Gaspe Current**

Gatun Lake
note: before 2016 search PANAMA, GATUN L.
use: **Panama, Gatun Lake**

Gdansk Gulf
(equal to Danzig Gulf)
note: before 1992 search ANE, GDANSK GULF. Between 1992 and 2011 search

ANE, BALTIC, GDANSK GULF
use: **ANE, Baltic Sea, Gulf of Gdansk**
see also: Baltic Sea

Genes Gulf
note: before 2016 search MED, GENOA GULF
use: **MED, Italy, Liguria, Gulf of Genoa**

Geneva Lake
note: before 2016 search EUROPE, GENEVA L.
use: **Europe, Lake Geneva**
for more specific studies use:
France, Lake Geneva
Switzerland, Lake Geneva

Genoa Gulf
note: before 2016 search MED, GENOA GULF
use: **MED, Italy, Liguria, Gulf of Genoa**

Genova Gulf
note: before 2016 search MED, GENOA GULF
use: **MED, Italy, Liguria, Gulf of Genoa**

George V Land
use: **Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, George V Land**
for coast use: **PSE, Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, George V Land**

Georges Bank
use: **ANW, Georges Bank**

Georgia
note: before 2016 search USSR, GEORGIA
for coast (Black Sea) use: **MED, Black Sea, Georgia**

Georgia (USA State)
use: **USA, Georgia**

Georgia Strait
note: before 2016 search INE, GEORGIA STRAIT
use: **INE, Canada, British Columbia, Strait of Georgia**

German Bight
use: **ANE, North Sea, German Bight**

German Democratic Republic
see: **Germany**

Germany
note: Before 1992 search GERMAN DEM. REP. (East Germany) and GERMANY, FED. REP. (West Germany). Use of a more specific entry than Germany is recommended:

for all coast use: **ANE, Germany**, for the
Baltic Sea coast use: **ANE, Baltic Sea**
and for North Sea coast use: **ANE, North
Sea**

Germany, Baden-Wuerttemberg no coast
Germany, Bavaria no coast
Germany, Berlin no coast
Germany, Brandenburg no coast
Germany, Bremen no coast
Germany, Hamburg no coast
Germany, Hesse no coast
Germany, Lower Saxony

ANE, North Sea

Germany, Mecklenburg-Vorpommern
ANE, Baltic Sea

Germany, North Rhine-Westphalia no coast
Germany, Rhineland Palatinate no coast
Germany, Saarland no coast
Germany, Saxony no coast
Germany, Saxony-Anhalt no coast
Germany, Schleswig-Holstein

ANE, North Sea

or ANE, Baltic Sea or ANE for both

Germany, Thuringia no coast
see also: Helgoland

Germany, Danube River

note: before 1992 search GERMANY, FED.
REP., DANUBE R. Between 1992 and
2011 search GERMANY, DANUBE R.

see also: Europe, Danube River

Austria, Danube River
Bulgaria, Danube River
MED, Black Sea, Danube Delta
MED, Black Sea, Romania, Danube Delta
MED, Black Sea, Ukraine, Danube Delta
Hungary, Danube River
Romania, Danube River
Serbia, Danube River
Slovakia, Danube River

Germany, Elbe River

note: before 1992 search GERMAN DEM.
REP., ELBE R., and GERMANY, FED.
REP., ELBE R. Between 1992 and 2011
search GERMANY, ELBE R.

see also: Czech Republic, Elbe River
Europe, Elbe River

Germany, Ems River

note: before 1992 search GERMANY, FED.
REP., EMS R. Between 1992 and 2011
search GERMANY, EMS R.

see also: Europe, Ems River
Netherlands, Ems River

Germany, Ems-Dollard Estuary

note: before 1992 search EUROPE, EMS-

DOLLARD ESTUARY and also ANE,
GERMANY, FED. REP., EMS-DOLLARD
ESTUARY. Between 1992 and 2011
search EUROPE, EMS-DOLLARD
ESTUARY and also ANE, GERMANY,
EMS-DOLLARD ESTUARY.

use: **ANE, Germany, Ems-Dollard Estuary**

see also: ANE, Europe, Ems-Dollard Estuary
ANE, Netherlands, Ems-Dollard Estuary

Germany, Fed. Republic

see: **Germany**

Germany, Federal Republic

see: **Germany**

Germany, Lake Constance

note: before 1992 search also GERMANY,
FED. REP., CONSTANCE L. Between
1992 and 2011 search GERMANY,
CONSTANCE L.

use: **Germany, Baden-Wuerttemberg, Lake
Constance**

see also: Europe, Lake Constance
Austria, Lake Constance
Switzerland, Lake Constance

Germany, Main River

note: before 1992 search GERMANY, FED.
REP., MAIN R. Between 1992 and 2011
search GERMANY, MAIN R.

Germany, Mosel River

note: before 1992 search GERMANY, FED.
REP., MOSEL R. Between 1992 and 2011
search GERMANY, MOSEL R.

see also: Europe, Mosel River
France, Mosel River
Luxembourg, Mosel River

Germany, Oder River

note: before 1992 search GERMAN DEM.
REP., ODER R. Between 1992 and 2011
search GERMANY, ODER R

see also: Europe, Oder River
Poland, Oder River

Germany, Rhine River

note: before 1992 search GERMANY, FED.
REP., RHINE R. Between 1992 and 2011
search GERMANY, RHINE R.

see also: Europe, Rhine River
France, Rhine River
Netherlands, Rhine River
Switzerland, Rhine River

GFCM Fishing Area

use: **MED**

- Ghana**
for coast use: **ASE, Ghana**
- Ghana, Lake Volta**
note: before 2016 search GHANA, VOLTA L.
- Gibraltar**
for coast use: **MED, Gibraltar**
- Gibraltar Strait
note: before 2016 search MED, GIBRALTER STRAIT
use: **MED, Strait of Gibraltar**
- Gilbert and Ellice Islands
note: The Gilbert and Ellice Islands were a British protectorate from 1892 and colony from 1916 until 1 January 1976 when the islands were divided into two different nations. The Gilbert Islands have been the major part of the nation of Kiribati since 1979, and the Ellice Islands became Tuvalu in 1978.
- Gilbert Islands
use: **Kiribati**
- Goa
use: **India, Goa**
for coast use: **ISW, India, Goa**
- Golfe de
see under name of Gulf
- Gomera
use: **Spain, Canary Islands, Gomera**
for coast use: **ASE, Spain, Canary Islands, Gomera**
see also: Canary Islands
- Gondwanaland**
(Earth history)
- Gorm Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Gorm Field**
- Gough Island**
for coast use: **PSW, Gough Island**
- Gozo
note: before 1992 search GOZO
use: **Malta, Gozo**
for coast use: **MED, Malta, Gozo**
see also: Malta
- Graciosa
use: **Azores, Graciosa**
- for coast use: **ANE, Azores, Graciosa**
see also: Azores
- Graham Land
use: **Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory, Graham Land**
for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory, Graham Land**
- Gran Canaria
use: **Spain, Canary Islands, Grand Canary**
- Grand Banks
use: **ANW, Grand Banks**
- Grand Canary
(equal to Gran Canaria)
use: **Spain, Canary Islands, Grand Canary**
for coast use: **ASE, Spain, Canary Islands, Grand Canary**
see also: Canary Islands
- Grand Comore
see: Grande Comore
- Grand Newfoundland Bank
use: **ANW, Grand Banks**
- Grande Comore
note: Before 1992 search COMORO I., GRAND COMORE. Between 1992 and 2011 search COMORO I., GRANDE COMORE
use: **Comoros, Ngazidja**
for coast use: **ISW, Comoros, Ngazidja**
see also: Comoro Islands
Mayotte
- Great Australian Bight
use: **ISW, Great Australian Bight**
- Great Barrier Reef**
note: before 1992 search ISEW, GREAT BARRIER REEF
for coast use: **ISEW, Australia, Queensland, Great Barrier Reef**
- Great Britain**
(equal to England + Scotland + Wales)
note: used for studies confined to England + Scotland + Wales
for coast use: **ANE, Great Britain**
see also: UK
Eire
- Great Lakes Africa
use: **Africa, Great Lakes**

Great Lakes North America
use: **North America, Great Lakes**

Greater Antarctica
note: Before 2016 search GREATER
ANTARCTICA
use: **Antarctica, Greater Antarctica**
for coast use: **PS, Antarctica, Greater
Antarctica**
use of a more specific entry is recommended,
e.g.:
**Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory,
Enderby Land** PSE
**Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory,
MacRobertson Land** PSE
**Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory,
Wilkes Land** PSE
**Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory, Coats
Land** PSW
Antarctica, Dronning Maud Land PSW
Antarctica, Victoria Land PSE
see also: Antarctica
Lesser Antarctica

Greater Antilles
includes:
Greater Antilles, Cuba
Greater Antilles, Hispaniola
Greater Antilles, Jamaica
Greater Antilles, Puerto Rico
use of a more specific entry is recommended
for coast use: **ASW, Greater Antilles**
see also: Lesser Antilles

Greater Burgan Field
use: **Kuwait, Greater Burgan Field**

Greater Sunda Islands
for coast use: **ISEW, Greater Sunda Islands**
has regions:
Borneo
Indonesia, Sulawesi
Indonesia, Java
Indonesia, Sumatra
see also: Lesser Sunda Islands

Greece
for coast use: **MED, Greece**
see also: Aegean Islands
Crete
Greek Islands
Ionian Islands

Greek Islands
includes: **Greece, Aegean Islands**
Greece, Crete
Greece, Ionian Islands
use of a more specific entry is recommended

for coast use: **MED, Greek Islands**

Greenland
for coast use:
ANE, Greenland (40|W east to 75|N)
or **ANW, Greenland** (40|W west to 78|N)
or **AN, Greenland** for both
or **PNW, Greenland** (78|N to 40|W on north
coast)
or **PNE, Greenland** (40|W to 75|N on north
coast)
or **PN, Greenland** for both

Greenland Sea
use: **ANE, Greenland Sea**
or **PNE, Greenland Sea**
or both as necessary

Greenland-Iceland Rise
use: **ANE, Greenland-Iceland Rise**

Grenada
(in Windward Islands)
note: before 1992 search GRENADA
use: **Windward Islands, Grenada**
for coast use: **ASW, Windward Islands,
Grenada**
see also: Carriacou Island
Windward Islands

Grenadines
use: **Windward Islands, Grenadines**
for coast use: **ASW, Windward Islands,
Grenadines**
use of a more specific region is recommended
regions:
Windward Islands, Grenada
**Windward Islands, Saint Vincent and the
Grenadines**

Grondin Field
use: **ASE, Gabon, Grondin Field**

Guadeloupe
(in Leeward Islands)
note: before 1992 search GUADELOUPE
use: **Leeward Islands, Guadeloupe**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands,
Guadeloupe**
see also: French West Indies
Leeward Islands
Lesser Antilles

Guam
(in Marianas)
note: before 1992 search ISEW, GUAM
use: **Marianas, Guam**
for coast use: **ISEW, Marianas, Guam**

- see also: Marianas
- Guaricema Field
use: **ASW, Brazil, Guaricema Field**
- Guatemala**
for west coast use: **ISE, Guatemala**
for east coast use: **ASW, Guatemala**
or use both as necessary
- Guatemala Trench
use: **ISE, Middle America Trench**
- Guayana Current
use: **ASW, Guyana Current**
- Guernsey
(in Channel Islands)
note: before 2016 search GUERNSEY
use: **Channel Islands, Guernsey**
for coast use: **ANE, Channel Islands, Guernsey**
see also: Channel Islands
- Guiana Current
use: **ASW, Guyana Current**
- Guinea**
for coast use: **ASE, Guinea**
- Guinea Basin
use: **ASE, Guinea Basin**
- Guinea Current
use: **ASE, Guinea Current**
- Guinea Gulf
note: before 2016 search ASE, GUINEA GULF
use: **ASE, Gulf of Guinea**
- Guinea-Bissau**
(formerly Portuguese Guinea)
for coast use: **ASE, Guinea-Bissau**
- Gujarat
use: **India, Gujarat**
for coast use: **ISW, India, Gujarat**
- Gulf of
see under name of Gulf
- Gulf of Chihli
use: **INW, Bohai Sea**
- Gulf Stream
use: **AN, Gulf Stream**
for more specific studies use:
ANE, Gulf Stream
- or **ANW, Gulf Stream**
or **ASW, Gulf Stream**
or any combination as appropriate
- Guyana**
(formerly British Guiana)
for coast use: **ASW, Guyana**
- Guyana Current
(equal to Guayana Current, equal to Guiana Current)
use: **ASW, Guyana Current**
- Haiti**
note: Haiti is a nation on the island of Hispaniola in the Greater Antilles.
Between 1992 and 2011 search GREATER ANTILLES, HAITI
for coast use: **ASW, Haiti**
see also: Greater Antilles, Hispaniola
- Halmahera Sea
use: **ISEW, Halmahera Sea**
- Harris Ridge
use: **PNE, Lomonosov Ridge**
- Haryana
use: **India, Haryana**
note: no coastline
- Hauraki Gulf
note: Before 2016 search PSE, HAURAKI GULF
use: **PSE, New Zealand, North Island, Hauraki Gulf**
- Hawaii
note: before 1992 search HAWAII
use: **USA, Hawaii**
for coast use: **ISE, USA, Hawaii**
includes:
USA, Hawaii, Hawaii Island
USA, Hawaii, Kahoolawe Island
USA, Hawaii, Kauai Island
USA, Hawaii, Kure Island
USA, Hawaii, Lanai Island
USA, Hawaii, Laysan Island
USA, Hawaii, Maui Island
USA, Hawaii, Molokai Island
USA, Hawaii, Niihau Island
USA, Hawaii, Oahu Island
which may be used as subentries
- Hawaii Island
use: **USA, Hawaii, Hawaii Island**
for coast use: **ISE, USA, Hawaii, Hawaii Island**

- Hawaiian Islands
use: **USA, Hawaii**
- Hawaiian Ridge
use: **ISE, Hawaiian Ridge**
- Heard Island
note: before 2016 search HEARD I.
use: **Australia, Heard and McDonald Islands, Heard Island**
for coast use: **PSE, Australia, Heard and McDonald Islands, Heard Island**
- Heather Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Heather Field**
- Hebrides
(equal to Inner Hebrides + Western Isles)
use: **UK, Scotland, Hebrides**
for coast use: **ANE, UK, Scotland, Hebrides**
for more specific studies see also:
Inner Hebrides
Western Isles
- Hebrides Sea
use: **ANE, Hebrides Sea**
- Helgoland
(equal to Heligoland)
note: before 1992 search GERMANY, FED. REP., HELGOLAND
use: **Germany, Helgoland**
for coast use: **ANE, North Sea, Germany, Helgoland**
see also: Germany
- Helgoland Bight
use: **ANE, North Sea, Germany, Helgoland Bight**
- Heligoland
use: **Germany, Helgoland**
- Hellenic Trough
use: **MED, Hellenic Trough**
- Henderson Island (Pitcairn Islands)
note: before 2016 search HENDERSON I.
use: **Pitcairn Islands, Henderson Island**
for coast use: **ISE, Pitcairn Islands, Henderson Island**
- Hercegovina
(now a region of Bosnia and Herzegovina)
use: **Herzegovina**
- Hereford and Worcester (English county)
note: before 2016 search BRITISH ISLES, ENGLAND, HEREFORD AND WORCESTER. Split into two counties in 1998 see **UK, England, Herefordshire** and **UK, England, Worcestershire**
- Herm
use: **Channel Islands, Herm**
for coast use: **ANE, Channel Islands, Herm**
see also: Channel Islands
- Herzegovina
(region of Bosnia and Herzegovina)
note: Before 2016 search YUGOSLAVIA, HERCEGOVINA
use: **Herzegovina**
for coast use: **MED, Bosnia and Herzegovina**
- Hessen
use: **Germany, Hessen**
- Hibernia Field
use: **ANW, Canada, Hibernia Field**
- Himachal Pradesh
use: **India, Himachal Pradesh**
note: no coastline
- Hispaniola
(The Republic of Haiti occupies the western third and the Dominican Republic the eastern two-thirds of the island.)
note: before 2016 search GREATER ANTILLES, DOMINICAN REP. and GREATER ANTILLES, HAITI
use: **Greater Antilles, Hispaniola**
for coast use: **ASW, Greater Antilles, Hispaniola**
for more specific studies use:
Dominican Republic
Haiti
- Hokkaido
use: **Japan, Hokkaido**
for coast use: **INW, Japan, Hokkaido**
- Holarctic Region
(equal to Nearctic + Palaeartic Regions)
(Zoogeographic entries only)
note: before 2016 search HOLARCTIC REGION
use: **Holarctic Ecozone**
- Holland
use: **Netherlands**
for coast use: **ANE, Netherlands**

- Hondo Field
use: **INE, Santa Barbara Channel, Hondo Field**
- Honduras**
for east coast use: **ASW, Honduras**
for west coast use: **ISE, Honduras**
or use both as necessary
- Honduras Gulf
note: before 2016 search ASW, HONDURAS GULF
use: **ASW, Gulf of Honduras**
- Hong Kong
note: before 2016 search HONG KONG
use: **China, People's Republic, Hong Kong Special Administrative Region**
for coast use: **ISEW, China, People's Republic, Hong Kong Special Administrative Region**
- Honshu
use: **Japan, Honshu**
for coast use: **INW, Japan, Honshu**
- Hoorn Islands
use: **Wallis and Futuna, Hoorn Islands**
for coast use: **ISE, Wallis and Futuna, Hoorn Islands**
includes:
Wallis and Futuna, Hoorn Islands, Alofi Wallis and Futuna, Hoorn Islands, Futuna
- Howe Sound
note: before 2016 search INE, HOWE SOUND
use: **INE, Canada, British Columbia, Howe Sound**
- Howland Island
(US administered)
use: **USA, Phoenix Islands, Howland Island**
for coast use: **ISE, USA, Phoenix Islands, Howland Island**
see also: Phoenix Islands
- Huang Hai
use: **INW, Huanghai Sea**
- Huang Hai Sea Warm Current
use: **IW, Huanghai Sea Warm Current**
or for more specific studies:
ISEW, Huanghai Sea Warm Current
or **INW, Huanghai Sea Warm Current**
- Huanghai Sea
(equal to Huang Hai, equal to Hwang Hai, equal to Yellow Sea)
note: before 1992 search YELLOW SEA
use: **INW, Huanghai Sea**
see also: Korea Sea
- Huanghai Sea Warm Current
note: before 1992 search HUANG HAI SEA WARM CURRENT
use: **IW, Huanghai Sea Warm Current**
or for more specific studies:
ISEW, Huanghai Sea Warm Current
or **INW, Huanghai Sea Warm Current**
- Huang He River
(equal to Yellow River)
note: before 2016 search CHINA, PEOPLE'S REP., HUANGHE R.
use: **China, People's Republic, Huang He River**
for more specific studies use:
China, People's Republic, Gansu Province, Huang He River
China, People's Republic, Henan Province, Huang He River
China, People's Republic, Nei Monggol, Huang He River
China, People's Republic, Ningxia Hui Autonomous Region, Huang He River
China, People's Republic, Qinghai Province, Huang He River
China, People's Republic, Shaanxi Province, Huang He River
China, People's Republic, Shandong Province, Huang He River
China, People's Republic, Shanxi Province, Huang He River
China, People's Republic, Sichuan Province, Huang He River
- Hudson Bay
note: before 2016 search PNW, HUDSON BAY
use: **PNW, Canada, Hudson Bay**
see also: James Bay
- Hudson Strait
use: **PNW, Canada, Hudson Strait**
- Hueneme Field
use: **INE, Santa Barbara Channel, Hueneme Field**
- Humberside (English county)
note: before 2016 search BRITISH ISLES, ENGLAND, HUMBERSIDE. County name changed to East Riding of Yorkshire in 1996 see – **UK, England, East Riding of Yorkshire**

Humboldt Current

(equal to Peru Current)

use: **ISE, Humboldt Current**
or **PSW, Humboldt Current**
or both as necessary

Hungary

note: no coastline

Hungary, Danube River

see also: Europe, Danube River

Austria, Danube River
Bulgaria, Danube River
MED, Black Sea, Danube Delta
MED, Black Sea, Romania, Danube Delta
MED, Black Sea, Ukraine, Danube Delta
Germany, Danube River
Romania, Danube River
Serbia, Danube River
Slovakia, Danube River

Hungary, Lake Balaton

Huron Lake

note: before 2016 search NORTH AMERICA,
HURON L.

use: **North America, Lake Huron**
for more specific studies use:
Canada, Ontario, Lake Huron
USA, Lake Huron

Hutton Field

use: **ANE, North Sea, Hutton Field**

Hwang Hai

use: **INW, Huanghai Sea**

Hydrosphere

use: **World Waters**

IAEA

(used for International Atomic Energy Agency)

Iapetus Ocean

(Earth history)

Iberian Sea

use: **MED, Balearic Sea**

Ibiza

note: before 1992 search BALEARIC I., IBIZA

use: **Spain, Balearic Islands, Ibiza**
for coast use: **MED, Spain, Balearic Islands,**
Ibiza

see also: Balearic Islands

IBSFC Fishing Area

use: **ANE**

Iceland

for coast use: **ANE, Iceland**

Iceland Sea

use: **ANE, Iceland Sea**

Iceland-Faeroe Ridge

use: **ANE, Iceland-Faeroe Ridge**

ICNAF Fishing Area

now: NAFO Fishing Area

use: **ANW**

ICSEAF Fishing Area

use: **ASE**
and **PSW, Africa**

Ifalik Atoll

note: before 1992 search CAROLINE I., IFALIK
ATOLL

use: **Caroline Islands, Federated States of**
Micronesia, Yap, Ifalik Atoll

for coast use: **ISEW, Caroline Islands,**
Federated States of Micronesia, Yap,
Ifalik Atoll

Ijsselmeer

use: **ANE, Zuiderzee**

Iles du Vent Islands

use: **French Polynesia, Society Islands,**
Windward Group

India

use of a more specific entry is recommended,
e.g.:

India, Andhra Pradesh

for sea areas bordering states enter the code,
then India, then the state name if
applicable,

e.g.: ISW, India, Andhra Pradesh

STATE

CODE

India, Andaman and Nicobar Islands ISW

India, Andhra Pradesh ISW

India, Arunachal Pradesh no coast

India, Assam no coast

India, Bihar no coast

India, Chandigarh no coast

India, Chhattisgarh no coast

India, Dadra and Nagar Haveli no coast

India, Daman and Diu ISW

India, Daman ISW

India, Delhi no coast

India, Diu ISW

India, Goa ISW

India, Gujarat ISW

India, Haryana no coast

India, Himachal Pradesh	no coast
India, Jammu and Kashmir	no coast
India, Jharkhand	no coast
India, Karnataka	ISW
India, Kerala	ISW
India, Lakshadweep	ISW
India, Madhya Pradesh	no coast
India, Maharashtra	ISW
India, Manipur	no coast
India, Meghalaya	no coast
India, Mizoram	no coast
India, Nagaland	no coast
India, Orissa	ISW
India, Puducherry	ISW

(note: before 2016 search India, Pondicherry)

India, Punjab	no coast
India, Rajasthan	no coast
India, Sikkim	no coast
India, Tamil Nadu	ISW
India, Tripura	no coast
India, Uttar Pradesh	no coast
India, Uttarakhand	no coast

(note: before 2016 search India, Uttar Pradesh)

India, West Bengal ISW

for coasts extending over more than one state boundary use:

ISW, India, East Coast
or **ISW, India, West Coast**

or both as necessary

see also: Andaman Islands

Laccadive Islands

Nicobar Islands

India, Ganges River

see also: Asia, Ganges River

Bangladesh, Ganges River

ISW, India, West Bengal, Ganges Delta

Nepal, Ganges River

Indian-Antarctic Basin

use: **PSE, South Indian Basin**

Indian Ocean

use of a more specific entry is recommended

use: **ISW, Indian Ocean**

or **PSE, Indian Ocean**

or **PSW, Indian Ocean**

or any combination as necessary

for more general studies use:

ISW (includes Red Sea, Persian Gulf, and South Australia but excludes the South Polar areas)

for more specific studies use:

ISW, Central Indian Ocean

ISW, East Indian Ocean

PSE, East Indian Ocean

ISW, Equatorial Indian Ocean

ISW, North Indian Ocean

ISW, South Indian Ocean

PSE, South Indian Ocean

PSW, South Indian Ocean

ISW, Subtropical Indian Ocean

ISW, Tropical Indian Ocean

ISW, West Indian Ocean

PSW, West Indian Ocean

see also: **I, Indo-Pacific**

Indian Ocean Islands

use of a more specific entry is recommended

for coast use: **ISW, Indian Ocean Islands**

Indian Plate

Indic Sea

(Earth history)

Indo-Pacific

(region of Indian and West Pacific Oceans off the coast of South East Asia)

use of a more specific entry is recommended

use: **I, Indo-Pacific**

Indomalayan Ecozone

(equal to Oriental Region)

(Zoogeographic entries only)

note: before 2016 search **ORIENTAL REGION**

Indonesia

use of a subentry is recommended, e.g.:

Indonesia, Java

Indonesia, Java, East Java, Madura

Indonesia, Kalimantan (part of Borneo)

Indonesia, Lesser Sunda Islands

Indonesia, Lesser Sunda Islands, Bali

Indonesia, Moluccas

Indonesia, Papua

Indonesia, Rakata Island

Indonesia, Sulawesi (equals Celebes)

Indonesia, Sumatra

Indonesia, Sumatra, Bangka Island

Indonesia, Sumatra, Billiton

Indonesia, West Papua

for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia**

Inland Sea of Japan

use: **INW, Japan Inland Sea**

Inner Hebrides

(in UK Highland Region)

note: before 2016 search **BRITISH ISLES, SCOTLAND, HIGHLAND**

includes: Islay

Jura

Mull

Skye

excludes the islands of the Clyde

use: **UK, Scotland, Inner Hebrides**
for coast use: **ANE, UK, Scotland, Inner Hebrides**
see also: Hebrides
Western Isles

Inner Mongolia
use: **China, People's Republic, Inner Mongolia Autonomous Region**

Intergovernmental Organizations

note: The following may be used for papers about the corresponding regions:

Arab League

ASEAN (Association of South East Asian Nations)

CARICOM (Caribbean Community and Common Market)

Council of Europe

EFTA (European Free Trade Association)

EU (European Union)

NATO (North Atlantic Treaty Organization)

Nordic Council

OAS (Organization of American States)

OAU (Organization of African Unity)

ODECA (Organization of Central American States)

OECD (Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development)

SEATO (South East Asia Treaty Organization)

SPC (South Pacific Commission)

International Atomic Energy Agency
use: **IAEA**

Io To
use: **Japan, Bonin Islands, Volcano Islands, Iwo Jima**

IOFC Fishing Area
use: **ISW**
and **PSE**

Ionian Islands
note: before 1992 search IONIAN I.
use of a more specific entry is recommended
use: **Greece, Ionian Islands**
for coast use: **MED, Greece, Ionian Islands**
see also: Corfu (Kerkira)
Greece

Ionian Sea
use: **MED, Ionian Sea**

IPFC Fishing Area
use: **I**
and: **PS**

Iran
(formerly Persia)
for coast use: **ISW, Iran**

Iran Gulf
Use: **ISW, Persian Gulf**

Iran Plate

Iranian Gulf
use: **ISW, Persian Gulf**

Iraq
for coast use: **ISW, Iraq**

Ireland
(equal to Northern Ireland + Eire)
use of a more specific entry is recommended
for coast use: **ANE, Ireland**
see also: UK (for Northern Ireland)
Eire (for Southern Ireland)

Irian Jaya
(equal to Papua, in Indonesia)
note before 2016 search INDONESIA, IRIAN JAYA
use: **Indonesia, Papua**
for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia, Papua**
see also: Indonesia
New Guinea
Papua New Guinea

Irish Republic
use: **Eire**

Irish Sea
use: **ANE, Irish Sea**

Irminga Current
use: **ANE, Irminger Current**

Irminger Current
(equal to Irminga Current)
use: **ANE, Irminger Current**

Irminger Sea
use: **ANE, Irminger Sea**

Iroise Sea
note: before 1992 search ANE, IROISE SEA
use: **ANE, France, Brittany, Finistere, Iroise Sea**

Isla Grande de Tierra del Fuego
use: **South America, Tierra del Fuego**

Islas Malvinas
use: **Falkland Islands**

Isle of Man

for coast use: **ANE, Isle of Man**
see also: British Isles
UK

Israel

for coast (Mediterranean) use:
MED, Israel
for coast (Gulf of Aqaba - Gulf of Elat) use:
ISW, Israel
or both as necessary
see also: Palestinian Territory
Palestine (proposed State)

Israel, Dead Sea

use: **Dead Sea, Israel**
see also:
Dead Sea, Jordan
for the whole Sea use: **Levant, Dead Sea**

Israel, Jordan River

see also: **Jordan, Jordan River**
Syria, Jordan River
for all use: **Levant, Jordan River**

Israel, Lake Kinneret

(equal to Galilee, Sea of, equal to Lake
Tiberias)
note: before 2016 search ISRAEL,
KINNERET L.

Italy

note: use of a more specific region is
recommended

for coast use: **MED, Italy**

REGION	COAST
Italy, Abruzzo	MED
Italy, Aosta Valley	no coast
Italy, Apulia	MED
Italy, Basilicata	MED
Italy, Calabria	MED
Italy, Campania	MED
Italy, Emilia-Romagna	MED
Italy, Friuli-Venezia Giulia	MED
Italy, Lazio	MED
Italy, Liguria	MED
Italy, Lombardy	no coast
Italy, Marche	MED
Italy, Molise	MED
Italy, Piedmont	no coast
Italy, Sardinia	MED
Italy, Sicily	MED
Italy, Trentino-Alto Adige	no coast
Italy, Tuscany	MED
Italy, Umbria	no coast
Italy, Veneto	MED

Italy, Lake Lugano

note: before 2016 search ITALY, LUGANO L.
see also: Europe, Lake Lugano
Switzerland, Lake Lugano

Italy, Lake Maggiore

note: before 2016 search ITALY, MAGGIORE
L.
see also: Europe, Lake Maggiore
Switzerland, Lake Maggiore

Iturup Island

note: before 1992 search USSR, RUSSIA,
KURIL I., ITURUP I. Between 1992 and
2011 search RUSSIA, KURIL I., ITURUP I.
use: **Russia, Far Eastern, Sakhalin, Kuril
Islands, Iturup Island**
for coast use **INW, Russia, Far Eastern,
Sakhalin, Kuril Islands, Iturup Island**

Ivory Coast

Use: **Cote d'Ivoire**

Iwo Jima

(equal to Iwo To in Volcano Islands)
note: Before 1992 search IWO JIMA. Between
1992 and 2011 search JAPAN,
VOLCANO I., IWO JIMA
use: **Japan, Bonin Islands, Volcano Islands,
Iwo Jima**
for coast use: **ISEW, Japan, Bonin Islands,
Volcano Islands, Iwo Jima**
see also: Volcano Islands

Iwo To

use: **Japan, Bonin Islands, Volcano Islands,
Iwo Jima**

Jacques-Cartier Strait

use: **ANW, Canada, Quebec, Jacques-Cartier
Strait**

Jaluit

use: **Marshall Islands, Jaluit**
for coast use: **ISEW, Marshall Islands, Jaluit**
see also: Marshall Islands

Jamaica

note: before 1992 search JAMAICA
use: **Greater Antilles, Jamaica**
for coast use: **ASW, Greater Antilles,
Jamaica**
see also: Greater Antilles

James Bay

note: before 1992 search PNW, JAMES BAY
use: **PNW, Canada, James Bay**
see also: Hudson Bay

Jammu and Kashmir

use: **India, Jammu and Kashmir**

note: no coastline

Jan Mayen

note: before 1992 search JAN MAYEN

use: **Norway, Jan Mayen**

for coast use: **ANE, Norway, Jan Mayen**

see also: Norway

Japan

note: before 1992 for Okinawa search

OKINAWA, and for Okinawa coasts

search ISEW, OKINAWA

use of a more specific entry is recommended,

e.g.: Japan, Honshu, Aichi Prefecture

for sea areas bordering prefectures enter the

code, then Japan, then island and

prefecture names if possible, e.g.: INW,

Japan, Honshu, Aichi Prefecture

ISLAND

CODE

Japan, Hokkaido

INW

Japan, Honshu

INW

Japan, Kyushu

INW

Japan, Shikoku

INW

Japan, Nansei Islands

ISEW

PREFECTURE

CODE

Japan, Hokkaido, Hokkaido Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Aichi Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Akita Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Aomori Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Chiba Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Fukui Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Fukushima Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Gifu Prefecture

no coast

Japan, Honshu, Gumma Prefecture

no coast

Japan, Honshu, Hiroshima Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Hyogo Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Ibaraki Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Ishikawa Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Iwate Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Kanagawa Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Kyoto Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Mie Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Miyagi Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Nagano Prefecture

no coast

Japan, Honshu, Nara Prefecture

no coast

Japan, Honshu, Niigata Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Okayama Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Osaka Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Saitama Prefecture

no coast

Japan, Honshu, Shiga Prefecture

no coast

Japan, Honshu, Shimane Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Shizuoka Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Tochigi Prefecture

no coast

Japan, Honshu, Tokyo Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Tottori Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Toyama Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Wakayama Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Yamagata Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Yamaguchi Prefecture

INW

Japan, Honshu, Yamanashi Prefecture

no coast

Japan, Kyushu, Fukuoka Prefecture

INW

Japan, Kyushu, Kagoshima Prefecture

INW

Japan, Kyushu, Kumamoto Prefecture

INW

Japan, Kyushu, Miyazaki Prefecture

INW

Japan, Kyushu, Nagasaki Prefecture

INW

Japan, Kyushu, Oita Prefecture

INW

Japan, Kyushu, Saga Prefecture

INW

Japan, Shikoku, Ehime Prefecture

INW

Japan, Shikoku, Kagawa Prefecture

INW

Japan, Shikoku, Kochi Prefecture

INW

Japan, Shikoku, Tokushima Prefecture

INW

Japan, Nansei Islands, Ryukyu Islands,

Okinawa Prefecture

ISEW

see also: Amami Islands

Bonin Islands

Daito Islands

Ryu-kyu Islands

Volcano Islands

Japan Inland Sea

(equal to Seto Naikai)

use: **INW, Japan Inland Sea**

Japan Sea

(used for East Sea)

use: **INW, Japan Sea**

see also: Korea Sea

Japan Trench

use: **INW, Japan Trench**

Jarvis Island

(US administered)

note: before 2016 search LINE I., JARVIS I.

use: **USA, Line Islands, Jarvis Island**

for coast use: **ISE, USA, Line Islands, Jarvis**

Island

see also: Line Islands

Java

(equal to Jawa, in Indonesia)

use: **Indonesia, Java**

for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia, Java**

see also: Indonesia

Java Sea

use: **ISEW, Java Sea**

Java Trench

(equal to Sunda Trench)

use: **ISEW, Java Trench**

Jawa
use: **Indonesia, Java**

Jersey
(in Channel Islands)
use: **Channel Islands, Jersey**
for coast use: **ANE, Channel Islands, Jersey**
see also: Channel Islands

Jethou
use: **Channel Islands, Jethou**
for coast use: **ANE, Channel Islands, Jethou**
see also: Channel Islands

Jharkhand
use: **India, Jharkhand**
note: no coastline

Johnston Island
(US administered)
for coast use: **ISE, Johnston Island**

Jordan
(equal to Jourdain)
for coast use: **ISW, Jordan**

Jordan River
note: before 2016 search ISRAEL, JORDAN R.
and JORDAN, JORDAN R.
use: **Levant, Jordan River**
for more specific studies use:
Israel, Jordan River
or **Jordan, Jordan River**
or **Syria, Jordan River**

Jordan, Dead Sea
use: **Dead Sea, Jordan**
see also:
Dead Sea, Israel
for the whole Sea use: **Levant, Dead Sea**

Jordan, Jordan River
see also: **Israel, Jordan River**
Levant, Jordan River
Syria, Jordan River

Jourdain
use: **Jordan**

Juan de Fuca Ridge
use: **INE, Juan de Fuca Ridge**

Juan de Fuca Strait
use: **INE, Juan de Fuca Strait**

Juan Fernandez Islands
note: before 1992 search JUAN FERNANDEZ I.
includes: Alexander Selkirk Island (Isla Mas

Afuera)
Robinson Crusoe Island (Isla Mas a Tierra)
use: **Chile, Juan Fernandez Islands**
for coast use: **PSW, Chile, Juan Fernandez Islands**
see also: Chile

Juetland
use: **Denmark, Jutland**

Jutland
(equal to Juetland, equal to Jylland)
use: **Denmark, Jutland**
for coast use: **ANE, Denmark, Jutland**
see also: Denmark

Jylland
use: **Denmark, Jutland**

Kachchh Gulf
use: **ISW, India, Gujarat, Gulf of Kutch**

Kahoolawe
note: before 1992 search HAWAII
use: **USA, Hawaii, Kahoolawe Island**
for coast use: **ISE, USA, Hawaii, Kahoolawe Island**
see also: Hawaii

Kainji Lake
use: **Nigeria, Kainji Lake**

Kamaran Island
use: **Yemen, Kamaran Island**
for coast use: **ISW, Yemen, Kamaran Island**

Kamchatka Current
use: **INW, Kamchatka Current**

Kamchatka Peninsula
note: before 1992 search USSR, KAMCHATKA
Between 1992 and 2011 search RUSSIA,
KAMCHATKA
use: **Russia, Far Eastern, Kamchatka, Kamchatka Peninsula**
for coast use: **INW, Russia, Far Eastern, Kamchatka, Kamchatka Peninsula**
see also: Commander Islands

Kampuchea
use: **Cambodia**

Kanton Island
use: **Kiribati, Phoenix Islands, Canton Island**

Kapingamarangi Rise
(equal to Caroline-Solomon Ridge)
use: **ISEW, Kapingamarangi Rise**

Kara Sea
use: **PNE, Kara Sea**

Kariba Lake
note: before 2016 search AFRICA, KARIBA L.
use: **Africa, Lake Kariba**
for more specific studies use:
Zambia, Lake Kariba
Zimbabwe, Lake Kariba

Karnataka
use: **India, Karnataka**
for coast use: **ISW, India, Karnataka**

Kashmir
use: **India, Jammu and Kashmir**
note: no coastline

Kattegat
use: **ANE, Kattegat**
see also: Baltic Sea

Kauai
note: before 1992 search HAWAII
use: **USA, Hawaii, Kauai Island**
for coast use: **ISE, USA, Hawaii, Kauai Island**
see also: Hawaii

Kazakhstan
note: before 1992 search USSR,
KAZAKHSTAN
for coast use: **Kazakhstan, Caspian Sea**

Kazakhstan, Aral Sea
note: before 1992 search USSR, ARAL SEA
see also: **Uzbekistan, Aral Sea**
Eurasia, Aral Sea

Keeling Islands
use: **Australia, Cocos (Keeling) Islands**

Kemp Land
use: **Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, Kemp Land**
for coast use: **PSE, Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, Kemp Land**

Kenai Current
use: **INE, Kenai Current**

Kenya
for coast use: **ISW, Kenya**

PROVINCE	CODE
Kenya, Central	no coast
Kenya, Coast	ISW
Kenya, Eastern	no coast
Kenya, Nairobi	no coast

Kenya, North Eastern no coast
Kenya, Nyanza no coast
Kenya, Rift Valley no coast
Kenya, Western no coast

Kenya, Lake Victoria
note: before 2016 search KENYA, VICTORIA L.
see also: Africa, Lake Victoria
Tanzania, Lake Victoria
Uganda, Lake Victoria

Kerala
use: **India, Kerala**
for coast use: **ISW, India, Kerala**

Kerguelen Basin
use: **ISW, Crozet Basin**

Kerguelen Islands
note: before 1992 search KERGUELEN I.
Between 1992 and 2011 search
ANTARCTICA, FRENCH AUSTRAL AND
ANTARCTIC TERR., KERGUELEN I.
use: **Antarctica, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Kerguelen Islands**
for coast use: **PSE, Antarctica, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Kerguelen Islands**
see also: **French Southern and Antarctic Lands**

Kerguelen Plateau
(equal to Kerguelen-Gaussberg Ridge)
use: **PSE, Kerguelen Plateau**

Kerguelen-Gaussberg Ridge
use: **PSE, Kerguelen Plateau**

Kermadec Islands
note: before 1992 search KERMADEC I.
use: **New Zealand, Kermadec Islands**
for coast use: **PSW, New Zealand, Kermadec Islands**
see also: New Zealand

Kermadec Trench
use: **PSW, Kermadec Trench**

Khalij Surt
use: **MED, Libya, Gulf of Sirte**

Khambhat Gulf
(equal to Cambay Gulf)
use: **ISW, India, Gujarat, Gulf of Khambhat**

Khambhat Gulf
(equal to Cambay Gulf)
use: **ISW, India, Gujarat, Gulf of Khambhat**

Kiel Bight

note: before 1992 search ANE, KIEL BIGHT.
Between 1992 and 2011 search ANE,
BALTIC, KIEL BIGHT
use: **ANE, Baltic Sea, Kiel Bight**
see also: Baltic Sea

King Edward VII Land

use: **Antarctica, Ross Dependency, King Edward VII Land**
for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, Ross Dependency, King Edward VII Land**

King Haakon VII Sea

use: **PS, King Haakon VII Sea**

Kingman Reef

(US administered)
note: Before 2016 search LINE I., KINGMAN REEF
use: **USA, Line Islands, Kingman Reef**
for coast use: **ISE, USA, Line Islands, Kingman Reef**
see also: Line Islands

Kinneret Lake

(equal to Galilee, Sea of, equal to Lake Tiberias)
use: **Israel, Lake Kinneret**

Kirghizia

use: **Kyrgyzstan**

Kiribati

(formerly Gilbert Islands)
includes:
Kiribati, Banaba
Kiribati, Line Islands, Christmas Island
Kiribati, Gilbert Islands, Onotoa Island
Kiribati, Phoenix Islands (see also USA, Phoenix Islands)
Kiribati, Gilbert Islands, Tarawa
for coast use: use **ISEW, Kiribati** (Banaba and Gilbert Islands) or **ISE, Kiribati** (Line Islands and Phoenix Islands) or both for the whole country
see also: Line Islands
Phoenix Islands

Kiritimati

use: **Kiribati, Line Islands, Christmas Island**

Kivu Lake

note: before 2016 search AFRICA, KIVU L.
use: **Africa, Lake Kivu**
see also:
Republic of the Congo, Lake Kivu
Rwanda, Lake Kivu

Knox Basin

use: **PSE, South Indian Basin**

Kodiak Island

note: before 1992 search KODIAK I.
use: **USA, Alaska, Kodiak Islands, Kodiak Island**
for coast use: **INE, USA, Alaska, Kodiak Islands, Kodiak Island**

Kodiak Islands (archipelago)

note: before 1992 search KODIAK I.
use: **USA, Alaska, Kodiak Islands**
for coast use: **INE, USA, Alaska, Kodiak Islands**

Kola Peninsula

note: before 1992 search USSR, RUSSIA, KOLA PENINSULA. Between 1992 and 2011 search RUSSIA, KOLA PENINSULA
use: **Russia, Northwestern, Murmansk, Kola Peninsula**
for coast use: **PNE, Russia, Northwestern, Murmansk, Kola Peninsula**

Kolkata

(equal to Calcutta)
use: **India, West Bengal, Kolkata**

Korea

use: **Korea, Democratic People's Republic** (North Korea)
Korea, Republic (South Korea)

Korea Sea

note: Before 1992 search INW, KOREA SEA
Now use: **INW, Huanghai Sea** for the sea off the west coast and **INW, Japan Sea** for the sea off the east coast or both as necessary

Korea Strait

use: **INW, Korea Strait**

Korea, Democratic People's Republic

(equal to North Korea)
for coast use: **INW, Korea, Democratic People's Republic**
see also: Korea, Republic

Korea, Republic

(equal to South Korea)
for coast use: **INW, Korea, Republic**
see also: Korea, Democratic People's Republic

Kosrae

(part of Federated States of Micronesia)

use: **Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Kosrae**
for coast use: **ISEW, Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Kosrae**
see also: Micronesia (nation)

Kotor Bay

note: The Bay of Kotor is part of Dalmatia. For studies that include all of the Dalmatia region use **Croatia, Dalmatia** and **MED, Montenegro, Bay of Kotor**
use: **MED, Montenegro, Bay of Kotor**

Krakatau Island

use: **Indonesia, Rakata Island**

Kunashir Island

note: before 1992 search USSR, RUSSIA, KURIL I., KUNASHIR I. Between 1992 and 2011 search RUSSIA, KURIL I., KUNASHIR I.
use: **Russia, Far Eastern, Sakhalin, Kuril Islands, Kunashir Island**
for coast use: **INW, Russia, Far Eastern, Sakhalin, Kuril Islands, Kunashir Island**

Kure Island

(equal to Ocean Island, in Hawaiian Islands)
note: before 1992 search HAWAII, KURE I.
use: **USA, Hawaii, Kure Island**
for coast use: **ISE, USA, Hawaii, Kure Island**
see also: Hawaii

Kuril Islands

(equal to Kurile Islands)
note: Before 1992 search KURIL I. Between 1992 and 2011 search RUSSIA, KURIL I.
use: **Russia, Far Eastern, Sakhalin, Kuril Islands**
for coast use: **INW, Russia, Far Eastern, Sakhalin, Kuril Islands**
see also: Iturup Island
Kunashir Island
Onekotan Island

Kuril Trench

(equal to Kurile-Kamchatka Trench)
use: **INW, Kuril Trench**

Kurile-Kamchatka Trench

use: **INW, Kuril Trench**

Kuro Siwo Current

see: Kuroshio Current

Kuroshio Countercurrent

note: before 1992 search INW, KUROSHIO COUNTERCURRENT

use: **IW, Kuroshio Countercurrent**
for more specific studies use:
INW, Kuroshio Countercurrent
or **ISEW, Kuroshio Countercurrent**

Kuroshio Current

(equal to Kuro Siwo Current)
note: before 1992 search INW, KUROSHIO CURRENT
use: **IW, Kuroshio Current**
for more specific studies use:
INW, Kuroshio Current
or **ISEW, Kuroshio Current**

Kuroshio Extension Current

note: before 1992 search INW, KUROSHIO EXTENSION CURRENT
use: **IW, Kuroshio Extension Current**
for more specific studies use:
INW, Kuroshio Extension Current
or **ISEW, Kuroshio Extension Current**

Kutch Gulf

(equal to Kachchh Gulf)
note: before 1992 search ISW, KUTCH GULF
use: **ISW, India, Gujarat, Gulf of Kutch**

Kuwait

for coast use: **ISW, Kuwait**

Kwajalein

use: **Marshall Islands, Kwajalein**
for coast use: **ISEW, Marshall Islands, Kwajalein**
see also: Marshall Islands

Kyrgyzstan

(equal to Kirgistan, equal to Kyrgyz Republic)
no coastline
note: before 1992 search USSR, KIRGHIZIA. Between 1992 and 2011 search KIRGHIZIA

Kyushu

use: **Japan, Kyushu**

Kyushu-Palau Ridge

use: **ISEW, Kyushu-Palau Ridge**

La Palma

use: **Spain, Canary Islands, La Palma**
for coast use: **ASE, Spain, Canary Islands, La Palma**
see also: Canary Islands

La Plata, Rio de

note: only if referring to it as a river. If using the term to refer to the estuary see entry for

Rio de la Plata
 use: **South America, Rio de la Plata**
 for more specific studies use:
Argentina, Rio de la Plata
Uruguay, Rio de la Plata

Labrador Current
 use: **ANW, Labrador Current**

Labrador Sea
 use: **ANW, Labrador Sea**

Lac Lemán
 use: **Europe, Lake Geneva**
 for more specific studies use:
France, Lake Geneva
Switzerland, Lake Geneva

Laccadive Islands
 (part of the Lakshadweep union territory of India)
 note: before 1992 search ISW, LACCADIVE I.
 Between 1992 and 2011 search INDIA,
 LACCADIVE I.
 use: **India, Lakshadweep, Laccadive Islands**
 for coast use: **ISW, India, Lakshadweep,**
Laccadive Islands

Laccadive Sea
 use: **ISW, Laccadive Sea**

Ladoga Lake
 note: before 1992 search USSR, LADOGA L.
 Between 1992 and 2011 search USSR,
 RUSSIA, LADOGA L.
 use: **Russia, Lake Ladoga**
 for more specific studies use:
Russia, Northwestern, Leningrad, Lake
Ladoga
 or **Russia, Northwestern, Karelia, Lake**
Ladoga

Lake ...
 see under name of Lake

Lake Kainji
 see Kainji Lake

Lake District (England)
 use: **UK, England, Cumbria, Lake District**

Lake Districts
 see indexing instructions

Lakshadweep
 use: **India, Lakshadweep**
 for coast use: **ISW, India, Lakshadweep**
 for more specific studies use:
India, Lakshadweep, Amindivi Islands

India, Lakshadweep, Laccadive Islands
India, Lakshadweep, Laccadive Islands
Minicoy Island

Lanai
 note: before 1992 search HAWAII
 use: **USA, Hawaii, Lanai Island**
 for coast use: **ISE, USA, Hawaii, Lanai Island**
 see also: Hawaii

Lanzarote
 use: **Spain, Canary Islands, Lanzarote**
 for coast use: **ASE, Spain, Canary Islands,**
Lanzarote
 see also: Canary Islands

Lao
 (equal to Laos and Lao People's Democratic
 Republic)
 note: before 2016 search LAO, PEOPLE'S
 DEM. REP.
 note: no coastline

Lao, Mekong River
 note: before 2016 search LAO, PEOPLE'S
 DEM. REP., MEKONG R.
 see also: Asia, Mekong River
 Cambodia, Mekong River
 China, People's Republic, Mekong River
 ISEW, Viet Nam, Mekong River Delta
 Region, Mekong Delta
 Myanmar, Mekong River
 Thailand, Mekong River
 Viet Nam, Mekong River

Laos
 see: **Lao**

Lapland (historic province)
 use: **Finland, Lapland**
 or **Sweden, Lapland**
 or both as necessary
 for coast use: **ANE, Finland, Lapland**
 or **ANE, Sweden, Lapland**
 or both as necessary

Laptev Sea
 (equal to Laptevykh More, equal to
 Nordenskjöld Sea)
 use: **PNE, Laptev Sea**

Laptevykh More
 use: **PNE, Laptev Sea**

Latin America
 (Central and South America, Mexico and
 Spanish speaking Caribbean)
 use of a more specific entry is recommended

Latin America Coasts

use of a more specific entry is recommended

Latvia

note: before 1992 search USSR, LATVIA
for coast use: **ANE, Latvia**

Lau Basin

use: **ISE, Lau Basin**
or **ISEW, Lau Basin**
or both as necessary

Laurasia

(Earth history)

Laurentia

(Earth history)

Laurentian Basin

use: **PNW, Canada Basin**

Laysan Island

note: before 1992 search HAWAII, LAYSAN I.
use: **USA, Hawaii, Laysan Island**
for coast use: **ISE, USA, Hawaii, Laysan Island**
see also: Hawaii

Lazarev Sea

use: **PSW, Lazarev Sea**

Lebanon

for coast use: **MED, Lebanon**

Leeuwin Current

use: **ISW, Leeuwin Current**

Leeward Islands

(in Lesser Antilles)

use of a more specific entry is recommended,

e.g.:

Leeward Islands, Anguilla
Leeward Islands, Antigua and Barbuda
Leeward Islands, Guadeloupe
Leeward Islands, Montserrat
Leeward Islands, Saint Kitts and Nevis

for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands**

see also:

British Virgin Islands
Lesser Antilles
Netherlands Antilles
US Virgin Islands
Windward Islands

Leman Lake

note: before 2016 search EUROPE,
GENEVA L.

use: **Europe, Lake Geneva**

for more specific studies use:

France, Lake Geneva
Switzerland, Lake Geneva

Lemnos

use: **Greece, Aegean Islands, Limnos**

Lemuria

(Earth history)

Lesotho

(formerly Basutoland)
note: no coastline

Lesser Antarctica

note: before 1992 search LESSER
ANTARCTICA

includes:

Antarctica, Lesser Antarctica, Ellsworth Land
Antarctica, Lesser Antarctica, Marie Byrd Land

use: **Antarctica, Lesser Antarctica**
for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, Lesser Antarctica**

see also: Antarctica

Australian Antarctic Territory
British Antarctic Territory
Dronning Maud Land
French Southern and Antarctic Lands
Ross Dependency

Lesser Antilles

(equal to Leeward Islands + Netherlands
Antilles + Windward Islands)

use of a more specific entry is recommended
for coast use: **ASW, Lesser Antilles**

see also:

Greater Antilles
Leeward Islands
Netherlands Antilles
Windward Islands

Lesser Caucasian Plate

Lesser Sunda Islands

use of a more specific entry is recommended
for coast use: **ISEW, Lesser Sunda Islands**

see also: Indonesia
Timor

Levant

note: An imprecise term, Levant refers to an area of cultural habitation rather than to a specific geographic region, and its meaning shifts according to historical and cultural reference. Use of one or more of

the regions listed below is recommended:

Israel
Jordan
Lebanon
Syria

Levant, Dead Sea

note: before 2016 search ISRAEL, DEAD SEA
and JORDAN, DEAD SEA
for more detailed studies use:
Dead Sea, Israel
or **Dead Sea, Jordan**

Liberia

for coast use: **ASE, Liberia**

Libya

for coast use: **MED, Libya**

Liechtenstein

note: no coastline

Ligurian Current

use: **MED, Ligurian Current**

Ligurian Sea

use: **MED, Ligurian Sea**

Limnos

(equal to Lemnos)
note: before 1992 search AEGEAN I., LIMNOS
use: **Greece, Aegean Islands, Limnos**
for coast use: **MED, Greece, Aegean Islands, Limnos**
see also: Aegean Islands

Lincoln Sea

use: **PNW, Lincoln Sea**

Line Islands

(part in Kiribati, part USA administered)
includes:
Kiribati, Line Islands, Caroline Island
Kiribati, Line Islands, Christmas Island
USA, Line Islands, Jarvis Island
USA, Line Islands, Kingman Reef
USA, Line Islands, Palmyra
for coast use: **ISE, Line Islands**

Lion Gulf

(equal to Golfe du Lion)
note: before 2016 search MED, LION GULF
use: **MED, France, Gulf of Lion**

Lithuania

note: before 1992 search USSR, LITHUANIA
for coast use: **ANE, Lithuania**

Liverpool Bay

use: **ANE, UK, Liverpool Bay**

Lofoten Islands

note: Before 2016 search NORWAY,
LOFOTEN I.
use: **Norway, Nordland, Lofoten Islands**
for coast use: **ANE, Norway, Nordland, Lofoten Islands**
see also: Norway

Lomonosov Current

use: **PNE, Lomonosov Current**

Lomonosov Ridge

(equal to Harris Ridge)
use: **PNE, Lomonosov Ridge**

Long Island Sound

use: **ANW, Long Island Sound**

Loop Current

use: **ASW, Gulf of Mexico, Loop Current**

Lord Howe Island (Australia)

note: before 1992 search PSE, LORD HOWE I.
Between 1992 and 2011 search
AUSTRALIA, LORD HOWE I.
use: **Australia, New South Wales, Lord Howe Island**
for coast use: **PSE, Australia, New South Wales, Lord Howe Island**
see also: Australia

Lord Howe Island (Solomon I.)

use: **Solomon Islands, Ontong Java Atoll**

Lord Howe Ridge

use: **PSE, Lord Howe Rise**

Lord Howe Rise

(equal to Lord Howe Ridge)
use: **PSE, Lord Howe Rise**

Loyalty Islands

note: before 2016 search LOYALTY I.
use: **New Caledonia, Loyalty Islands**
for coast use: **ISEW, New Caledonia, Loyalty Islands**
see also: New Caledonia

Lucerne Lake

note: before 2016 search SWITZERLAND,
LUCERNE L.
use: **Switzerland, Lake Lucerne**

Lucina Field

use: **ASE, Gabon, Lucina Field**

Lugano Lake
note: before 2016 search EUROPE, LUGANO L.
use: **Europe, Lake Lugano**
for more specific studies use:
Italy, Lake Lugano
or **Switzerland, Lake Lugano**

Luxembourg
(equal to Luxembourg)
note: before 1992 search LUXEMBURG
note: no coastline

Luxembourg, Mosel River
note: before 1992 search LUXEMBURG,
MOSELLE R.
see also: Europe, Mosel River
France, Mosel River
Germany, Mosel River

Luxemburg
use: **Luxembourg**

Maas River
use: **Europe, Meuse River**
for more specific studies use:
Belgium, Meuse River
or **France, Meuse River**
or **Netherlands, Meuse River**

Macao
(equal to Macau, equal to Portuguese Macao,
equal to Zhuhai)
note: before 2016 search MACAO
use: **China, People's Republic, Macao**
Special Administrative Region
for coast use: **ISEW, China, People's**
Republic, Macao Special
Administrative Region

Macau
use: **China, People's Republic, Macao**
Special Administrative Region
for coast use: **ISEW, China, People's**
Republic, Macao Special
Administrative Region

Macclesfield Bank
(equal to Zhonsha Qundao)
note: Macclesfield Bank is an elongated
sunken atoll of underwater reefs and
shoals in South China Sea and part of the
disputed South China Sea Islands
for coast use: **ISEW, Macclesfield Bank**

Macedonia
note: no coastline
use: **Macedonia, Former Yugoslav Republic**

Macquarie Island
note: before 2016 search MACQUARIE I.
use: **Australia, Tasmania, Macquarie Island**
for coast use: **PSE, Australia, Tasmania,**
Macquarie Island

MacRobertson Land
use: **Antarctica, Australian Antarctic**
Territory, MacRobertson Land
for coast use: **PSE, Antarctica, Australian**
Antarctic Territory, MacRobertson
Land

Madagascar
(equal to Malagasy Republic)
note: before 2016 search MALAGASY REP.
for coast use: **ISW, Madagascar**
for more specific studies use with province:
PROVINCE COAST
Madagascar, Antananarivo no coast
Madagascar, Antsiranana ISW
Madagascar, Fianarantsoa ISW
Madagascar, Mahajanga ISW
Madagascar, Toamasina ISW
Madagascar, Toliara ISW

Madagascar Basin
(equal to Mauritius Basin)
use: **ISW, Madagascar Basin**

Madagascar Current
use: **ISW, Madagascar Current**
see also: Agulhas Current
Mozambique Current

Madeira
(autonomous region of Portugal)
for coast use: **ASE, Madeira**
includes:
Madeira, Madeira Island
Madeira, Porto Santo Island
Madeira, Selvagens
which may be used as subentries

Madhya Pradesh
use: **India, Madhya Pradesh**
note: no coastline

Madura
use: **Indonesia, Madura**
for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia, Madura**
see also: Indonesia

Magallanes Straits
note: before 2016 search PSW, MAGELLAN
STRAITS
use: **PSW, Straits of Magellan**

Magellan Straits
(equal to Magallanes Straits)
note: before 2016 search PSW, MAGELLAN STRAITS
use: **PSW, Straits of Magellan**

Maggiore Lake
note: before 2016 search EUROPE, MAGGIORE L.
use: **Europe, Lake Maggiore**
for more specific studies use:
Italy, Lake Maggiore
or **Switzerland, Lake Maggiore**

Magnus Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Magnus Field**

Maharashtra
use: **India, Maharashtra**
for coast use: **ISW, India, Maharashtra**

Mahe
use: **Seychelles, Mahe**
for coast use: **ISW, Seychelles, Mahe**
see also: Seychelles

Main River
use: **Germany, Main River**

Maine Gulf
use: **ANW, Gulf of Maine**

Mainland China
Use: **China, People's Republic**

Majorca
(equal to Mallorca)
note: before 1992 see Balearic I., Majorca
use: **Spain, Balearic Islands, Majorca**
for coast use: **MED, Spain, Balearic Islands, Majorca**
see also: Balearic Islands

Makassar Strait
use: **ISEW, Makassar Strait**

Malacca Strait
note: before 2016 search ISEW, MALACCA STRAIT
use: **ISEW, Straits of Malacca**

Malagasy Republic
use: **Madagascar**

Malawi
(formerly Nyasaland)
note: no coastline

Malawi Lake
note: before 2016 search AFRICA, MALAWI L.
use: **Africa, Lake Malawi**
for more specific studies use:
Malawi, Lake Malawi
Mozambique, Lake Malawi
Tanzania, Lake Nyasa

Malawi, Lake Chilwa
note: before 2016 search MALAWI, CHILWA L.
see also: Africa, Lake Chilwa
Mozambique, Lake Chilwa

Malawi, Lake Malawi
note: before 2016 search MALAWI, MALAWI L.
see also: Africa, Lake Malawi
Mozambique, Lake Malawi
Tanzania, Lake Nyasa

Malaya
(in Malaysia)
note: before 2016 search MALAYA
use: **Malaysia, Malaya**
for coast use: **ISEW, Malaysia, Malaya**
see also: Malaysia

Malaysia
(includes Malaya, Sabah and Sarawak;
formerly also included Singapore)
for coast use: **ISEW, Malaysia**
for more specific studies use:
Malaysia, Malaya
Malaysia, Sabah
Malaysia, Sarawak
see also:
Singapore

Maldiv Islands
(equal to Maldives)
for coast use: **ISW, Maldiv Islands**

Maldives
use: **Maldiv Islands**

Mali
note: no coastline

Mallorca
use: **Spain, Balearic Islands, Majorca**

Malta
includes: Gozo
for coast use: **MED, Malta**
see also: Gozo

Malta Channel
use: **MED, Malta Channel**

Maluku
use: **Indonesia, Moluccas**

Malvinas Current
use: **ASW, Malvinas Current**

Malvinas Islands
use: **Falkland Islands**

Mangaia
use: **Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands, Mangaia**
for coast use: **ISE, Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands, Mangaia**

Manipur
use: **India, Manipur**
note: no coastline

Mannar Gulf
use: **ISW, India, Gulf of Mannar**

Manua Islands
note: before 1992 search AMERICAN SAMOA
use: **American Samoa, Manua Islands**
for coast use: **ISE, American Samoa, Manua Islands**
see also: American Samoa

Manuae
note: Before 2016 search NEW ZEALAND I. TERR., COOK I., MANUAE
use: **Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands, Manuae**
for coast use: **ISE, Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands, Manuae**

Manus Island
(part of Papua New Guinea)
note: before 1992 search ADMIRALTY I., MANUS I.
use: **Papua New Guinea, Bismarck Archipelago, Admiralty Islands, Manus Island**
for coast use: **ISEW, Papua New Guinea, Bismarck Archipelago, Admiralty Islands, Manus Island**
see also: Admiralty Islands
Papua New Guinea

Marcus-Necker Ridge
use: **ISEW, Mid-Pacific Mountains**

Mariana Islands
use: **Marianas**

Mariana Ridge
use: **ISEW, Mariana Ridge**

Mariana Trench
(equal to Challenger Deep)
use: **ISEW, Mariana Trench**

Marianas
(equal to Mariana Islands)
for coast use: **ISEW, Marianas**
includes:
Marianas, Guam
Marianas, Northern Marianas

Marion Island
(in Prince Edward Islands, off South Africa)
note: before 1992 search PSW, MARION I.
use: **South Africa, Prince Edward Islands, Marion Island**
for coast use: **PSW, South Africa, Prince Edward Islands, Marion Island**
see also: Prince Edward Islands

Marmara Sea
use: **MED, Marmara Sea**

Maroc
use: **Morocco**

Marquesas Islands
note: before 2016 search MARQUESAS I.
use: **French Polynesia, Marquesas Islands**
for coast use: **ISE, French Polynesia, Marquesas Islands**
see also: French Polynesia

Marseille Gulf
note: before 2016 search MED, MARSEILLES GULF
use: **MED, France, Provence-Alpes-Cote d'Azur, Bouches-du-Rhone, Marseille Gulf**

Marshall Islands
for coast use: **ISEW, Marshall Islands**
includes:
Marshall Islands, Arno Atoll
Marshall Islands, Bikini Atoll
Marshall Islands, Enewetak Atoll
Marshall Islands, Jaluit
Marshall Islands, Kwajalein
Marshall Islands, Majuro Atoll

Martinique
(in Windward Islands)
note: before 1992 search MARTINIQUE
use: **Windward Islands, Martinique**
for coast use: **ASW, Windward Islands, Martinique**
see also: French West Indies
Windward Islands

Mascarene Basin
use: **ISW, Mascarene Basin**

Mascarene Islands
use of a more specific entry is recommended,
e.g.:

Mascarene Islands, Mauritius
Mascarene Islands, Reunion
Mascarene Islands, Rodrigues Island
for coast use: **ISW, Mascarene Islands**

Massachusetts Bay
note: before 2016 search ANW,
MASSACHUSETTS BAY
use: **ANW, USA, Massachusetts,**
Massachusetts Bay

Maui
note: before 1992 search HAWAII
use: **USA, Hawaii, Maui Island**
for coast use: **ISE, USA, Hawaii, Maui Island**
see also: Hawaii

Maui Field
use: **PSE, New Zealand, Maui Field**

Mauke
use: **Associated States of New Zealand,**
Cook Islands, Mauke
for coast use: **ISE, Associated States of New**
Zealand, Cook Islands, Mauke

Maureen Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Maureen Field**

Mauritania
for coast use: **ASE, Mauritania**

Mauritanian Current
use: **ASE, Mauritanian Current**

Mauritius
note: before 1992 search MAURITIUS
use: **Mascarene Islands, Mauritius**
for coast use: **ISW, Mascarene Islands,**
Mauritius
see also: Mascarene Islands

Mauritius Basin
use: **ISW, Madagascar Basin**

Mayotte
note: before 2016 search COMORO I.,
MAYOTTE
for coast use: **ISW, Mayotte**
see also: **Comoro Islands**

Mbini
use: **Equatorial Guinea, Río Muni**

McMurdo Sound
note: before 2016 search PSE, MCMURDO
SOUND
use: **PSE, Antarctica, McMurdo Sound**

Mecklenburg Bight
note: before 1992 search ANE,
MECKLENBURG BIGHT
use: **ANE, Baltic Sea, Mecklenburg Bight**
see also: Baltic Sea

Mediterranean Region
(used for countries bordering the
Mediterranean Sea)

Mediterranean Sea
use: **MED**
see also: ASW, Caribbean (for American
Mediterranean)
for more specific studies use:
MED, Eastern Mediterranean Sea
MED, Western Mediterranean Sea

Mediterranean Undercurrent
use: **ASE, Mediterranean Undercurrent**

Mediterranean Water
(used for outflow from the Mediterranean Sea
into the Atlantic through the Gibraltar
Strait)
use: **ANE, Mediterranean Water**
or **ASE, Mediterranean Water**
or **AE, Mediterranean Water** for both

Meghalaya
use: **India, Meghalaya**
note: no coastline

Mekong Delta
use: **ISEW, Viet Nam, Mekong River Delta**
Region, Mekong Delta
see also: Asia, Mekong River

Mekong River
note: before 2016 search ASIA, MEKONG R.
use: **Asia, Mekong River**
for more specific studies use:
Cambodia, Mekong River
China, People's Republic, Mekong River
ISEW, Viet Nam, Mekong River Delta
Region, Mekong Delta
Lao, Mekong River
Myanmar, Mekong River
Thailand, Mekong River
Viet Nam, Mekong River

Melanesia
 use of a more specific entry is recommended,
 e.g.:
 New Caledonia
 Papua New Guinea
 Solomon Islands
 Vanuatu
 for coast use: **ISEW, Melanesia**

Mendocino Escarpment
 use: **INE, Mendocino Escarpment**

Menorca
 (equal to Minorca)
 note: before 1992 search BALEARIC
 ISLANDS, MENORCA
 use: **Spain, Balearic Islands, Menorca**
 for coast use: **MED, Spain, Balearic Islands,
 Menorca**

Mentawai Trench
 Use: **ISEW, Mentawai Trough**

Mentawai Trough
 (equal to Mentawai Trench)
 use: **ISEW, Mentawai Trough**

Messina Strait
 (The Strait of Messina is the narrow passage
 between the eastern tip of Sicily and the
 southern tip of Calabria in the south of
 Italy.)
 note: before 2016 search MED, MESSINA
 STRAIT
 use: **MED, Strait of Messina**
 see also: Strait of Sicily

Meteor Deep
 use: **PSW, Meteor Deep**

Meuse River
 note: before 2016 search EUROPE, MEUSE R.
 use: **Europe, Meuse River**
 for more specific studies use:
 Belgium, Meuse River
 France, Meuse River
 Netherlands, Meuse River

Mexican Caribbean
 use: **ASW, Mexico, Caribbean Sea**

Mexico
 use of a more specific entry is recommended,
 e.g.: **Mexico, Sonora**
 for sea areas enter the code, then Mexico, then
 the state name if possible, e.g.: ISE,
 Mexico, Sonora

STATE	CODE
Mexico, Aguascalientes	no coast
Mexico, Baja California	ISE
Mexico, Baja California Sur	ISE
Mexico, Campeche	ASW
Mexico, Chiapas	ISE
Mexico, Chihuahua	no coast
Mexico, Coahuila	no coast
Mexico, Colima	ISE
Mexico, Distrito Federal	no coast
Mexico, Durango	no coast
Mexico, Estado de Mexico	no coast
Mexico, Guanajuato	no coast
Mexico, Guerrero	ISE
Mexico, Hidalgo	no coast
Mexico, Jalisco	ISE
Mexico, Michoacan	ISE
Mexico, Morelos	no coast
Mexico, Nayarit	ISE
Mexico, Nuevo Leon	no coast
Mexico, Oaxaca	ISE
Mexico, Puebla	no coast
Mexico, Queretaro	no coast
Mexico, Qunitana Roo	ASW
Mexico, San Luis Potosí	no coast
Mexico, Sinaloa	ISE
Mexico, Sonora	ISE
Mexico, Tabasco	ASW
Mexico, Tamaulipas	ASW
Mexico, Tlaxcala	no coast
Mexico, Veracruz	ASW
Mexico, Yucatan	ASW
Mexico, Zacatecas	no coast
for coast (Gulf of Mexico) use: ASW, Mexico	
for coast (Pacific) use: ISE, Mexico	
 Mexico Gulf	
note: before 2016 search ASW, MEXICO	
GULF	
use: ASW, Gulf of Mexico	
 Mexico Gulf Loop Current	
note: before 2016 search ASW, MEXICO	
GULF, LOOP CURRENT	
use: ASW, Gulf of Mexico, Loop Current	
 Michigan Lake	
note: before 2016 search USA, MICHIGAN L.	
use: USA, Lake Michigan	
 Micronesia, Federated States of	
(nation)	
note: before 1992 Micronesia was used for a	
region of the Pacific, and included Kiribati;	
Marianas; Marshall I., Truk I.; Tuvalu and	
Yap. From 2011 see Micronesia (region)	
to include these extra areas	
use: Caroline Islands, Federated States of	

Micronesia

for coast use: **ISEW, Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia**

for more detailed studies use:

Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Chuuk

Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Kosrae

Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Pohnpei

Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Yap

see also: Caroline Islands

Micronesia (region)

use: **Micronesia**

for coast use: **ISEW, Micronesia**

for more specific studies use one or more of the following:

Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia

Caroline Islands, Palau

Kiribati

Marianas, Guam

Marianas, Northern Marianas

Marshall Islands

Nauru

Wake Island

Mid-Atlantic Bight

use: **ANW, Mid-Atlantic Bight**

Mid-Atlantic Ridge

(check stated location against map for code)

use: **A, Mid-Atlantic Ridge**

or **AN, Mid-Atlantic Ridge**

or **AS, Mid-Atlantic Ridge**

or use as many as necessary

Mid-Indian Basin

use: **ISW, Mid-Indian Basin**

Mid-Indian Ridge

use: **ISW, Mid-Indian Ridge**

Mid-Pacific Mountains

(equal to Marcus-Necker Ridge)

note: before 2016 search ISEW, Mid-Pacific Mt.

use: **ISEW, Mid-Pacific Mountains**

Middle America Trench

(equal to Guatemala Trench)

use: **ISE, Middle America Trench**

Middle East

(the area around the Eastern Mediterranean)

use of a more specific entry is recommended

see also: North Africa

Middle East Coasts

use of a more specific entry is recommended

see also: North Africa Coasts

Midway Islands

(US administered)

for coast use: **ISE, Midway Islands**

Mindanao Trench

use: **ISEW, Philippine Trench**

Minicoy Island

(equal to Maliku)

use: **India, Lakshadweep, Minicoy**

for coast use: **ISW, India, Lakshadweep, Laccadive Islands Minicoy Island**

see also: Amindiv Islands

India, Lakshadweep

Laccadive Islands

Minorca

use: **Spain, Balearic Islands, Menorca**

Mirtoan Sea

use: **MED, Mirtoan Sea**

Miskar Field

use: **MED, Tunisia, Miskar Field**

Mississippi River

note: before 2016 search USA, MISSISSIPPI R.

use: **USA, Mississippi River**

Mitiamo

note: Before 2016 search NEW ZEALAND ISLAND TERR., COOK I., MITIARO

use: **Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands, Mitiamo**

Mizoram

use: **India, Mizoram**

note: no coastline

Mobutu Sese Seko Lake

note: before 2016 search AFRICA, ALBERT L.

use: **Africa, Lake Albert**

see also:

Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake Albert

Uganda, Western, Lake Albert

Moero Lake

note: before 2016 search AFRICA, MWERU L.

use: **Africa, Lake Mweru**

see also:

Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake

Mweru
Zambia, Lake Mweru

Moheli
(equal to Mwali)
use: **Comoros, Moheli**
for coast use: **ISW, Comoros, Moheli**
see also: Comoros

Moldova
(no coastline)
note: before 1992 search USSR, MOLDAVIA.
Between 1992 and 2011 search
MOLDAVIA

Molokai
note: before 1992 search HAWAII
use: **USA, Hawaii, Molokai Island**
for coast use: **ISE, USA, Hawaii, Molokai
Island**
see also: Hawaii

Molucca Sea
use: **ISEW, Molucca Sea**

Moluccas
(equal to Maluku, in Indonesia)
use: **Indonesia, Moluccas**
for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia, Moluccas**
for more specific studies use:
Indonesia, Moluccas, Ambon Island
Indonesia, Moluccas, Buru
Indonesia, Moluccas, Seram
etc.

Monaco
for coast use: **MED, Monaco**

Mongolia
(no coastline)
note: before 2016 search MONGOLIA,
PEOPLE'S REP.
see also: Inner Mongolia

Montenegro
note: before 2016 search YUGOSLAVIA,
MONTENEGRO
for coast use: **MED, Montenegro**

Montrose Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Montrose Field**

Montserrat
(in Leeward Islands)
note: before 1992 search MONTSEERRAT
use: **Leeward Islands, Montserrat**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands,
Montserrat**

see also: Leeward Islands

Moorea
(equal to Eimeo in Society Islands)
note: before 2016 search SOCIETY I.,
MOOREA
use: **French Polynesia, Society Islands,
Windward Group, Moorea**
for coast use: **ISE, French Polynesia, Society
Islands, Windward Group, Moorea**
see also: French Polynesia
Society Islands

Morbihan Gulf
note: before 1992 search ANE, FRANCE,
MORBIHAN GULF Between 1992 and
2011 search ANE, MORBIHAN GULF
use: **ANE, France, Brittany, Morbihan, Gulf
of Morbihan**

Morecambe Field
use: **ANE, Irish Sea, Morecambe Field**

Morocco
(equal to Maroc)
for coast (Mediterranean) use:
MED, Morocco
for coast (Atlantic) use:
ASE, Morocco

REGION	CODE
Morocco, Chaouia-Ouardigha	no coast
Morocco, Doukkala-Abda	ASE
Morocco, Fes-Boulemane	no coast
Morocco, Gharb-Chrarda-Beni Hssen	ASE
Morocco, Grand Casablanca	ASE
Morocco, Guelmim-Es Semara	ASE
Morocco, Laayoune-Boujdour-Sakia El Hamra	ASE
Morocco, Marrakech-Tensift-El Haouz	ASE
Morocco, Meknes-Tafilalet	no coast
Morocco, Oriental	MED
Morocco, Oued Ed-Dahab-Lagouira	ASE
Morocco, Rabat-Sale-Zemmour-Zaer	ASE
Morocco, Souss-Massa-Draa	ASE
Morocco, Tadla-Azilal	no coast
Morocco, Tangier-Tetouan	MED
Morocco, Taza-Al Hoceima-Taounate	MED

Mosel River
(equal to Moselle River)
note: before 2016 search EUROPE, MOSEL R.
use: **Europe, Mosel River**
for more specific studies use:
France, Mosel River
or **Germany, Mosel River**
or **Luxembourg, Mosel River**

Moselle River
see: Mosel River

Mozambique
(equal to Republic of Mozambique)
for coast use: **ISW, Mozambique**

Mozambique Channel
use: **ISW, Mozambique Channel**

Mozambique Current
use: **ISW, Mozambique Current**
see also: Agulhas Current
Madagascar Current

Mozambique Fracture Zone
use: **PSW, Mozambique Fracture Zone**

Mozambique, Lake Chilwa
note: before 2016 search MOZAMBIQUE,
CHILWA L.
see also: Africa, Lake Chilwa
Malawi, Lake Chilwa

Mozambique, Lake Malawi
note: before 2016 search MOZAMBIQUE,
MALAWI L.
see also: Africa, Lake Malawi
Malawi, Lake Malawi
Tanzania, Lake Nyasa

Muonio River
note: before 2016 search EUROPE,
MUONIO R.
use: **Europe, Muonio River**

Murchison Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Murchison Field**

Murmansk Current
use: **PNE, Murmansk Current**

Murray Fracture Zone
use: **INE, Murray Fracture Zone**

Mururoa
(part of Tuamotu Islands)
note: before 1992 search MURUROA. Between
1992 and 2011 search TUAMOTU I.,
MURUROA
use: **French Polynesia, Tuamotu Islands,
Mururoa**
for coast use: **ISE, French Polynesia,
Tuamotu Islands, Mururoa**

Mweru Lake
note: before 2016 search AFRICA, MWERU L.
use: **Africa, Lake Mweru**

for more specific studies use:
**Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake
Mweru**
or **Zambia, Lake Mweru**

Myanmar
(formerly Burma)
note: before 1992 search BURMA
for coast use: **ISW, Myanmar**

Myanmar, Mekong River
note: before 1992 search BURMA, MEKONG R.
see also: Asia, Mekong River
Cambodia, Mekong River
China, People's Republic, Mekong River
Lao, Mekong River
ISEW, Viet Nam, Mekong River Delta
Region, Mekong Delta
Thailand, Mekong River
Viet Nam, Mekong River

NAFO Fishing Area
(formerly ICNAF Fishing Area)
use: **ANW**

Nagaland
use: **India, Nagaland**
note: no coastline

Namibia
(formerly South West Africa)
for coast use: **PSW, Namibia**

Nan Hai
use: **ISEW, South China Sea**

Nantucket Sound
note: before 2016 search ANW, NANTUCKET
SOUND
use: **ANW, USA, Massachusetts, Nantucket
Sound**

Naples Gulf
note: before 2016 search MED, NAPLES
GULF
use: **MED, , Italy, Campania, Gulf of Naples**

Nares Abyssal Plain
use: **ASW, Nares Deep**

Nares Deep
(equal to Nares Abyssal Plain)
use: **ASW, Nares Deep**

Nares Strait
use: **PNW, Nares Strait**

Narragansett Bay
note: Before 2016 search ANW,
NARRAGANSETT BAY
use: **ANW, USA, Rhode Island, Narragansett Bay**

Nasser Lake
note: before 2016 search AFRICA, NASSER L.
use: **Africa, Lake Nasser**
for more specific studies use:
Egypt, Lake Nasser
or **Sudan, Lake Nubia**

Natal
use: **South Africa, KwaZulu-Natal**

Natal Basin
use: **ISW, Natal Basin**

NATO
used for: North Atlantic Treaty Organization
includes:

Albania
Belgium
Bulgaria
Canada
Croatia
Czech Republic
Denmark
Estonia
France
Germany
Greece
Hungary
Iceland
Italy
Latvia
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Netherlands
Norway
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Slovakia
Slovenia
Spain
Turkey
UK
USA

Nauru
for coast use: **ISEW, Nauru**

Nazca Plate

NEAFC Fishing Area
use: **ANE**

and **PNE**

Nearctic Ecozone
(equal to Nearctic Region, part of Holarctic
Ecozone; Zoogeographic entries only)
note: before 2016 search NEARCTIC REGION

Neotropical Ecozone
(equal to Central America + South America;
Zoogeographic entries only)
note: before 2016 search NEOTROPICAL
REGION

Nepal
note: no coastline

Nepal, Ganges River
note: before 2016 search NEPAL, GANGES R.
see also: Asia, Ganges River
Bangladesh, Ganges River
India, Ganges River
ISW, India, West Bengal, Ganges Delta

Netherlands
(equal to Holland)
for coast use: **ANE, Netherlands**

Netherlands Antilles
use of a more specific entry is recommended,
e.g.:

Lesser Antilles, Bonaire
Lesser Antilles, Curacao
Leeward Islands, Saba
Leeward Islands, Saint Eustatius
Leeward Islands, Saint Maarten
(Netherlands part of Saint Martin)

for coast use: **ASW, Netherlands Antilles**
see also: **Lesser Antilles**

Netherlands, Ems River
note: before 2016 search NETHERLANDS,
EMS R.
see also: Europe, Ems River
Germany, Ems River

Netherlands, Ems-Dollard Estuary
note: before 2016 search NETHERLANDS,
EMS-DOLLARD ESTUARY
use: **ANE, Netherlands, Ems-Dollard Estuary**
see also: ANE, Europe, Ems-Dollard Estuary
ANE, Germany, Ems-Dollard Estuary

Netherlands, Meuse River
note: before 2016 search NETHERLANDS,
MEUSE R.
see also: Europe, Meuse River
Belgium, Meuse River
France, Meuse River

Netherlands, Rhine River

note: before 2016 search NETHERLANDS,
RHINE R.

see also: Europe, Rhine River

France, Rhine River

Germany, Rhine River

Switzerland, Rhine River

Neusiedler Lake

note: before 2016 search EUROPE,
NEUSIEDLER L.

use: **Europe, Lake Neusiedler**

for more specific studies use:

Austria, Lake Neusiedler

Hungary, Lake Neusiedler

Nevis

(in Leeward Islands)

note: before 1992 search NEVIS. Between
1992 and 2011 search LEEWARD I.,
NEVIS

use: **Leeward Islands, Saint Kitts and Nevis,
Nevis**

for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, Saint
Kitts and Nevis, Nevis**

see also: Leeward Islands

New Britain

(part of Papua New Guinea; in Bismarck
Archipelago)

note: before 1992 search NEW BRITAIN

use: **Papua New Guinea, Bismarck
Archipelago, New Britain**

for coast use: **ISEW, Papua New Guinea,
Bismarck Archipelago, New Britain**

see also: Papua New Guinea

New Britain Trench

use: **ISEW, New Britain Trench**

New Caledonia

for coast use: **ISEW, New Caledonia**

see also: Loyalty Islands

New Guinea

(The western half of the island contains the
Indonesian provinces of Papua and West
Papua, while the eastern half forms the
mainland of the independent country of
Papua New Guinea)

for coast use: **ISEW, New Guinea**

New Guinea Trench

use: **ISEW, New Guinea Trench**

New Hebrides

use: **Vanuatu**

New Hebrides Trench

use: **ISEW, New Hebrides Trench**

New Ireland (island)

(part of Papua New Guinea's New Ireland
Province; in Bismarck Archipelago)

note: before 1992 search NEW IRELAND

use: **Papua New Guinea, Bismarck
Archipelago, New Ireland**

for coast use: **ISEW, Papua New Guinea,
Bismarck Archipelago, New Ireland**

see also: Papua New Guinea

New Providence

note: before 2016 search BAHAMA I., NEW
PROVIDENCE

use: **Bahamas, New Providence**

for coast use: **ASW, Bahamas, New Providence**

see also: Bahamas

New Siberian Islands

note: before 1992 search NEW SIBERIAN I.
Between 1992 and 2011 search RUSSIA,
NEW SIBERIAN I.

use: **Russia, Far Eastern, Sakha, New
Siberian Islands**

for coast use: **PNE, Russia, Far Eastern,
Sakha, New Siberian Islands**

New York Bight

use: **ANW, New York Bight**

New Zealand

for coast use: **PSE, New Zealand**

includes:

New Zealand, Antipodes Islands

New Zealand, Auckland Islands

New Zealand, Bounty Islands

New Zealand, Campbell Islands

New Zealand, Chatham Islands

**New Zealand Island Territory, Tokelau
Islands**

New Zealand, Kermadec Islands

**New Zealand, North Island, Slipper
Island**

**New Zealand, South Island, Snares
Islands**

**New Zealand, , South Island, Stewart
Island**

**New Zealand, North Island, Three Kings
Islands**

New Zealand, Auckland Islands, Adams Island

used for: Adams Island (Auckland Islands
Archipelago)

for coast use: **PSE, New Zealand, Auckland
Islands, Adams Island**

New Zealand, Auckland Islands, Auckland Island
for coast use: **PSE, New Zealand, Auckland Islands, Auckland Island**

New Zealand Island Territories
note: before 2016 included Cook I. and Niue I. which are now Associated States of New Zealand
use: **New Zealand Island Territory**
for coast use: **ISE, New Zealand Island Territory**
now only includes:
New Zealand Island Territory, Tokelau Islands

Niagara River
note: before 2016 search NORTH AMERICA, NIAGARA R.
use: **North America, Niagara River**

Niassa Lake
note: before 2016 search AFRICA, MALAWI L.
use: **Africa, Lake Malawi**
for more detailed studies use:
Malawi, Lake Malawi
Mozambique, Lake Malawi
Tanzania, Lake Nyasa

Nicaragua
for east coast use: **ASW, Nicaragua**
for west coast use: **ISE, Nicaragua**
or both as necessary

Nicobar Islands
note: before 1992 search NICOBAR I.
Between 1992 and 2011 search INDIA, NICOBAR I.
use: **India, Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Nicobar Islands**
for coast use: **ISW, India, Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Nicobar Islands**
see also: India

Nido Field
use: **ISEW, Philippines, Nido Field**

Niedersachsen
use: **Germany, Lower Saxony**

Nieuw Amsterdam Fracture Zone
use: **ISW, Nieuw Amsterdam Fracture Zone**

Niger
note: no coastline

Niger, Lake Chad

note: before 2016 search NIGER, CHAD L.
see also: Africa, Lake Chad
Cameroon, Lake Chad
Chad, Lake Chad
Nigeria, Lake Chad

Nigeria
for coast use: **ASE, Nigeria**

Nigeria, Kainji Lake
note: before 2016 search NIGERIA, KAINJI L.

Nigeria, Lake Chad
note: before 2016 search NIGERIA, CHAD L.
see also: Africa, Lake Chad
Cameroon, Lake Chad
Chad, Lake Chad
Niger, Lake Chad

Niihau
note: before 1992 search HAWAII
use: **USA, Hawaii, Niihau Island**
for coast use: **ISE, USA, Hawaii, Niihau Island**
see also: Hawaii

Nile Delta
use: **MED, Egypt, Nile Delta**
see also: Africa, Nile River

Nile River
use: **Africa, Nile River**
for more specific studies use:
Africa, Blue Nile River
Egypt, Nile River
Ethiopia, Blue Nile River
MED, Egypt, Nile Delta
Sudan, Blue Nile River
Sudan, Nile River
Sudan, White Nile River
South Sudan, White Nile River
Uganda, Nile River

Ninety East Ridge
(equal to Carpenters Ridge, equal to East Indian Ridge)
use: **ISW, Ninety East Ridge**

Ninian Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Ninian Field**

Niue
note: before 1992 search COOK ISLANDS, NIUE I. Between 1992 and 2011 search NEW ZEALAND ISLAND TERR., COOK I., NIUE I.
use: **Associated States of New Zealand, Niue**

for coast use: **ISE, Associated States of New Zealand, Niue**
see also: Cook Islands

Niue Island
see: Niue

Nordenskjold Sea
use: **PNE, Laptev Sea**

Nordic Council

includes:

Åland Islands
Denmark
Faeroe Islands
Finland
Greenland
Iceland
Norway
Sweden

Norfolk Island
note: before 1992 search NORFOLK I.
use: **Australia, Norfolk Island**
for coast use: **PSE, Australia, Norfolk Island**
see also: Australia

North Africa
use: **Africa, North**
use of a more specific entry is recommended
for coast: use **MED, Africa** apart from the Atlantic coast of Morocco and for Western Sahara. For these areas use **ASE, Morocco** and **ASE, Western Sahara** respectively. For the Red Sea coasts of Egypt and Sudan use **ISW, Egypt** and **ISW, Sudan** respectively

North America

(equal to Canada + Caribbean + Central America + USA)
use of a more specific entry is recommended

North America Coasts

(equal to Canada + Caribbean + Central America + USA coasts)
use of a more specific entry is recommended

North America Inland Waters

see also: America Inland Waters
North America, Great Lakes

North America, Great Lakes

see also: North America Inland Waters

North America, Lake Erie

note: before 2016 search NORTH AMERICA, ERIE L.

for more specific studies use:
Canada, Ontario, Lake Erie
USA, Lake Erie

North America, Lake Huron

note: before 2016 search NORTH AMERICA, HURON L.

for more specific studies use:
Canada, Ontario, Lake Huron
USA, Lake Huron

North America, Lake Ontario

note: before 2016 search NORTH AMERICA, ONTARIO L.

for more specific studies use:
Canada, Ontario, Lake Ontario
USA, Lake Ontario

North America, Lake Saint Clair

note: before 2016 search NORTH AMERICA, ST. CLAIR L.

for more specific studies use:
Canada, Ontario, Lake Saint Clair
USA, Michigan, Lake Saint Clair

North America, Lake Superior

note: before 2016 search NORTH AMERICA, SUPERIOR L.

for more specific studies use:
Canada, Ontario, Lake Superior
USA, Lake Superior

North America, Niagara River

note: before 2016 search NORTH AMERICA, NIAGARA R.

North America, Saint Lawrence River

note: before 2016 search NORTH AMERICA, ST.LAWRENCE R.

for more specific studies use:
Canada, Saint Lawrence River
USA, Saint Lawrence River

North American Plate

North Atlantic

use: **A, North Atlantic**
for more specific studies use:

AN, North Atlantic
AS, North Atlantic
ANE, North Atlantic
ANW, North Atlantic
ASE, North Atlantic
ASW, North Atlantic

related term: A, Atlantic

North Atlantic Current

(equal to North Atlantic Drift)

use: **ANE, North Atlantic Current**

North Atlantic Subtropical Gyre

use: **ANE, North Atlantic Subtropical Gyre**

North Atlantic Treaty Organization

use: **NATO**

North Channel

(separates eastern Northern Ireland from southwestern Scotland)

use: **ANE, UK, North Channel**

North Cormorant Field

use: **ANE, North Sea, North Cormorant Field**

North Equatorial Countercurrent

note: only used for studies on the whole current, normally one or more of the following more specific region entries would be used:

for Atlantic use: **AS, North Equatorial Countercurrent**

for more specific studies use:

ASE, North Equatorial Countercurrent
or **ASW, North Equatorial Countercurrent**

for Indian Ocean use:

ISW, North Equatorial Countercurrent

for Pacific use: **IS, Pacific, North Equatorial Countercurrent**

for more specific studies use:

ISE, North Equatorial Countercurrent
or **ISEW, North Equatorial Countercurrent**

or use as many as necessary

North Equatorial Current

note: only used for studies on the whole current, normally one or more of the following more specific region entries would be used:

for Atlantic use: **AS, North Equatorial Current**

for more specific studies use:

ASE, North Equatorial Current
or **ASW, North Equatorial Current**

for Indian Ocean use:

ISW, North Equatorial Current

for Pacific use:

IS, Pacific, North Equatorial Current

for more specific studies use:

ISE, North Equatorial Current
or **ISEW, North Equatorial Current**

or use as many as necessary

North Equatorial Undercurrent

note: only used for studies on the whole current, normally one or more of the following more specific region entries would be used:

for Atlantic use:

AS, North Equatorial Undercurrent

for more specific studies use:

ASE, North Equatorial Undercurrent
or **ASW, North Equatorial Undercurrent**

for Indian Ocean use:

ISW, North Equatorial Undercurrent

for Pacific use:

IS, Pacific, North Equatorial Undercurrent

for more specific studies use:

ISE, North Equatorial Undercurrent
or **ISEW, North Equatorial Undercurrent**

or use as many as necessary

North Indian Ocean

use: **ISW, North Indian Ocean**

see also: **Indian Ocean**

North Korea

use: **Korea, Democratic People's Republic**

North Pacific

use: **I, North Pacific**

for more specific studies use:

IN, North Pacific
IS, North Pacific
INE, North Pacific
INW, North Pacific
ISE, North Pacific
ISEW, North Pacific

or use as many as necessary

see also: Pacific Ocean

North Pacific Central Gyre

use: **IS, North Pacific Central Gyre**

North Pacific Current

use: **IN, North Pacific Current**

North Pacific Drift

use: **INE, North Pacific Drift**

North Pacific Gyre

use: **IN, North Pacific Gyre**

North Pacific Subtropical Gyre

use: **IN, North Pacific Subtropical Gyre**

for more specific studies use:

INE, North Pacific Subtropical Gyre
or **INW, North Pacific Subtropical Gyre**

North Polar Basin

use: **PN, North Polar Basin**

North Pole

use: **PN, Arctic, North Pole**

see also: Arctic

North Sea
 use: **ANE, North Sea**

Northern Hemisphere

Northern Hemisphere Oceans

Northern Ireland
 use: **UK, Northern Ireland**

Northern Marianas
 use: **Marianas, Northern Marianas**
 for coast use: **ISEW, Marianas, Northern Marianas**
 includes:
Marianas, Northern Marianas, Rota
Marianas, Northern Marianas, Saipan
Marianas, Northern Marianas, Tinian
 see also: Marianas

Northern Sporades
 (equal to Sporades)
 note: before 1992 search AEGEAN I.,
 NORTHERN SPORADES
 use: **Greece, Aegean Islands, Northern Sporades**
 for coast use: **MED, Greece, Aegean Islands, Northern Sporades**

Northwest Atlantic Basin
 use: **A, Northwest Atlantic Basin**

Northwest Pacific Basin
 use: **INW, Northwest Pacific Basin**

Northwest Passage
 use: **PNW, Northwest Passage**

Norton Sound
 note: before 2016 search INE, NORTON SOUND
 use: **INE, USA, Alaska, Norton Sound**

Norway
 Use of a more detailed subentry is recommended as listed in the regions below:

COUNTY	COAST
Norway, Akershus	ANE
Norway, Aust-Agder	ANE
Norway, Buskerud	no coast
Norway, Finnmark	ANE
Norway, Hedmark	no coast
Norway, Hordaland	ANE
Norway, Moere og Romsdal	ANE
Norway, Nord-Troendelag	ANE
Norway, Nordland	ANE
Norway, Oppland	no coast

Norway, Oslo	ANE
Norway, Oestfold	ANE
Norway, Rogaland	ANE
Norway, Soer-Troendelag	ANE
Norway, Sogn og Fjordane	ANE
Norway, Telemark	ANE
Norway, Troms	ANE
Norway, Vest-Agder	ANE
Norway, Vestfold	ANE

for coast use: **ANE, Norway**
 see also: Jan Mayen
 Lofoten Islands
 Svalbard

Norway, Svalbard, Amsterdam Island
 for coast use: **PNE, Norway, Svalbard, Amsterdam Island**

Norwegian Basin
 use: **ANE, Norwegian Basin**

Norwegian Coastal Current
 (equal to Norwegian Current)
 use: **ANE, Norwegian Coastal Current**

Norwegian Current
 use: **ANE, Norwegian Coastal Current**

Norwegian Sea
 use: **ANE, Norwegian Sea**

Norwegian Trench
 use: **ANE, Norwegian Trench**

Novaya Zemlya
 note: before 1992 search PNE, NOVAYA ZEMLYA. Between 1992 and 2011 search RUSSIA, NOVAYA ZEMLYA
 use: **Russia, Northwestern, Arkhangelsk, Novaya Zemlya**
 for coast use: **PNE, Russia, Northwestern, Arkhangelsk, Novaya Zemlya**

Nubia Lake
 note: before 2016 search SUDAN, NUBIA L.
 use: **Sudan, Lake Nubia**
 see also: Africa, Lake Nasser
 Egypt, Lake Nasser

Nyasa Lake
 note: before 2016 search AFRICA, MALAWI L.
 use: **Africa, Lake Malawi**
 for more specific studies use:
Malawi, Lake Malawi
Mozambique, Lake Malawi
Tanzania, Lake Nyasa

Oahu
note: before 1992 search HAWAII, OAHU
use: **USA, Hawaii, Oahu Island**
for coast use: **ISE, USA, Hawaii, Oahu Island**
see also: Hawaii

OAS
(used for Organization of American States)

Oates Land
use: **Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, Oates Land**
for coast use: **PSE, Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, Oates Land**

OAU
(Organization of African Unity)
note: The African Union (AU) replaced the Organization of African Unity (OAU) on 9 July 2002
use: **AU**

Ocean Island (Hawaii)
use: **USA, Hawaii, Kure Island**

Ocean Island (Kiribati)
use: **Kiribati, Banaba**

Oceania
use of a more specific entry is recommended

Oceania Coasts
(equal to Australasia Coasts)
use of a more specific entry is recommended

Oder River
note: before 2016 search EUROPE, ODER R.
use: **Europe, Oder River**
for more specific studies use:
Czech Republic, Oder River
Germany, Oder River
Poland, Oder River

Odin Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Odin Field**

Odra River
note: before 2016 search EUROPE, ODER R.
use: **Europe, Oder River**
for more specific studies use:
Czech Republic, Oder River
Germany, Oder River
Poland, Oder River

OECD
(used for Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development)
has members:

Australia
Austria
Belgium
Canada
Czech Republic
Denmark
Eire
Finland
France
Germany
Greece
Hungary
Iceland
Italy
Japan
Korea, Rep
Luxembourg
Mexico
Netherlands
New Zealand
Norway
Poland
Portugal
Serbia
Slovakia
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland
Turkey
UK
USA

Okhotsk Sea
use: **INW, Okhotsk Sea**

Okinawa (Prefecture)
use: **Japan, Nansei Islands, Ryukyu Islands, Okinawa Prefecture**

Oman
for coast use: **ISW, Oman**

Oman Gulf
use: **ISW, Gulf of Oman**

Onega Lake
note: before 2016 search RUSSIA, ONEGA L.
use: **Russia, Northwestern, Karelia, Lake Onega**

Onkotan Island
note: before 1992 search USSR, RUSSIA, KURIL I., ONEKOTAN I. Between 1992 and 2011 search RUSSIA, KURIL I., ONEKOTAN I.
use: **Russia, Far Eastern, Sakhalin, Kuril Islands, Onkotan Island**
for coast use: **INW, Russia, Far Eastern,**

- Sakhalin, Kuril Islands, Onkotan Island**
see also: Kuril Islands
- Onotoa Island
use: **Kiribati, Gilbert Islands, Onotoa Island**
for coast use: **ISEW, Kiribati, Gilbert Islands, Onotoa Island**
see also: Kiribati
- Ontario Lake
note: before 2016 search NORTH AMERICA, ONTARIO L.
use: **North America, Lake Ontario**
for more specific studies use:
Canada, Ontario, Lake Ontario
or **USA, Lake Ontario**
- Ontong Java Atoll
(equal to Lord Howe Islands, off Solomon Islands)
use: **Solomon Islands, Ontong Java Atoll**
for coast use: **ISEW, Solomon Islands, Ontong Java Atoll**
see also:
Solomon Islands
- Orange Free State
use: **South Africa, Free State**
- Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
use: **OECD**
- Organization of African Unity
use: **AU**
- Organization of American States
use: **OAS**
- Oriental Region
(Zoogeographic entries only)
note: before 2016 search ORIENTAL REGION
use: **Indomalayan Ecozone**
- Orissa
use: **India, Orissa**
for coast use: **ISW, India, Orissa**
- Orkney
(equal to Orkney Islands)
use: **UK, Scotland, Orkney Islands**
for coast use: **ANE, UK, Scotland, Orkney Islands**
- Otranto Strait
note: before 2016 search MED, OTRANTO STRAIT
- use: **MED, Strait of Otranto**
- Outer Hebrides
use: **UK, Scotland, Western Isles**
for coast use: **ANE, UK, Scotland, Western Isles**
- Outer Mongolia
see: **Mongolia**
- Owen Fracture Zone
use: **ISW, Owen Fracture Zone**
- Oyashio Current
(equal to Oyo Siwo Current)
use: **INW, Oyashio Current**
- Oyo Siwo Current
use: **INW, Oyashio Current**
- Pacific Equatorial Undercurrent
use: **IS, Pacific, Cromwell Current**
- Pacific Ocean
use: **I, Pacific**
for more specific studies use:
INE
INW
ISE
ISEW
see also: Central Pacific
East Pacific
Equatorial Pacific
Indo-Pacific
North Pacific
South Pacific
Subtropical Pacific
Tropical Pacific
West Pacific
- Pacific Ocean Islands**
use of a more specific entry is recommended
for coasts use: **I, Pacific, Pacific Ocean Islands**
- Pacific Plate**
- Pacific-Antarctic Basin
use: **PSW, Southwest Pacific Basin**
- Pacific-Antarctic Ridge
use: **PSW, Pacific-Antarctic Ridge**
- Pakistan**
for coast use: **ISW, Pakistan PROVINCE**
Pakistan, Azad Jammu and Kashmir
Pakistan, Balochistan
- COAST
no coast
ISW

Pakistan, Federally Administered Tribal Areas

no coast

Pakistan, Islamabad Capital Territory

no coast

Pakistan, North-West Frontier Province

no coast

Pakistan, Northern Areas

no coast

Pakistan, Punjab

no coast

Pakistan, Sindh

ISW

see also: **Bangladesh**

Palaeartic Ecozone

(part of Holarctic Ecozone; Zoogeographic entries only)

note: before 2016 search PALAEARCTIC REGION

Palau

(equal to Belau Islands, became an island nation in 1994)

note: before 1992 search PALAU I. Between 1992 and 2011 search CAROLINE I., PALAU I.

use: **Caroline Islands, Palau**

for coast use: **ISEW, Caroline Islands, Palau**

see also: Caroline Islands

Palau Islands

use: **Caroline Islands, Palau**

for coast use: **ISEW, Caroline Islands, Palau**

Palermo Gulf

note: before 2016 search MED, PALERMO GULF

use: **MED, Italy, Sicily, Palermo, Palermo Gulf**

Palestine (Proposed State)

note: This term is for INFORMATION ONLY and should not be used as an ASFA geographic term at this time.

The State of Palestine is a proposed independent state for the Palestinian people in the Gaza Strip and the West Bank. The precise borders of this state are under debate. The state of Palestine is currently recognized by about 100 countries (May 2009)

see: Israel

Jordan

Palestinian Territory

Palestinian Territory

(equal to Palestine, Occupied Territory)

for more specific studies use:

Palestinian Territory, Gaza Strip

Palestinian Territory, West Bank

Palk Bay

use: **ISW, Palk Bay**

for more specific studies use:

ISW, India, Palk Bay

ISW, Sri Lanka, Palk Bay

Palk Strait

use: **ISW, Palk Strait**

for more specific studies use:

ISW, India, Palk Strait

ISW, Sri Lanka, Palk Strait

Palmer Land

use: **Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory, Palmer Land.**

for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory, Palmer Land**

Palmerston Island

note: before 1992 search COOK I., PALMERSTON I. Between 1992 and 2011 search NEW ZEALAND ISLAND TERR., COOK I., PALMERSTON I.

use: **Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands, Palmerston Island**

for coast use: **ISE, Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands, Palmerston Island**

Palmyra

(US administered)

note: before 2016 search LINE I., PALMYRA

use: **USA, Line Islands, Palmyra**

for coast use: **ISE, USA, Line Islands, Palmyra**

see also: Line Islands

Panama

(includes Panama Canal Zone)

for north coast use: **ASW, Panama**

for south coast use: **ISE, Panama**

or both as necessary

see also: Panama Canal

Panama, Gatun Lake

Panama, Miraflores Lake

Panama Canal

Panama Gulf

note: before 1992 search ISE, PANAMA GULF

use: **ISE, Panama, Gulf of Panama**

Panama, Canal Zone

see: **Panama**

Panama, Gatun Lake

note: a lake along the length of the Panama Canal

Panama, Miraflores Lake

note: should not be confused with the independent state of Papua New Guinea

Pangaea

(Earth history)

Papua (Indonesian province)

note: should not be confused with the independent state of Papua New Guinea
use: **Indonesia, Papua**

Papua Gulf

note: before 2016 search ISEW, PAPUA GULF
use: **ISEW, Papua New Guinea, Gulf of Papua**

Papua New Guinea

for coast use: **ISEW, Papua New Guinea**

see also:

New Guinea

Papua New Guinea, Bismarck Archipelago, Admiralty Islands

Papua New Guinea, Bismarck Archipelago, New Britain

Papua New Guinea, Bismarck Archipelago, New Ireland

Paracel Islands

use: **Xisha Islands**

Paraguay

no coastline

Parry Islands

use: **Canada, Queen Elizabeth Islands**

for coast use: **PNW, Canada, Queen Elizabeth Islands**

Pars Field

use: **ISW, Persian Gulf, Pars Field**

Pascua Island

use: **Chile, Easter Island**

for coast use: **ISE, Chile, Easter Island**

see also: Chile

Patagonia

(the southern region of South America, in Argentina and Chile extending from the Andes to the Atlantic)

Argentinian Patagonia includes the provinces of Rio Negro, Neuquen, Chubut, Santa Cruz, and Tierra del Fuego

Chilean Patagonia includes the provinces of Aisen, Magallanes, Palena and the Chilean part of Tierra del Fuego

for coast use: **PSW** + name(s) of coastal nation(s)

People's Democratic Republic of Yemen

use: **Yemen**

People's Republic of China

use: **China, People's Republic**

People's Republic of Mozambique

use: **Mozambique**

People's Republic of the Congo

use: **Republic of the Congo**

Peros Banhos

note: before 1992 search PEROS BANHOS.

Between 1992 and 2011 search BRITISH INDIAN OCEAN TERR., CHAGOS ARCHIPELAGO, PEROS BANHOS

use: **Chagos Archipelago, Peros Banhos**

for coast use: **ISW, Chagos Archipelago, Peros Banhos**

see also: Chagos Archipelago

Persia

see: **Iran**

Persian Gulf

(equal to Iran Gulf, equal to Iranian Gulf)

use: **ISW, Persian Gulf**

Peru

for coast use: **ISE, Peru**

Peru, Amazon River

note: before 2016 search PERU, AMAZON R.

see also:

ASW, Brazil, Amazon Delta

Brazil, Amazon River

South America, Amazon River

Peru Countercurrent

use: **ISE, Peru Countercurrent**

Peru Current

use: **ISE, Humboldt Current**

or **PSW, Humboldt Current**

or both as necessary

Peru, Lake Titicaca

note: before 2016 search PERU, TITICACA L.

see also: South America, Lake Titicaca

Bolivia, Lake Titicaca

Peru-Chile Countercurrent

use: **ISE, Peru-Chile Countercurrent**

or **PSW, Peru-Chile Countercurrent**

or both as necessary

Peru-Chile Trench
use: **ISE, Peru-Chile Trench**

Peru-Chile Undercurrent
use: **ISE, Peru-Chile Undercurrent**
or **PSW, Peru-Chile Undercurrent**
or both as necessary

Peruvian Upwelling
use: **ISE, Peruvian Upwelling**

Peter the Great Bay
note: before 2016 see INW, Peter the Great Bay
use: **INW, Russia, Far Eastern, Primorsky, Peter the Great Bay**

Philippine Basin
(equal to West Philippine Basin)
use: **ISEW, Philippine Basin**

Philippine Sea
use: **ISEW, Philippine Sea**

Philippine Sea Plate

Philippine Trench
(equal to Mindanao Trench)
use: **ISEW, Philippine Trench**

Philippines
for coast use: **ISEW, Philippines**

Phoenix Islands
use for the whole group only (see below for more specific entries).
for coast use: **ISE, Phoenix Islands**

The administration of the group is split into:

Kiribati, Phoenix Islands
including:
Kiribati, Phoenix Islands, Canton Island
Kiribati, Phoenix Islands, Enderbury Island

and
USA, Phoenix Islands
including:
USA, Phoenix Islands, Baker Island
USA, Phoenix Islands, Howland Island

Pico
use: **Azores, Pico**
for coast use: **ANE, Azores, Pico**
see also: Azores

Piper Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Piper Field**

Pitcairn Islands

for coast use: **ISE, Pitcairn Islands**

Pitt Island
note: before 1992 search CHATHAM I., PITT I.
use: **New Zealand, Chatham Islands, Pitt Island**
for coast use: **PSW, New Zealand, Chatham Islands, Pitt Island**

Plymouth Bay
note: before 2016 search ANW, PLYMOUTH BAY
use: **ANW, USA, Massachusetts, Plymouth Bay**

Plymouth Sound
note: before 2016 search ANE, PLYMOUTH SOUND
use: **ANE, UK, England, Plymouth Sound**

Pohnpei
(part of Federated States of Micronesia)
use: **Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Pohnpei**
for coast use: **ISEW, Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Pohnpei**
see also: Micronesia (region)

Poivre Islands
use: **Seychelles, Amirante Islands, Poivre Islands**
for coast use: **ISW, Seychelles, Amirante Islands, Poivre Islands**

Poland

for coast use: **ANE, Poland**

PROVINCE	CODE
Poland, Dolnoslaskie	no coast
Poland, Kujawsko Pomorskie	no coast
Poland, Lodzkie	no coast
Poland, Lubelskie	no coast
Poland, Lubuskie	no coast
Poland, Malopolskie	no coast
Poland, Mazowieckie	no coast
Poland, Opolskie	no coast
Poland, Podkarpackie	no coast
Poland, Podlaskie	no coast
Poland, Pomorskie	ANE
Poland, Slaskie	no coast
Poland, Swietokrzyskie	no coast
Poland, Warminsko-Mazurskie	ANE
Poland, Wielkopolskie	no coast
Poland, Zachodniopomorskie	ANE

Poland, Oder River
note: before 2016 search POLAND, ODER R.
see also: Europe, Oder River
Germany, Oder River

Polar Frontal Convergence
use: **IN, Polar Frontal Convergence**
or **PN, Polar Frontal Convergence**

Polynesia
use of a more specific entry is recommended

Pondicherry
use: **India, Puducherry**

Porcupine Bank
use: **ANE, Porcupine Bank**

Porcupine Seabight
use: **ANE, Porcupine Seabight**

Portugal
for coast use: **ANE, Portugal**

DISTRICT	CODE
Portugal, Aveiro	ANE
Portugal, Beja	ANE
Portugal, Braga	ANE
Portugal, Braganca	no coast
Portugal, Castelo Branco	no coast
Portugal, Coimbra	ANE
Portugal, Evora	no coast
Portugal, Faro	ANE
Portugal, Guarda	no coast
Portugal, Leiria	ANE
Portugal, Lisbon	ANE
Portugal, Portalegre	no coast
Portugal, Porto	ANE
Portugal, Santarem	no coast
Portugal, Setubal	ANE
Portugal, Viana do Castelo	ANE
Portugal, Vila Real	no coast
Portugal, Viseu	no coast

Portugal Current
use: **ANE, Portugal Current**

Portuguese Macao
use: **China, People's Republic, Macao**
Special Administrative Region
for coast use: **ISEW, China, People's**
Republic, Macao Special
Administrative Region

Pribilof Islands
note: before 1992 search INE, PRIBILOF I.
use: **USA, Alaska, Pribilof Islands**
for coast use: **INE, USA, Alaska, Pribilof**
Islands

Prince Edward Island (Canadian Province)
use: **Canada, Prince Edward Island**
for coast use: **ANW, Canada, Prince Edward**
Island

see also: Canada

Prince Edward Islands (South Africa)
note: before 1992 search PRINCE EDWARD I.
use: **South Africa, Prince Edward Islands**
for coast use: **PSW, South Africa, Prince**
Edward Islands
see also: Marion Island

Princess Elizabeth Land
use: **Antarctica, Australian Antarctic**
Territory, Princess Elizabeth Land
for coast use: **PSE, Antarctica, Australian**
Antarctic Territory, Princess Elizabeth
Land

Principe
note: before 2016 search PRINCIPE
use: **Sao Tome and Príncipe, Principe**
for coast use: **ASE, Sao Tome and Príncipe,**
Principe
see also: Sao Tome

Proto-Atlantic Ocean
(Earth history)
use: **A, Proto-Atlantic Ocean**

Prudhoe Bay
note: before 2016 search PNW, PRUDHOE
BAY
use: **PNW, USA, Alaska, Prudhoe Bay**

Puducherry
(equal to Pondicherry)
use: **India, Puducherry**
for coast use: **ISW, India, Puducherry**

Puerto Rico
note: before 1992 search PUERTO RICO
use: **Greater Antilles, Puerto Rico**
for coast use: **ASW, Greater Antilles, Puerto**
Rico
see also: Greater Antilles

Puerto Rico Trench
use: **ASW, Puerto Rico Trench**

Puget Sound
note: before 2016 search INE, PUGET SOUND
use: **INE, USA, Washington, Puget Sound**

Punjab (India)
see: **India, Punjab**
note: no coastline

Punjab (Pakistan)
use: **Pakistan, Punjab**
note: no coastline

- Qatar**
for coast use: **ISW, Qatar**
- Queen Charlotte Islands
note: before 1992 search INE, CANADA, QUEEN CHARLOTTE I.
use: **Canada, British Columbia, Queen Charlotte Islands**
for coast use: **INE, Canada, British Columbia, Queen Charlotte Islands**
see also: Canada
- Queen Elizabeth Islands
(equals Parry Islands)
use: **Canada, Queen Elizabeth Islands**
for coast use: **PNW, Canada, Queen Elizabeth Islands**
- Queen Mary Land
use: **Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, Queen Mary Land**
for coast use: **PSE, Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, Queen Mary Land**
- Queen Maud Land
use: **Antarctica, Dronning Maud Land**
for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, Dronning Maud Land**
- Rajasthan
use: **India, Rajasthan**
note: no coastline
- Rakata Island
(equal to Krakatau Island)
note: before 1992 search ISEW, RAKATA I.
use: **Indonesia, Rakata Island**
for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia, Rakata Island**
see also: Indonesia
- Raki-Ura
use: **New Zealand, South Island, Stewart Island**
for coast use: **PSE, New Zealand, South Island, Stewart Island**
- Ralik Ridge
use: **ISEW, Ralik Ridge**
- Rangiroa Atoll
note: before 2016 search TUAMOTU I., RANGIROA ATOLL
use: **French Polynesia, Tuamotu Islands, Rangiroa Atoll**
for coast use: **ISE, French Polynesia, Tuamotu Islands, Rangiroa Atoll**
- see also: French Polynesia, Tuamotu Islands
- Rapa Nui
use: **Chile, Easter Island**
for coast use: **ISE, Chile, Easter Island**
- Raroia Atoll
note: before 2016 search TUAMOTU I., RAROIA ATOLL
use: **French Polynesia, Tuamotu Islands, Raroia Atoll**
for coast use: **ISE, French Polynesia, Tuamotu Islands, Raroia Atoll**
see also: French Polynesia, Tuamotu Islands
- Rarotonga
note: before 2016 search NEW ZEALAND ISLAND TERR., COOK I., RAROTONGA
use: **Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands, Rarotonga**
for coast use: **ISE, Associated States of New Zealand, Cook Islands, Rarotonga**
- Ras Al Khaimah
(member of United Arab Emirates)
note: before 1992 search RAS AL KHAIMAH
use: **United Arab Emirates, Ras Al Khaimah**
for coast use: **ISW, United Arab Emirates, Ras Al Khaimah**
see also: United Arab Emirates
- Ratak Ridge
use: **ISEW, Ratak Ridge**
- Red Sea
use: **ISW, Red Sea**
- Republic of Angola
use: **Angola**
- Republic of Benin
use: **Benin**
- Republic of China
use: **Taiwan**
- Republic of Korea
use: **Korea, Republic**
- Republic of South Sudan
use: **South Sudan**
- Republic of the Congo**
note: before 2016 search CONGO, PEOPLE'S REP.
for coast use: **ASE, Republic of the Congo**

Republic of the Congo, Congo River

note: known as the Zaire R. until 1997.
note: before 2016 search CONGO, PEOPLE'S
REP, ZAIRE R.
see also:
Africa, Congo River
Democratic Republic of the Congo, Congo
River

Republic of Vietnam

use: **Viet Nam**
for coast use: **ISEW, Viet Nam**

Reunion Island

use: **Mascarene Islands, Reunion Island**
for coast use: **ISW, Mascarene Islands,
Reunion Island**
see also: Mascarene Islands

Reykjanes Ridge

use: **ANE, Reykjanes Ridge**

Rhein River

see: Rhine River

Rhine River

(equal to Rhein River)
note: before 2016 search EUROPE, RHINE R.
use: **Europe, Rhine River**
for more specific studies use:
France, Rhine River
Germany, Rhine River
Netherlands, Rhine River
Switzerland, Rhine River

Rhodes

(equal to Rodhos)
note: before 1992 search AEGEAN I.,
RHODES. Between 1992 and 2011
search GREECE, AEGEAN I., RHODES
use: **Greece, Aegean Islands, Dodecanese,
Rhodes**
for coast use: **MED, Greece, Aegean Islands,
Dodecanese, Rhodes**
see also: Greece, Aegean Islands

Rhodesia

use: **Zimbabwe**

Rhone River

note: before 2016 search EUROPE, RHONE R.
use: **Europe, Rhone River**
for more specific studies use:
France, Rhone River
or **Switzerland, Rhone River**

Riga Gulf

note: before 1992 search ANE, RIGA GULF

Between 1992 and 2011 search ANE,
BALTIC, RIGA GULF

use: **ANE, Baltic Sea, Gulf of Riga**

Rio de la Plata

note: only if referring to it as an estuary. If using
the term to refer to the river section see
entry for La Plata, Rio de. Before 2016
search PSW, RIO DE LA PLATA
use: **PSW, South America, Rio de la Plata**
for more specific studies use:
ASW, Uruguay, Rio de la Plata
or **PSW, Argentina, Rio de la Plata**

Rio Muni

use: **Equatorial Guinea, Rio Muni**

River ...

see under name of River

Roar Field

use: **ANE, North Sea, Roar Field**

Robalo Field

use: **ASW, Brazil, Robalo Field**

Rockall

note: before 1992 search ANE, ROCKALL.
use: **British Isles, Rockall**
for coast use: **ANE, British Isles, Rockall**

Rockall Trough

use: **ANE, Rockall Trough**

Rodhos

see: Rhodes

Rodrigues Island

(equal to Rodriguez Island)
note: before 1992 search MASCARENE I.,
RODRIGUEZ I.
use: **Mascarene Islands, Rodrigues Island**
for coast use: **ISW, Mascarene Islands,
Rodrigues Island**

Rodriguez Island

see: Rodrigues Island

Romanche Gap

(equal to Romanche Trench)
use: **ASE, Romanche Gap**

Romanche Trench

use: **ASE, Romanche Gap**

Romania

(equal to Rumania)
for coast use: **MED, Black Sea, Romania**

Romania, Danube River

note: before 2016 search ROMANIA, DANUBE R.

see also: Europe, Danube River
Austria, Danube River
Bulgaria, Danube River
MED, Black Sea, Danube Delta
MED, Black Sea, Romania, Danube Delta
MED, Black Sea, Ukraine, Danube Delta
Germany, Danube River
Hungary, Danube River
Serbia, Danube River
Slovakia, Danube River

Roosevelt Island

use: **Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Roosevelt Island**
for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Roosevelt Island**

Ross Dependency (to New Zealand)

note: before 1992 search ROSS DEPENDENCY
use: **Antarctica, Ross Dependency**
for coast use: **PS, Antarctica, Ross Dependency**

includes:

Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Balleny Islands
Antarctica, Ross Dependency, King Edward VII Land
Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Roosevelt Island
Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Ross Island
Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Ross Ice Shelf
Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Scott Island
Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Victoria Land
(any part of Victoria Land West of longitude 160° East is Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Victoria Land)
see also: Antarctica

Ross Ice Shelf

use: **Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Ross Ice Shelf**
for coast use: **PS, Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Ross Ice Shelf**

Ross Island

use: **Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Ross Island**
for coast use: **PSE, Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Ross Island**

Ross Sea

use: **PS, Ross Sea**

Rota

use: **Marianas, Northern Marianas, Rota**
for coast use: **ISEW, Marianas, Northern Marianas, Rota**

Rough Field

use: **ANE, North Sea, Rough Field**

Rudolf Lake

note: before 2016 search AFRICA, TURKANA L.
use: **Africa, Lake Turkana**
for more specific studies use:
Ethiopia, Lake Turkana
Kenya, Lake Turkana

Rumania

use: **Romania**

Russia

note: before 1992 search USSR, RUSSIA
for coast use: **ANE, Russia, or INW, Russia, or MED, Black Sea, Russia, or PNE, Russia, or Caspian Sea, Russia** or as many as necessary
use of a more specific entry is recommended using Russia plus one of the seven Districts and eighty three Federal Subjects e.g.
Russia, Central Federal District, Belgorod Oblast

DISTRICTS & SUBJECT REGIONS COAST

Russia, Central	no coast
Russia, Central, Belgorod	no coast
Russia, Central, Bryansk	no coast
Russia, Central, Ivanovo	no coast
Russia, Central, Kaluga	no coast
Russia, Central, Kostroma	no coast
Russia, Central, Kursk	no coast
Russia, Central, Lipetsk	no coast
Russia, Central, Moscow	no coast
Russia, Central, Oryol	no coast
Russia, Central, Ryazan	no coast
Russia, Central, Smolensk	no coast
Russia, Central, Tambov	no coast
Russia, Central, Tula	no coast
Russia, Central, Tver	no coast
Russia, Central, Vladimir	no coast
Russia, Central, Voronezh	no coast
Russia, Central, Yaroslavl	no coast
Russia, Far Eastern	PNE, INE or INW
Russia, Far Eastern, Amur	no coast
Russia, Far Eastern, Chukotka	PNE, INE, or INW
Russia, Far Eastern, Jewish	no coast
Russia, Far Eastern, Kamchatka	INW

Russia, Far Eastern, Khabarovsk	INW	Russia, Southern, Rostov	MED, Azov Sea
Russia, Far Eastern, Magadan	INW	Russia, Southern, Volgograd	no coast
Russia, Far Eastern, Primorsky	INW		
Russia, Far Eastern, Sakha	PNE	Russia, Urals	
Russia, Far Eastern, Sakhalin	INW	Russia, Urals, Chelyabinsk	no coast
		Russia, Urals, Kurgan	no coast
Russia, North Caucasian		Russia, Urals, Sverdlovskaya	no coast
Russia, North Caucasian, Dagestan		Russia, Urals, Tyumen	PNE
	Caspian Sea		
Russia, North Caucasian, Ingushetia		Russia, Privolzhsky	no coast
	no coast	Russia, Privolzhsky, Bashkiriya	no coast
Russia, North Caucasian, Kabardino-Balkar		Russia, Privolzhsky Chuvashia	no coast
	no coast	Russia, Privolzhsky Kirov	no coast
Russia, North Caucasian, Karachay-		Russia, Privolzhsky Mari El	no coast
Cherkess	no coast	Russia, Privolzhsky Mordovia	no coast
Russia, North Caucasian, North Ossetia-		Russia, Privolzhsky Nizhny Novgorod	
Alania	no coast		no coast
Russia, North Caucasian, Stavropol		Russia, Privolzhsky Orenburgskaya	
	no coast		no coast
Russia, North Caucasian, Chechen	no coast	Russia, Privolzhsky Penza	no coast
		Russia, Privolzhsky Perm	no coast
Russia, Northwestern		Russia, Privolzhsky Samara	no coast
	PNE or ANE, Baltic Sea	Russia, Privolzhsky Saratov	no coast
Russia, Northwestern, Arkhangelsk		Russia, Privolzhsky Tatarstan	no coast
(including Nenets Okrug)	PNE	Russia, Privolzhsky Udmurtia	no coast
Russia, Northwestern, Petersburg		Russia, Privolzhsky Ulyanovsk	no coast
	ANE, Baltic Sea		
Russia, Northwestern, Kaliningrad		Russian Plate	
	ANE, Baltic Sea		
Russia, Northwestern, Komi	no coast	Rwanda	
Russia, Northwestern, Leningrad		no coastline	
	ANE, Baltic Sea		
Russia, Northwestern, Murmansk	PNE	Rwanda, Lake Kivu	
Russia, Northwestern, Novgorod	no coast	note: before 2016 search RWANDA, KIVU L.	
Russia, Northwestern, Pskov	no coast	see also: Africa, Lake Kivu	
Russia, Northwestern, Karelia	PNE	Republic of the Congo, Lake Kivu	
Russia, Northwestern, Vologda	no coast		
Russia, Siberian	PNE	Ryu-Kyu Islands	
Russia, Siberian, Altay	no coast	(equal to Ryukyu Retto)	
Russia, Siberian, Altayski	no coast	note: before 1992 search RYU-KYU I. Between	
Russia, Siberian, Buryatiya	no coast	1992 and 2011 search JAPAN, OKINAWA	
Russia, Siberian, Irkutsk	no coast	use: Japan, Nansei Islands, Ryukyu Islands	
Russia, Siberian, Kemerovo	no coast	for coast use: ISEW, Japan, Nansei Islands,	
Russia, Siberian, Khakassia	no coast	Ryukyu Islands	
Russia, Siberian, Krasnoyarsk	PNE	see also: Okinawa	
Russia, Siberian, Novosibirsk	no coast		
Russia, Siberian, Omsk	no coast	Ryukyu Retto	
Russia, Siberian, Tomsk	no coast	use: Japan, Nansei Islands, Ryukyu Islands	
Russia, Siberian, Tuva	no coast	for coast use: ISEW, Japan, Nansei Islands,	
Russia, Siberian, Zabaykalsky	no coast	Ryukyu Islands	
Russia, Southern		Saba	
Russia, Southern, Astrakhan	Caspian Sea	(in Leeward Islands)	
Russia, Southern, Krasnodar		note: before 1992 search SABA	
	MED, Black Sea	use: Leeward Islands, Saba	
Russia, Southern, Adygea	no coast	for coast use: ASW, Leeward Islands, Saba	
Russia, Southern, Kalmykia	Caspian Sea	see also: Leeward Islands	
		Netherlands Antilles	

- Sabah**
(in Malaysia, equal to British North Borneo)
note: before 1992 search SABAH
use: **Malaysia, Sabah**
for coast use: **ISEW, Malaysia, Sabah**
see also: Malaysia
- Sahel**
use: **Africa, Sahelian Zone**
- Sahelian Zone**
use: **Africa, Sahelian Zone**
- Saint Christopher**
use: **Leeward Islands, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Kitts**
- Saint Clair Lake**
note: before 2016 search NORTH AMERICA, ST. CLAIR L.
use: **North America, Lake Saint Clair**
for more specific studies use:
Canada, Ontario, Lake Saint Clair USA, Michigan, Lake Saint Clair
- Saint Croix**
use: **Leeward Islands, US Virgin Islands, Saint Croix**
- Saint Eustatius**
(in Leeward Islands)
note: before 1992 search ST. EUSTATIUS
Between 1992 and 2011 search LEEWARD I., ST. EUSTATIUS
use: **Leeward Islands, Saint Eustatius**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, Saint Eustatius**
see also: Leeward Islands
Netherlands Antilles
- Saint George's Channel**
(between Ireland and Wales)
use: **ANE, Saint George's Channel**
- Saint Helena**
note: before 2016 search ST. HELENA
for coast use: **ASE, Saint Helena**
- Saint John**
note: before 1992 search US VIRGIN I., ST. JOHN
Between 1992 and 2011 search LEEWARD I., US VIRGIN I., ST. JOHN
use: **Leeward Islands, US Virgin Islands, Saint John**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, US Virgin Islands, Saint John**
- Saint Kitts and Nevis**
(in Leeward Islands; equal to Saint Christopher and Nevis)
note: before 1992 search ST. KITTS. Between 1992 and 2011 search LEEWARD I., ST. KITTS
use: **Leeward Islands, Saint Kitts and Nevis**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, Saint Kitts and Nevis**
see also: Leeward Islands
- Saint Laurent ...**
see: Saint Lawrence
- Saint Lawrence Gulf**
note Before 1992 search ANW, ST. LAWRENCE GULF. Between 1992 and 2011 search ANW, CANADA, ST. LAWRENCE GULF
use: **ANW, Canada, Quebec, Gulf of Saint Lawrence**
- Saint Lawrence Island**
note: before 1992 search INE, ST. LAWRENCE I. Between 1992 and 2011 search USA, ALASKA, ST. LAWRENCE I.
use: **USA, Alaska, Saint Lawrence Island**
for coast use: **INE, USA, Alaska, Saint Lawrence Island**
- Saint Lawrence River**
note: before 2016 search NORTH AMERICA, ST. LAWRENCE R.
use: **North America, Saint Lawrence River**
for more specific studies use:
Canada, Saint Lawrence River USA, Saint Lawrence River
- Saint Lawrence Seaway**
note: before 2016 search CANADA, ST. LAWRENCE SEAWAY
use: **Canada, Saint Lawrence Seaway**
- Saint Lucia**
(in Windward Islands)
note: before 1992 search ST. LUCIA Between 1992 and 2011 search WINDWARD I., ST. LUCIA
use: **Windward Islands, Saint Lucia**
for coast use: **ASW, Windward Islands, Saint Lucia**
see also: Windward Islands
- Saint Maarten**
(in Leeward Islands, equal to Saint Martin)
note: before 1992 search ST. MAARTEN
Between 1992 and 2011 search LEEWARD I., ST. MAARTEN

- use: **Leeward Islands, Saint Maarten**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, Saint Maarten**
see also: Leeward Islands
Netherlands Antilles
- Saint Malo Gulf
(Golfe de Saint Malo)
note: before 1992 search ANE, ST. MALO GULF
Between 1992 and 2011 search ANE, FRANCE, ST. MALO GULF
use: **ANE, France, Brittany, Ille-et-Vilaine, Saint-Malo Gulf**
- Saint Paul Island
(in Indian Ocean)
note: before 1992 search ST. PAUL I. Between 1992 and 2011 search ANTARCTICA, FRENCH AUSTRAL AND ANTARCTIC TERR., ST. PAUL I.
use: **Antarctica, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Saint Paul Island**
for coast use: **ISW, Antarctica, French Austral and Antarctic Territory, Saint Paul Island**
- Saint Pierre and Miquelon**
note: before 2016 search ST. PIERRE AND MIQUELON
for coast use: **ANW, Saint Pierre and Miquelon**
- Saint Thomas
note: before 2016 search LEEWARD I., US VIRGIN I., ST. THOMAS
use: **Leeward Islands, US Virgin Islands, Saint Thomas**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, US Virgin Islands, Saint Thomas**
- Saint Vincent and the Grenadines
(in Windward Islands)
note: before 1992 search ST. VINCENT
Between 1992 and 2011 search WINDWARD I., ST. VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES
use: **Windward Islands, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines**
for coast use: **ASW, Windward Islands, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines**
see also: Windward Islands
- Saipan
use: **Marianas, Northern Marianas, Saipan**
for coast use: **ISEW, Marianas, Northern Marianas, Saipan**
- Sakhalin Island
use: **Russia, Far Eastern, Sakhalin Island**
for coast use: **INW, Russia, Far Eastern, Sakhalin Island**
- Sala y Gomez Ridge
use: **ISE, Sala y Gomez Ridge**
- Salomon Chagos
(equal to Salomon I)
note: before 1992 search SALOMON CHAGOS. Between 1992 and 2011 search BRITISH INDIAN OCEAN TERR., CHAGOS ARCHIPELAGO, SALOMON CHAGOS
use: **Chagos Archipelago, Salomon Chagos**
for coast use: **ISW, Chagos Archipelago, Salomon Chagos**
see also: Chagos Archipelago
- Salomon Islands
use: **Chagos Archipelago, Salomon Chagos**
for coast use: **ISW, Chagos Archipelago, Salomon Chagos**
see also: Chagos Archipelago
- Salton Sea
use: **USA, California, Salton Sea**
- Salvagem(s)
(equal to Savage Islands, equal to Selvagen Islands,)
use: **Madeira, Selvagens**
for coast use: **ASE, Madeira, Selvagens**
see also: Madeira
- Salvagen(s)
(equal to Savage Islands, equal to Selvagen Islands,)
use: **Madeira, Selvagens**
for coast use: **ASE, Madeira, Selvagens**
see also: Madeira
- Samoa**
(used for Western Samoa)
for coast use: **ISE, Samoa**
see also: Samoan Islands
American Samoa
- Samoan Islands**
(equal to American Samoa + Western Samoa)
for coast use: **ISE, Samoan Islands**
see also: American Samoa
Samoa
- San Francisco Bay
note: before 2016 search INE, SAN FRANCISCO BAY
use: **INE, USA, California, San Francisco Bay**

- San Marino**
no coastline
- San Salvador**
(equal to Watling Island)
note: before 2016 search BAHAMA I., SAN SALVADOR
use: **Bahamas, San Salvador**
for coast use: **ASW, Bahamas, San Salvador**
see also: Bahamas
- Santa Barbara Channel**
note: before 2016 search INE, SANTA BARBARA CHANNEL
use: **INE, USA, California, Santa Barbara Channel**
- Santa Cruz Island (Galapagos Islands)**
use: **Ecuador, Galapagos, Santa Cruz Island**
for coast use: **ISE, Ecuador, Galapagos, Santa Cruz Island**
- Santa Cruz Island (USA, California)**
use: **USA, California, Channel Islands, Santa Cruz Island**
for coast use: **INE, USA, California, Channel Islands, Santa Cruz Island**
- Santa Cruz Islands (Solomon Islands)**
note: before 1992 search SANTA CRUZ I.
use: **Solomon Islands, Santa Cruz Islands**
for coast use: **ISEW, Solomon Islands, Santa Cruz Islands**
see also: Solomon Islands
- Santa Maria**
use: **Azores, Santa Maria**
for coast use: **ANE, Azores, Santa Maria**
see also: Azores
- Sao Jorge**
use: **Azores, Sao Jorge**
for coast use: **ANE, Azores, Sao Jorge**
see also: Azores
- Sao Miguel**
use: **Azores, Sao Miguel**
for coast use: **ANE, Azores, Sao Miguel**
see also: Azores
- Sao Tome**
note before 2016 search SAO TOME
use: **Sao Tome and Príncipe, Sao Tome**
for coast use: **ASE, Sao Tome and Príncipe, Sao Tome**
see also: Principe
- Sao Tome and Príncipe**
for coast use: **ASE, Sao Tome and Príncipe**
- Sarawak**
(in Malaysia)
note: before 1992 search SARAWAK
use: **Malaysia, Sarawak**
for coast use: **ISEW, Malaysia, Sarawak**
see also: Malaysia
- Sardegna**
use: **Italy, Sardinia**
for coast use: **MED, Italy, Sardinia**
- Sardinia**
(equal to Sardegna)
note: before 1992 search SARDINIA
use: **Italy, Sardinia**
for coast use: **MED, Italy, Sardinia**
see also: Italy
- Sargasso Sea**
use: **ASW, Sargasso Sea**
- Sark**
use: **Channel Islands, Sark**
for coast use: **ANE, Channel Islands, Sark**
see also: Channel Islands
- Saronic Gulf**
use: **MED, Greece, Saronikos Gulf**
- Saronikos Gulf**
use: **MED, Greece, Saronikos Gulf**
- Saudi Arabia**
for coast use: **ISW, Saudi Arabia**
- Scandinavia**
(equal to Denmark + Norway + Sweden)
use of a more specific entry is recommended
for coast use: **ANE, Scandinavia**
- Scattered Islands in the Indian Ocean (French Southern and Antarctic Lands)**
(equals Iles Isparses)
use: **French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Scattered Islands in the Indian Ocean**
for coast use: **ISW, French Southern and Antarctic Lands, Scattered Islands in the Indian Ocean**
- Schleswig-Holstein**
use: **Germany, Schleswig-Holstein**
- Scotia Plate**
- Scotia Ridge**
use: **PSW, Scotia Ridge**

Scotia Sea

use: **PSW, Scotia Sea**

Scotian Shelf

use: **ANW, Scotian Shelf**

see also: Browns Bank

Scotland

note: before 2016 search BRITISH ISLES,
SCOTLAND

use: **UK, Scotland**

for coast use: **ANE, UK, Scotland**

see also: British Isles

UK

Scott Island

use: **Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Scott Island**

for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Scott Island**

Sea of

see under name of Sea

SEATO

(used for South East Asia Treaty Organization)

note: historical term only, SEATO was

dissolved on June 30, 1977.

Secretariat of the Pacific Community

use: **SPC**

Seine Bay

note: before 2016 search ANE, SEINE BAY

use: **ANE, France, Haute-Normandie, Seine-Maritime, Seine Bay**

Selvagens

(equal to Salvagem(s), equal to Savage Islands, equal to Selvagen Islands.)

use: **Madeira, Selvagens**

for coast use: **ASE, Madeira, Selvagens**

see also: Madeira

Senegal

for coast use: **ASE, Senegal**

Seram

(equal to Ceram)

note: before 1992 search MOLUCCAS,
SERAM

use: **Indonesia, Moluccas, Seram**

for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia, Moluccas, Seram**

Seram Sea

(equal to Ceram Sea)

use: **ISEW, Seram Sea**

Serbia

note: before 2016 search YUGOSLAVIA,
SERBIA

no coastline

Seto Naikai

use: **INW, Japan Inland Sea**

Sevastopol Bay

note: before 2016 search MED, SEVASTOPOL
BAY

use: **MED, Black Sea, Ukraine, Crimea, Sevastopol Bay**

Seychelles

for coast use: **ISW, Seychelles**

includes:

Seychelles, Aldabra Islands

Seychelles, Amirante Islands

Seychelles, Amirante Islands, African Island

Seychelles, Amirante Islands,

Alphonse Islands

Seychelles, Amirante Islands,

Desroches

Seychelles, Amirante Islands, Poivre

Islands

Seychelles, Bird Island

Seychelles, Cosmoledo Island

Seychelles, Cousin Island

Seychelles, Denis Island

Seychelles, Farquhar

Seychelles, Mahe

Sharjah

(member of United Arab Emirates)

note: before 1992 search SHARJAH

use: **United Arab Emirates, Sharjah**

for coast use: **ISW, United Arab Emirates, Sharjah**

see also: United Arab Emirates

Shetland Islands

note: before 1992 search BRITISH ISLES,
SHETLAND Between 1992 and 2011

search BRITISH ISLES, SCOTLAND,
SHETLAND

use: **UK, Scotland, Shetland Islands** for

coast use: **ANE, UK, Scotland, Shetland Islands**

Shikoku

use: **Japan, Shikoku**

Siam Gulf

use: **ISEW, Gulf of Thailand**

Siberia

note: the term Siberia should only be used for studies that include the whole of Asian Russia except that close to the Pacific. The term should not be confused with the term Russia, Siberian Federal District which is a smaller administrative area. Before 1992 search USSR, Siberia

use: **Russia, Siberia**

for coast use: **PNE, Russia, Siberia**
or **INW, Russia, Siberia**

see also: Russia, Siberian Federal District

Sicilian Channel

use: **MED, Sicilian Channel**

Sicily

note: before 1992 search SICILY

use: **Italy, Sicily**

for coast use: **MED, Italy, Sicily**

see also: Italy

Sicily Strait

(The Strait of Sicily is the strait between Sicily and Tunisia)

use: **MED, Italy, Sicily Strait**

Sierra Leone

for coast use: **ASE, Sierra Leone**

Signy Island

use: **Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory, South Orkney Islands, Signy Island**

for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory, South Orkney Islands, Signy Island**

Sikkim

use: **India, Sikkim**

note: no coastline

Sinai Peninsula

note: before 2016 search EGYPT, ARAB REP., SINAI PENINSULA

use: **Egypt, Sinai Peninsula**

for Mediterranean coast use:

MED, Egypt, Sinai Peninsula

for Red Sea coast use:

ISW, Egypt, Sinai Peninsula

or use both as necessary

Singapore

for coast use: **ISEW, Singapore**

see also: Malaysia

Singapore Strait

use: **ISEW, Singapore Strait**

Sirte Gulf

(equal to Khalij Surt)

note: before 2016 search MED, SIRTE GULF

use: **MED, Libya, Gulf of Sirte**

Skagerrak

use: **ANE, Skagerrak**

see also: Baltic Sea

Slipper Island

note: before 1992 search SLIPPER I.

use: **New Zealand, North Island, Slipper Island**

for coast use: **PSE, New Zealand, North Island, Slipper Island**

see also: New Zealand

Slovakia

note, before 2016 search CZECHOSLOVAKIA, SLOVAKIA

no coastline

Slovakia, Danube River

note: before 2016 search CZECHOSLOVAKIA, DANUBE R.

see also: Europe, Danube River

Austria, Danube River

Bulgaria, Danube River

MED, Black Sea, Danube Delta

MED, Black Sea, Romania, Danube Delta

MED, Black Sea, Ukraine, Danube Delta

Germany, Danube River

Hungary, Danube River

Romania, Danube River

Serbia, Danube River

Slovenia

note: before 2016 search YUGOSLAVIA, SLOVENIA

for coast use: **MED, Slovenia**

Snares Islands

note: before 1992 search SNARES I.

use: **New Zealand, South Island, Snares Islands**

for coast use: **PSE, New Zealand, South Island, Snares Islands**

see also: New Zealand

Society Islands

note: before 2016 search SOCIETY I.

use: **French Polynesia, Society Islands**

for coast use: **ISE, French Polynesia, Society Islands**

see also: **French Polynesia**

includes:

French Polynesia, Society Islands,

Windward Group
French Polynesia, Society Islands, Leeward Group
French Polynesia, Society Islands, Windward Group, Moorea
French Polynesia, Society Islands, Windward Group, Tahiti

Socotra
note: before 1992 search SOCOTRA
use: **Yemen, Socotra**
for coast use: **ISW, Yemen, Socotra**
see also: Yemen

Solent
note: before 2016 search ANE, SOLENT
use: **ANE, UK, England, Solent**

Solomon Islands
(equal to British Solomon Islands)
for coast use: **ISEW, Solomon Islands**
includes:
Solomon Islands, Ontong Java Atoll
Solomon Islands, Santa Cruz Island

Solomon Sea
use: **ISEW, Solomon Sea**

Solomons Plate

Somali Basin
use: **ISW, Somali Basin**

Somali Current
use: **ISW, Somali Current**

Somali Democratic Republic
see: **Somalia**

Somalia
note: before 2016 search SOMALI DEM. REP.
for coast use: **ISW, Somalia**

Somme Bay
note: before 2016 search ANE, SOMME BAY
use: **ANE, France, Picardie, Somme, Somme Bay**

Sous Le Vent Islands
note: before 1992 search SOUS LE VENT I.
Between 1992 and 2011 search SOCIETY I., SOUS LE VENT I.
use: **French Polynesia, Society Islands, Leeward Group**
for coast use: **ISE, French Polynesia, Society Islands, Leeward Group**

South Africa

(equal to Republic of South Africa)
for coast use: **PSW, South Africa**
includes provinces:

PROVINCE	COAST
South Africa, Eastern Cape	PSW
South Africa, Free State	no coast
South Africa, Gauteng	no coast
South Africa, KwaZulu-Natal	PSW
South Africa, Limpopo	no coast
South Africa, Mpumalanga	no coast
South Africa, North West	no coast
South Africa, Northern Cape	PSW
South Africa, Western Cape	PSW

see also: Africa, South
Cape Province
Namibia
Natal
Orange Free State
Prince Edward Islands
Southern Africa Coasts
Transvaal

South America
(that part of America south of the isthmus of Panama)
use of a more specific entry is recommended

South America Coasts
use of a more specific entry is recommended

South America Inland Waters
used for: FAO Fishing Area 03
see also: America Inland Waters

South America, Amazon River
note: before 2016 search SOUTH AMERICA, AMAZON R.
for more specific studies use:
Brazil, Amazon River
Peru, Amazon River
ASW, Brazil, Amazon Delta

South America, La Plata River
use: **PSW, South America, Rio de la Plata**

South America, Lake Titicaca
note: before 2016 search SOUTH AMERICA, TITICACA L.
for more specific studies use:
Bolivia, Lake Titicaca
Peru, Lake Titicaca

South America, Tierra del Fuego
(equal to Tierra del Fuego and Isla Grande de Tierra del Fuego)
note: before 1992 search TIERRA DEL FUEGO
for coast use: **PSW, South America, Tierra**

del Fuego

for more specific studies use:

Argentina, Tierra del Fuego
Chile, Tierra del Fuego

South American Plate

South Atlantic

use: **AS, South Atlantic**

for more specific studies use:

ASE, South Atlantic
ASW, South Atlantic

see also: Atlantic Ocean

South Australian Basin

use: **ISW, South Australian Basin**

South Caspian Plate

South China Sea

(equal to Nan Hai)

use: **ISEW, South China Sea**

South East Asia Treaty Organization

use: **SEATO**

note: historical term only. SEATO was dissolved on June 30, 1977.

South Equatorial Countercurrent

note: only used for studies on the whole current, normally one or more of the following more specific region entries would be used:

for Atlantic use:

AS, South Equatorial Countercurrent

for more specific studies use:

ASE, South Equatorial Countercurrent
or **ASW, South Equatorial Countercurrent**

for Indian Ocean use:

ISW, South Equatorial Countercurrent

for Pacific use:

IS, Pacific, South Equatorial Countercurrent

for more specific studies use:

ISE, South Equatorial Countercurrent
or **ISEW, South Equatorial Countercurrent**

or as many as necessary

South Equatorial Current

note: only used for studies on the whole current, normally one or more of the following more specific region entries would be used:

for Atlantic use:

AS, South Equatorial Current

for more specific studies use:

ASE, South Equatorial Current

or **ASW, South Equatorial Current**

for Indian Ocean use:

ISW, South Equatorial Current

for Pacific use:

IS, Pacific, South Equatorial Current

for more specific studies use:

ISE, South Equatorial Current
or **ISEW, South Equatorial Current**
or use as many as necessary

South Equatorial Undercurrent

note: only used for studies on the whole current, normally one or more of the following more specific region entries would be used:

for Atlantic use:

AS, South Equatorial Undercurrent

for more specific studies use:

ASE, South Equatorial Undercurrent
or **ASW, South Equatorial Undercurrent**

for Indian Ocean use:

ISW, South Equatorial Undercurrent

for Pacific use:

IS, Pacific, South Equatorial Undercurrent

for more specific studies use:

ISE, South Equatorial Undercurrent
or **ISEW, South Equatorial Undercurrent**
or use as many as necessary

South Georgia

for coast use: **PSW, South Georgia**

see also: South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands

South Georgia and the South Sandwich Isles

use: **South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands**

for coast use: **PSW, South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands**

South Honshu Ridge

use: **ISEW, South Honshu Ridge**

South Honshu Trench

use: **ISEW, South Honshu Trench**

South Indian Basin

(equal to Eastern-Indian Antarctic Basin)

use: **PSE, South Indian Basin**

South Indian Current

use: **ISW, South Indian Current**

South Indian Ocean

use: **ISW, South Indian Ocean**
or **PSE, South Indian Ocean**
or **PSW, South Indian Ocean**

or as many as necessary
see also: Indian Ocean

South Korea

use: **Korea, Republic**

South Orkney Islands

note: before 1992 search SOUTH ORKNEYS.

Between 1992 and 2011 search
ANTARCTICA, BRITISH ANTARCTIC
TERR., SOUTH ORKNEYS

use: **Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory,
South Orkney Islands**

for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, British
Antarctic Territory, South Orkney
Islands**

see also: Signy Island
Coronation Island

South Orkneys

use: **Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory,
South Orkney Islands**

for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, British
Antarctic Territory, South Orkney
Islands**

South Pacific

use: **IS, South Pacific**
or **PSW, South Pacific**

for more specific studies use:

ISE, South Pacific
ISEW, South Pacific

see also: Pacific Ocean

South Pacific Commission

use: **SPC**

South Pole

use: **Antarctica, South Pole**

South Sandwich Islands

(in Falkland Islands Dependencies)

for coast use: **PSW, South Sandwich Islands**

South Sandwich Trench

use: **PSW, South Sandwich Trench**

South Shetland Islands

(in British Antarctic Territory)

note: before 1992 search SOUTH SHETLAND I.

use: **Antarctica, British Antarctic Territory,
South Shetland Islands**

for coast use: **PSW, Antarctica, British
Antarctic Territory, South Shetland
Islands**

South Sudan

note: before 2016 search also SUDAN

no coastline

South Tropical Countercurrent

use: **ISEW, South Tropical Countercurrent**

South Vietnam

use: **Viet Nam**

South West Africa

use: **Namibia**

South Yemen

use: **Yemen**

Southampton Water

note: before 1992 search ANE, BRITISH
ISLES, SOUTHAMPTON WATER.

Between 1992 and 2011 search ANE,
BRITISH ISLES, ENGLAND,
HAMPSHIRE and ANE, SOUTHAMPTON
WATER

use: **ANE, UK, England, Hampshire,
Southampton Water**

Southeast Asia

(equal to Far East)

use: **Asia, Southeast**

use of a more specific entry is recommended

includes:

Brunei
Cambodia
Lao
Malaysia
Myanmar
Philippines
Singapore
Thailand
Viet Nam

Southeast Pacific Basin

use: **PSW, Southeast Pacific Basin**

Southern Africa

use: **Africa, South**

Southern Africa Coasts

(equal to coasts of Namibia + South Africa)

for coast use: **PSW, Africa**

Southern California Bight

use: **INE, Southern California Bight**

Southern Current

use: **MED, Black Sea, Southern Current**

Southern Hemisphere

Southern Hemisphere Oceans

Southern Ireland
use: **Eire**

Southern Ocean
before 1980 search PSE, SOUTHERN OCEAN
use: **PS, Antarctic Ocean**

Southern Rhodesia
use: **Zimbabwe**

Southland Current
use: **PSE, Southland Current**

Southwest Indian Ridge
use: **ISW, Southwest Indian Ridge**

Southwest Pacific Basin
(equal to Pacific-Antarctic Basin)
use: **PSW, Southwest Pacific Basin**

Soviet Union

note: Historic term only. The Union of Soviet Socialist Republics (USSR) was a constitutionally socialist state that existed in Eurasia from 1922 to 1991

Spain

(equal to Espagne)

for coast (Atlantic) use:

ANE, Spain

for coast (Mediterranean) use:

MED, Spain

or both as necessary

COMMUNITIES

Spain, Andalusia

Spain, Aragon

Spain, Asturias

Spain, Balearic Islands

Spain, Basque Country

Spain, Canary Islands

Spain, Cantabria

Spain, Castilla y Leon

Spain, Catalonia

Spain, Madrid

Spain, Valenciana

Spain, Extremadura

Spain, Galicia

Spain, La Rioja

Spain, Navarra

Spain, Murcia

see also: Balearic Islands
Canary Islands

Spanish Guinea
use: **Equatorial Guinea**

SPC

(equals South Pacific Commission, equals Secretariat of the Pacific Community)

Spitsbergen

(island of Svalbard)

note: before 1992 search SPITSBERGEN

Between 1992 and 2011 search
NORWAY, SPITSBERGEN

use: **Norway, Svalbard, Spitsbergen**

for coast use: **PNE, Norway, Svalbard, Spitsbergen**

see also: Norway

Spitsbergen Current

use: **PNE, Spitsbergen Current**

Sporades

use: **Greece, Aegean Islands, Northern Sporades**

for coast use: **MED, Greece, Aegean Islands, Northern Sporades**

Sri Lanka

(formerly Ceylon)

for coast use: **ISW, Sri Lanka**

St. ...

see under Saint

Statfjord Field

use: **ANE, North Sea, Statfjord Field**

Stewart Island

(equal to Raki-Ura)

note: before 1992 search NEW ZEALAND, STEWART I.

use: **New Zealand, South Island, Stewart Island**

for coast use: **PSE, New Zealand, South Island, Stewart Island**

see also: New Zealand

Strait(s) of

see under name of Strait(s)

Subarctic Convergence

use: **PN, Subarctic Convergence**

Subarctic Current

use: **IN, Aleutian Current**

Subtropical Atlantic

use: **AS, Subtropical Atlantic**

for more specific studies use:

ASE, Subtropical Atlantic

ASW, Subtropical Atlantic

see also: Atlantic Ocean

Subtropical Convergence

use: **ANE, Subtropical Convergence**
or **ANW, Subtropical Convergence**
or **AN, Subtropical Convergence**
or **ASE, Subtropical Convergence**
or **ASW, Subtropical Convergence**
or **AS, Subtropical Convergence**
or **ISE, Subtropical Convergence**
or **ISEW, Subtropical Convergence**
or **ISW, Subtropical Convergence**
or **IS, Subtropical Convergence**
or **PSE, Subtropical Convergence**
or **PSW, Subtropical Convergence**
or **PS, Subtropical Convergence**
or as many as necessary

Subtropical Countercurrent

use: **ISW, Subtropical Countercurrent**

Subtropical Indian Ocean

use: **ISW, Subtropical Indian Ocean**
see also: Indian Ocean

Subtropical Pacific

use: **IS, Subtropical Pacific**
for more specific studies use:
ISE, Subtropical Pacific
ISEW, Subtropical Pacific
see also: Pacific Ocean

Sudan

for coast use: **ISW, Sudan**
see also: South Sudan

Sudan, Blue Nile River

note: before 2016 search SUDAN, BLUE NILE R.
see also: Africa, Blue Nile River
Africa, Nile River
Ethiopia, Blue Nile River

Sudan, Lake Nubia

note: before 2016 search SUDAN, NUBIA L.
see also: Africa, Lake Nasser
and Egypt, Lake Nasser

Sudan, Nile River

note: before 2016 search SUDAN, NILE R.
see also: Africa, Nile River
Egypt, Nile River
MED, Egypt, Nile Delta
Uganda, Nile River

Sudan, White Nile River

note: before 2016 search SUDAN, WHITE NILE R. and SOUTH SUDAN, WHITE NILE RIVER

see also: Africa, Nile River

Africa, Blue Nile River
Egypt, Nile River
Ethiopia, Blue Nile River
MED, Egypt, Nile Delta
South Sudan, White Nile River
Sudan, Blue Nile River
Sudan, Nile River
Uganda, Nile River

Suez Canal

note: before 2016 search EGYPT, ARAB REP., SUEZ CANAL
use: **Egypt, Suez Canal**

Suez Gulf

note: before 2016 search ISW, SUEZ GULF
use: **ISW, Gulf of Suez**

Sulawesi

use: **Indonesia, Sulawesi**
for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia, Sulawesi**

Sulu Archipelago

use: **Philippines, Sulu Archipelago**
for coast use: **ISEW, Philippines, Sulu Archipelago**

Sulu Sea

use: **ISEW, Sulu Sea**

Sumatra

(in Indonesia)
use: **Indonesia, Sumatra**
for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia, Sumatra**
see also: Indonesia

Sunda Trench

use: **ISEW, Java Trench**

Sundarbans

use: **ISW, Sundarbans**
for more detailed studies use:
ISW, Bangladesh, Sundarbans
ISW, India, West Bengal, Sundarbans

Superior Lake

note: before 2016 search NORTH AMERICA, SUPERIOR L.
use: **North America, Lake Superior**
for more specific studies use:
Canada, Ontario, Lake Superior
USA, Lake Superior

Suriname

for coast use: **ASW, Suriname**

Svalbard
use: **Norway, Svalbard**
for coast use: **PNE, Norway, Svalbard**

Swaziland
no coast

Sweden
for coast use: **ANE, Sweden**

Switzerland
no coast

Switzerland, Lake Constance
note: before 2016 search SWITZERLAND,
CONSTANCE L.
see also: Europe, Lake Constance
Austria, Lake Constance
Germany, Baden-Wuerttemberg, Lake
Constance

Switzerland, Lake Geneva
note: before 2016 search SWITZERLAND,
GENEVA L.
see also: Europe, Lake Geneva
France, Lake Geneva

Switzerland, Lake Lucerne
note: before 2016 search SWITZERLAND,
LUCERNE L.

Switzerland, Lake Lugano
note: before 2016 search SWITZERLAND,
LUGANO L.
see also: Europe, Lake Lugano
Italy, Lake Lugano

Switzerland, Lake Maggiore
note: before 2016 search SWITZERLAND,
MAGGIORE L.
see also: Europe, Lake Maggiore
Italy, Lake Maggiore

Switzerland, Rhine River
note: before 2016 search SWITZERLAND,
RHINE R.
see also: Europe, Rhine River
France, Rhine River
Germany, Rhine River
Netherlands, Rhine River

Switzerland, Rhone River
note: before 2016 search SWITZERLAND,
RHONE R.
see also: Europe, Rhone River
France, Rhone River

Syria

for coast use: **MED, Syria**

Tadzhikistan
use: **Tajikistan**

Tahiti
(in Society Islands)
note: before 1992 search TAHITI. Between
1992 and 2011 search SOCIETY I.,
TAHITI
use: **French Polynesia, Society Islands,
Windward Group, Tahiti**
for coast use: **ISE, French Polynesia, Society
Islands, Windward Group, Tahiti**
see also: French Polynesia, Society Islands

Taiwan
(equal to China, Republic, equal to China,
People's Republic, Taiwan Province,
equal to Formosa)
for coast use: **ISEW, Taiwan**

Taiwan Strait
use: **ISEW, Taiwan Strait**

Taiwan Warm Current
use: **IW, Taiwan Warm Current**
for more specific studies use:
ISEW, Taiwan Warm Current
or **INW, Taiwan Warm Current**

Tajikistan
no coastline

Tamil Nadu
use: **India, Tamil Nadu**
for coast use: **ISW, India, Tamil Nadu**

Tanganyika
use: **Tanzania**

Tanganyika Lake
note: before 2016 search AFRICA,
TANGANYIKA L.
use: **Africa, Lake Tanganyika**
for more specific studies use:
Burundi, Lake Tanganyika
Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake
Tanganyika
Tanzania, Lake Tanganyika
Zambia, Lake Tanganyika

Tanzania
(equal to Tanganyika + Zanzibar)
for coast use: **ISW, Tanzania**
REGIONS
Tanzania, Arusha CODE
Tanzania, Dar es Salaam no coast
ISW

Tanzania, Dodoma	no coast
Tanzania, Iringa	no coast
Tanzania, Kagera	no coast
Tanzania, Kigoma	no coast
Tanzania, Kilimanjaro	no coast
Tanzania, Lindi	ISW
Tanzania, Manyara	no coast
Tanzania, Mara	no coast
Tanzania, Mbeya	no coast
Tanzania, Morogoro	no coast
Tanzania, Mtwara	ISW
Tanzania, Mwanza	no coast
Tanzania, Pemba	no coast
Tanzania, Pwani	ISW
Tanzania, Rukwa	no coast
Tanzania, Ruvuma	no coast
Tanzania, Shinyanga	no coast
Tanzania, Singida	no coast
Tanzania, Tabora	no coast
Tanzania, Tanga	ISW
Tanzania, Zanzibar	ISW

see also: Zanzibar

Tanzania, Lake Nyasa

note: the Tanzanian area of Lake Malawi

note: before 2016 search TANZANIA, NYASA L.

see also:

Malawi, Lake Malawi

Mozambique, Lake Malawi

Tanzania, Lake Tanganyika

note: before 2016 search TANZANIA, TANGANYIKA L.

see also: Africa Lake Tanganyika

Burundi, Lake Tanganyika

Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake Tanganyika

Zambia, Lake Tanganyika

Tanzania, Lake Victoria

note: before 2016 search TANZANIA, VICTORIA L.

see also: Africa, Lake Victoria

Kenya, Lake Victoria

Uganda, Lake Victoria

Taranto Gulf

note: before 1992 search MED, TARANTO GULF Between 1992 and 2011 search MED, ITALY, TARANTO GULF

use: **MED, Italy, Gulf of Taranto**

Tarawa

note: before 2016 search Kiribati, Tarawa

use: **Kiribati, Gilbert Islands, Tarawa**

for coast use: **ISEW, Kiribati, Gilbert Islands, Tarawa**

see also: **Kiribati**

Tarraco Field

use: **MED, Spain, Tarraco Field**

Tartan Field

use: **ANE, North Sea, Tartan Field**

Tasman Current

use: **PSE, Tasman Current**

Tasman Sea

use: **PSE, Tasman Sea**

Tasmania

use: **Australia, Tasmania**

for coast use: **PSE, Australia, Tasmania**

Tatar Strait

note: before 2016 search INW, TATAR STRAIT and INW, RUSSIA

use: **INW, Russia, Tatar Strait**

Tchad

use: **Chad**

Tchad Lake

note: before 2016 search AFRICA, CHAD L.

use: **Africa, Lake Chad**

for more specific studies use:

Cameroon, Lake Chad

Chad, Lake Chad

Niger, Lake Chad

Nigeria, Lake Chad

Tenerife

use: **Spain, Canary Islands, Tenerife**

for coast use: **ASE, Spain, Canary Islands, Tenerife**

see also: Canary Islands

Terceira

use: **Azores, Terceira**

for coast use: **ANE, Azores, Terceira**

see also: Azores

Tethys Sea

(Earth history)

Thailand

(equal to Siam)

for coast use: **ISEW, Thailand**

Thailand Gulf

(equal to Siam Gulf)

use: **ISEW, Gulf of Thailand**

Thailand, Mekong River

note: before 2016 search THAILAND,

MEKONG R.

see also: Asia, Mekong River
Cambodia, Mekong River
China, People's Republic, Mekong River
ISEW, Viet Nam, Mekong River Delta
Region, Mekong Delta
Lao, Mekong River
Myanmar, Mekong River
Viet Nam, Mekong River

Thistle Field

use: **ANE, North Sea, Thistle Field**

Three Kings Islands

note: before 1992 search NEW ZEALAND,
THREE KINGS I.
use: **New Zealand, North Island, Three
Kings Islands**
for coast use: **PSE, New Zealand, North
Island, Three Kings Islands**
see also: New Zealand

Tiberias Lake

use: **Israel, Lake Kinneret**

Tibet

use: **China, People's Republic, Xizang
Autonomous Region**

Tibetan Plate

Tierra del Fuego

(equal to Isla Grande de Tierra del Fuego,
equal to Archipelago de Tierra del Fuego)
note: before 1992 search TIERRA DEL
FUEGO
use: **Argentina, Tierra del Fuego**
or **Chile, Tierra del Fuego**
or **South America, Tierra del Fuego** for
both
for coast use: **PSW, Argentina, Tierra del
Fuego**
or **PSW, Chile, Tierra del Fuego**
or **PSW, South America, Tierra del Fuego**
for both

Timor

(Timor is an island at the south end of the
Malay Archipelago, north of the Timor
Sea. It is divided between the independent
state of East Timor, and West Timor.
West Timor belongs to the Indonesian
province of East Nusa Tenggara.)
for coast use: **ISEW, Timor**
for more detailed studies use:
East Timor
Indonesia, Lesser Sunda Islands, East
Lesser Sunda Islands, West Timor

Timor Sea

use: **ISEW, Timor Sea**

Tinian

see: **Marianas, Northern Marianas, Tinian**
for coast use: **ISEW, Marianas, Northern
Marianas, Tinian**

Titicaca Lake

note: before 2016 search SOUTH AMERICA,
TITICACA L.

use: **South America, Lake Titicaca**

for more detailed studies use:

Bolivia, Lake Titicaca

Peru, Lake Titicaca

Tobago

(part of Trinidad and Tobago)

note: before 2016 search TOBAGO

use: **Windward Islands, Trinidad and
Tobago, Tobago**

for coast use: **ASW, Windward Islands,
Trinidad and Tobago, Tobago**

see also: Trinidad and Tobago
Trinidad

Togo

for coast use: **ASE, Togo**

Tokelau Islands

(equal to Union Islands)

note: before 1992 search TOKELAU I.

use: **New Zealand Island Territory, Tokelau
Islands**

for coast use: **ISE, New Zealand Island
Territory, Tokelau Islands**

see also: New Zealand Island Territory
Associated States of New Zealand

Tomini Gulf

note: before 1992 search ISEW, TOMINI
GULF Between 1992 and 2011 search
ISEW, INDONESIA, TOMINI GULF
use: **ISEW, Indonesia, Sulawesi, Gulf of
Tomini**

Tonga

(equal to Friendly Island)

for coast use: **ISE, Tonga**

Tonga Trench

use: **ISE, Tonga Trench**

Tongking Gulf

use: **ISEW, Beibu Gulf**

Tonkin Gulf

use: **ISEW, Beibu Gulf**

Torres Islands
use: **Vanuatu, Torres Islands**
for coast use: **ISEW, Vanuatu, Torres Islands**
see also: Vanuatu

Tortola
(in British Virgin Islands)
note: before 1992 search TORTOLA
use: **Leeward Islands, British Virgin Islands, Tortola**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, British Virgin Islands, Tortola**

Transkei
use: **South Africa, Eastern Cape**

Transpolar Drift Stream
use: **PN, Transpolar Drift Stream**

Trieste Gulf
note: before 2016 search MED, TRIESTE GULF
use: **MED, Gulf of Trieste**

Trindade
note: before 1992 search TRINDADE
use: **Brazil, Trindade**
for coast use: **ASW, Brazil, Trindade**

Trinidad
(part of Trinidad and Tobago)
note: before 2016 search TRINIDAD
use: **Windward Islands, Trinidad and Tobago, Trinidad**
for coast use: **ASW, Windward Islands, Trinidad and Tobago, Trinidad**
see also: Trinidad and Tobago
Tobago

Trinidad and Tobago
use: **Windward Islands, Trinidad and Tobago**
for coast use: **ASW, Windward Islands, Trinidad and Tobago**
for more detailed studies use:
Windward Islands, Trinidad and Tobago, Tobago
Windward Islands, Trinidad and Tobago, Trinidad
etc.

Tripura
use: **India, Tripura**
note: no coastline

Tristan da Cunha
for coast use: **ASE, Tristan da Cunha**

Tropical Atlantic
use: **AS, Tropical Atlantic**
for more specific studies use:
ASE, Tropical Atlantic
ASW, Tropical Atlantic
see also: Atlantic Ocean

Tropical Indian Ocean
use: **ISW, Tropical Indian Ocean**
see also: Indian Ocean

Tropical Pacific
use: **IS, Tropical Pacific**
for more specific studies use:
ISE, Tropical Pacific
ISEW, Tropical Pacific
see also: Pacific Ocean

Trucial States
see: United Arab Emirates

Truk Islands
(part of Federated States of Micronesia)
note: before 1992 search ISEW, TRUK I.
Between 1992 and 2011 search
CAROLINE I., MICRONESIA, TRUK I.
use: **Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Chuuk**
for coast use: **ISEW, Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Chuuk**
see also: Micronesia

Tsushima Current
use: **INW, Tsushima Current**

Tuamotu Islands
note: before 2016 search TUAMOTU I.
use: **French Polynesia, Tuamotu Islands**
for coast use: **ISE, French Polynesia, Tuamotu Islands**
includes:
French Polynesia, Tuamotu Islands, Mururoa
French Polynesia, Tuamotu Islands, Rangiroa Atoll
French Polynesia, Tuamotu Islands, Raroia Atoll
see also: **French Polynesia**

Tubuai
note: before 2016 search TUBUAI I. Tubuai is the name of a group of islands. The name of the group's main island is Tubuai I.
use: **French Polynesia, Austral Islands, Tubuai**
for coast use: **ISE, French Polynesia, Austral Islands, Tubuai**
see also: French Polynesia

Tubuai Island
 note: before 2016 search TUBUAI I. Tubuai is the name of a group of islands. The name of the group's main island is Tubuai Island
 use: **French Polynesia, Austral Islands, Tubuai, Tubuai Island**
 for coast use: **ISE, French Polynesia, Austral Islands, Tubuai, Tubuai Island**
 see also: French Polynesia

Tung Hai
 use: **IW, Donghai Sea**

Tunghai
 use: **IW, Donghai Sea**

Tunisia

for coast use: **MED, Tunisia**

GOVERNORATES	CODE
Tunisia, Ariana	MED
Tunisia, Beja	MED
Tunisia, Ben Arous	MED
Tunisia, Bizerte	MED
Tunisia, Gabes	MED
Tunisia, Gafsa	no coast
Tunisia, Jendouba	MED
Tunisia, Kairouan	no coast
Tunisia, Kasserine	no coast
Tunisia, Kebili	no coast
Tunisia, Kef	no coast
Tunisia, Mahdia	MED
Tunisia, Manouba	no coast
Tunisia, Medenine	MED
Tunisia, Monastir	MED
Tunisia, Nabeul	MED
Tunisia, Sfax	MED
Tunisia, Sidi Bou Zid	no coast
Tunisia, Siliana	no coast
Tunisia, Sousse	MED
Tunisia, Tataouine	no coast
Tunisia, Tozeur	no coast
Tunisia, Tunis	MED
Tunisia, Zaghuan	no coast

Turkana Lake
 note: before 2016 search AFRICA, TURKANA L.
 use: **Africa, Lake Turkana**
 for more specific studies use:
Ethiopia, Lake Turkana
Kenya, Lake Turkana

Turkey

for coast use: **MED, Turkey** for the southern and western costs and **MED, Turkey, Black Sea Region** for the northern coast

regions: Code:
Turkey, Aegean Region MED

Turkey, Black Sea Region MED
Turkey, Central Anatolia Region no coast
Turkey, Eastern Anatolia Region no coast
Turkey, Marmara Region MED
Turkey, Mediterranean Region MED
Turkey, Southeastern Anatolia Region no coast

Turkish Plate

Turkmen SSR
 use: **Turkmenistan**

Turkmenistan

(equal to Turkmen SSR, Turkmenskaya SSR)
 note: before 1992 search USSR,
 TURKMENISTAN
 for coast use: **Turkmenistan, Caspian Sea**

Turkmenskaya SSR

see: Turkmenistan

Turks and Caicos Islands

for coast use: **ASW, Turks and Caicos Islands**
 see also: Caicos Islands
 Turks Islands

Turks Islands

(part of Turks and Caicos Islands)
 note: before 2016 search TURKS I.
 use: **Turks and Caicos Islands, Turks Islands**
 for coast use: **ASW, Turks and Caicos Islands, Turks Islands**
 see also: Caicos Islands

Tutuila Island

note: before 1992 search TUTUILA I.
 use: **American Samoa, Tutuila Island**
 for coast use: **ISE, American Samoa, Tutuila Island**
 see also: American Samoa

Tuvalu

(equal to Ellice Islands)
 for coast use: **ISEW, Tuvalu**

Tyra Field

use: **ANE, North Sea, Tyra Field**

Tyrrhenian Sea

use: **MED, Tyrrhenian Sea**

Ubarana Field

use: **ASW, Brazil, Ubarana Field**

Uganda

no coastline

regions:

Uganda, Central
Uganda, Eastern
Uganda, Northern
Uganda, Western

Uganda, Lake Albert

note: before 2016 search UGANDA, ALBERT L.

use: **Uganda, Western, Lake Albert**

see also: Africa, Lake Albert

Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake Albert

Uganda, Lake Edward

note: before 2016 search UGANDA,

EDWARD L.

use: **Uganda, Western, Queen Elizabeth**

National Park, Lake Edward

see also: Africa, Lake Edward

Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake Edward

Uganda, Lake Victoria

note: before 2016 search UGANDA,
VICTORIA L.

see also: Africa, Lake Victoria

Kenya, Lake Victoria

Tanzania, Lake Victoria

Uganda, Nile River

see also: Africa, Nile River

Egypt, Nile River

Ethiopia, Blue Nile River

MED, Egypt, Nile Delta

Sudan, Blue Nile River

Sudan, Nile River

Sudan, White Nile River

South Sudan, White Nile River

UK

note: before 2016 the term UK was only used
for general papers on law, policy, fishing,
pollution etc.

Now UK is the main entry, It includes
England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and
Wales.

It excludes Eire, the Isle of Man, and the
Channel Isles.

Use of a more detailed subentry is
recommended as listed in the regions
below. Before 2016 detailed subentries
similar to these were used with the
descriptor "British Isles" instead of UK.

regions:

UK, England

UK, England, Bedfordshire no coast

UK, England, Berkshire no coast

UK, England, Buckinghamshire no coast

UK, England, Cambridgeshire no coast

UK, England, Cheshire ANE

UK, England, Cornwall ANE

UK, England, Cumbria ANE

UK, England, Derbyshire no coast

UK, England, Devon ANE

UK, England, Dorset ANE

UK, England, Durham ANE

UK, England, East Riding of Yorkshire ANE

UK, England, East Sussex ANE

UK, England, Essex ANE

UK, England, Gloucestershire ANE

UK, England, Greater London no coast

UK, England, Greater Manchester no coast

UK, England, Hampshire ANE

UK, England, Herefordshire no coast

UK, England, Hertfordshire no coast

UK, England, Isle of Wight ANE

UK, England, Kent ANE

UK, England, Lancashire ANE

UK, England, Leicestershire no coast

UK, England, Lincolnshire ANE

UK, England, Merseyside ANE

UK, England, Norfolk ANE

UK, England, Northamptonshire no coast

UK, England, Northumberland ANE

UK, England, North Yorkshire ANE

UK, England, Nottinghamshire no coast

UK, England, Oxfordshire no coast

UK, England, Rutland no coast

UK, England, Shropshire no coast

UK, England, Somerset ANE

UK, England, South Yorkshire no coast

UK, England, Staffordshire no coast

UK, England, Suffolk ANE

UK, England, Surrey no coast

UK, England, Tyne and Wear ANE

UK, England, Warwickshire no coast

UK, England, West Midlands no coast

UK, England, West Sussex ANE

UK, England, West Yorkshire no coast

UK, England, Wiltshire no coast

UK, England, Worcestershire no coast

UK, Northern Ireland

(equal to Ulster)

UK, Northern Ireland, Antrim ANE

UK, Northern Ireland, Armagh no coast

UK, Northern Ireland, Down ANE

UK, Northern Ireland, Fermanagh no coast

UK, Northern Ireland, Londonderry ANE

UK, Northern Ireland, Tyrone no coast

UK, Scotland

note: There are thirty two Scottish Local
Authority Areas which have had slight
name changes in 1999 and 2007 as
indicated below. The eight Scottish
Parliament Regions are not normally used

for indexing

UK, Scotland, Aberdeen City	ANE
UK, Scotland, Aberdeenshire	ANE
UK, Scotland, Angus	ANE
UK, Scotland, Argyll and Bute	ANE
UK, Scotland, City of Edinburgh	ANE
UK, Scotland, Clackmannanshire	ANE
UK, Scotland, Dumfries and Galloway	ANE
UK, Scotland, Dundee City	ANE
UK, Scotland, East Ayrshire	ANE
UK, Scotland, East Dunbartonshire	ANE
UK, Scotland, East Lothian	ANE
UK, Scotland, East Renfrewshire	no coast
UK, Scotland, Falkirk	ANE
UK, Scotland, Fife	ANE
UK, Scotland, Glasgow	ANE
UK, Scotland, Highland	ANE
UK, Scotland, Inverclyde	ANE
UK, Scotland, Midlothian	no coast
UK, Scotland, Moray	ANE
UK, Scotland, North Ayrshire	ANE
UK, Scotland, North Lanarkshire	no coast
UK, Scotland, Orkney Islands	
before 2016 use Orkney	ANE
UK, Scotland, Perth and Kinross	ANE
UK, Scotland, Renfrewshire	no coast
UK, Scotland, Scottish Borders	ANE
UK, Scotland, Shetland Islands	
before 2016 use Shetland	ANE
UK, Scotland, South Ayrshire	ANE
UK, Scotland, South Lanarkshire	no coast
UK, Scotland, Stirling	no coast
UK, Scotland, West Dunbartonshire	ANE
UK, Scotland, West Lothian	no coast
UK, Scotland, Western Isles	ANE

note: before 2016 for Clackmannanshire, Falkirk and Stirling use/search BRITISH ISLES, SCOTLAND, CENTRAL.
 Before 2016 for Aberdeen City, Aberdeenshire and Moray use/search BRITISH ISLES, SCOTLAND, GRAMPION
 Before 2016 for City of Edinburgh, East Lothian, Midlothian and West Lothian use/search BRITISH ISLES, SCOTLAND, LOTHIAN
 Before 2016 for Orkney Islands use/search BRITISH ISLES, SCOTLAND, ORKNEY
 Before 2016 for Shetland Islands use/search BRITISH ISLES, SCOTLAND, SHETLAND
 Before 2016 for Argyll and Bute, East Ayrshire, East Dunbartonshire, East Renfrewshire, Glasgow, Inverclyde, North Ayrshire, North Lanarkshire, Renfrewshire, South Ayrshire, South

Lanarkshire, and West Dunbartonshire use/search BRITISH ISLES, SCOTLAND, STRATHCLYDE
 Before 2016 for Angus, Dundee City and Perth and Kinross use/search BRITISH ISLES, SCOTLAND, TAYSIDE

UK, Wales

for coast use: **ANE, UK, Wales**
 note: although the eight counties listed in the 1992 Geographic Authority List are still used as “old counties” for some purposes, the following are the preferred Unitary Authorities to be used from 2011:

UK, Wales, Blaenau Gwent	no coast
UK, Wales, Bridgend	ANE
UK, Wales, Caerphilly	no coast
UK, Wales, Cardiff	ANE
UK, Wales, Carmarthenshire	ANE
UK, Wales, Ceredigion	ANE
UK, Wales, Conwy	ANE
UK, Wales, Denbighshire	ANE
UK, Wales, Flintshire	ANE
UK, Wales, Gwynedd	ANE
UK, Wales, Isle of Anglesey	ANE
UK, Wales, Merthyr Tydfil	no coast
UK, Wales, Monmouthshire	ANE
UK, Wales, Neath Port Talbot	ANE
UK, Wales, Newport	ANE
UK, Wales, Pembrokeshire	ANE
UK, Wales, Powys	no coast
UK, Wales, Rhondda Cynon Taf	no coast
UK, Wales, Swansea	ANE
UK, Wales, Torfaen	no coast
UK, Wales, Vale of Glamorgan	ANE
UK, Wales, Wrexham	no coast

general note: Regional Water Authorities names of regional water authorities may be used as subentries, e.g.:

UK, England, Anglian Water Authority

see also:
 British Isles
 Channel Islands
 Eire
 Ireland
 Isle of Man

Ukraine

(equal to Ukrainskaya SSR)
 note: before 1992 search USSR, UKRAINE
 for coast use: **MED, Ukraine**
MED, Azov Sea, Ukraine
MED, Black Sea, Ukraine

Ukrainskaya SSR
see: **Ukraine**

Ula Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, Ula Field**

Ulster
use: **UK, Northern Ireland**

Umm al Qaiwan
(member of United Arab Emirates)
note: before 1992 search UMM AL QAIWAN
use: **United Arab Emirates, Umm al Qaiwan**
for coast use: **ISW, United Arab Emirates, Umm al Qaiwan**
see also: United Arab Emirates

Umm Shaif Field
use: **ISW, Persian Gulf, Umm Shaif Field**

UN
use: **United Nations**

UNDP
(used for United Nations Development Programme)

UNEP
(used for United Nations Environment Programme)

Unesco
use: **UNESCO**

UNESCO
(used for United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization)
note: before 2016 search Unesco

Union Islands
use: **New Zealand Island Territory, Tokelau Islands**
for coast use: **ISE, New Zealand Island Territory, Tokelau Islands**

Union of Soviet Socialist Republics (USSR)
USE: **Soviet Union**

United Arab Emirates
(formerly Trucial States)
for coast use: **ISW, United Arab Emirates**
for more specific studies use:
United Arab Emirates, Abu Dhabi
United Arab Emirates, Ajman
United Arab Emirates, Dubai
United Arab Emirates, Fujairah
United Arab Emirates, Ras Al Khaimah
United Arab Emirates, Sharjah

United Arab Emirates, Umm al Qaiwan

United Kingdom
(equal to Great Britain + Northern Ireland)
use: **UK**

United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
use: **UK**

United Nations
(used for UN, UNO, United Nations Organization)
Specialized United Nations agencies should be entered under their own acronym for example::
FAO (Food and Agriculture Organization)
IAEA (International Atomic Energy Agency)
UNDP (United Nations Development Programme)
UNEP (United Nations Environment Programme)
UNESCO (United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization)

United Nations Development Programme
use: **UNDP**

United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
use: **UNESCO**

United Nations Environment Programme
use: **UNEP**

United Nations Organization
use: **United Nations**

United Republic of Tanzania
use: **Tanzania**
for coast use: **ISW, Tanzania**

United States of America
use: **USA**

UNO
use: **United Nations**

Upper Volta
use: **Burkina Faso**

Upper Zakum Field
use: **ISW, Abu Dhabi, Zakum Field**

Uruguay
for coast use: **ASW, Uruguay**
DEPARTMENTS
Uruguay, Artigas CODE
no coast

Uruguay, Canelones	ASW
Uruguay, Cerro Largo	no coast
Uruguay, Colonia	ASW
Uruguay, Durazno	no coast
Uruguay, Flores	no coast
Uruguay, Florida	no coast
Uruguay, Lavalleja	no coast
Uruguay, Maldonado	ASW
Uruguay, Montevideo	ASW
Uruguay, Paysandu	no coast
Uruguay, Rio Negro	no coast
Uruguay, Rivera	no coast
Uruguay, Rocha	ASW
Uruguay, Salto	no coast
Uruguay, San Jose	ASW
Uruguay, Soriano	no coast
Uruguay, Tacuarembó	no coast
Uruguay, Treinta y Tres	no coast

US Virgin Islands

(equal to American Virgin Islands in Leeward Islands)

note: before 1992 search US VIRGIN I.

use: **Leeward Islands, US Virgin Islands**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, US Virgin Islands**

includes:

Leeward Islands, US Virgin Islands, Saint Croix

Leeward Islands, US Virgin Islands, Saint John

Leeward Islands, US Virgin Islands, Saint Thomas

Leeward Islands, US Virgin Islands, Water Island

see also: Leeward Islands
Lesser Antilles
Virgin Islands

USA

note: Overseas territories and states are indexed separately, i.e.:

American Samoa;
Marianas, Guam;
Greater Antilles, Puerto Rico;
Leeward Islands, US Virgin Islands

note: Zip codes are not used for indexing purposes

use of a more specific entry is recommended, e.g.: USA, California

for coast enter first the code, then USA, then the state name if possible, e.g.: INE, USA, California

STATE	CODE
USA, Alabama	ASW
USA, Alaska	INE or PNW
USA, Arizona	no coast
USA, Arkansas	no coast

USA, California	INE
USA, Colorado	no coast
USA, Connecticut	ANW
USA, Delaware	ANW
USA, Florida	ASW
USA, Georgia	ASW
USA, Hawaii	ISE
USA, Idaho	no coast
USA, Illinois	no coast
USA, Indiana	no coast
USA, Iowa	no coast
USA, Kansas	no coast
USA, Kentucky	no coast
USA, Louisiana	ASW
USA, Maine	ANW
USA, Maryland	ANW
USA, Massachusetts	ANW
USA, Michigan	no coast
USA, Minnesota	no coast
USA, Mississippi	ASW
USA, Missouri	no coast
USA, Montana	no coast
USA, Nebraska	no coast
USA, Nevada	no coast
USA, New England	ANW
USA, New Hampshire	ANW
USA, New Jersey	ANW
USA, New Mexico	no coast
USA, New York (incl. Long Island)	ANW
USA, North Carolina	ANW
USA, North Dakota	no coast
USA, Ohio	no coast
USA, Oklahoma	no coast
USA, Oregon	INE
USA, Pennsylvania	no coast
USA, Rhode Island	ANW
USA, South Carolina	ANW
USA, South Dakota	no coast
USA, Tennessee	no coast
USA, Texas	ASW
USA, Utah	no coast
USA, Vermont	no coast
USA, Virginia	ANW
USA, Washington (State)	INE
USA, Washington D.C.	ANW
USA, West Virginia	no coast
USA, Wisconsin	no coast
USA, Wyoming	no coast
USA, Phoenix Islands	ISE

USA (combined coastal entries)

for all coasts use: **USA Coasts**

for west coast use:

INE, USA (Alaska north coast excluded)

for east coast use:

ANW, USA
and **ASW, USA**

see also: Aleutian Islands

Kodiak Island
North America, Great Lakes
Pribilof Islands
Saint Lawrence Island

USA, Lake Erie

note: before 2016 search USA, ERIE L.
see also: North America, Lake Erie
Canada, Ontario, Lake Erie

USA, Lake Huron

note: before 2016 search USA, HURON L.
see also: North America, Lake Huron
Canada, Ontario, Lake Huron

USA, Lake Michigan

note: before 2016 search USA, MICHIGAN L.

USA, Lake Ontario

note: before 2016 search USA, ONTARIO L.
see also: North America, Lake Ontario
Canada, Ontario, Lake Ontario

USA, Michigan, Lake Saint Clair

note: before 2016 search USA, ST. CLAIR L.
see also: North America, Lake Saint Clair
Canada, Ontario, Lake Saint Clair

USA, Lake Superior

note: before 2016 search USA, SUPERIOR L.
see also: North America, Lake Superior

USA, Mississippi River

note: before 2016 search USA, MISSISSIPPI R.

USSR

note: historical term only used for papers about
the former USSR or for all the former
republics collectively
use: **Soviet Union**

Uttar Pradesh

use: **India, Uttar Pradesh**
note: no coastline

Uttarakhand

use: **India, Uttarakhand**
note: no coastline

Uzbekistan

note: before 1992 search USSR, UZBEKISTAN
for coast use: **Uzbekistan, Aral Sea**

Uzbekistan, Aral Sea

see also: Eurasia, Aral Sea
Kazakhstan, Aral Sea

Valencia Gulf

note: before 2016 search MED, VALENCIA
GULF
use: **MED, Spain, Valencia, Gulf of Valencia**

Vanua Levu

use: **Fiji, Vanua Levu**
for coast use: **ISEW, Fiji, Vanua Levu**

Vanuatu

(formerly New Hebrides)
for coast use: **ISEW, Vanuatu**
includes:
Vanuatu, Banks Islands
Vanuatu, Futuna Island
Vanuatu, Torres Islands

Vatican City

no coastline

Venda

use: **South Africa, Limpopo**

Venezuela

for coast use: **ASW, Venezuela**

Venice Gulf

note: before 2016 search MED, VENICE GULF
use: **MED, Gulf of Venice**
see also: Venice Lagoon

Venice Lagoon

note: before 2016 search MED, VENICE
LAGOON
use: **MED, Italy, Veneto, Venice Lagoon**
see also: Venice Gulf

Victoria Lake

note: before 2016 search AFRICA, VICTORIA L.
use: **Africa, Lake Victoria**
for more specific studies use:
Kenya, Lake Victoria
Tanzania, Lake Victoria
Uganda, Lake Victoria

Victoria Land

note: part of Victoria Land is in the Ross
Dependency. The remainder is claimed by
Australia although this is in dispute
use: **Antarctica, Victoria Land**
for coast use: **PSE, Antarctica, Victoria Land**
for more specific studies use:
Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Victoria Land
(any part of Victoria Land West of longitude 160°
East is Antarctica, Ross Dependency, Victoria
Land)

Viet Nam

(equal to Democratic Republic of Vietnam,
formerly North Vietnam + South Vietnam)

for coast use: **ISEW, Viet Nam**

REGION	CODE
Viet Nam, Central Highlands Region	no coast
Viet Nam, Mekong River Delta Region	ISEW
Viet Nam, North Central Coast Region	ISEW
Viet Nam, Northeastern Region	ISEW
Viet Nam, Northwestern Region	ISEW
Viet Nam, Red River Delta Region	ISEW
Viet Nam, South Central Coast Region	ISEW
Viet Nam, Southeastern Region	ISEW

Viet Nam, Democratic Republic

(equal to North Vietnam)

use: **Viet Nam**

Viet Nam, Mekong River

note: before 2016 search VIET NAM,
MEKONG R.

see also: Asia, Mekong River
Cambodia, Mekong River
China, People's Republic, Mekong River
ISEW, Viet Nam, Mekong River Delta
Region, Mekong Delta
Lao, Mekong River
Myanmar, Mekong River
Thailand, Mekong River

Viking Field

use: **ANE, North Sea, Viking Field**

Virgin Islands (British)

use: **Leeward Islands, British Virgin Islands**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, British
Virgin Islands**

Virgin Islands (USA)

use: **Leeward Islands, US Virgin Islands**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, US
Virgin Islands**

Visayan Sea

use: **ISEW, Visayan Sea**

Viti Levu

use: **Fiji, Viti Levu**
for coast use: **ISEW, Fiji, Viti Levu**

Vityaz Trench

use: **ISEW, Vityaz Trench**

Volcano Islands

note: before 1992 search VOLCANO I.

Between 1992 and 2011 search JAPAN,
VOLCANO I.

use: **Japan, Bonin Islands, Volcano Islands**
for coast use: **ISEW, Japan, Bonin Islands,
Volcano Islands**

see also: Japan

Volga Delta

(Caspian Sea)

note: before 1992 search USSR, VOLGA
DELTA

use: **Asia, Central, Volga Delta**

for more specific studies use:

**Caspian Sea, Kazakhstan, Volga Delta
Caspian Sea, Russia, Volga Delta**

Volga River

note: before 1992 search USSR, VOLGA R.

use: **Asia, Central, Volga River**

for more specific studies use:

**Kazakhstan, Volga River
Russia, Volga River**

Volta Lake

note: before 2016 search GHANA, VOLTA L.

use: **Ghana, Lake Volta**

Vostok Sea

use: **INW, Vostok Sea**

Wadden Sea

use: **ANE, Wadden Sea**

Wake Island

(US administered)

for coast use: **ISEW, Wake Island**

Wales

note: before 2016 search BRITISH ISLES,
WALES

use: **UK, Wales**

for coast use: **ANE, UK, Wales**

for more specific entries see UK, Wales in UK
entry

Wallacia

(islands between mainland Asia and Australia)
(Zoogeographic entries only)

use of a more specific entry is recommended

Wallis and Futuna

(equal to Wallis and Futuna Islands)

for coast use: **ISE, Wallis and Futuna**

Wallis Island
note: before 2016 search WALLIS I.
use: **Wallis and Futuna, Wallis Island**
for coast use: **ISE, Wallis and Futuna, Wallis Island**

Walvis Basin
use: **PSW, Cape Basin**

Walvis Bay
note: before 2016 search PSW, WALVIS BAY
use: **PSW, Namibia, Walvis Bay**

Walvis Ridge
use: **PSW, Walvis Ridge**

Wandels Sea
use: **PNE, Wandels Sea**

(The) Wash
note: before 1992 search ANE, BRITISH ISLES, WASH Between 1992 and 2011 search ANE, BRITISH ISLES, ENGLAND, WASH
use: **ANE, UK, England, Wash**

Water Island
use: **Leeward Islands, US Virgin Islands, Water Island**
for coast use: **ASW, Leeward Islands, US Virgin Islands, Water Island**

Watling Island
use: **Bahamas, San Salvador**
for coast use: **ASW, Bahamas, San Salvador**

WECAFC Fishing Area
use: **A, Atlantic**

Weddell Sea
use: **PSW, Weddell Sea**

West Africa
use: **Africa, West**
for coast use: **ASE, Africa**

West Africa Coast
use: **ASE, Africa**
see also: **Africa, West**

West Atlantic
(used from January 1985)
use: **AW, West Atlantic**
see also: Atlantic Ocean

West Auckland Current
use: **PSE, West Auckland Current**

West Australian Basin
use: **ISW, West Australian Basin**

West Australian Current
use: **ISW, West Australian Current**

West Bengal
use: **India, West Bengal**
for coast use: **ISW, India, West Bengal**

West Cameroon
use: **Cameroon**

West Germany
use: **Germany**

West Greenland Current
use: **ANW, West Greenland Current**

West Indian Ocean
use: **ISW, West Indian Ocean**
or **PSE, West Indian Ocean**
or both as necessary
see also: Indian Ocean

West Indies
(islands of the Caribbean Sea)
use of a more specific entry is recommended
for coast use: **ASW, West Indies**

West Irian
use: **Indonesia, West Papua**
for coast use: **ISEW, Indonesia, West Papua**

West Irian Plate

West Pacific
(used from January 1985)
use: **IW, West Pacific**
see also: Pacific Ocean

West Philippine Basin
use: **ISEW, Philippine Basin**

West Sole Field
use: **ANE, North Sea, West Sole Field**

West Spitsbergen Current
use: **PNE, West Spitsbergen Current**

West Timor
use: **Indonesia, Lesser Sunda Islands, East Lesser Sunda Islands, West Timor**
for coast: **ISEW, Indonesia, Lesser Sunda Islands, East Lesser Sunda Islands, West Timor**

West Wind Drift
use: **PS, West Wind Drift**
for Atlantic use: **PS, Atlantic, West Wind Drift**
for Indian Ocean use: **PS, Indian Ocean, West Wind Drift**
for Pacific use: **PS, Pacific, West Wind Drift**
for any two or all three use: **PS, West Wind Drift**

Western Atlantic
(used to December 1984)
use: **AW, West Atlantic**

Western Boundary Undercurrent
use: **ANW, Western Boundary Undercurrent**

Western Indian Ocean
(used to December 1984)
see: West Indian Ocean

Western Isles
(equal to Outer Hebrides and Na h-Eileanan an Iar)
note: before 1992 search BRITISH ISLES, WESTERN ISLES.
use: **UK, Scotland, Western Isles** for coast
use: **ANE, UK, Scotland, Western Isles**
includes: Barra
Harris
Lewis
North Uist
South Uist
see also: **UK**

Western Mediterranean Sea
use: **MED, Western Mediterranean Sea**
see also: Mediterranean Sea

Western Pacific
(excluding Indian Ocean)
(used to December 1984)
use: **IW, West Pacific**

Western Sahara
for coast use: **ASE, Western Sahara**

Western Samoa
use: **Samoa**

Westland Current
use: **PSE, Westland Current**

White Nile River
use: **Sudan, White Nile River** and/or **South Sudan, White Nile River**
see also: Africa, Nile River
Africa, Blue Nile River

Egypt, Nile River
Ethiopia, Blue Nile River
MED, Egypt, Nile Delta
Sudan, Blue Nile River
Sudan, Nile River
Uganda, Nile River

White Sea
use: **PNE, White Sea**

Wilhelm II Land
use: **Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, Kaiser Wilhelm II Land**
for coast use: **PS, Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, Kaiser Wilhelm II Land**

Wilkes Land
use: **Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, Wilkes Land**
for coast use: **PSE, Antarctica, Australian Antarctic Territory, Wilkes Land**

Windward Islands
(in Lesser Antilles)
for coast use: **ASW, Windward Islands**
for more specific studies use:
Barbados
Windward Islands, Dominica
Windward Islands, Grenada
Windward Islands, Martinique
Windward Islands, Saint Lucia
Windward Islands, Trinidad and Tobago
see also: **Lesser Antilles**

World Abyssal Plains

World Coastal Waters

World Continental Rises

World Continental Shelves

World Continental Slopes

World Currents

World Deltaic Cones

World Equatorial Waters

World Equatorial Zone
(equal to Equatorial Zone)

World Estuaries

World Estuarine Waters

World Fracture Zones

World Inland Waters

(equal to World Lakes + World Rivers)

World Island Arcs

World Lakes

see also: World Inland Waters

World Land Areas

World Littoral Waters

World Neritic Waters

World Ocean

World Ocean Beds

World Oceanic Ridges

World Oceanic Rises

World Oceanic Trenches

World Oceanic Waters

World Oceans

World Polar Regions

World Polar Seas

World Rivers

see also: World Inland Waters

World Seamounts

World Seas

World Submarine Canyons

World Subpolar Regions

World Subterranean Waters

World Subtropical Regions

World Tectonic Plates

World Temperate Regions

World Tropical Regions

World Waters

(equal to Hydrosphere)

World Zoogeographic Regions

(equal to World Zoogeographic Ecozones)

Wyville-Thomson Ridge

use: **ANE, Wyville-Thomson Ridge**

Xisha Islands

(equal to Paracel Islands, equal to Xisha Qundao)

for coast use: **ISEW, Xisha Islands**

Xisha Qundao

use: **Xisha Islands**

Xizang

use: **China, People's Republic, Xizang**

Autonomous Region

(no coastline)

Yangtze River

note: before 2016 search CHINA, PEOPLE'S REP., CHANGJIANG R.

use: **China, People's Republic, Changjiang River**

Yap

(part of Federated States of Micronesia)

use: **Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Yap**

for coast use: **ISEW, Caroline Islands, Federated States of Micronesia, Yap**

see also: Micronesia

Yellow River

note: before 2016 search CHINA, PEOPLE'S REP., HUANG HE R.

use: **China, People's Republic, Huang He River**

for more specific studies use:

China, People's Republic, Gansu Province, Huang He River

China, People's Republic, Henan Province, Huang He River

China, People's Republic, Nei Monggol, Huang He River

China, People's Republic, Ningxia Hui Autonomous Region, Huang He River

China, People's Republic, Qinghai Province, Huang He River

China, People's Republic, Shaanxi Province, Huang He River

China, People's Republic, Shandong Province, Huang He River

China, People's Republic, Shanxi Province, Huang He River

China, People's Republic, Sichuan Province, Huang He River

- Yellow Sea
use: **INW, Huanghai Sea**
- Yemen**
note: before 1992 search YEMEN, ARAB REP.
or YEMEN, PEOPLE'S DEM. REP.
for coast use: **ISW, Yemen**
includes:
Yemen, Kamaran Island
Yemen, Socotra
- Yemen, Arab Republic
Use: **Yemen**
- Yemen, People's Democratic Republic
use: **Yemen**
- Yucatan Channel
use: **ASW, Yucatan Channel**
- Zaire
(formerly Belgian Congo, equal to Congo,
Dem. Rep., equal to Congo (Kinshasa))
note: before 2016 search Zaire
use: **Democratic Republic of the Congo**
for coast use: **ASE, Democratic Republic of
the Congo**
- Zaire River
note: before 2016 search AFRICA, ZAIRE R.
use: **Africa, Congo River**
for more specific studies use:
**Democratic Republic of the Congo,
Congo River**
Republic of the Congo, Congo River
- Zaire, Lake Albert
note: before 2016 search ZAIRE, ALBERT L.
use: **Democratic Republic of the Congo,
Lake Albert**
see also: Africa, Lake Albert
Uganda, Western, Lake Albert
- Zaire, Lake Edward
note: before 2016 search ZAIRE, EDWARD L.
use: **Democratic Republic of the Congo,
Lake Edward**
see also: Africa, Lake Edward
- Zaire, Lake Kivu
note: before 2016 search ZAIRE, KIVU L.
use: **Democratic Republic of the Congo,
Lake Kivu**
see also: Africa, Lake Kivu
- Zaire, Lake Mweru
note: before 2016 search ZAIRE, MWERU L.
use: **Democratic Republic of the Congo,
Lake Mweru**
see also: Africa, Lake Mweru
- Zaire, Lake Tanganyika
note: before 2016 search ZAIRE,
TANGANYIKA L.
use: **Democratic Republic of the Congo,
Lake Tanganyika**
see also: Africa, Lake Tanganyika
- Zakum Field
(equal to Upper Zakum Field)
use: **ISW, Abu Dhabi, Zakum Field**
- Zambia**
(formerly Northern Rhodesia)
no coastline
see also: Zimbabwe
- Zambia, Lake Kariba**
note: before 2016 search ZAMBIA, KARIBA L.
see also: Africa, Lake Kariba
Zimbabwe, Lake Kariba
- Zambia, Lake Mweru**
note: before 2016 search ZAMBIA, MWERU L.
see also: Africa, Lake Mweru
Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake
Mweru
- Zambia, Lake Tanganyika**
note: before 2016 search ZAMBIA,
TANGANYIKA L.
see also: Africa, Lake Tanganyika
Burundi, Lake Tanganyika
Democratic Republic of the Congo, Lake
Tanganyika
Tanzania, Lake Tanganyika
- Zanzibar
use: **Tanzania, Zanzibar**
for coast use: **ISW, Tanzania, Zanzibar**
- Zechstein Sea**
(Earth history)
- Zhongsha Qundao
use: **ISEW, Macclesfield Bank**
- Zimbabwe**
(formerly Rhodesia, equal to Southern
Rhodesia)
no coastline
see also: Zambia

Zimbabwe, Lake Kariba

note: before 2016 search ZIMBABWE,
KARIBA L.

see also: Africa, Lake Kariba
Zambia, Lake Kariba

Zuiderzee

(equal to IJsselmeer)

use: **ANE, Zuiderzee**

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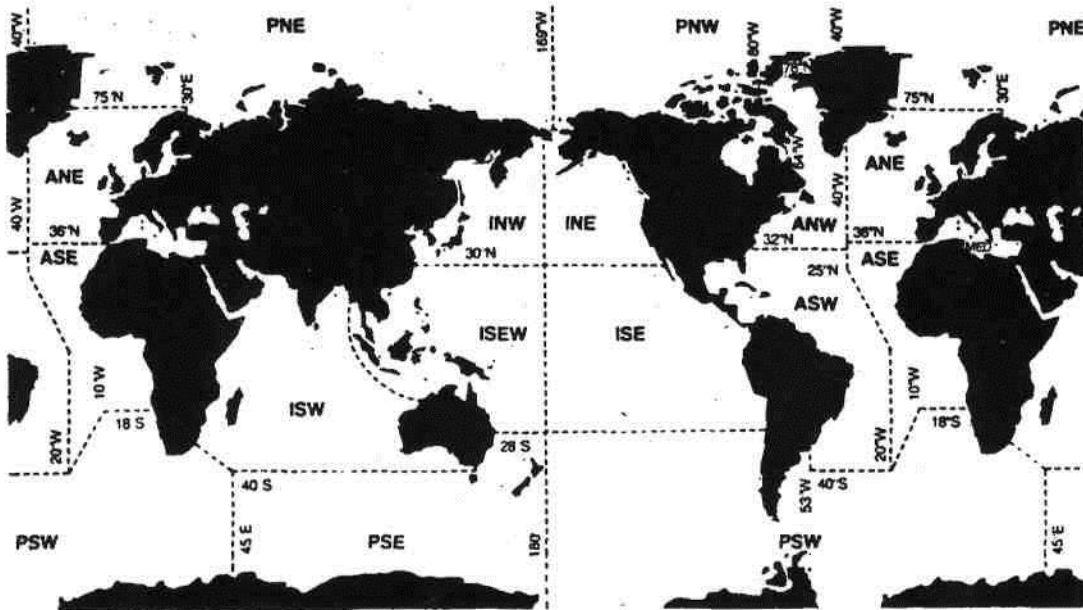
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- ASE/ANE division touches Strait of Gibraltar
- ASW/ANW division touches USA at the Georgia/South Carolina border
- ASW/PSW division touches South America at the Argentina/Uruguay border
- ASE/PSW division touches Africa at the Angola/Namibia border
- PSW/ISW division touches Africa at the South Africa/Mozambique border
- ISEW/ISW division touches Asia at the Thailand/Malaysia border, and adopts limits between FAO Fishing Areas 57 and 71
- ISEW/ISW division touches Australia at the Western Australia/Northern Territory border
- ISEW/PSE division touches Australia at the Queensland/New South Wales border
- ISEW/INW division touches China at Shanghai
- INE/ISE division follows latitude 30 N but Baja California is all included in ISE
- ISW/PSE division touches Australia at the South Australia/Victoria border
- ANE/PNE division touches Europe at the Norway/USSR border
- ANW/PNW division adopts limits between FAO Fishing Areas 21 and 18

The map should be used to determine the codes for sea areas; the above definitions refer to coasts.

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