

Romanization examples

Each title of a language or a writing system is followed by a note on the appropriate romanization system used (UN = United Nations, BGN/PCGN = US Board on Geographic Names and Permanent Committee on Geographical Names for British Official Use)

Amharic [UN 1967, I/17]

ኢትዮጵያ Ityop'ya [*Ethiopia*], አዲስ አበባ Addis Abēba

Arabic [UN 1972, II/8]

جزيرة العرب Jazīrat al-'Arab [*Arabian Peninsula*]

Armenian [BGN/PCGN 1981]

Հայաստան Hayastan [*Armenia*], Երևան Yerevan

Assamese [UN 1972, II/11; 1977, III/12]

অসম Asam [*Assam*], দিছপুৰ Dichhapura [*Dispur*]

Bengali [UN 1972, II/11; 1977, III/12]

বাংলাদেশ Bāmlādesh, ঢাকা Dhaka

Bulgarian [UN 1977, III/10]

Република България Republika Bǎlgarija

Burmese [BGN/PCGN 1970]

မြန်မာ Myanmar, ရန်ကုန် Yangōn

Byelorussian [national 2007]

Беларусь Bielaruś, Минск Minsk

Chinese [UN 1977, III/8]

中国 Zhongguo, 北京 Beijing

Dzongkha [national 1997]

འབྲུག་ཡུལ Druküel [*Bhutan*], ཐིམ་ཕུ་ Thimphu

Georgian [national 2002]

საქართველო Sakartvelo [*Georgia*], თბილისი Tbilisi

Greek [UN 1987, V/19]

Ελλάδα Elláda [*Greece*], Αθήνα Athína

Gujarati [UN 1972, II/11; 1977, III/12]

ગુજરાત Gujarāt, ગાંધીનગર Gāndhīnagar

Hebrew [UN 1977, III/13; 2007, IX/9]

מְדִינַת יִשְׂרָאֵל Medinat Yisra'el [*State of Israel*]

Hindi [UN 1972, II/11; 1977, III/12]

भारत Bhārat [*India*], दिल्ली Dillī

Japanese [national: Kunrei-siki/Mod. Hepburn]

日本 Nihon ~ Nippon [*Japan*], 東京 Tōkyō/Tōkyō

Kannada [UN 1972, II/11; 1977, III/12]

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ Karṇāṭaka, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು Bēmgāḷūru

Kazakh [BGN/PCGN 1979]

Қазақстан Qazaqstan, Астана Astana

Khmer [UN 1972, II/10]

កម្ពុជា Kâmpŭchéa [*Cambodia*], ភ្នំពេញ Phnum Pénh

Kirghiz [BGN/PCGN 1979]

Кыргызстан Kyrgyzstan, Бишкек Bishkek

Korean [ISO/TR 11941:1996]

평양 Pheong'yang, 서울 Seo'ul

Lao [national 1966]

ລາວ Lao [*Laos*], ວຽງຈັນ Viangchan

Macedonian Cyrillic [UN 1977, III/11]

Скопје Skopje, Битола Bitola

Malayalam [UN 1972, II/11; 1977, III/12]

കേരളം Keraḷam, തിരുവനന്തപുരം Tiruvanantapuram

Maldivian [national 1987]

ދިވެހިރާއްޖެ Dhivehi Raajje [*Maldives*], ފުމު Maale

Marathi [UN 1972, II/11; 1977, III/12]

महाराष्ट्र Mahārāṣhṭra, मुंबई Mumbaī

Mongolian (Cyrillic) [BGN/PCGN 1964]

Монгол улс Mongol uls, Улаанбаатар Ulaanbaatar

Nepalese [UN 1972, II/11; 1977, III/12]

नेपाल Nepāl, काठमाडौं Kāthmāḍaum [*Kathmandu*]

Oriya [UN 1972, II/11; 1977, III/12]

ଓଡ଼ିଶା Oṛishā, ଭୁବନେଶ୍ୱର Bhubaneshbar

Pashto [BGN/PCGN 1968]

افغانستان Afghānistān, کابل Kābul

Persian [UN 1967, I/13]

ایران Īrān, تهران Tehrān

Punjabi [UN 1972, II/11; 1977, III/12]

ਪੰਜਾਬ Panjāb, ਚੰਡੀਗੜ੍ਹ Chamḍīgarh

Russian [UN 1987, V/18]

Россия Rossija, Москва Moskva

Serbian [UN 1977, III/11; 2002, VIII/14]

Србија Srbija, Београд Beograd

Sinhalese [provisional 1972]

ශ්‍රී ලංකා Shrī Laṅkā, කොළඹ Kōḷamba

Tajik [BGN/PCGN 1994]

Тоҷикистон Tojikiston, Душанбе Dushanbe

Tamil [UN 1972, II/11; 1977, III/12]

தமிழ்நாடு Tamiṅṅaṭu, இலங்கை Ilaṅkai [*Sri Lanka*]

Telugu [UN 1972, II/11; 1977, III/12]

ఆంధ్ర ప్రదేశ్ Āmdhra Pradesh, హైదరాబాదు Haidarābādu

Thai [UN 1967, I/14]

ไทย Thai, กรุงเทพมหานคร Krung Thep [*Bangkok*]

Tigrinya [BGN/PCGN 2007]

ኤርትራ Iertra [*Eritrea*], ኣሰመራ Asmera

Ukrainian [national 2007]

Україна Ukraina, Київ Kyiv

Urdu [UN 1972, II/11; 1977, III/12]

پاکستان Pākistān, اسلام آباد Islāmābād