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Names data base GN-DE (BKG)

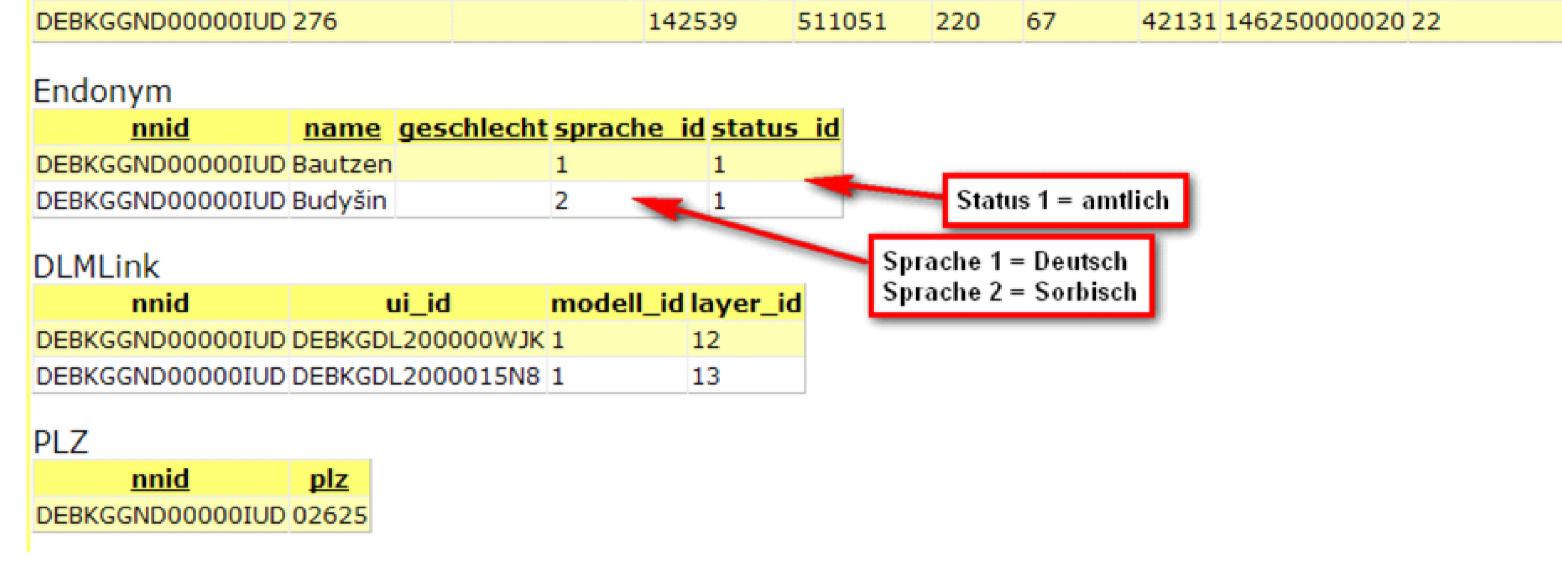
Application of relevant UN resolutions

Example: 1 topogr. Object in a minority region > 2 Endonyms

GNObjekt

nnid

landescode beschreibung geolaenge geobreite hoehe groesse ewz rs objektartlink id



WFS GN-DE – Gazetteer Service

Find a Name



Name (min.3 characters * for arbitrary characters) Map Presentation and Search



For experts and interested people: Here you can have a look at the request to the standardized Web Feature Service (WFS) and the correspondig response in XML format.

XML Request

Direct requests using our Applet PostRequest.

Search in small map boxes only

Name	Object Type	Postcode	LAT	LON	Height	Area	F
Bautzen	Ortslage	02625	14° 25'46"	51° 10'56"	220 m	67 km²	4
Budyšin							
Bautzen	Verwaltungseinheit		0°.0'"	0°.0'"			
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as graphic Web-application
as OGC Web Feature Service (WFS)

Geographical information only makes sense when spatial objects can be identified

(but it only works if their names have been standardized)

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