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This standard corresponds partly with ISO-standard 3166:1988 and DIN  
(German Industrial Standard) 3166, March, 1983.

For the purpose of short presentation of countries, that are states,  
dependend territories and territories of special interest - covering  
the whole surface of earth - are related to them two-letter-codes,  
three-letter-codes, three-digit numerical codes and the codes of the  
UDC (International Decimal Classification).

The names of the units are given in German. The list comprises the  
official form of the names of states and their short form according  
to the spelling of the Austrian Ministry for Foreign Affairs, for  
dependend territories and territories of special interest according  
to the spelling of DIN 3166, March, 1983. Units that are not acknow-  
ledged as states by the Republic of Austria (= dependend territories  
and territories of special interest) are additionally characterized  
by "+".

Specimens: see following page

DK-ZAHLEN	EINHEITEN	Zweibuch- stabenz- Zeichen	Dreibuch- stabenz- Zeichen	Dreistel. numer. Zeichen	BEMERKUNGEN
(44)	FRANKREICH Französische Republik	FR	FRA	250	
(988)	+ GRÖNLAND	GL	GRL	304	
(436)	ÖSTERREICH Republik Österreich	AT	AUT	040	
(73)	VEREINIGTE STAATEN VON AMERIKA	US	USA	840	Kurzform auc USA, Vereinigte Staaten

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