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**Geographical names in the German coastal area\***

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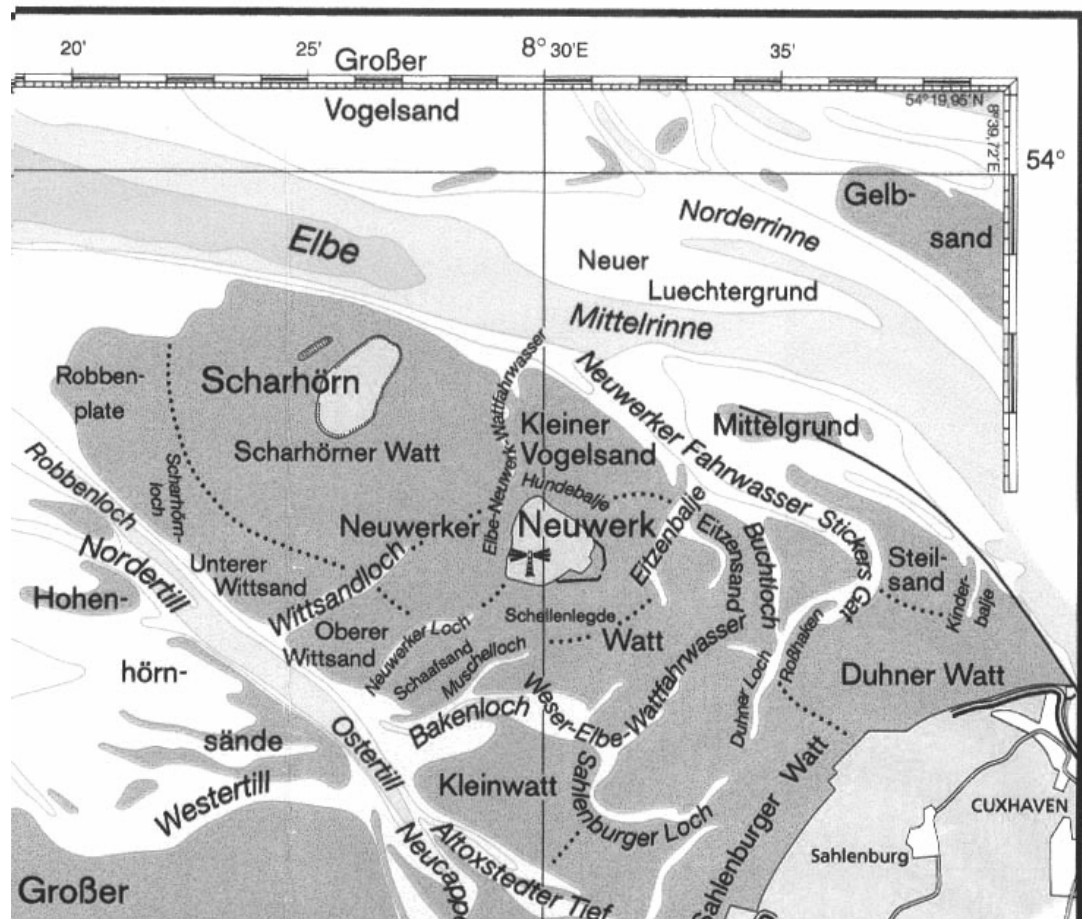
Under the convenorship of D. Grothenn the Ständiger Ausschuss für geographische Namen (StAGN) deals with a map project on the geographical names connected with the German coastal area. The collection of the names is primarily based on material provided by the Bundesamt für Seeschifffahrt und Hydrographie (Federal Maritime and Hydrographic Agency) and has been finished. A first test sheet has been compiled by full digital production.

The geographical names of the German coastal area will be shown on four map sheets at the scale of 1 : 200 000. The sheets are:

1. Niedersachsen, containing 355 coastal names  
Schleswig-Holstein (West), containing 272 coastal names  
Schleswig-Holstein (East), containing 154 coastal names  
Mecklenburg-Vorpommern, containing 596 coastal names.

Example:

### Blatt 1: Niedersächsische Küste



The coastal names shown on the maps will also be provided in a listed form. This list contains the following information:

1. Name, gender,
2. allonym (if available)
3. Feature type
4. Co-ordinates
5. Extension of the feature in kilometres
6. Extension class (serves to facilitate the feature's generalisation for different map scales)
7. Administrative affiliation