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Exonyms

Exonyms and Cartography, a worldwide register of German geographical names classified by use and local forms

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Summary

The publication provides guidelines for editors confronted with the problem of deciding which geographical name-form (exonym or endonym) to use. It provides lists of 5,800 German exonyms and distinguishes five types of conventional names:

- Exonyms in current use
- Exonyms falling into disuse
- Historical exonyms
- Exonyms to be avoided
- Exonyms used only in certain areas.