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Reports: divisions of the Group of Experts**Report of the Norden Division****Summary****

The full report outlines the activities carried out by the Norden Division since the 2019 session of the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names and includes materials of common interest to the Division.

The main activity for the Norden Division was its online meeting in September 2020. Plans to hold a joint meeting with other divisions and working groups of the Group of Experts were put on hold owing to the ongoing coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic.

In total, 15 members of the Division attended the 2020 meeting, at which they gave overview presentations on their ongoing work and issues. The meeting was engaging, with many relevant and valuable discussions and much knowledge-sharing. In addition, the Division also held a meeting on 12 January 2021 with 11 participants, in preparation of the 2021 session of the Group of Experts.

The report will also refer to reports and working papers to be given by Division members at the 2021 session.

* [GEGN.2/2021/1](#).

** The full report was prepared by Ingvil Nordland and Peder Gammeltoft (Norway). The report will be available under document symbol GEGN.2/2021/11/CRP.11, in the language of submission only, at https://unstats.un.org/unsd/ungegn/sessions/2nd_session_2021/.

