



Local Administrative Units 2021 (LAU_2021), INTERNAL VERSION Nov. 2022

This metadata refers to the dataset on administrative boundaries down to commune level version 2021 from Eurostat.

The regional subdivisions used for these purpose are based on the LAU nomenclature (Local Administrative Units). This nomenclature contains the standard territorial units (administrative areas) used primarily for small area statistics purposes. This coding system is arranged on a hierarchical basis starting at country level and going down to regional level, and then to commune level.

Data is derived from Eurogeographics version EBM_2022 and the population figure from the 2021 LAU list: (<https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/documents/345175/501971/EU-27-LAU-2021-NUTS-2021.xlsx>). Where population data is not available the figure is taken from the nearest available year

Feature classes are available at two scale levels: 1:100 k and 1:1 mio. Access to this data is restricted to the personnel of the European Commission and its contractors. Public access to the full dataset is not possible due to intellectual property rights. Data is available as vector polygon datasets.

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Other constraints	<p>* Access to this data set is restricted to the personnel of the European Commission and its contractors. Public access to the full dataset is not possible due to intellectual property rights.</p> <p>* Use is allowed inside the European Commission. However, the data set can be freely distributed if the spatial resolution is 1: 1.000.000 or smaller, or less than 20% of the data relevant to the displayed area is shown.</p> <p>* The source and intellectual property have always to be acknowledged. To this end, an acknowledgement as specified below must be visible on any printed or electronic publication using the data.</p> <p>Acknowledgement notice, depending on the language used in the publication:</p>

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Spatial representation type	Vector
Denominator	100000
Language of dataset	English
Topic category	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Environment

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Conformance result

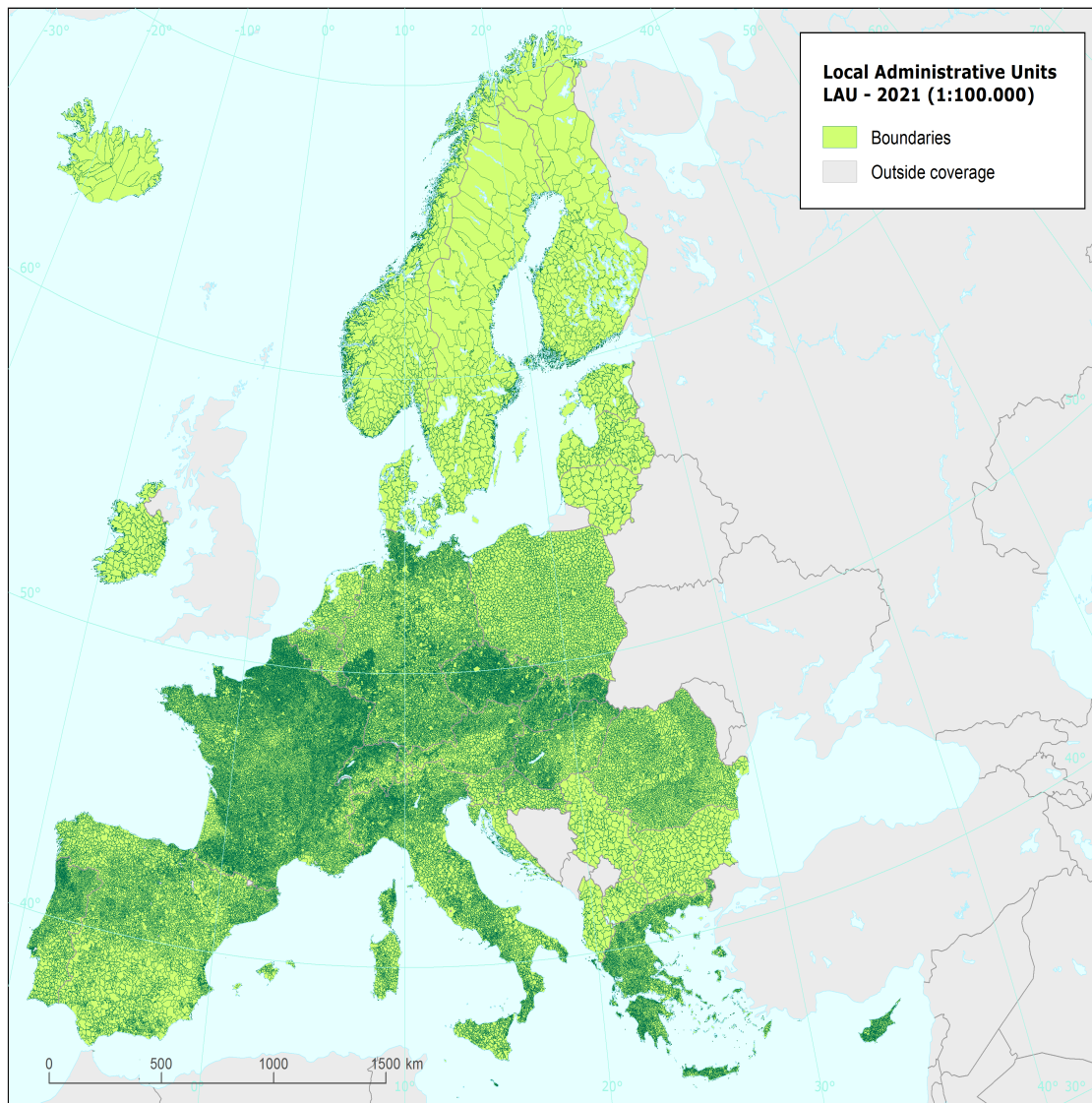
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Statement	For more details please see the documentation included under the folder docs. Information on the lineage of the dataset can be found in their respective metadata files, which for the public products can be downloaded from https://ec.europa.eu/eurostat/web/gisco/geodata . The metadata can also be extracted from Eurostat metadata portal on: https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/inspire-sdi/srv/eng/catalog.search#/home (ECAS login needed). For more information please contact SDI Team at sdi@eea.europa.eu .
Source	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • https://eurogeographics.org/maps-for-europe/ebm/

Metadata

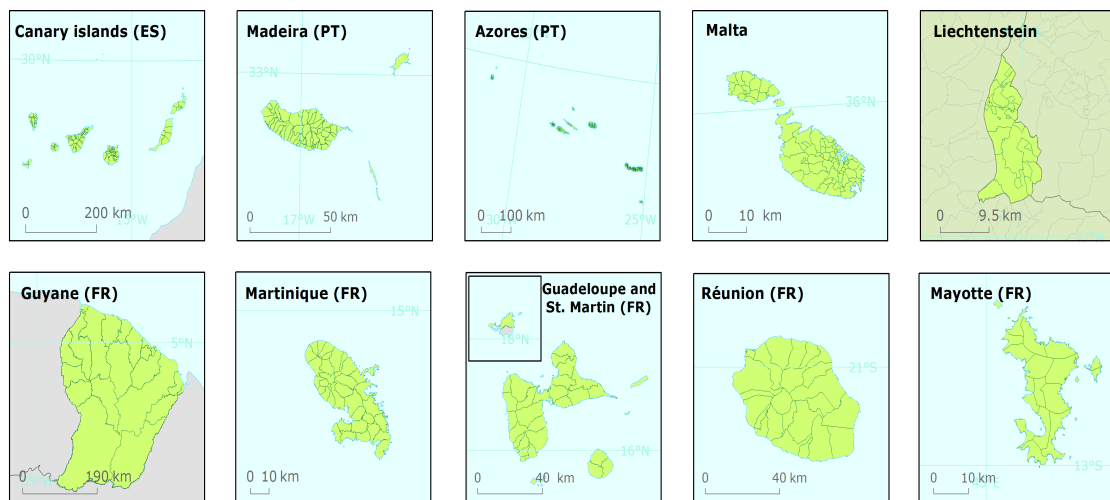
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