

# REGIONS FOR WATCHING AND SCREENING SEARCHES (ISS AND PREFISS)

## ASIA AND AUSTRALASIA

Afghanistan (\*)  
Australia (1)  
Bangladesh  
Bhutan  
Brunei  
Cambodia  
China  
Fiji Islands  
Hong Kong  
India  
Indonesia  
International Register  
Japan  
Kazakhstan  
Kyrgystan  
Laos  
Macao  
Malaysia  
Mongolia  
Myanmar (formerly  
Burma)  
Nepal  
New Zealand  
Democratic People's  
Republic of Korea  
Pakistan  
Papua New Guinea  
Philippines  
Sabah (Malaysia)  
Samoa (Western)  
Sarawak (Malaysia)  
Singapore  
Solomon Islands  
South Korea  
Sri Lanka  
Taiwan  
Tajikistan  
Thailand  
Turkmenistan  
Uzbekistan  
Vietnam  
World Health  
Organization (class 5)

## EUROPE

Albania  
Andorra  
Armenia  
Austria  
Azerbaijan

Belarus  
Benelux (Belgium,  
Netherlands,  
Luxemburg)  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Bulgaria  
Community Trademarks  
Croatia  
Cyprus  
Cyprus (Turkish  
Republic of  
Northern Cyprus)  
Czech Republic  
Denmark  
Estonia  
Finland  
France (2)  
Georgia  
Germany  
Gibraltar (\*)  
Greece  
Guernsey (\*)  
Hungary  
Iceland  
International Register  
Ireland  
Italy (3)  
Jersey (\*)  
Kazakhstan  
Kyrgystan  
Latvia  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Macedonia  
Malta  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Montenegro  
Norway  
Poland  
Portugal (4)  
Romania  
Russian Federation  
Serbia  
Slovak Republic  
Slovenia  
Spain (5)  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Tajikistan  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Ukraine

United Kingdom  
Uzbekistan  
World Health  
Organization (class 5)  
Yugoslavia (6)

## EUROPEAN UNION (EU)

Austria  
Benelux (Belgium,  
Netherlands,  
Luxemburg)  
Bulgaria  
Community Trademarks  
Cyprus  
Czech Republic  
Denmark  
Estonia  
Finland  
France (2)  
Germany  
Greece  
Hungary  
International Register  
Ireland  
Italy (3)  
Latvia  
Lithuania  
Malta  
Poland  
Portugal (4)  
Romania  
Spain (5)  
Slovak Republic  
Slovenia  
Sweden  
United Kingdom  
World Health  
Organization (class 5)

## EASTERN EUROPE AND FORMER USSR REPUBLICS (FOR ISS AND PREFISS ONLY)

Albania  
Armenia  
Azerbaijan  
Belarus  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana

Bulgaria  
Croatia  
Czech Republic  
Estonia  
Georgia  
Hungary  
International Register  
Kazakhstan  
Kyrgystan  
Latvia  
Lithuania  
Macedonia  
Moldova  
Nambia (South Africa)  
Poland  
Romania  
Russian Federation  
Slovak Republic  
Slovenia  
Syria  
Tajikistan  
Turkmenistan  
Ukraine  
Uzbekistan  
World Health  
Organization (class 5)  
Yugoslavia (6)

## MADRID AGREEMENT COUNTRIES, INCLUDING MADRID PROTOCOL (STATUS JULY 2008)

Albania  
Algeria  
Antigua and Barbuda  
Armenia  
Australia (1)  
Austria  
Azerbaijan  
Belarus  
Benelux (Belgium,  
Netherlands,  
Luxemburg)  
Bhutan  
Bosnia-Herzegovina  
Botswana  
Bulgaria  
China  
Community Trademarks  
Croatia  
Cuba

Cyprus  
Czech Republic  
Denmark  
Egypt  
Estonia  
Finland  
France (2)  
Georgia  
Germany  
Greece  
Hungary  
Iceland  
International Register  
Ireland  
Italy (3)  
Japan  
Kazakhstan  
Kenya  
Kyrgystan  
Latvia  
Lesotho  
Liberia  
Liechtenstein  
Lithuania  
Macedonia  
Moldova  
Monaco  
Mongolia  
Montenegro  
Morocco  
Mozambique  
Nambia (South Africa)  
Netherlands Antilles (11)  
Norway  
Poland  
Portugal (4)  
Romania  
Russian Federation  
San Marino  
Serbia  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovak Republic  
Slovenia  
South Korea  
Spain (5)  
Sudan  
Swaziland  
Sweden

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## MADRID AGREEMENT COUNTRIES, INCLUDING MADRID PROTOCOL (CONT.)

Switzerland  
 Syria  
 Tajikistan  
 Turkey  
 Turkmenistan  
 Ukraine  
 United Kingdom  
 United States of America  
 Uzbekistan  
 Vietnam  
 World Health Organization (class 5)  
 Yugoslavia (6)  
 Zambia

## MIDDLE EAST AND AFRICA

Algeria  
 Angola  
 ARIPO (Banjul Agreement) (10)  
 Bahrain  
 Bophuthatswana (South Africa)  
 Botswana  
 Burundi (\*)  
 Ciskei (South Africa)

Congo (Democratic Republic) (\*)  
 Egypt  
 Ethiopia  
 Gambia (\*)  
 Gaza  
 Ghana  
 International Register  
 Iran  
 Iraq  
 Israel  
 Jordan  
 Kenya  
 Kuwait  
 Lebanon  
 Lesotho (\*)  
 Liberia  
 Libya (\*)  
 Madagascar  
 Malawi  
 Mauritius  
 Morocco  
 Mozambique  
 Namibia (South Africa)  
 Nigeria  
 Oman  
 O.A.P.I. (7)  
 Qatar  
 Rwanda (\*)  
 Saudi Arabia  
 Seychelles  
 Sierra Leone  
 South Africa  
 Sudan

Swaziland  
 Syria  
 Tangier  
 Tanzania  
 Transkei (South Africa)  
 Tunisia  
 Uganda  
 United Arab Emirates (8)  
 Venda (South Africa)  
 West Bank of Jordan (Judea and Samaria)  
 World Health Organization (class 5)  
 Yemen  
 Zambia  
 Zanzibar  
 Zimbabwe

## NORDIC COUNTRIES (FOR WATCHING ONLY)

Community Trademarks  
 Denmark  
 Finland  
 Iceland  
 International Register  
 Norway  
 Sweden  
 World Health Organization (class 5)

## SOUTH AND CENTRAL AMERICA, USA (FEDERAL TRADEMARKS) AND CANADA

Anguilla  
 Antigua and Barbuda  
 Argentina  
 Aruba  
 Bahamas  
 Barbados  
 Belize  
 Bermuda  
 Bolivia  
 Brazil  
 British Virgin Islands  
 Canada  
 Cayman Islands  
 Chile  
 Colombia  
 Costa Rica  
 Cuba  
 Dominica  
 Dominican Republic  
 Ecuador  
 Falkland Islands  
 Grenada  
 Guatemala  
 Guyana  
 Haiti  
 Honduras  
 International Register  
 Jamaica

Mexico  
 Montserrat  
 Netherlands Antilles  
 Nicaragua  
 Panama  
 Paraguay  
 Peru  
 Puerto Rico  
 Salvador (El)  
 St. Kitts and Nevis  
 St. Lucia  
 St. Vincent and The Grenadines  
 Suriname  
 Trinidad and Tobago  
 Turks and Caicos Islands  
 United States of America (9)  
 Uruguay  
 Venezuela  
 World Health Organization (class 5)

We closely follow up on the emerge of new countries with their respective industrial property. Our watch and ISS databases are regularly updated accordingly.

The trademarks filed under the former legislation of newly created countries or newly named countries continue to appear on our ISS lists under their former country names, and are automatically included when searching the countries under their new denomination.

(\*) In these countries, trademark information is released on an irregular basis. New information is added as soon as it is available.

- (1) Australia, including Nauru and Norfolk Islands
- (2) France, including the Comoro Islands, French Guyana, French Polynesia, Guadeloupe, Martinique, New Caledonia, Reunion, St. Pierre and Miquelon, Wallis and Futuna
- (3) Italy, including San Marino
- (4) Portugal, including Azores and Madeira
- (5) Spain, including Canary Islands, Melilla and Ceuta
- (6) Yugoslavia, including Serbia and Montenegro
- (7) O.A.P.I., including Benin, Burkina Faso (formerly Upper Volta), Cameroon, Central African Republic, Chad, Congo (Brazzaville), Equatorial Guinea, Gabon, Guinea Bissau, Guinea (Conakry), Ivory Coast, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Senegal and Togo
- (8) United Arab Emirates, including Abu-Dhabi, Ajman, Dubai, Fujairah, Ras Al-Khaimah, Sharjah and Umm Al-Quwain
- (9) United States of America (Federal trademarks), including the Virgin Islands
- (10) ARIPO (Banjul Agreement) including Lesotho, Malawi, Swaziland, Tanzania, Uganda and Zimbabwe
- (11) Acceptance by the Netherlands of the Madrid Protocol, in respect of the Netherlands Antilles