

Pronouncing geographical names

Adjectives are often pronounced in a very similar way to the noun; they are not shown separately in the list. For example:

D53a Austria /'ɒstriə/ Austria /'ɒstriən/

But sometimes adjectives are pronounced differently; these are shown separately in the list. For example:

D53b Canada /'kænədə/ Canadian /kə'neɪdiən/

D54a Africa /'æfrɪkə/
 America /ə'merɪkə/
 Argentina /ɑ:dʒən'ti:nə/
 Asia /'eɪʒə/
 Atlantic /ət'læntɪk/
 Australia /ɒs'treɪliə/
 Austria /'ɒstriə/

D54b Belgium /'beldʒəm/
 Brazil /brə'zɪl/

D54c Canada /'kænədə/
 Canadian /kə'neɪdiən/
 Caribbean /kæri'bi:ən/
 Chile /'tʃɪli/
 China /'tʃaɪnə/
 Croatia /krəʊ'eɪʃə/
 Cuba /'kju:bə/
 Czech Republic /'tʃek rɪ'pʌblɪk/

D54d Danish /'deɪnɪʃ/
 Denmark /'denmɑ:k/
 Dutch /dʌtʃ/

D54e Egypt /'i:dʒɪpt/
 England /'ɪŋɡlənd/
 Europe /'juərəp/
 European /juərə'pi:ən/

D54f France /fra:ns/
 French /frenʃ/

D54g Germany /'dʒɜ:məni/
 Greece /gri:s/
 Greek /gri:k/

D54h Holland /'hɒlənd/
 Hungarian /hʌŋ'geəriən/
 Hungary /'hʌŋɡəri/

D54i India /'ɪndiə/
 Iran /ɪ'ræn/
 Iranian /ɪ'reɪniən/
 Iraq /ɪ'ræk/
 Iraqi /ɪ'ræki/
 Ireland /'aɪələnd/
 Irish /'aɪrɪʃ/
 Israel /'ɪzreɪəl/
 Israeli /ɪz'reɪəli/

	Italian	/ɪ'tæliən/
	Italy	/'ɪtəli/
D54j	Japan	/dʒə'pæn/
	Japanese	/dʒæpə'niːz/
D54k	Korea	/kə'riːə/
D54l	Mediterranean	/medɪtə'reɪniən/
	Mexico	/'meksɪkəʊ/
D54m	Netherlands	/'neðələndz/
	New Zealand	/njuː 'ziːlənd/
	Nigeria	/naɪ'dʒɪəriə/
	Norway	/'nɔːweɪ/
	Norwegian	/nɔː'wiːdʒən/
D54n	Pacific	/pə'sɪfɪk/
	Pakistan	/pækɪ'stɑːn/
	Peru	/pə'ruː/
	Poland	/'pəʊlənd/
	Portugal	/'pɔːtʃəɡəl/
D54o	Romania	/ruː'meɪniə/
	Russia	/'rʌʃə/
D54p	Saudi Arabia	/'saʊdi ə'reɪbiə/
	Scotland	/'skɒtlənd/
	Slovakia	/slə'vækɪə/
	Slovenia	/slə'viːniə/
	Spain	/speɪn/
	Spanish	/'spæniʃ/
	Sweden	/'swɪdʒən/
	Swiss	/swɪs/
	Switzerland	/'swɪtsələnd/
D54q	Turkey	/'tʃɜːki/
D54r	Ukraine	/juː'kreɪn/
	United Kingdom	/juː'nartɪd 'kɪŋdəm/
	United States of America	/juː'nartɪd steɪts əv ə'merɪkə/
D54s	Wales	/weɪlz/
	Welsh	/welʃ/