

# Geonames User Guide

Open a web browser and navigate to <http://www.getgeo.name>. See Figure 1.

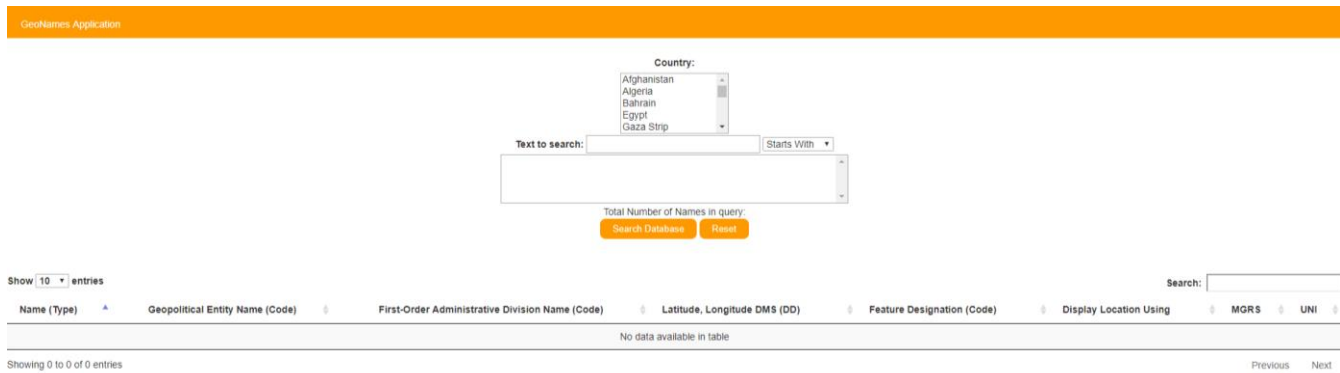


Figure 1

Once on the home page, select the country you would like to search from the Country list box. See Figure 2.



Figure 2

Once you select a country, all ADM Codes belonging to the selected country will appear below the Text to search input field. See Figure 3.

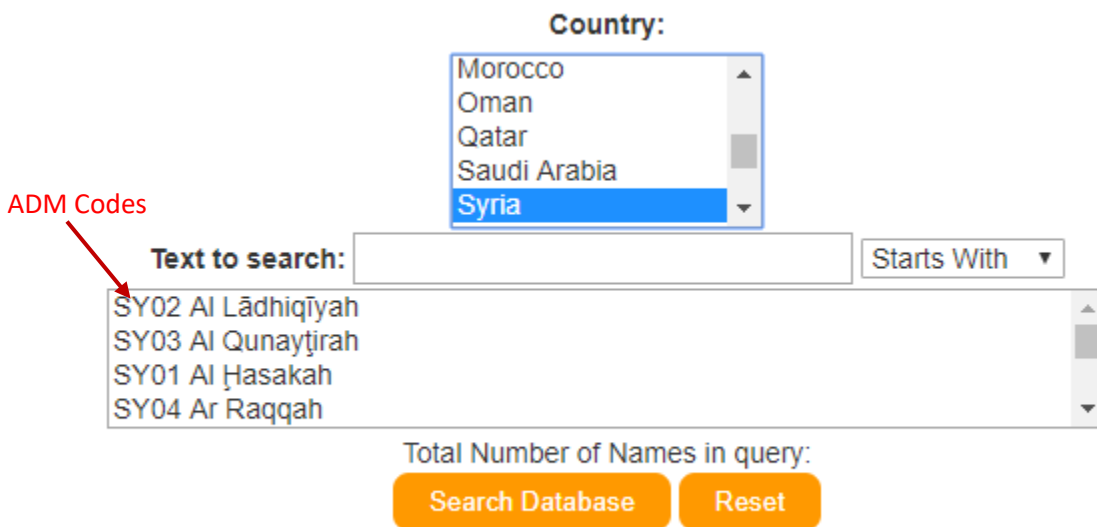


Figure 3

You must select an ADM Code or enter text in the text to search box to complete a successful search.

## Search by Country and ADM Code

Select you the country you wish to search then select an ADM Code from the list. See Figure 4.

Country:

- Morocco
- Oman
- Qatar
- Saudi Arabia
- Syria

Text to search:  Starts With

SY05 As Suwaydā'  
SY06 Dar'ā  
SY07 Dayr az Zawr  
SY13 Dimashq

Total Number of Names in query:

[Search Database](#) [Reset](#)

Figure 4

Select Search Database to view the results.

Total Number of Names in query: 2704

[Search Database](#) [Reset](#)

Showing 10 entries

Name (Type)	Geopolitical Entry Name (Code)	First-Order Administrative Division Name (Code)	Latitude, Longitude DMS (DD)	Feature Designation (Code)	Display Location Using
<b>Group</b>					
Sahl ad Dubbān (Approved - N) Sahl (Generic)	SY	Dayr az Zawr (SY07)	36 09 45N, 39 51 32E (36.1625, 39.858889)	plain(s) (PLN)	Google Maps
سَهْل دَبَّانْ (Non-Roman Script - NS) سَهْل (Generic)	SY	Dayr az Zawr (SY07)	36 09 45N, 39 51 32E (36.1625, 39.858889)	plain(s) (PLN)	Google Maps
Sahl ed Debbāne (Variant - V)	SY	Dayr az Zawr (SY07)	36 09 45N, 39 51 32E (36.1625, 39.858889)	plain(s) (PLN)	Google Maps
Sahl ad Dibbān (Variant - V)	SY	Dayr az Zawr (SY07)	36 09 45N, 39 51 32E (36.1625, 39.858889)	plain(s) (PLN)	Google Maps
Sahl adh Dhibbān (Variant - V) Sahl (Generic)	SY	Dayr az Zawr (SY07)	36 09 45N, 39 51 32E (36.1625, 39.858889)	plain(s) (PLN)	Google Maps
Sahl adh Dhubbān (Variant - V)	SY	Dayr az Zawr (SY07)	36 09 45N, 39 51 32E (36.1625, 39.858889)	plain(s) (PLN)	Google Maps
<b>Group</b>					
'Ayn al Baydā (Approved - N) 'Ayn (Generic)	SY	Dayr az Zawr (SY07)	36 11 58N, 39 55 08E (36.199576, 39.918829)	spring(s) (SPNG)	Google Maps
أَيْن بَيْدَا (Non-Roman Script - NS) (Generic)	SY	Dayr az Zawr (SY07)	36 11 58N, 39 55 08E (36.199576, 39.918829)	spring(s) (SPNG)	Google Maps
Aln el Beida (Variant - V)	SY	Dayr az Zawr (SY07)	36 11 58N, 39 55 08E (36.199576, 39.918829)	spring(s) (SPNG)	Google Maps
'Ayn al Baydā (Variant - V)	SY	Dayr az Zawr (SY07)	36 11 58N, 39 55 08E (36.199576, 39.918829)	spring(s) (SPNG)	Google Maps

Showing 1 to 10 of 2,704 entries

Previous 1 2 3 4 5 ... 271 next

Figure 5

In the results table, the total number of records returned appear above the Search Database button as well as in the bottom left corner of the page. See Figure 5

The number of pages appears on the bottom right corner of the page.

## Search by Country and Text

Reset options from previous searches by selecting the Reset button. This will clear all of your previous search choices. See Figure 6.

The screenshot shows a search interface with the following elements:

- Country:** A dropdown menu with options: Morocco, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and Syria (highlighted).
- Text to search:** An empty text input box.
- Filter:** A dropdown menu set to "Starts With".
- Results:** A list of search results: SY05 As Suwaydā', SY06 Dar'ā, SY07 Dayr az Zawr (highlighted), and SY13 Dimashq.
- Total Number of Names in query:** A label above two buttons: "Search Database" and "Reset".
- Annotation:** A red arrow points to the "Reset" button with the text "clear previous search".

Figure 6

Select the country to search then enter your search text in the Text to search text box. You have the option of selecting four different filter terms, "Starts With", "Exact Match", "Ends With", or "Contains". See Figure 6

Click Search Database to view your results. See Figure 5.

The screenshot shows a search interface with the following elements:

- Country:** A dropdown menu with options: Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syria (highlighted), and Tunisia.
- Text to search:** A text input box containing "Hajin".
- Filter:** A dropdown menu set to "Starts With".
- Results:** A list of search results: SY02 Al Lādhiqiyah, SY03 Al Qunayṭirah, SY01 Al Ḥasakah, and SY04 Ar Raqqah.
- Total Number of Names in query:** A label above two buttons: "Search Database" and "Reset".
- Annotations:** A red arrow points to the "Text to search" box with the text "search text". Another red arrow points to the "Starts With" filter dropdown with the text "filter terms".

Figure 7

## Search by Country, Text and ADM Code

Reset options from previous searches by selecting the Reset button. This will clear all of your previous search choices. See Figure 6.

Select the country you would like to search from the list. Then select the ADM Code or region you would like to search. Lastly, enter text in the Text to search input box and select Search Database.

The screenshot shows a search interface with the following elements:

- Country:** A dropdown menu with options: Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syria (selected), and Tunisia.
- Text to search:** An input field containing the text "Hajin".
- Starts With:** A dropdown menu currently set to "Starts With".
- Results List:** A list of search results: SY05 As Suwaydā, SY06 Dar'ā, SY07 Dayr az Zawr (highlighted in blue), and SY13 Dimashq.
- Total Number of Names in query:** A label positioned above the search buttons.
- Buttons:** Two orange buttons labeled "Search Database" and "Reset".

Figure 8

Your search results will appear. See Figure 5.