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Changes in areas of cohesion regions

Data on cohesion regions in Slovenia are generally changed every three years according to the procedure stipulated in the NUTS Regulation.

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Cohesion regions and description of their territorial changes

Code	Cohesion region	Date	Change description
1	Vzhodna Slovenija	21.12.2000	Changes in the borders of settlements Rapljevo and Vrbovec and of municipalities Kočevje and Dobropolje caused the change in the borders between two NUTS 2 regions (cohesion regions), Vzhodna Slovenija and Zahodna Slovenija. NUTS 2 region (cohesion region) Vzhodna Slovenija is now 8 square kilometres smaller and NUTS 2 region (cohesion region) Zahodna Slovenija is larger by that much.
		01.04.2013	Changes in the borders of settlements Gornji Vrh and Razbore and of municipalities Šmartno pri Litiji and Trebnje caused the change in the borders between two NUTS 2 regions (cohesion regions), Vzhodna Slovenija and Zahodna Slovenija. NUTS 2 region (cohesion region) Zahodna Slovenija is now 0.008 square kilometres smaller and NUTS 2 region (cohesion region) Vzhodna Slovenija is larger by that much.
		01.01.2015	Regulation (EU) No 1319/2013 of 9 December amending annexes to Regulation (EC) No 1059/2003 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 May 2003 on the establishment of a common classification of territorial units for statistics (NUTS) was published in the Official Journal of the European Union on 18 December 2013. Based on the amended NUTS regulation, NUTS 2 regions (cohesion regions) changed due to the transition of municipality Litija from NUTS 2 region (cohesion region) Zahodna Slovenija to NUTS 2 region (cohesion region) Vzhodna Slovenija. NUTS 2 region (cohesion region) Zahodna Slovenija is now 221 km ² smaller and NUTS 2 region (cohesion region) Vzhodna Slovenija 221 km ² larger.
2	Zahodna Slovenija	21.12.2000	Changes in the borders of settlements Rapljevo and Vrbovec and of municipalities Kočevje and Dobropolje caused the change in the borders between two NUTS 2 regions (cohesion regions), Vzhodna Slovenija and Zahodna Slovenija. NUTS 2 region (cohesion region) Vzhodna Slovenija is now 8 square kilometres smaller and NUTS 2 region (cohesion region) Zahodna Slovenija is larger by that much.
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