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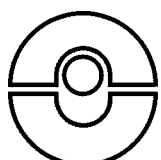
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## **Standard coding of currencies**

*Codification unifiée des monnaies  
Einheitliche Codierung der Währungen*



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Objective: reference will be made only to ISO Standard 4217

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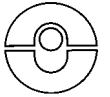
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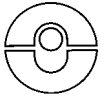
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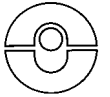
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## Summary

This leaflet defines the coding system to be used by UIC and/or OSJD members, to indicate currencies. Reference is made to the *ISO Standard 4217*.

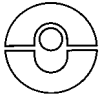
Only the alpha code in ISO Standard 4217 is applicable for railways.



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## 1 - Purpose of the leaflet

This leaflet sets out to define the currencies used by UIC and/or OSJD members (see - List of abbreviations - page 9), in particular for settlement and compensation purposes.



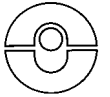
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## 2 - Currencies coded

The following currencies are coded:

- national currencies and
- currencies used for international settlements.

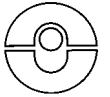
The coding system corresponds to the 3-position alpha code in accordance with *ISO Standard 4217* (see - Bibliography - page 8).



### 3 - Code tables

ISO Standard 4217 contains a list of the national currencies and international settlement currencies used by UIC and/or OSJD members (see - List of abbreviations - page 9). The 3-position alpha code is to be used.

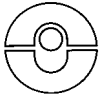




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## 4 - Use of codes

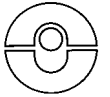
- The monetary codes set out in ISO Standard 4217 (see - Bibliography - page 8) shall be compulsory for all information exchanges.
- The terms and conditions governing the use of the currency codes shall be defined for each area of application by the relevant Commissions.



## 5 - Management of coding system

The standard code of currencies is managed by the International Organisation for Standardisation (ISO) (see - List of abbreviations - page 9). Users are requested to refer to the most recent version of the ISO Standard 4217 (see - Bibliography - page 8). Copies may be obtained at the following address:

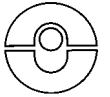
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## 6 - Management of leaflet

Proposals relating to the leaflet shall be examined by the UIC Information Technology Committee or the OSJD Committee (see - List of abbreviations - page 9) and, where necessary, placed on the agenda for the UIC/OSJD Joint Group for Coding and Information Technology.



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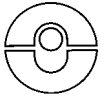
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## 2. International standards

### **ISO 4217**

*"Codes for the representation of currencies and funds", 1995*



# List of abbreviations

<b>ISO</b>	The International Organisation for Standardisation is a world-wide federation of national standards institutes
<b>OSJD</b>	Organisation for Collaboration between Railways