ITALY

WORLD CUP FACTS

Team Nickname
Azzurre (Blues)

Team Uniform Colors
blue, white

Coach
Milena BERTOLINI

World Cup Appearances
3 (first in 1991)

World Cup Record through 2015
W 3 D1 L 3

Best Result
quarterfinals: 1991

GOVERNMENT

Chief of State
President Sergio MATTARELLA

Head of Government
Prime Minister Giuseppe CONTE

Government Type
parliamentary republic

Capital
Rome

National Symbol
white, five-pointed star (Stella d’Italia)

Area
total: 301,340 sq km
land: 294,140 sq km
water: 7,200 sq km

Climate
predominantly Mediterranean; alpine in far north; hot, dry in south

Natural Resources
coal, antimony, mercury, zinc, potash, marble, barite, asbestos, pumice, fluorspar, feldspar, pyrite, natural gas and crude oil reserves, fish, arable land

PEOPLE & SOCIETY

Population
62.2 million (2018 est.)

Population Growth Rate
0.16% (2018 est.)

Language
Italian (official), German, French, Slovene

Urbanization
urban population: 70.4% of total population (2018)

ECONOMY

GDP (Purchasing Power Parity)
$2.317 trillion (2017 est.)

GDP per capita (Purchasing Power Parity)
$38,200 (2017 est.)

Exports
$496.3 billion (2017 est.)
partners: Germany 12.5%, France 10.3%, US 9%, Spain 5.2%, UK 5.2%, Switzerland 4.6% (2017)

Imports
$432.9 billion (2017 est.)
partners: Germany 16.3%, France 8.8%, China 7.1%, Netherlands 5.6%, Spain 5.3%, Belgium 4.5% (2017)