HUNGARY

GOVERNMENT
Chief of State
President Janos ADER
Head of Government
Prime Minister Viktor ORBAN
Government Type
parliamentary republic
Capital
Budapest
Legislature
unicameral National Assembly or Orszaggyules (199 seats)
Judiciary
Curia or Supreme Judicial Court (consists of the president, vice president, department heads, and approximately 91 judges); Constitutional Court (consists of 15 judges)
Ambassador to US
Ambassador Laszlo SZABO
US Ambassador
Ambassador David B. CORNSTEIN

GEOGRAPHY
Area
Total: 93,028 sq km
Land: 89,608 sq km
Water: 3,420 sq km
Climate
temperate; cold, cloudy, humid winters; warm summers
Natural Resources
bauxite, coal, natural gas, fertile soils, arable land

ECONOMY
Economic Overview
transitioned from centrally planned to market-driven economy with a per capita income about two thirds of the EU-28 average; challenges include pervasive corruption, labor shortages, poverty in rural areas, changing demand for exports, reliance on Russian energy imports
GDP (Purchasing Power Parity)
$289.6 billion (2017 est.)
GDP per capita (Purchasing Power Parity)
$29,600 (2017 est.)
Exports
$98.74 billion (2017 est.)
partners: Germany 27.7%, Romania 5.4%, Italy 5.1%, Austria 5%, Slovakia 4.8%, France 4.4%, Czech Republic 4.4%, Poland 4.3% (2017)
Imports
$96.3 billion (2017 est.)
partners: Germany 26.2%, Austria 6.3%, China 5.9%, Poland 5.5%, Slovakia 5.3%, Netherlands 5%, Czech Republic 4.8%, Italy 4.7%, France 4% (2017)

PEOPLE & SOCIETY
Population
9.8 million (July 2018 est.)
Population Growth
-0.26% (2018 est.)
Ethnicity
Hungarian 85.6%, Romani 3.2%, German 1.9%, other 2.6%, unspecified 14.1% (2011 est.)
Language
Hungarian (official) 99.6%, English 16%, German 11.2%, Russian 1.6%, Romanian 1.3%, French 1.2%, other 4.2% (2011 est.)
Religion
Roman Catholic 37.2%, Calvinist 11.6%, Lutheran 2.2%, Greek Catholic 1.8%, other 1.9%, none 18.2%, no response 27.2% (2011 est.)
Urbanization
urban population: 71.6% of total population (2019)
rate of urbanization: .07% annual rate of change (2015-20 est.)
as of December 2019