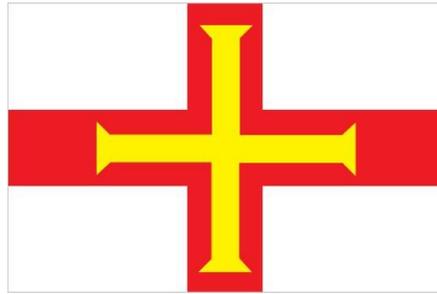




# GUERNSEY



## GOVERNMENT

### Chief of State

Queen ELIZABETH II

### Head of Government

Chief Minister Gavin ST PIER

### Government Type

parliamentary democracy (States of Deliberation)

### Capital

Saint Peter Port

### Legislature

unicameral States of Deliberation (40 seats)

### Judiciary

Guernsey Court of Appeal (consists of the Bailiff of Guernsey, who is the ex-officio president of the Guernsey Court of Appeal, and at least 12 judges); note - appeals beyond Guernsey courts are heard by the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council (in London)

### Ambassador to US

none (British crown dependency)

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none (British crown dependency)

## GEOGRAPHY

### Area

Total: 78 sq km

Land: 78 sq km

Water: 0 sq km

### Climate

temperate with mild winters and cool summers; about 50% of days are overcast

### Natural Resources

cropland

## ECONOMY

### Economic Overview

financial services, professional services, tourism, retail, and the public sector have been growing, light tax and death duties make this tiny, prosperous Channel Island a popular offshore financial center.

### GDP (Purchasing Power Parity)

\$3.465 billion (2015 est.)

### GDP per capita (Purchasing Power Parity)

\$52,500 (2014 est.)

### Exports

NA

### Imports

NA

## PEOPLE & SOCIETY

### Population

67,050 (July 2020 est.)

### Population Growth

0.26% (2020 est.)

### Ethnicity

Guernsey 52%, UK and Ireland 23.7%, Portugal 2.1%, Latvia 1.5%, other 6.7%, unspecified 14.1%

### Language

English, French, Norman-French dialect spoken in country districts

### Religion

Protestant (Anglican, Presbyterian, Baptist, Congregational, Methodist), Roman Catholic

### Urbanization

urban population: 31% of total population (2020)

rate of urbanization: 0.46% annual rate of change (2015-20 est.)

