



# ANDORRA



## INTRODUCTION

The landlocked Principality of Andorra is one of the smallest states in Europe. Although not a member of the EU, Andorra enjoys a special relationship with the bloc that is governed by various customs and cooperation agreements; it uses the euro as its national currency.

## GOVERNMENT

### Chief of State

Co-prince Emmanuel MACRON and Co-prince Archbishop Joan-Enric VIVES i Sicilia

### Head of Government

Head of Government (or Cap de Govern)  
Xaviar Espot ZAMORA

### Government Type

parliamentary democracy; co-principality; the two princes are the President of France and Bishop of Seu d'Urgell, Spain

### Capital

Andorra la Vella

### Legislature

unicameral General Council of the Valleys or Consell General de les Valls (minimum of 28 seats)

## GEOGRAPHY

### Area

Total: 468 sq km  
Land: 468 sq km  
Water: 0 sq km

### Climate

temperate; snowy, cold winters and warm, dry summers

### Natural Resources

hydropower, mineral water, timber, iron ore, lead

## ECONOMY

### Economic Overview

high GDP; low unemployment; non-EU Euro user; co-principality duty-free area between Spain and France; tourist hub but hit hard by COVID-19; modern, non-tax haven financial sector; looking for big tech investments; new member of SEPA and IMF

**GDP (Purchasing Power Parity)** \$3.33 billion (2015 est.)

**GDP per capita (Purchasing Power Parity)** \$49,900 (2015 est.)

**Industries** - tourism (particularly skiing), banking, timber, furniture

**Agricultural products** - small quantities of rye, wheat, barley, oats, vegetables, tobacco, sheep, cattle

**Exports** \$78.71 million (2015 est.)

integrated circuits, medical supplies, essential oils, cars, tanned hides (2019)

**partners:** Spain 40%, France 19%, US 11%, Mauritania 5% (2019)

**Imports** \$1.26 billion (2015 est.)

cars, refined petroleum, perfumes, shaving products, liquors (2019)

**partners:** Spain 71%, France 17% (2019)

## PEOPLE & SOCIETY

### Population

85,650 (July 2021 est.)

### Population Growth

-0.1% (2021 est.)

### Ethnicity

Andorran 48.7%, Spanish 24.6%, Portuguese 11.6%, French 4.4%, other 10.6% (2017 est.)

### Language

Catalan (official), French, Castilian, Portuguese

### Religion

Roman Catholic (predominant)

### Urbanization

urban population: 87.9% of total population (2021)  
rate of urbanization: 0.11% annual rate of change (2020-25 est.)

### Literacy

100% (2016)

