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Capital: St Peter Port **Time:** GMT

Background: The island of Guernsey and the other Channel Islands represent the last remnants of the medieval Dukedom of Normandy, which held sway in both France and England. The islands were the only British soil occupied by German troops in World War II.

Location: Western Europe, islands in the English Channel, northwest of France.

Map References: Europe

Area: total: 194 sq km land: 194 sq km water: 0 sq km

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

Terrain: mostly level with low hills in southwest

Natural Resources: cropland

Population: 64,080 (July 2000 est.)

Nationality: noun: Channel Islander(s) adjective: Channel Islander

Ethnic Groups: UK and Norman-French descent

Religions: Anglican, Roman Catholic, Presbyterian, Baptist, Congregational, Methodist

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

Economy: Financial services - banking, fund management, insurance, etc. - account for about 55% of total income in this tiny Channel Island economy. Tourism, manufacturing, and horticulture, mainly tomatoes and cut flowers, have been declining. Light tax and death duties make Guernsey a popular tax haven. The evolving economic integration of the EU nations is changing the rules of the game under which Guernsey operates.

Industries: tourism, banking

Currency: 1 Guernsey pound = 100 pence

Railways: 0 km

Highways: total: NA km paved: NA km unpaved: NA km

Ports and Harbors: Saint Peter Port, Saint Sampson

Airports: 2 (1999 est.) Airports - with paved runways: total: 2 914 to 1,523 m: 1 under 914 m: 1 (1999 est.)

Visa: The same as the UK

Duty Free: goods permitted: 200 cigarettes or 100 cigarillos or 50 cigars or 250g of tobacco, 2 litres of still table wine, 1 litre of alcoholic beverages over 225 proof or 2 litres of fortified wine/sparkling wine/liquers, other goods to a value of GBP £145 (or € Euro equivalent).

Health: no specific health requirements.

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