

## GREAT BRITAIN JERSEY

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**Capital: St Helier Time GMT**

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

**Location:** Western Europe, island in the English Channel, northwest of France

**Map References:** Europe

**Area:** total: 116 sq km land: 116 sq km water: 0 sq km

**Climate:** temperate; mild winters and cool summers

**Terrain:** gently rolling plain with low, rugged hills along north coast

**Natural Resources:** arable land

**Population:** 88,915 (July 2000 est.)

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

**Ethnic Groups:** UK and Norman-French descent

**Religions:** Anglican, Roman Catholic, Baptist, Congregational New Church, Methodist, Presbyterian

**Languages:** English (official), French (official), Norman-French dialect spoken in country districts

**Economy:** The economy is based largely on international financial services, agriculture, and tourism. Potatoes, cauliflower, tomatoes, and especially flowers are important export crops, shipped mostly to the UK. The Jersey breed of dairy cattle is known worldwide and represents an important export income earner. Milk products go to the UK and other EU countries. In 1996 the finance sector accounted for about 60% of the island's output. Tourism, another mainstay of the economy, accounts for 24% of GDP. In recent years, the government has encouraged light industry to locate in Jersey, with the result that an electronics industry has developed alongside the traditional manufacturing of knitwear. All raw material and energy requirements are imported, as well as a large share of Jersey's food needs. Light taxes and death duties make the island a popular tax haven.

Industries: tourism, banking and finance, dairy

**Currency:** 1 Jersey pound = 100 pence

**Railways:** 0 km

**Highways:** total: 577 km (1995) paved: NA km unpaved: NA km

**Ports and Harbors:** Gorey, Saint Aubin, Saint Helier

**Airports:** 1 (1999 est.) Airports - with paved runways: total: 1 1,524 to 2,437 m: 1 (1999 est.)

**Visa:** same as UK (please see UK section)

**Duty Free:** goods permitted: 200 cigarettes or 50 cigars or 100 cigarillos or 250g of tobacco, 2 litres of still wine 1 litre of spirits or 2 litres of alcoholic beverages or 2 litres of sparkling or fortified wine, 50g of perfume and 250ml eau de toilette. Goods to the value of £145

**Health:** no specific health precautions

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