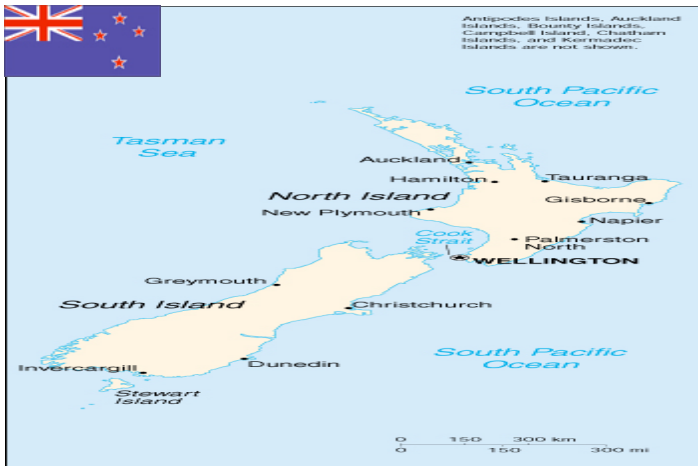


NEW ZEALAND

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Capital: Wellington **Time:** GMT + 12

Background: The British colony of New Zealand became an independent dominion in 1907 and supported the UK militarily in both World Wars. New Zealand withdrew from a number of defense alliances during the 1970s and 1980s. In recent years the government has sought to address longstanding native Maori grievances.

Location: Oceania, islands in the South Pacific Ocean, southeast of Australia

Map References: Oceania

Area: total: 268,680 sq km land: 268,670 sq km water: 10 sq km

Climate: temperate with sharp regional contrasts

Terrain: predominately mountainous with some large coastal plains

Natural Resources: natural gas, iron ore, sand, coal, timber, hydropower, gold, limestone

Population: 3,819,762 (July 2000 est.)

Nationality: noun: New Zealander(s) adjective: New Zealand

Ethnic Groups: New Zealand European 74.5%, Maori 9.7%, other European 4.6%, Pacific Islander 3.8%, Asian and others 7.4%

Religions: Anglican 24%, Presbyterian 18%, Roman Catholic 15%, Methodist 5%, Baptist 2%, other Protestant 3%, unspecified or none 33% (1986)

Languages: English (official), Maori

Economy: Since 1984 the government has accomplished major economic restructuring, moving an agrarian economy dependent on concessionary British market access toward a more industrialized, free market economy that can compete globally. This dynamic growth has boosted real incomes, broadened and deepened the technological capabilities of the industrial sector, and contained inflationary pressures. Inflation remains among the lowest in the industrial world. Per capita GDP has been moving up toward the levels of the big West European economies. New Zealand's heavy dependence on trade leaves its growth prospects vulnerable to economic performance in Asia, Europe, and the US. Moderate growth probably will characterize 2000.

Industries: food processing, wood and paper products, textiles, machinery, transportation equipment, banking and insurance, tourism, mining

Currency: 1 New Zealand dollar (NZ\$) = 100 cents

Railways: total: 3,913 km narrow gauge: 3,913 km 1.067-m gauge (519 km electrified) (1999)

Highways: total: 92,200 km paved: 53,568 km (including at least 144 km of expressways) unpaved: 38,632 km (1996 est.)

Waterways: 1,609 km; of little importance to transportation

Ports and Harbors: Auckland, Christchurch, Dunedin, Tauranga, Wellington

Airports: 111 (1999 est.) Airports - with paved runways: total: 44 over 3,047 m: 2 2,438 to 3,047 m: 1 1,524 to 2,437 m: 10 914 to 1,523 m: 28 under 914 m: 3 (1999 est.) Airports - with unpaved runways: total: 67 1,524 to 2,437 m: 1 914 to 1,523 m: 23 under 914 m: 43 (1999 est.)

Visa: not required from citizens of the EU, USA, Canada, Japan, and Australia

Duty Free: goods permitted: 200 cigarettes or 50 cigars or 250g tobacco, 4.5 litres of wine or beer, 1.125 litres of spirits, goods to a total value of NZ\$700

Health: no specific health precautions

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