

## SAINT LUCIA

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**Capital:** Castries **Time:** GMT - 4

**Background:** The island, with its fine natural harbor at Castries, was contested between England and France throughout the 17th and early 18th centuries (changing possession 14 times); it was finally ceded to the UK in 1814. Self government was granted in 1967 and independence in 1979.

**Location:** Caribbean, island between the Caribbean Sea and North Atlantic Ocean, north of Trinidad and Tobago

**Map References:** Central America and the Caribbean

**Area:** total: 620 sq km, land: 610 sq km, water: 10 sq km

**Climate:** tropical, moderated by northeast trade winds; dry season from January to April, rainy season from May to August

**Terrain:** volcanic and mountainous with some broad, fertile valleys

**Natural Resources:** forests, sandy beaches, minerals (pumice), mineral springs, geothermal potential

**Population:** 156,260 (July 2000 est.)

**Nationality:** noun: Saint Lucian(s), adjective: Saint Lucian

**Ethnic Groups:** black 90%, mixed 6%, East Indian 3%, white 1%

**Religions:** Roman Catholic 90%, Protestant 7%, Anglican 3%

**Languages:** English (official), French patois

**Economy:** The recent changes in the EU import preference regime and the increased competition from Latin American bananas have made economic diversification increasingly important in Saint Lucia. Improvement in the construction sector and growth of the tourism industry helped expand GDP in 1998-99. The agriculture sector registered its fifth year of decline in 1997 primarily because of a severe decline in banana production. The manufacturing sector is the most diverse in the Eastern Caribbean, and the government is beginning to develop regulations for the small offshore financial sector.

**Industries:** clothing, assembly of electronic components, beverages, corrugated cardboard boxes, tourism, lime processing, coconut processing

**Currency:** 1 East Caribbean dollar (EC\$) = 100 cents

**Railways:** 0 km

**Highways:** total: 1,210 km, paved: 63 km, unpaved: 1,147 km (1996 est.)

**Ports and Harbors:** Castries, Vieux Fort

**Airports:** 2 (1999 est.), Airports - with paved runways: total: 2, 2,438 to 3,047 m: 1, 1,524 to 2,437 m: 1 (1999 est.)

**Visa:** required by all except the following countries of: British, Australian, Canadian, USA other EU and Japanese.

**Duty Free:** 200 cigarettes or 250g tobacco products; 1 litre of alcoholic beverage.

**Health:** a yellow fever vaccination certificate is required from travellers over one year of age arriving from infected areas. Mains water is chlorinated, and whilst relatively safe may cause mild abdominal upsets.

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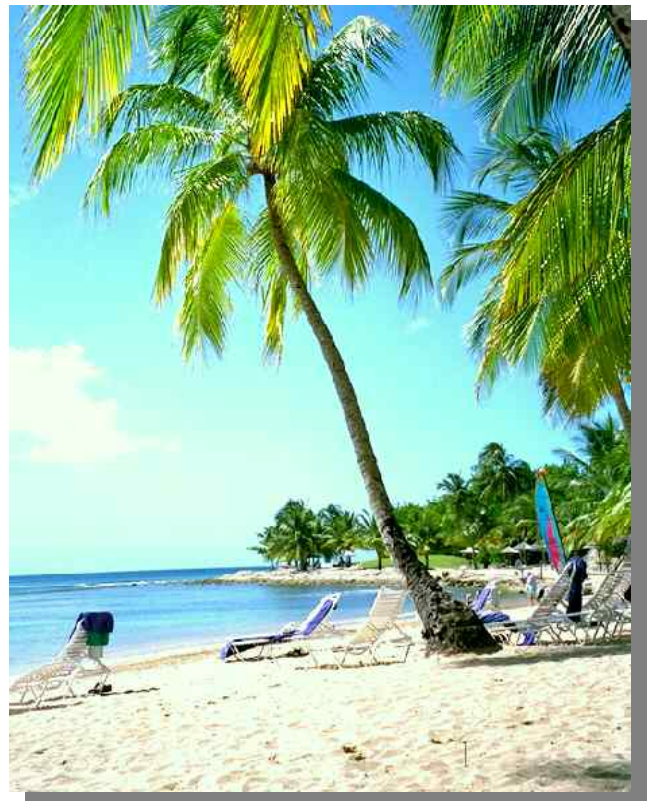
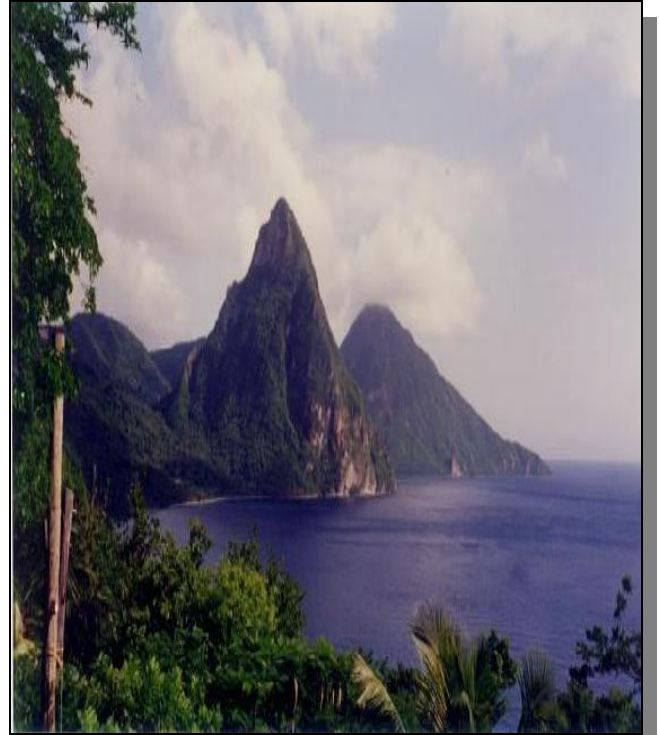
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