

COUNTRY PROFILE

INDONESIA



Location: Southeastern Asia, archipelago between the Indian Ocean and the Pacific Ocean

Capital: Jakarta

Government type: Presidential Republic

Area:

Total: 1,904,569 sq km

Land: 1,811,569 sq km

Water: 93,000 sq km

Population: 258,316,051 (July 2016 est.)

Population Density: (per sq KM) 142 (2015)

Population Growth Rate: 0.89% (2016 est.)

Population below Poverty Line: 11.3% (2014 est.)

Ethnic Groups: Javanese 40.1%, Sundanese 15.5%, Malay 3.7%, Batak 3.6%, Madurese 3%, Betawi 2.9%, Minangkabau 2.7%, Buginese 2.7%, Bantenese 2%, Banjarese 1.7%, Balinese 1.7%, Acehese 1.4%, Dayak 1.4%, Sasak 1.3%, Chinese 1.2%, other 15% (2010 est.)

Climate: Tropical; hot, humid; more moderate in highlands

Natural Resources: petroleum, tin, natural gas, nickel, timber, bauxite, copper, fertile soils, coal, gold, silver

Languages: Bahasa Indonesia (official), English, Dutch, local dialects

Religions: Muslim 87.2%, Christian 7%, Roman Catholic 2.9%, Hindu 1.7%, other 0.9%, unspecified 0.4% (2010 est.)

Land Use:

Agricultural Land: 31.2% (arable land 13%; permanent crops 12.1%; permanent pasture 6.1%)

Forest: 51.7%

Other: 17.1% (2011 est.)

Natural Hazards: Occasional floods; severe droughts; tsunamis; earthquakes; volcanoes; forest fires

Literacy: 93.9%

GDP - Real Growth Rate: 4.9% (2016 est.)

GDP - Per Capita (PPP): \$11,700 (2016 est.)

Exports: \$136.7 billion (2016 est.)

Export Commodities: mineral fuels, animal or vegetable fats (includes palm oil), electrical machinery, rubber, machinery and mechanical appliance parts

Improved Drinking Water Source: 87.4% of population

Improved Sanitation Facility Access: 60.8% of population