**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%, Acehnese 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