

PETS

Travelling with a dog, cat or ferret is easy with an EU pet passport, available from any vet. All dogs, cats and ferrets must have a passport and, for identification purposes, be fitted with an electronic microchip or have a clearly readable tattoo applied before July 2011. They must be vaccinated against rabies and the details entered into their pet passport. The vaccination must be carried out after the microchipping or tattooing.

Dogs must be given specific tapeworm treatment by a vet before travelling to Finland, Ireland, Malta and the UK. Details of the treatment must appear in the pet passport and the dog can then travel between 1 and 5 days after treatment.

If you want to travel with other pets not covered by the EU pet passport, such as rabbits, birds or rodents, check with your vet. If you want to travel with your pet outside the EU, make sure that the conditions to return are met before you leave.

https://ec.europa.eu/food/animals/pet-movement/ms-websites_en

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

Single European emergency number: 112

To contact the emergency services in any EU country from any phone, fixed or mobile, dial 112, free of charge.

Report any theft to the local police. You will need to enclose the police report when making your insurance or compensation claim. If your passport or ID card has been stolen, report it to your country's consulate or embassy as well as to the police.

And remember, if you are an EU national travelling outside the EU, if you need help you can get it from the consulate or embassy of any other EU country if yours is not represented.

GETTING IN TOUCH WITH THE EU

IN PERSON

All over Europe there are hundreds of local EU information centres. You can find the address of the centre nearest you at: https://europa.eu/european-union/contact_en

ON THE PHONE OR BY EMAIL

Europe Direct is a service that answers your questions about the European Union. You can contact this service: — by freephone: 00 800 6 7 8 9 10 11 (certain operators may charge for these calls), — at the following standard number: +32 22999696 or — by email via: https://europa.eu/european-union/contact_en

FINDING INFORMATION ABOUT THE EU

ONLINE

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EU PUBLICATIONS

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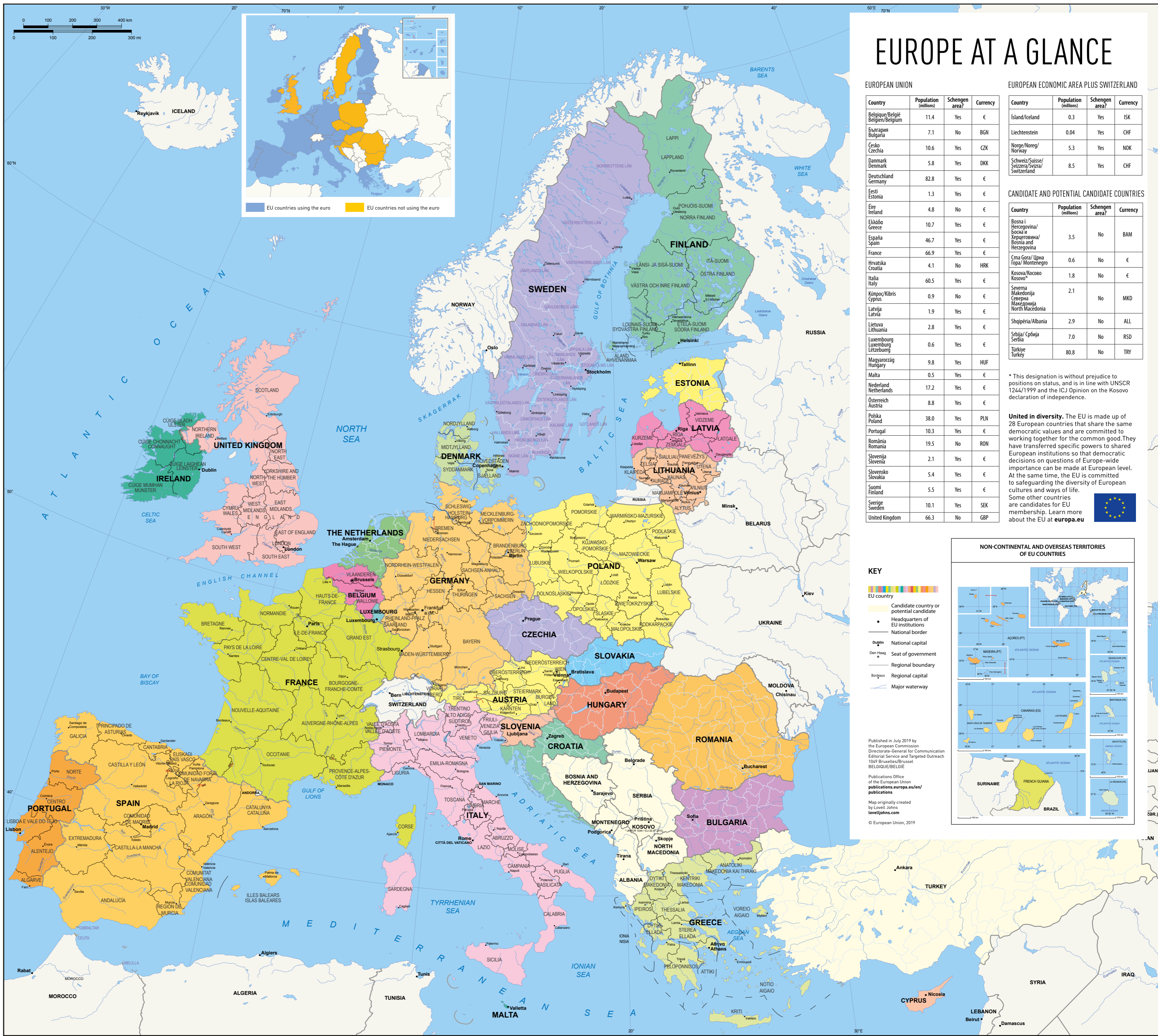
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EUROPE AT A GLANCE

EUROPEAN UNION

Country	Population (millions)	Schengen area?	Currency
Belgique/België/Belgium	11.4	Yes	€
България/Bulgaria	7.1	No	BGN
Česko/Czechia	10.6	Yes	CZK
Danmark/Denmark	5.8	Yes	DKK
Deutschland/Germany	82.8	Yes	€
Eesti/Estonia	1.3	Yes	€
Éire/Ireland	4.8	No	€
Ελλάδα/Greece	10.7	Yes	€
España/Spain	46.7	Yes	€
France	66.9	Yes	€
Hrvatska/Croatia	4.1	No	HRK
Italia/Italy	60.5	Yes	€
Κύπρος/Cyprus	0.9	No	€
Latvija/Latvia	1.9	Yes	€
Lietuva/Lithuania	2.8	Yes	€
Luxembourg/Lëtzebuerg	0.6	Yes	€
Magyarország/Hungary	9.8	Yes	HUF
Malta	0.5	Yes	€
Nederland/Netherlands	17.2	Yes	€
Österreich/Austria	8.8	Yes	€
Polska/Poland	38.0	Yes	PLN
Portugal	10.3	Yes	€
România/Romania	19.5	No	RON
Slovenija/Slovenia	2.1	Yes	€
Slovensko/Slovakia	5.4	Yes	€
Suomi/Finland	5.5	Yes	€
Sverige/Sweden	10.1	Yes	SEK
United Kingdom	66.3	No	GBP

EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA PLUS SWITZERLAND

Country	Population (millions)	Schengen area?	Currency
Ísland/Iceland	0.3	Yes	ISK
Liechtenstein	0.04	Yes	CHF
Norge/Noreg/Norway	5.3	Yes	NOK
Schweiz/Suisse/Switzerland/Svizzera/Svizzera/Switzerland	8.5	Yes	CHF

CANDIDATE AND POTENTIAL CANDIDATE COUNTRIES

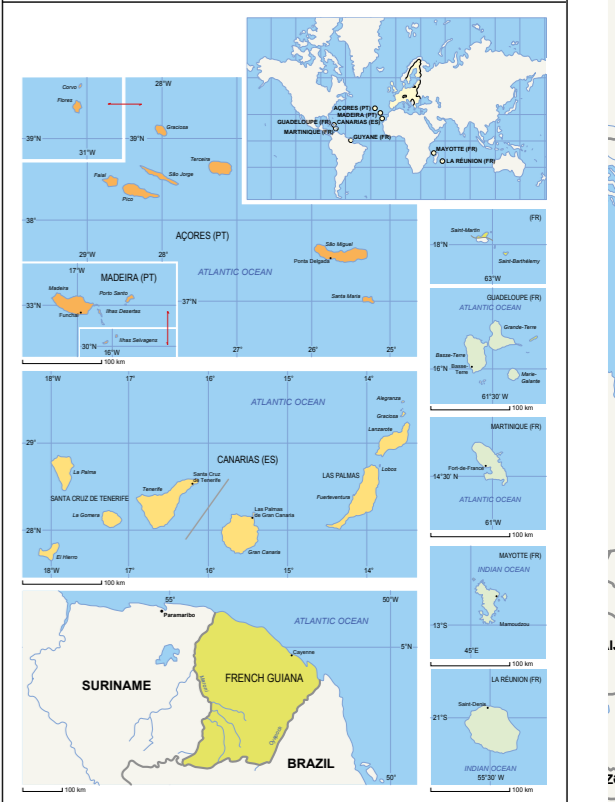
Country	Population (millions)	Schengen area?	Currency
Bosna i Hercegovina/Bosnia and Herzegovina	3.5	No	BAM
Črna Gora/Ljina/Iopra/Montenegro	0.6	No	€
Kosovo/Kosovo	1.8	No	€
Severna Makedonija/Czechia/Macedonia/North Macedonia	2.1	No	MKD
Shqipëria/Albania	2.9	No	ALL
Srbija/Crpoja/Serbia	7.0	No	RSD
Türkiye/Turkey	80.8	No	TRY

* This designation is without prejudice to positions on status, and is in line with UNSCR 1244/1999 and the ICJ Opinion on the Kosovo declaration of independence.

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NON-CONTINENTAL AND OVERSEAS TERRITORIES OF EU COUNTRIES



KEY

- EU country
- Candidate country or potential candidate
- Headquarters of EU institutions
- National border
- National capital
- Seat of government
- Regional boundary
- Regional capital
- Major waterway

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