# LIECHTENSTEIN









#### **GOVERNMENT**

#### **Chief of State**

Prince HANS-ADAM II

#### **Head of Government**

Prime Minister Adrian HASLER

#### **Government Type**

constitutional monarchy

#### Capital

Vaduz

## Legislature

unicameral Parliament or Landtag (25 seats)

#### **Judiciary**

Supreme Court or Oberster Gerichtshof (consists of 5 judges); Constitutional Court or

Verfassungsgericht (consists of 5 judges and 5 alternates)

# **Ambassador to US**

Ambassador Kurt JAEGER

#### **US Ambassador**

US does not have an embassy in Liechtenstein; the US Ambassador to Switzerland is accredited to Liechtenstein

#### **GEOGRAPHY**

#### Area

Total: 160 sq km Land: 160 sq km Water: 0 sq km

#### Climate

continental; cold, cloudy winters with frequent snow or rain; cool to moderately warm, cloudy, humid summers

# Natural Resources

hydroelectric potential, arable land

#### **ECONOMY**

#### **Economic Overview**

despite its small size and lack of natural resources, it has developed into a prosperous, highly industrialized, free-enterprise economy with a vital financial services sector and one of the highest per capita income levels in the world

# **GDP** (Purchasing Power Parity)

\$4.98 billion (2014 est.)

# **GDP** per capita (Purchasing Power Parity)

\$139,100 (2009 est.)

# **Exports**

\$3.2 billion (2015 est.)

partners: N/A

# **Imports**

\$2.23 billion (2014 est.)

partners: N/A

# **PEOPLE & SOCIETY**

### **Population**

38,550 (July 2018 est.)

#### **Population Growth**

0.78% (2018 est.)

#### **Ethnicity**

Liechtensteiner 66%, Swiss 9.6%, Austrian

5.8%, German 4.3%,

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Italian 3.1%, other 11.2% (2017 est.)

#### Language

German 91.5% (official) (Alemannic is the main dialect), Italian 1.5%, Turkish 1.3%, Portuguese 1.1%, other 4.6% (2015 est.)

# Religion

Roman Catholic (official) 73.4%, Protestant Reformed 6.3%, Muslim 5.9%, Christian Orthodox 1.3%, Lutheran 1.2%, other Protestant .7%, other Christian .3%, other .8%, none 7%, unspecified 3.3% (2015 est.)

#### Urbanization

urban population: 14.4% of total population (2019)

rate of urbanization: 0.81% annual rate of change (2015-20 est.)