



# The United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland





*The UK lies off the north-western coast of the European mainland. The country includes the island of Great Britain, the north-eastern part of the island of Ireland, and many smaller islands*





- 243,610 square kilometres
- 78th-largest sovereign state in the world
- 11th-largest in Europe



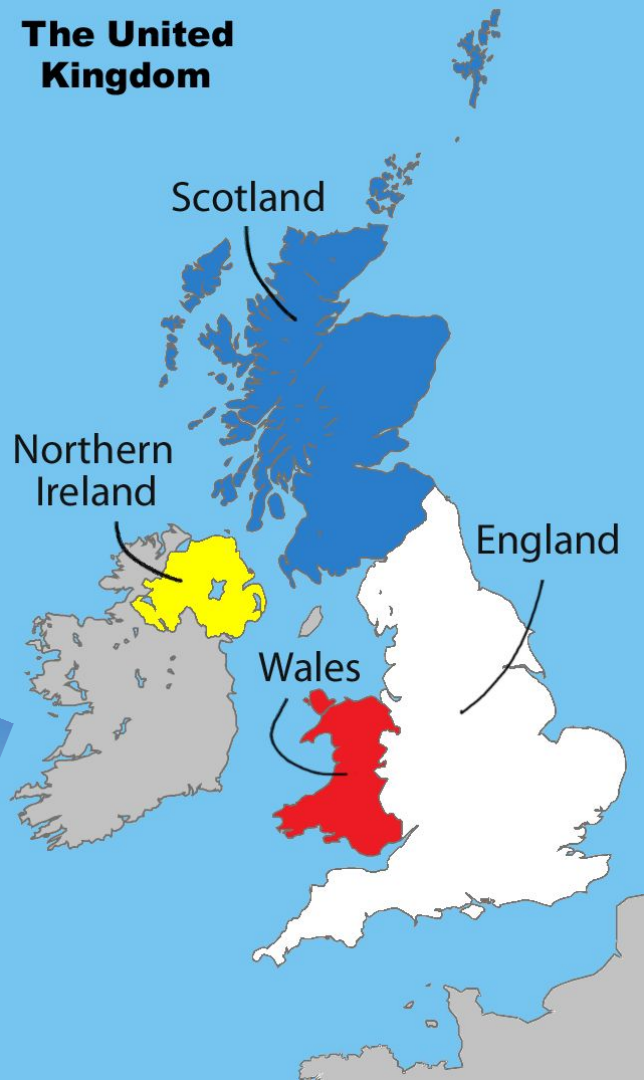


- The United Kingdom is the 22nd-most populous country
- 61.8 million people





The UK consists of four countries







## The capital of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland is London

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# Birmingham

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# Glasgow





# Liverpool

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# Manchester and Leeds

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# Edinburgh and Sheffield

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# Belfast and Newcastle

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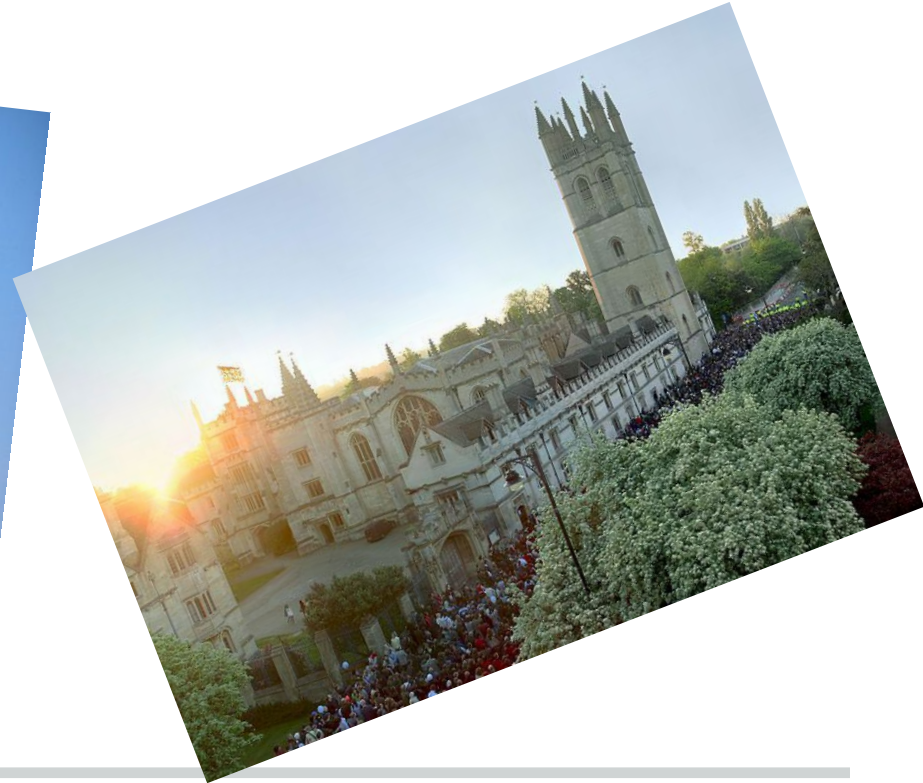






# Cardiff and Oxford

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Ben Nevis (1,343 m)



Lough Neagh (382 square km)



Severn ( 354 km)





