

# Marshall Islands

## Country Infrastructure Profile

Country Facts		Key Statistics	
<b>Official name of country</b>	Republic of the Marshall Islands	<b>Land area (km<sup>2</sup>)</b>	181 <sup>1</sup>
<b>Capital</b>	Majuro	<b>Exclusive economic zone (km<sup>2</sup>)</b>	1 990 530 <sup>1</sup>
<b>Government and legal status</b>	Constitutional government in free association with the United States of America	<b>Population (2018 estimate)</b>	55 500 <sup>#</sup>
<b>Head of state</b>	President David Kabua	<b>Population density (persons/km) (2019)</b>	310 <sup>*</sup>
<b>Head of government</b>	President David Kabua	<b>Population growth (% annual change) (2014-2019)</b>	0.4%
<b>Official languages</b>	English, Marshallese	<b>Urban population (% of total population) (2019)</b>	77% <sup>#</sup>
<b>Official currency</b>	United States Dollar	<b>GDP (USD million) (2019)</b>	200 <sup>*</sup>
<b>Memberships</b>	1983 – Pacific Community (SPC) 1986– Independence 1987– Pacific Forum Secretariat (PIF) 1988 – International Civil Aviation Organisation (ICAO) 1991 – United Nations 1998 – International Maritime Organisation (IMO) 2013 – PRIF	<b>GNI per capita (USD) (2018)</b>	4 860 <sup>*</sup>
		<b>Proportion of population living below the national poverty line (2018)</b>	--
		<b>Overseas development assistance to infrastructure (USD million) (2018)</b>	132.8 <sup>*</sup>

**Source:** <sup>1</sup> SPC members details <https://www.spc.int/our-members/marshall-islands/details> (accessed 17 July 2020); <sup>\*</sup> Asian Development Bank, Basic 2020 Statistics, <https://www.adb.org/mobile/basic-statistics-2020/> (accessed 17 July 2020); <sup>#</sup> World Bank, data, <http://www.data.worldbank.org/indicator> (accessed 17 July 2020)






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# Map of Marshall Islands



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### Key Development Policies

-	Republic of the Marshall Islands National Strategic Plan 2020-2030	2020
-	The Republic of the Marshall Islands 2 <sup>nd</sup> Nationally Determined Contribution 2018	2018
-	The Republic of the Marshall Islands National Environment Management Strategy (NEMS) 2017-2022	2017
-	Republic of the Marshall Islands National Energy Policy and Energy Action Plan 2016	2016
-	Republic of the Marshall Islands National Water and Sanitation Policy	2014