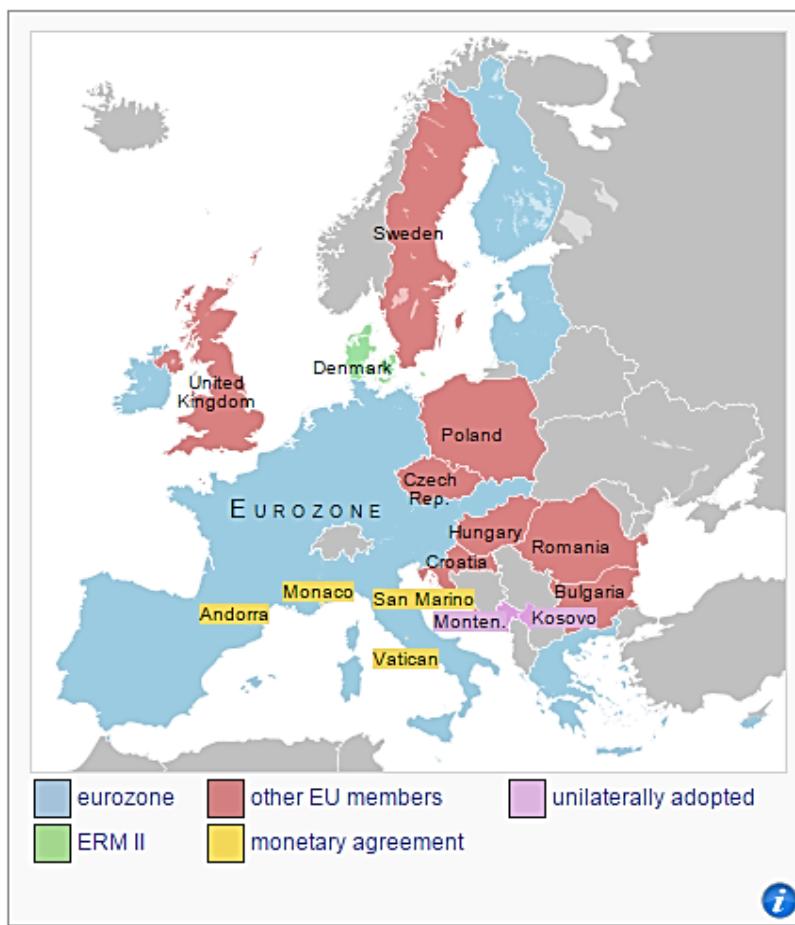


Eurozone Map and Euro Currency

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Eurozone Map and the Status of the Surrounding Countries and Territories

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Member States of the European Union

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The **Euro** (sign: € code: EUR) is the official currency of the **eurozone**, which consists of 19 of the 28 [member states of the European Union](#):

[Austria](#), [Belgium](#), [Cyprus](#), [Estonia](#), [Finland](#), [France](#), [Germany](#), [Greece](#), [Ireland](#), [Italy](#), [Latvia](#), [Lithuania](#), [Luxembourg](#), [Malta](#), the [Netherlands](#), [Portugal](#), [Slovakia](#), [Slovenia](#), and [Spain](#).^{[3][4]}

The currency is also officially used by the [institutions of the European Union](#) and [four other European countries](#), as well as unilaterally by two others, and is consequently used daily by some 337 million [Europeans](#) as of 2015.^[5] Outside of Europe, a number of [overseas territories of EU members](#) also use the euro as their currency.

Additionally, 210 million people worldwide as of 2013—including 182 million people in Africa—use currencies [pegged](#) to the euro. The euro is the second largest [reserve currency](#) as well as the second most traded currency in the world after the [United States dollar](#).^{[6][7][8]} As of August 2014, with more than €95 billion in circulation, the euro has the highest combined value of banknotes and coins in [circulation](#) in the world, having surpassed the [U.S. dollar](#).^[note 17] Based on [International Monetary Fund](#) estimates of 2008 [GDP](#) and [purchasing power parity](#) among the various currencies, the eurozone is the second largest economy in the world.^[9]

28 Member States of the European Union – List and Date Joined

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/European_Union_member_states#List

	Arms	Flag	Capital	Accession	Population	Area (km²)	GDP per cap. (PPP) ^[4]	Currency	Gini	HDI	Council votes	EP seats	Languages	Territories
Austria			Vienna	1995	8,511,000 ^[5]	83,855	42,409 ^[6]	euro	29.1 ^[7]	0.895 ^[8]	10	19	German	–
Belgium			Brussels	Founder	11,203,992 ^[5]	30,528	37,883 ^[6]	euro	33.0 ^[7]	0.897 ^[8]	12	21	Dutch French German	–
Bulgaria			Sofia	2007	7,245,877 ^[5]	110,994	14,312 ^[6]	lev	29.2 ^[7]	0.782 ^[8]	10	18	Bulgarian	–
Croatia			Zagreb	2013	4,246,809 ^[5]	56,594	18,314 ^[6]	kuna	20 ^[7]	0.805 ^[8]	7	12	Croatian	–
Cyprus			Nicosia	2004	858,000 ^[5]	9,251	27,086 ^[6]	euro	31.2 ^[7]	0.848 ^[8]	4	6	Greek Turkish ^[9]	2 excluded [show]
Czech Republic			Prague	2004	10,398,897 ^[5]	78,888	27,191 ^[6]	koruna	25.8 ^[7]	0.873 ^[8]	12	22	Czech ^[10]	–
Denmark			Copenhagen	1973	5,821,807 ^[5]	43,075	37,657 ^[6]	krone	24.7 ^[7]	0.901 ^[8]	7	13	Danish	2 excluded [show]
Estonia			Tallinn	2004	1,315,819 ^[5]	45,227	21,713 ^[6]	euro	36.0 ^[7]	0.846 ^[8]	4	6	Estonian	–
Finland			Helsinki	1995	5,451,270 ^[5]	338,424	36,305 ^[6]	euro	26.0 ^[7]	0.892 ^[8]	7	13	Finnish Swedish	1 [show]
France			Paris	Founder ^[11]	66,076,909 ^[5]	674,843	35,548 ^[6]	euro	32.7 ^[7]	0.893 ^[8]	29	74	French	6 + 7 excluded [show]
Germany			Berlin	Founder ^[11]	80,704,891 ^[5]	357,021	39,028 ^[6]	euro	28.3 ^[7]	0.920 ^[8]	29	89	German	–
Greece			Athens	1981	10,992,783 ^[5]	131,990	24,505 ^[6]	euro	34.3 ^[7]	0.860 ^[8]	12	22	Greek	–
Hungary			Budapest	2004	9,877,365 ^[5]	93,030	19,638 ^[6]	forint	30.0 ^[7]	0.831 ^[8]	12	22	Hungarian	–
Ireland			Dublin	1973	4,804,029 ^[5]	70,273	41,921 ^[6]	euro	34.3 ^[7]	0.916 ^[8]	7	12	Irish English	–
Italy			Rome	Founder	61,152,798 ^[5]	301,338	30,136 ^[6]	euro	36.0 ^[7]	0.881 ^[8]	29	73	Italian	–
Latvia			Riga	2004	2,001,468 ^[5]	64,589	18,255 ^[6]	euro	35.7 ^[7]	0.814 ^[8]	4	9	Latvian	–
Lithuania			Vilnius	2004	2,943,472 ^[5]	65,200	21,615 ^[6]	euro	35.8 ^[7]	0.818 ^[8]	7	12	Lithuanian	–
Luxembourg			Luxembourg	Founder	549,680 ^[5]	2,588.4	79,785 ^[6]	euro	30.8 ^[7]	0.875 ^[8]	4	6	French German Luxembourgish ^[12]	–
Malta			Valletta	2004	425,384 ^[5]	318	27,022 ^[6]	euro	25.8 ^[7]	0.847 ^[8]	3	6	Maltese English	–
Netherlands			Amsterdam	Founder	17,082,000 ^[5]	41,543	42,194 ^[6]	euro	30.9 ^[7]	0.821 ^[8]	13	28	Dutch	6 excluded [show]
Poland			Warsaw	2004	38,018,000 ^[5]	312,885	20,502 ^[6]	zloty	34.3 ^[7]	0.821 ^[8]	27	51	Polish	–
Portugal			Lisbon	1986	10,427,301 ^[5]	92,390	23,385 ^[6]	euro	38.5 ^[7]	0.816 ^[8]	12	22	Portuguese	2 [show]
Romania			Bucharest	2007	19,942,842 ^[5]	238,391	12,808 ^[6]	leu	31.5 ^[7]	0.798 ^[8]	14	33	Romanian	–
Slovakia			Bratislava	2004	5,400,598 ^[5]	49,035	24,249 ^[6]	euro	25.8 ^[7]	0.840 ^[8]	7	13	Slovak	–
Slovenia			Ljubljana	2004	2,081,085 ^[5]	20,273	28,195 ^[6]	euro	31.2 ^[7]	0.892 ^[8]	4	8	Slovene	–
Spain			Madrid	1986	46,507,760 ^[5]	504,030	30,557 ^[6]	euro	32.0 ^[7]	0.885 ^[8]	27	54	Spanish ^[13]	4 [show]
Sweden			Stockholm	1995	9,844,884 ^[5]	449,964	41,191 ^[6]	krona	25.0 ^[7]	0.916 ^[8]	10	20	Swedish	–
United Kingdom			London	1973	64,105,654 ^[5]	243,810	36,941 ^[6]	pound sterling	36.0 ^[7]	0.875 ^[8]	29	73	English	1 + 13 excluded [show]

Euro Banknotes as of 2014

евро ([Cyrillic](#)), ευρώ ([Greek](#))



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<u>ISO 4217 code</u>	EUR (num. 978)
<u>Central bank</u>	European Central Bank
Website	www.ecb.europa.eu
Official user(s)	EU □ Eurozone (19) [show] Monetary agreement (9) [show] Unilateral adoption (2) [show]
Unofficial user(s)	2 other users [show]
<u>Inflation</u>	0.3% (August 2014)
Source	January 2014 [1]
Method	HICP
<u>Pegged by</u>	10 currencies [show]
Subunit	
1/100	cent Actual usage varies depending on language
<u>Symbol</u>	€
Nickname	The single currency [2] local names [show]
<u>Plural</u>	See Euro linguistic issues
cent	See article
<u>Coins</u>	1c , 2c , 5c , 10c , 20c , 50c , €1 , €2
<u>Banknotes</u>	€5 , €10 , €20 , €50 , €100 , €200 , €500
<u>Printer</u>	Several [show]
Website	Several [show]
<u>Mint</u>	Several [show]