UNITED KINGDOM

Capital
London

Area (km\(^2\))
242,910

Total population (thousands, 2017)
66,059

Population density (per km\(^2\))
272

National currency
Pound sterling (GBP)

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Population by age, 2017

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Life expectancy at birth, 2017

- Females: 83.1 years
- Males: 79.5 years

Life expectancy at 65, 2017

- Females: 21.1 years
- Males: 18.8 years

Total fertility rate, 2017

Average number of children per woman: 1.7

Adolescent fertility rate, 2017

Number of live births per 1000 women aged 15-19: 12.6

Mean age of women at birth of first child, 2017

Age in years: 28.8

Women in the labour force, 2017

- Percentage of total for both sexes: 47%
- Gender pay gap:
  - Monthly earnings, 2017: 17%
  - Hourly wage, 2017: 21%
- Women in part-time employment, 2017:
  - Percentage of employed women: 41%
- Female tertiary students, 2016:
  - Percentage of total for both sexes: 57%
- Female victims of homicide, 2017:
  - Percentage of total for both sexes: 31%
- Women researchers, 2016:
  - Percentage of total for both sexes: 39%

Women and men in selected occupation groups, 2017

- Managers: 36% Women, 64% Men
- Professionals: 49% Women, 51% Men
- Clerical support workers: 67% Women, 33% Men
- Craft and related workers: 9% Women, 94% Men
- Plant and machine operators and assemblers: 12% Women, 88% Men

Women and men in public life

- Judges, 2018: 29% Women, 71% Men
- Members of parliament, 2018: 32% Women, 68% Men
- Government ministers, 2017: 26% Women, 74% Men

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**Real GDP growth rate**

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**Economic activity rate, 2017, %**

- Men: [Graph]
- Women: [Graph]

**GDP in agriculture, industry, services (2010 = 100)**

- Agriculture: [Graph]
- Industry (including construction): [Graph]
- Services: [Graph]

**Forest resources**

- Area of forest (percentage of land area, 2015): 13
- Wood volume (m³ per inhabitant, 2015): 10

**Transport infrastructure, road accidents and traffic**

- **Railways**
  - Total length in kilometres, 2017: 16,320
- **Motorways**
  - Total length in kilometres, 2017: 3,803
- **Persons injured in road accidents**
  - Per million inhabitants, 2017: 2,700
- **Persons killed in road accidents**
  - Per million inhabitants, 2018: 28
- **Traffic, railways**
  - Million passenger-kilometres, 2017: 68,912
  - Million tonne-kilometres, 2017: 17,167

**Persons killed in road accidents, per million inhabitants**

- 2013: 28
- 2014: 29
- 2015: 28
- 2016: 28
- 2017: 28
- 2018: 28

**Traffic, roads**

- Million passenger-kilometres, 2016: 706,769
- Million tonne-kilometres, 2017: 158,410

**GDP**

- Current prices, millions of US dollars, PPP, 2018: 3,113,020
- Per capita
  - Current prices, US dollars, PPP, 2018: 46,857

**Exports of goods and services**

- % of GDP, 2018: 30.6

**Imports of goods and services**

- % of GDP, 2018: 32.0

**Final consumption expenditure, per capita**


**Purchasing Power Parity (PPP)**

- GBP per USD, US=1, 2018: 0.689