UNITED KINGDOM

Capital
London

Area (km²)
242,910

Total population (thousands, 2018)
66,460

Population density (per km²)
274

National currency
Pound sterling (GBP)

National statistical office
www.ons.gov.uk
Office for National Statistics

Life expectancy at birth, 2018
- Females, years: 83.1
- Males, years: 79.5

Life expectancy at 65, 2018
- Females, years: 21.1
- Males, years: 18.9

Total fertility rate, 2020
- Average number of children per woman: 1.6

Adolescent fertility rate, 2018
- Number of live births per 1000 women aged 15-19: 11.9

Mean age of women at birth of first child, 2018
- Age in years: 29.0

Women and men in selected occupation groups, 2019
- Managers: 37% Women, 63% Men
- Professionals: 49% Women, 51% Men
- Clerical support workers: 70% Women, 30% Men
- Craft and related workers: 7% Women, 93% 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, 2022: 34% Women, 66% Men
- Government ministers, 2020: 20% Women, 80% Men

Gender pay gap
- Monthly earnings, 2019: 16%
- Hourly wage, 2018: 20%

Women in part-time employment, 2019
- Percentage of employed women: 41%

Female tertiary students, 2018
- Percentage of total for both sexes: 57%

Female victims of homicide, 2019
- Percentage of total for both sexes: 36%

Women researchers, 2018
- Percentage of total for both sexes: 39%

Employment (% change over previous year)
- 2016: 1.5
- 2017: 1.0
- 2018: 1.2
- 2019: 1.1
- 2020: -0.9
- 2021: -0.3

Unemployment rate (%)
- 2016: ...
- 2017: ...
- 2018: ...
- 2019: ...
- 2020: ...
- 2021: ...

Youth unemployment rate (%)
- 2016: 13.0
- 2017: 12.1
- 2018: 11.3
- 2019: 11.2
- 2020: ...
- 2021: ...

Internet use by age and sex, 2020
- % users over 3 months:
  - 16-24: Women 95%, Men 97%
  - 25-54: Women 98%, Men 99%
  - 55-74: Women 85%, Men 87%
### Real GDP growth rate

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### Economic activity rate, 2019, %

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

### Consumer price index

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### Forest resources

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

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

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

### Transport infrastructure, road accidents and traffic

- **Railways**
  - Total length in kilometres, 2021: 16 316

- **Motorways**
  - Total length in kilometres, 2018: 3 838

- Persons injured in road accidents per million inhabitants, 2021: 1 996

- Persons killed in road accidents per million inhabitants, 2021: 24

- **Traffic, railways**
  - Million passenger-kilometres, 2021: 30 841
  - Million tonne-kilometres, 2021: 16 701

### GDP

- Current prices, millions of US dollars, PPP, 2021: 3 276 914
- GDP, per capita
  - Current prices, US dollars, PPP, 2021: 48 890

### Exports of goods and services

- % of GDP, 2022: 32.7

### Imports of goods and services

- % of GDP, 2022: 36.2

### Final consumption expenditure, per capita

- Current prices, US dollars, PPP, 2021: 40 567

### Purchasing Power Parity (PPP)

- GBP per USD=1, 2021: 0.693

### Employment in major sectors, 2020

- Agriculture: 1% of GDP
- Industry (including construction): 82% of GDP
- Services: 79% of GDP

### Traffic, roads

- Million passenger-kilometres, 2016: 706 769
- Million tonne-kilometres, 2020: 145 520

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

- 2016: 28
- 2017: 28
- 2018: 28
- 2019: 27
- 2020: 23
- 2021: 24