

### COUNTRY FACTS

Country Name	Area (square kilometres)	Inhabitants (thousands 2011)	Capital City or Town
<b>UNITED KINGDOM</b>	<b>240 909</b>	<b>63 182</b>	<b>LONDON</b>
of which England	129 652	53 013	London
Wales	20 628	3 063	Cardiff
Scotland	77 097	5 295	Edinburgh
N. Ireland	13 532	1 811	Belfast
*Isle of Man	572	85	Douglas
*Jersey	116	98	St. Helier
*Guernsey	63	63	St. Peter Port
<b>IRELAND</b>	<b>68 896</b>	<b>4 588</b>	<b>DUBLIN</b>

\*Crown Dependencies which are not part of the U.K.

### WALES

- 15 SWANSEA
- 16 NEATH PORT TALBOT
- 17 BRIDGEND
- 18 RHONDDA CYNON TAFF
- 19 MERTHYR TYDFIL
- 20 CAERPHILLY
- 21 BLAENAU GWENT
- 22 TORFAEN
- 23 CARDIFF
- 24 NEWPORT
- ENGLAND**
- 25 HARTLEPOOL
- 26 DARLINGTON
- 27 STOCKTON-ON-TEES
- 28 MIDDLESBROUGH
- 29 REDCAR AND CLEVELAND
- 30 BLACKPOOL
- 31 BLACKBURN WITH DARWEN
- 32 HALTON
- 33 WARRINGTON
- 34 KINGSTON UPON HULL
- 35 NORTH EAST LINCOLNSHIRE
- 36 STOKE-ON-TRENT
- 37 TELFORD AND WREKIN
- 38 TERRY CITY
- 39 CITY OF NOTTINGHAM
- 40 LEICESTER CITY
- 41 RUTLAND
- 42 PETERBOROUGH
- 43 MILTON KEYNES
- 44 LUTON
- 45 NORTH SOMERSET
- 46 CITY OF BRISTOL
- 47 BATH AND N. E. SOMERSET
- 48 SWINDON
- 49 READING
- 50 WOKINGHAM
- 51 WINDSOR AND MAIDENHEAD
- 52 SLOUGH
- 53 BRACKNELL FOREST
- 54 THURROCK
- 55 SOUTHEND-ON-SEA
- 56 MEDWAY
- 57 PLYMOUTH
- 58 TORBAY
- 59 POOLE
- 60 BOURNEMOUTH
- 61 SOUTHAMPTON
- 62 PORTSMOUTH
- 63 BRIGHTON AND HOVE

The map shows the country borders of the United Kingdom and Ireland. Also indicated are the counties of Northern Ireland and the unitary authorities in Scotland, England and Wales.

Authorities which are too small to name on the map are numbered and listed separately.

#### SCOTLAND

1. ABERDEEN CITY
2. DUNDEE CITY
3. WEST DUNBARTONSHIRE
4. EAST DUNBARTONSHIRE
5. CITY OF GLASGOW
6. EAST RENFREWSHIRE
7. RENFREWSHIRE
8. INVERCLYDE
9. NORTH LANARKSHIRE
10. FALKIRK
11. CLACKMANNANSHIRE
12. WEST LOTHIAN
13. CITY OF EDINBURGH
14. MIDLOTHIAN

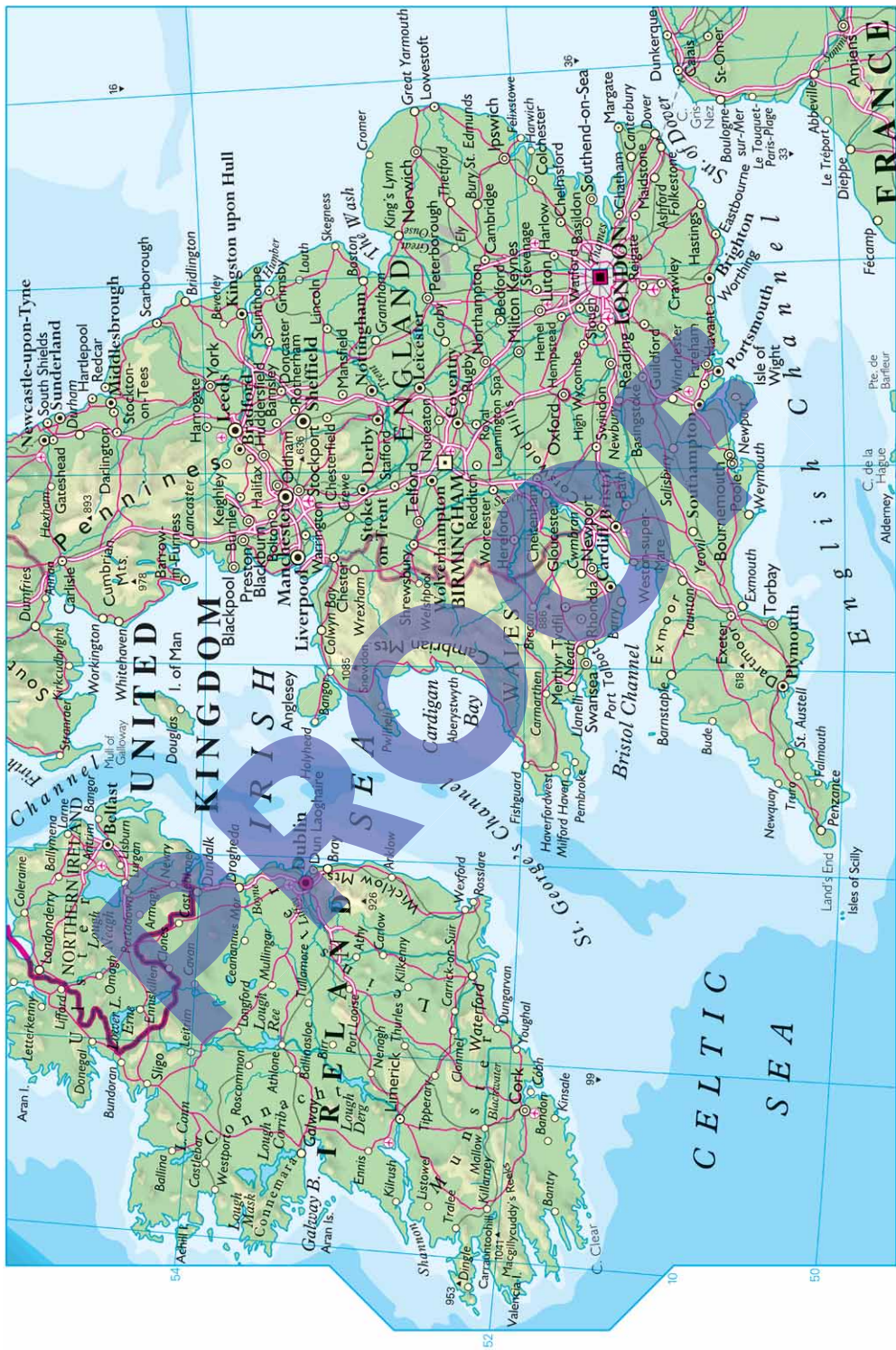
● Capital cities

The Channel Islands and the Isle of Man are dependencies of the Crown and have their own parliaments. They are not part of the United Kingdom.







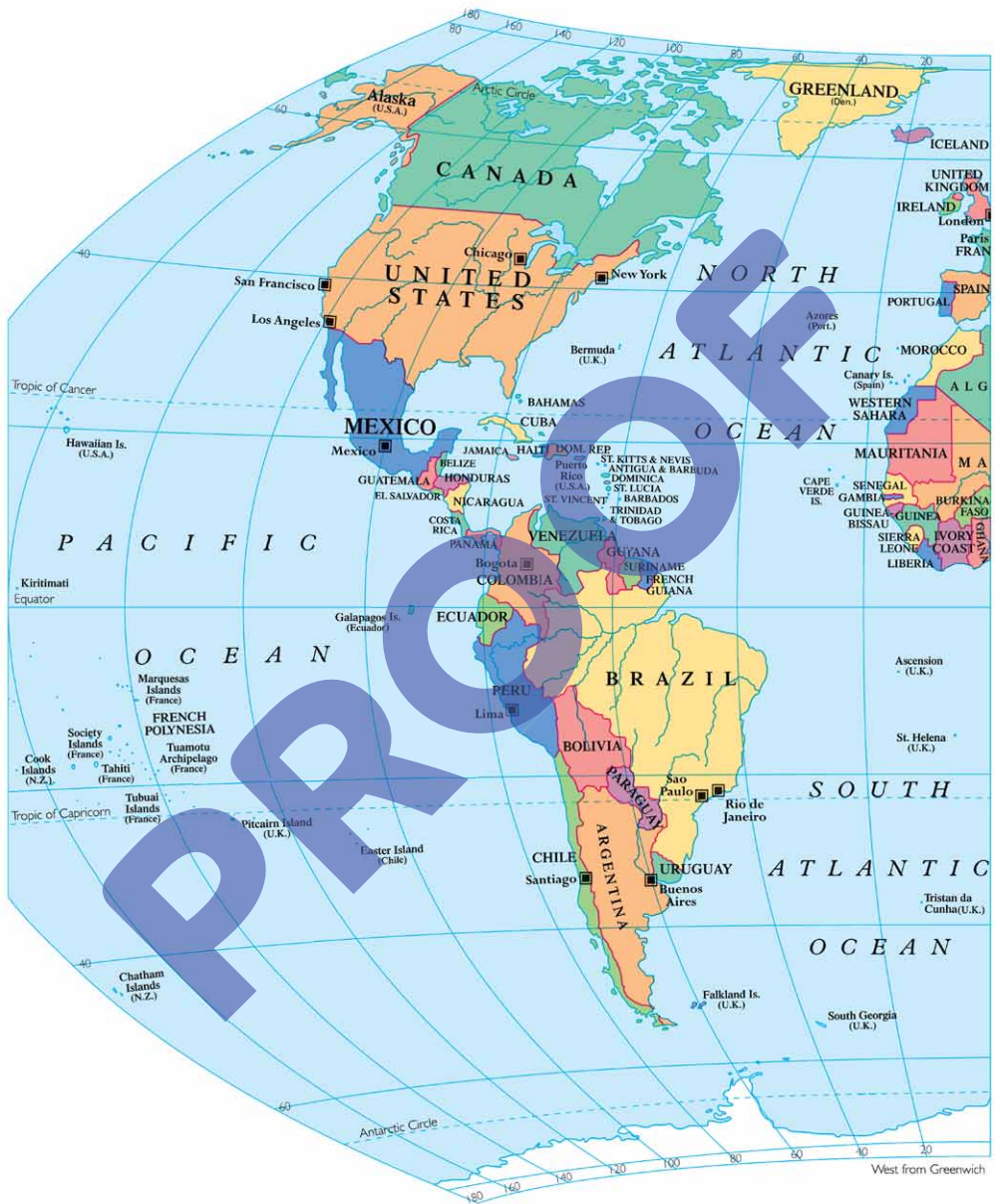




Projection: Bonne West from Greenwich 0 East from Greenwich 5 10 15 ■ LONDON Capital Cities







Projection: Hammer Equal Area





# World Information



## EARTH'S DIMENSIONS

<b>Mass</b>	5.974 x 10 <sup>21</sup> tonnes
<b>Volume</b>	1 083 207 x 10 <sup>6</sup> cu km / 259 911 x 10 <sup>6</sup> cu miles
<b>Total area</b>	509 450 000 sq km / 196 699 000 sq miles
<b>Land area</b>	149 450 000 sq km / 57 703 000 sq miles
<b>Water area</b>	360 000 000 sq km / 138 996 000 sq miles
<b>Water volume</b>	1389 500 x 10 <sup>3</sup> cu km / 333 405 x 10 <sup>3</sup> cu miles
<b>Equatorial diameter</b>	12 756 km / 7 927 miles
<b>Polar diameter</b>	12 714 km / 7 901 miles
<b>Equatorial circumference</b>	40 075 km / 24 903 miles
<b>Meridional circumference</b>	40 008 km / 24 861 miles

## HIGHEST MOUNTAINS

	metres	feet
<b>Mt Everest</b> , China/Nepal	8 848	29 028
<b>K2</b> , China/Pakistan	8 611	28 251
<b>Kangchenjunga</b> , India/Nepal	8 586	28 169
<b>Lhotse</b> , China/Nepal	8 516	27 939
<b>Makalu</b> , China/Nepal	8 463	27 765
<b>Cho Oyu</b> , China/Nepal	8 201	26 906
<b>Dhaulagiri</b> , Nepal	8 167	26 794
<b>Manaslu</b> , Nepal	8 163	26 781
<b>Nanga Parbat</b> , Pakistan	8 126	26 660
<b>Annapurna I</b> , Nepal	8 091	26 545

## LONGEST RIVERS

	km	miles
<b>Nile</b> , Africa	6 695	4 160
<b>Amazon</b> , South America	6 516	4 049
<b>Yangtze</b> , Asia	6 380	3 965
<b>Mississippi-Missouri</b> , North America	5 969	3 709
<b>Ob-Irtysh</b> , Asia	5 568	3 460
<b>Yenisey-Angara-Selenga</b> , Asia	5 550	3 449
<b>Yellow</b> , Asia	5 464	3 395
<b>Congo</b> , Africa	4 667	2 900
<b>Río de la Plata-Paraná</b> , South America	4 500	2 796
<b>Irtysh</b> , Asia	4 440	2 759

## LARGEST LAKES

	sq km	sq miles
<b>Caspian Sea</b> , Asia/Europe	371 000	143 243
<b>Lake Superior</b> , North America	82 100	31 699
<b>Lake Victoria</b> , Africa	68 870	26 591
<b>Lake Huron</b> , North America	59 600	23 012
<b>Lake Michigan</b> , North America	57 800	22 317
<b>Lake Tanganyika</b> , Africa	32 600	12 587
<b>Great Bear Lake</b> , North America	31 328	12 096
<b>Lake Baikal</b> , Asia	30 500	11 776
<b>Lake Nyasa</b> , Africa	29 500	11 390
<b>Great Slave Lake</b> , North America	28 568	11 030

## LARGEST ISLANDS

	sq km	sq miles
<b>Greenland</b> , North America	2 175 600	839 999
<b>New Guinea</b> , Oceania	808 510	312 166
<b>Borneo</b> , Asia	745 561	287 861
<b>Madagascar</b> , Africa	587 040	226 656
<b>Baffin Island</b> , North America	507 451	195 927
<b>Sumatra</b> , Asia	473 606	182 859
<b>Honshū</b> , Asia	227 414	87 805
<b>Great Britain</b> , Europe	218 476	84 354
<b>Victoria Island</b> , North America	217 291	83 896
<b>Ellesmere Island</b> , North America	196 236	75 767