



Malta

Country Official Name: Malta
Capital: Valetta

Geodata

Area: 320 km²

Population: 359 231 (92),
growth 0.8%

Natural Resources:
limestone, salt

Major Religions: 98% Roman Catholic

Major Language(s): Maltese and
English (official)



Political Data

Type of Government:
Parliamentary democracy

Leaders:
Head of State, President
Vincent Tabone

Head of Government, Prime Minister
Edward Fenech-Adami

Deputy Prime Minister
Dr. Guido De Marco
(also Minister for Foreign Affairs)

Democratic Institutions:
Unicameral house, multiparty

UN Human Development Index:
39/173 (high)

Economic Data

GDP (per capita):
US \$ 7000 (91), growth 5.5% (90)

Main Exports:
clothing, textiles, footwear, ships

Main Imports:
food, petroleum, new materials,
machinery

Export to Canada:
C \$ 2.4 million (92)

Import from Canada:
C \$ 2 million (92)

External Debt:
US \$ 612.2 million (91)

Main Donors:
none

Canadian ODA:
-0.025 (repayment) (FY 91-92) est.