

St. Lucia



Country Official Name: St. Lucia
Capital: Castries

Geodata

Area: 620 km²

Population: 151 774,
growth 1.7%

Natural Resources: forests,
pumice, mineral springs

Major Religions: 90% Roman Catholic,
7% Protestant, 3% Anglican

Major Language(s): English,
French patois



Political Data

Type of Government:
Parliamentary democracy

Leaders:
Prime Minister
John Compton

Foreign Affairs Minister
George Mallet

Democratic Institutions:
Bicameral parliament, multiparty

UN Human Development Index:
72/173 (medium)

Economic Data

GDP (per capita):
US \$ 1930 (90)

Main exports:
bananas, clothing, cocoa,
vegetables, fruits

Main imports:
manufactured goods, machinery
and transportation equipment,
food, live animals

Export to Canada:
C \$ 0.37 million (92)

Import from Canada:
C \$ 6.3 million (92)

External Debt:
US \$ 76.1 million (91)

Main Donors:
Canada, Finland

Canadian ODA:
C \$ 4.61 million (FY 91-92) est.