

# ST. VINCENT & THE GRENADINES

Capital: Kingstown

## GEODATA

**Area**  
340 km<sup>2</sup>

**Population**  
130,000 (1994)

**Population growth**  
1.1%

**Major languages**  
English (official), French patois

**Major religions**  
Anglican, Methodist, Roman Catholic,  
Seventh-Day Adventist

## POLITICAL DATA

**Type of Government**  
Constitutional monarchy (E II)

**Leader**  
Prime Minister James Mitchell

**Minister of Foreign Affairs and Tourism**  
Alpian Allen

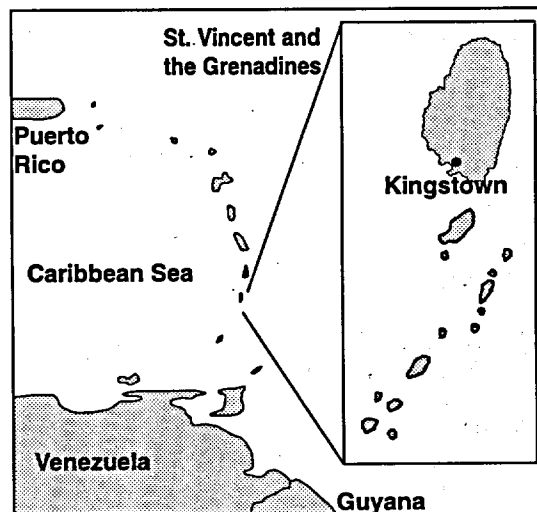
**Democratic Institutions**  
Unicameral house, multiparty

**UN Human Development Index**  
St. Vincent & the Grenadines ranks 79th among 174 countries

## CANADIAN REPRESENTATIVE

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## ECONOMIC DATA

**GDP**  
\$200 million US (1994)

**GDP growth rate**  
1.4% (1994)

**GDP per capita**  
\$2,390 US (1994)

**Main Exports**  
Fresh fruits, clothing, fresh vegetables

**Main Imports**  
Foodstuffs, machinery and equipment, chemicals,  
fuels, fertilizers

**Main Exports to Canada**  
\$0.2 million (1994), including fresh fruits, clothing,  
fresh vegetables

**Main Imports from Canada**  
\$3.1 million (1994), including broken or crushed  
stone, sand, kraft paper, corrugated paper, agricultural  
machinery

**Canadian bilateral assistance**  
\$2.58 million (1993-1994)