

# REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

Capital: Port-Vila

## GEODATA

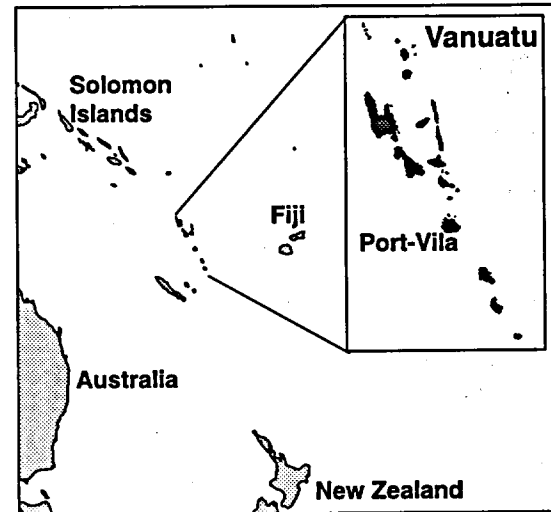
**Area**  
12,190 km<sup>2</sup>

**Population**  
164,100 (1994 est.)

**Population growth**  
2.8% (1994 est.)

**Major languages**  
English and French (both official),  
pidgin (Bislama)

**Major religions**  
Presbyterian (37%), Anglican (15%), other Protestant (10%),  
Roman Catholic (15%), indigenous beliefs (7.6%),  
other (15.7%)



## POLITICAL DATA

**Type of Government**  
Republic

**Leader**  
President Jean-Marie Leye Lenelcau

Prime Minister Maxime Carlot Korman

**Minister of Foreign Affairs**  
Maxime Carlot Korman

**Democratic Institutions**  
Unicameral parliament, multiparty

**UN Human Development Index**  
Vanuatu ranks 106th among 174 countries

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## ECONOMIC DATA

**GDP**  
\$267.79 million (1993)

**GDP growth rate**  
9.3% (1989-1990)

**GDP per capita**  
\$1,678 (1993)

**Main Exports**  
Copra, cocoa, meat, fish, timber

**Main Imports**  
Machinery, vehicles, foodstuffs and beverages,  
manufactured goods, raw materials, fuels, chemicals

**Exports to Canada**  
\$2,000 (1994)

**Imports from Canada**  
\$97,000 (1994)

**Canadian bilateral assistance**  
\$0.35 million (1993-94)