# **UNITED KINGDOM**

Capital: London

#### **GEODATA**

Area 244,755 km²

Population 58.19 million (1994)

Population growth 0.3% (1994)

Major languages English, Welsh, Gaelic

Major religions Anglican (57%), other Protestant (15%), Roman Catholic (13%)

#### POLITICAL DATA

Type of Government

Constitutional monarchy (E II)

Leader

Prime Minister John Major

Minister of Foreign Affairs and Commonwealth Affairs

Malcom Rifkind

**Democratic Institutions** 

Bicameral parliament

**UN Human Development Index** 

United Kingdom ranks 18th among 174 countries

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### **ECONOMIC DATA**

**GDP** 

\$1,022.79 billion US (1994)

GDP growth rate

3.8% (1994)

GDP per capita

\$17,575 US (1994)

**Main Exports** 

Petroleum, machinery, motor vehicles, chemicals, metals, non-metallic minerals, manufactured goods, textiles, and beverages

**Main Imports** 

Manufactured goods, food and beverages, petroleum products, chemicals, machinery, metals, and crude materials

Main Exports to Canada

\$5 billion (1994), including petroleum and petroleum products, machinery and equipment, iron and steel, food and beverages

Main Imports from Canada

\$3.3 billion (1994), including wood and paper products, metals and minerals, machinery and parts, food products