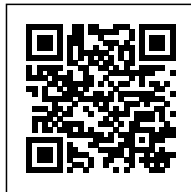


# ÅLAND ISLANDS

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Åland Islands is a country in [Europe](#). The official name of Åland Islands is the Landskapet Åland, means "the Region of Åland". It shares borders with [Finland](#). The people of the Åland Islands are called Åland Islanders. The country is situated at the Finland-controlled entrance to the Baltic Sea's Gulf of Bothnia.

Etymology discusses where a term is considered to have originated from and how its meaning has changed over time. Etymology has been a factor in the naming of countries all across the world, and Åland Islands have also been influenced. The etymology of Åland Islands can be defined as; "Land of water".

An ethnicity is a group or sub-group of people who are connected based on common characteristics which may include religion, origin, language, traditions, or culture. The ethnic groups in the Åland Islands include Swedish, and Finnish.

Air Åland is the national airline of the Åland Islands. The national colors of the country are blue, red, and yellow. The emoji flag of the country is ????????, and the ISO code is AXFI-01.

Åland Islands is known for being a popular beach destination. The national dish of the Åland Islands is Pancake.

The country has the time zone UTC+02:00 (EET) followed by dd/mm/yyyy as the standard date format.

Åland Islands is divided into 16 municipalities. The capital of the country is Mariehamn, which is also the largest city in the Åland Islands.

The literacy rate in the Åland Islands is 99%.

The country's total area is 1,580 km<sup>2</sup> (610 sq mi), and the total population is 29,789. The country's terrain can be defined as; The Åland Islands have a rocky terrain that is mainly composed of granite rocks and covered by a thin layer of agricultural soil.

The northern part of the Åland Islands is located in the cold polar zone of the Arctic. The southern areas are in the temperate climatic zone.

The Euro serves as the national unit of currency. The domain for the Åland Islands is .ax and the country code is +358 18. Golden Deer is the country's coat of arms.

Museums are known to educate and connect visitors with the nation's history, culture, civilization, art, and architecture. The Åland Museum serves the same purpose and is considered one of the most significant tourist attractions. The Åland Museum is home to a large collection of artifacts. It has been designated as the national museum of the country.

The national dress of the Åland Islands is the Kostuli, and 6 Jun is designated as National Day. In the Åland Islands, the majority of the population practices the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Finland as

their religion.

Nature is a blessing from God and we must protect it because it provides us with the oxygen and food to survive. It also helps to keep our environment beautiful and clean. To emphasize the significance of nature, Åland Islands has selected a few forces of nature as national symbols. Åland Islands' national bird is the Whooper swan, while its national animal is the Red Deer. The highest peak is Orrdalsklint.

Sports have always played an important role in developing the social and cultural structure of the Åland Islands and other countries. When it comes to designating a sport as the official symbol, Football is considered the country's national sport.

The country's national anthem was written by John Grandell, and composed by Johan Fridolf Hagfors.

Numerous organizations are working on a global level to improve the current state of affairs and to collaborate in order to establish and maintain constructive partnerships. Åland Islands is a member of the [Nordic Council](#). Åland Islands collaborates with them to organize, analyze, and address various events and situations.

The official motto of the country is "Islands of Peace".

Veronica Thörnroos (Premier) is the current Prime minister of the Åland Islands, and Peter Lindbäck Landshövding (Governor) is the President.

Åland Islands has declared Swedish as the country's official language.

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