

Belarusian Democratic Republic

Belarusian People's RepublicБелару́ская Наро́дная Рэспу́блікаBielaruskaja Narodnaja Respublika1918–1919 Flag Coat of arms Anthem: Belarusian: Ваяцкі марш"March of the Warriors"StatusPartially recognizedCapital1918 Minsk · Vilna1918–1919 HrodnaCapital-in-exile1919–1923 Kaunas1923–1945 Prague1948–1970 Paris1970–1983 Toronto1983–present New YorkCommon languagesBelarusianminority languages recognized for official usage:PolishYiddishRussianGovernmentRepublicChairman of the Rada • 1918–1919 Jan Sierada • 1919 Piotra Krečeŭski Chairperson-in-exile • 1919–1928 (first) Piotra Krečeŭski • 1997–present Ivonka Survilla Historical eraWorld War I • Independence March 25 1918 • Soviet invasion January 5 1919 CurrencyRubleISO 3166 codeBY Preceded by Succeeded by Russian Soviet Federative Socialist Republic Lithuanian–Byelorussian Soviet Socialist Republic Second Polish Republic Rada of the Belarusian Democratic Republic Today part of Belarus Russia Lithuania Poland Latvia The Belarusian People's Republic, historically called the White Ruthenian Democratic Republic, was a self-declared independent Belarusian state. They said they were independent in 1918. It is also called the Belarusian Democratic Republic or the Belarusian National Republic. This is to be separate from the Communist People's Republics. The BNR was recognized by several Central Powers and former Russian countries. It was not recognized by most of the international community. The country ended when Belarus went under Soviet control. The Belorussian SSR was founded in 1919. The leaders of the government went into exile. They still say the Belarusian People's Republic is a country. Presidents[change | change source] Chairmans of the Council of BNR: Jan Sierada (1918–1919) Piotra Krečeŭski (1919–1928) Vasil Zacharka (1928–1943) Mikoła Abramčyk (1944–1970) Vincent Žuk-Hryškievič (1970–1982) Jazep Sažyč (1982–1997) Ivonka Survilla (1997–present) This short article about history can be made longer. You can help Wikipedia by adding to it. This short article about Europe can be made longer. You can help Wikipedia by adding to it. Retrieved from "https://simple.wikipedia.org/w/index.php?title=Belarusian_Democratic_Republic&oldid=9702510"