



San Marino



Background Geographically the third-smallest state in Europe (after the Holy See and Monaco), San Marino also claims to be the world's oldest republic. According to tradition, it was founded by a Christian stonemason named MARINUS in A.D. 301. San Marino's foreign policy is aligned with that of the EU, although it is not a member. San Marino is negotiating an Association Agreement that is expected to allow participation in the EU's internal market and cooperation in other policy areas by late 2024. Social and political trends in the republic track closely with those of its larger neighbor, Italy.

Capital name: San Marino (city)

Government type parliamentary republic

Area total : 61 sq km
land: 61 sq km
water: 0 sq km

Climate Mediterranean; mild to cool winters; warm, sunny summers

Natural resources building stone

Population total: 35,095 (2024 est.)

Population growth rate 0.57% (2024 est.)

Ethnic groups Sammarinese, Italian

Religions Roman Catholic

Languages Italian

Executive branch chief of state: co-chiefs of state Captains Regent Matteo ROSSI and Lorenzo BUGLI (for the period 1 October 2025 - 31 March 2026)
head of government: Secretary of State for Foreign and Political Affairs Luca BECCARI (since 8 January 2020)

Legislative branch legislature name: Great and General Council (Consiglio grande e generale)

Diplomatic representation in the US chief of mission: Ambassador Damiano BELEFFI (since 21 July 2017); note - also Permanent Representative to the UN

Diplomatic representation from the US embassy: the United States does not have an Embassy in San Marino; the US Ambassador to Italy is accredited to San Marino, and the US Consulate General in Florence maintains day-to-day ties

Economic overview high-income, non-EU European economy; surrounded by Italy, which is the dominant importer and exporter; open border to EU and a euro user; strong financial sector; high foreign investments; low taxation; increasingly high and risky debt

Real GDP (purchasing power parity)	\$2.393 billion (2022 est.) \$2.218 billion (2021 est.) \$1.947 billion (2020 est.)
Real GDP per capita	\$70,900 (2022 est.) \$64,700 (2021 est.) \$56,000 (2020 est.)
Exports	\$3.616 billion (2022 est.) \$3.23 billion (2021 est.) \$2.439 billion (2020 est.)
Exports - partners	Germany 12%, Austria 10%, USA 9%, Romania 8%, Brazil 7% (2023)
Exports - commodities	washing and bottling machines, other foods, packaged medicine, woodworking machines, aircraft (2023)
Imports	\$3.169 billion (2022 est.) \$2.94 billion (2021 est.) \$2.232 billion (2020 est.)
Imports - partners	Germany 24%, Italy 13%, Netherlands 9%, Spain 9%, Poland 8% (2023)
Imports - commodities	garments, cars, electricity, animal food, footwear (2023)

Population Pyramid

