



ROMANIA



GOVERNMENT

Chief of State

President Klaus Werner IOHANNIS

Head of Government

Prime Minister Ludovic ORBAN

Government Type

semi-presidential republic

Capital

Bucharest

Legislature

bicameral Parliament or Parliament consists of the Senate or Senat (136 seats) and the Chamber of Deputies or Camera Deputatilor (329 seats)

Judiciary

High Court of Cassation and Justice (consists of 111 judges); Supreme Constitutional Court (consists of 9 members)

Ambassador to US

Ambassador George Cristian MAIOR

US Ambassador

Ambassador Adrian ZUCKERMAN

GEOGRAPHY

Area

Total: 238,391 sq km

Land: 229,891 sq km

Water: 8,500 sq km

Climate

temperate; cold, cloudy winters with frequent snow and fog; sunny summers with frequent showers and thunderstorms

Natural Resources

petroleum (reserves declining), timber, natural gas, coal, iron ore, salt, arable land, hydropower

ECONOMY

Economic Overview

macroeconomic gains have only recently started to spur creation of a middle class and to address widespread poverty; corruption and red tape continue to permeate the business environment

GDP (Purchasing Power Parity)

\$483.4 billion (2017 est.)

GDP per capita (Purchasing Power Parity)

\$24,600 (2017 est.)

Exports

\$64.58 billion (2017 est.)

partners: Germany 23%, Italy 11.2%, France 6.8%, Hungary 4.7%, UK 4.1% (2017)

Imports

\$78.12 billion (2017 est.)

partners: Germany 20%, Italy 10%, Hungary 7.5%, Poland 5.5%, France 5.3%, China 5%, Netherlands 4% (2017)

PEOPLE & SOCIETY

Population

21.3 million (July 2020 est.)

Population Growth

-0.37% (2020 est.)

Ethnicity

Romanian 83.4%,

Hungarian 6.1%,

Romani 3.1%, Ukrainian 0.3%, German 0.2%, other 0.7%,

unspecified 6.1% (2011 est.)

Language

Romanian (official) 85.4%, Hungarian 6.3%, Romani 1.2%, other 1%, unspecified 6.1% (2011 est.)

Religion

Eastern Orthodox (including all sub-denominations) 81.9%, Protestant (various denominations including Reformed and Pentecostal) 6.4%, Roman Catholic 4.3%, other (includes Muslim) 0.9%, none or atheist 0.2%, unspecified 6.3% (2011 est.)

Urbanization

urban population: 54.2% of total population (2020)

rate of urbanization: 4.23% annual rate of change (2015-20 est.)

Literacy

98.8% (2018)

