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Indonesia

Priorities

G20 member, key ASEAN player, Indonesia is an increasingly important partner on global challenges.

Very good relations with a key regional and increasingly important international ally.

Ratification of the EU-Indonesia Partnership and Cooperation Agreement by the European Parliament in 2014.

Did you know?

Its territory consists of **17,508 islands** covering 1.9 million square kilometres.

Laid out on a map this archipelago spanning **5,400 kilometres** from east to west would stretch from London to Baghdad.

Top 3 Facts

Indonesia is currently the 18th largest economy in the world heading to be a “trillion dollar economy” by 2014, one of the top 10 economies in 2020 and possibly in the top 7 by 2030.

It has the world's fourth largest population, the largest Muslim population, is the world's third largest democracy and is itself a key driver of integration in ASEAN, which is the hub of Asia's emerging political, security and economic architecture.

Ranks only number 4 inside the region as the EU's trading partner (and 29th overall) so definite potential for increasing trade ties.

EU-Indonesia trade amounted to € 25 billion in 2012 and European companies investment in Indonesia currently totals more than € 130 billion. This makes the EU the third largest trading partner and one of the largest foreign direct investors for Indonesia.

Indonesia comprises **more than 200 ethnic groups**. There are 583 languages and dialects spoken by the different ethnic groups. The national language is Bahasa Indonesia.

The nation's motto is “**Bhinneka Tunggal Ika**” (Unity in Diversity), similar to that of the EU's motto “United in Diversity”.

Indonesia has the **only living ancient dragon, Komodo**, which can be found in the East Nusa Tenggara province.

Situated in the Pacific Ring of Fire, Indonesia is home to **150 volcanoes**.

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