

ABOUT SLOVENIA

Slovenia covers an area of 20,273 square kilometres and has a population of 2 million people. Slovenia's borders are Italy, Hungary, Austria and Croatia. The capital and largest city of Slovenia is Ljubljana. Other major cities are Maribor, Celje, Kranj, Koper, Novo Mesto .. Slovenia has been an independent country since 1991. President of our country is Danilo Turk and Prime Minister is Borut Pahor. Official language is Slovene but other local official languages are Italian and Hungarian too (because of minorities). Flag is white-blue-red with a coat of arms in the top left corner. We write in Latin (alphabet).

Slovenia is very naturally covered country. It has many rivers, lakes, mountains, waterfalls and caves. The highest mountain is Triglav, it's 2,864 m high. The longest river is Sava, it is 945 km long. But it flows through three other countries too (Croatia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Serbia). The Triglav is our national symbol.