

# **Cayman Islands**



#### Introduction

The Cayman Islands is a British Overseas Territory located in the Western Caribbean Sea. The territory comprises the three islands of Grand Cayman, Cayman Brac, and Little



Cayman, located south of Cuba and northwest of Jamaica. The geography of the Cayman Islands is low-lying with coral reefs. The government system is a parliamentary democracy; the chief of

state is the queen of the United Kingdom, and the head of government is the premier. The Cayman Islands have a mixed economic system, and the islands are a thriving offshore financial center.

#### Location: Caribbean

- Capital City: George Town (-5 GMT)
- Chief of State: King Charles III represented by Governor Jane Owen
- Head of Govt.: Premier Juliana O'Connor-Connolly Currency: Caymanian dollar (KYD)
- Major Languages: English (official) 90.9%, Spanish 4%, Filipino 3.3%, other 1.7%, unspecified 0.1%
- Primary Religions: Protestant 67.8% (includes Church of God 22.6%, Seventh Day Adventist 9.4%, Presbyterian/United Church 8.6%, Baptist 8.3%,Pentecostal 7.1%, nondenominational 5.3%, Anglican 4.1%, Wesleyan Holiness 2.4%), Roman Catholic 14.1%, Jehovah's Witness 1.1%, other 7%, none 9.3%, unspecified 0.7%

Calling Code: 1-345

Voltage: 120

### **Key Websites**

Main Government Page: gov.ky Investment Promotion dci.gov.ky Agency:

#### **Key Economic Facts**

Income Level (by per capita GNI):	High Income
Level of Development:	Data Unavailable
GDP, PPP (current international \$):	\$5.22 billion (2021)
GDP growth (annual %):	4.03% (2021)
GDP per capita, PPP (current international \$):	\$76,580.74 (2021)
Manufacturing, value added (% of GDP):	1.01% (2021)
Current account balance (BoP, current US\$):	-\$0.76 billion (2020)
Inflation, consumer prices (annual %):	-0.63% (2016)
Unemployment, total (% of total labor force) (modeled ILO estimate):	4.00% (2008)
Imports of goods and services (current US\$):	\$2.59 billion (2020)
Exports of goods and services (current US\$):	\$3.37 billion (2020)

#### U.S. Embassy

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## GDP Composition %



\*Although Manufacturing is included in the Industry figures, it is also separately reported because it plays a critical role in economy. Rankings

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