





With 238,400 square kilometers, Romania is the ninth largest country of the European Union by area, and has the seventh largest population of the European Union with more than 19 million people. **Romania shares** a border with HUNGARY and **SERBIA** to the west, UKRAINE and **MOLDOVA** to the north-east and east, and **BULGARIA** to the south.

Romania has a varied relief. The Carpathians mountains are in the center of the country, bordered on both sides by hills and plateaus and finally the great plains of the outer rim.



The rock sculpture of Decebalus, which is on a rocky outcrop on the Danuve river



We also have lots of wonderful beach resorts, situated on the Romanian cost of the Black Sea.



The Danube river passes through the southern border of Romania and its waters, which flow into the Black Sea, form the largest and best preserved of Europe's deltas, situated right here in Romania.



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<u>Symbols of Romania</u>



1 December 1918 - Unification Day 1 December - Romania's National Day

Romanian currency



The National Flag of Romania



The Coat of Arms of Romania

The National Anthem and the Romanian Language Desteapta-te, române, din somnul cel de moarte, În care te-adâncira barbarii de tirani! Acum ori niciodata croieste-ti alta soarta, La care sa se-nchine si cruzii tai dusmani!

Desteapta-te, române

Acum ori niciodata sa dam dovezi în lume Ca-n aste mâni mai curge un sânge de roman, Si ca-n a noastre piepturi pastram cu fala-un nume Triumfator în lupte, un nume de Traian! Today Romania is a unitary semi-presidential republic and became part of The European Union in 2007. It is also a member of the United Nations and NATO.



Bucharest is the capital of Romania. By far, it is the biggest city of our country, with a total population of about 2 million people.

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he most known tourist attraction of the capital is...

...THE PALACE OF PARLIAMENT the 3rd largest building in the world





The Palace of Parliament and The Unification Boulevard

The National History Museum

The Historical Centre

The National Opera

The Revolution Square



Cismigiu Park

Romania offers a wide range of tourist attractions: <u>Medieval towns in Transylvania</u>



Here, you can stroll around the old Town Hall Square, *admiring* colorfully painted and ornately trimmed baroque structures or you can take a peek inside the Black Church, the largest gothic church in Romania.



SIGHISOARA

THE ONLY MEDIEVAL CITADEL STILL INHABITED IN EUROPE

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THE EUROPEAN CAPITAL OF CULTURE IN 2007

FAIRY-TALE CASTLES

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CASTLE

nania's Vampire Home

by Barbara J. Knox

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The only castle in all of Transylvania that actually fits Bram Stoker's description of Dracula's Castle, it is known throughout the world as Dracula's House.

HUNYAD CASTLE

by far the most spectacular medieval castle in Transylvania

Amazing to visit: the bear pit, the dungeon, the knight's hall and the legend of the well

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PELES CASTLE

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The royal residence of Charles the 1st

THE WORLD-FAMOUS PAINTED MONASTERIES IN BUCOVINA









IMPORTANT CITIES

CLUJ-NAPOCA



TIMISOARA



CONSTANTA

Romania is also a land of preserved traditions and customs

Performed in the Olt region of southern Romania, the "Căluş" is a traditional folk dance

ROMANIAN TRADITIONAL

OSTUMES

TRADITIONAL FOOD

Romanian cuisine is a diverse blend of different dishes from several traditions with which it has come into contact, but it also maintains its own character. If you come in Romania you can serve:



Beans with smoked pork



Polenta



"Sărmăluțe"





Sponge cake

Tripe Soup

CRAFTS OF ROMANIA



ROMANIA IS ALSO BEST KNOWN FOR ITS IMPORTANT PERSONALITIES

NADIA COMĂNECI

is a Romanian gymnast, winner of three Olympic gold medals at the 1976 Summer Olympics in Montreal and the first female gymnast to be awarded a perfect score of 10 in an Olympic gymnastic event.

GHEORGHE HAGI

is a Romanian former footballer, considered one of the best attacking midfielders in Europe



CONSTANTIN BRÂNCUȘI

is the Romanian most famous sculpture. He is considered to be the pioneer of modernism and he is called the patriarch of modern scupture.



GEORGE ENESCU

was a Romanian composer, violinist, pianist, conductor and teacher, preeminent musician of the 20th century, one of the greatest performers of his time.





created the world's first fountain pen



is considered the inventor of the world's first jet

MIRCEA ELIADE

was a Romanian historian of religion, fiction writer, and philosopher. In 1955 he became a professor at the University of Chicago.







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