

POLAND

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Political system:	Republic
Capital city:	Warsaw
Total area	312 679 km ²
Population:	38.1 million
Currency	zloty
Value in Euro	0.26429 €
Value in US \$	\$0.36221
Official EU language	Polish

Year of EU entry	2004
Belonging to Schengen	Yes
Eurozone (15)	No

GDP (2008)	379 163.5 Mio €
Household (2008)	230 017.1 Mio €
Economic Growth (2008)	5.50%
Budgetary deficit in % of GDP (2006)	-3.90%
Foreign trade – balance of payments in % of GDP (2005)	-1.70%
Inflation rate (2008)	4.30%
Interest rate (2007)	6.50%
Unemployment (2006)	13.8%