

Greece



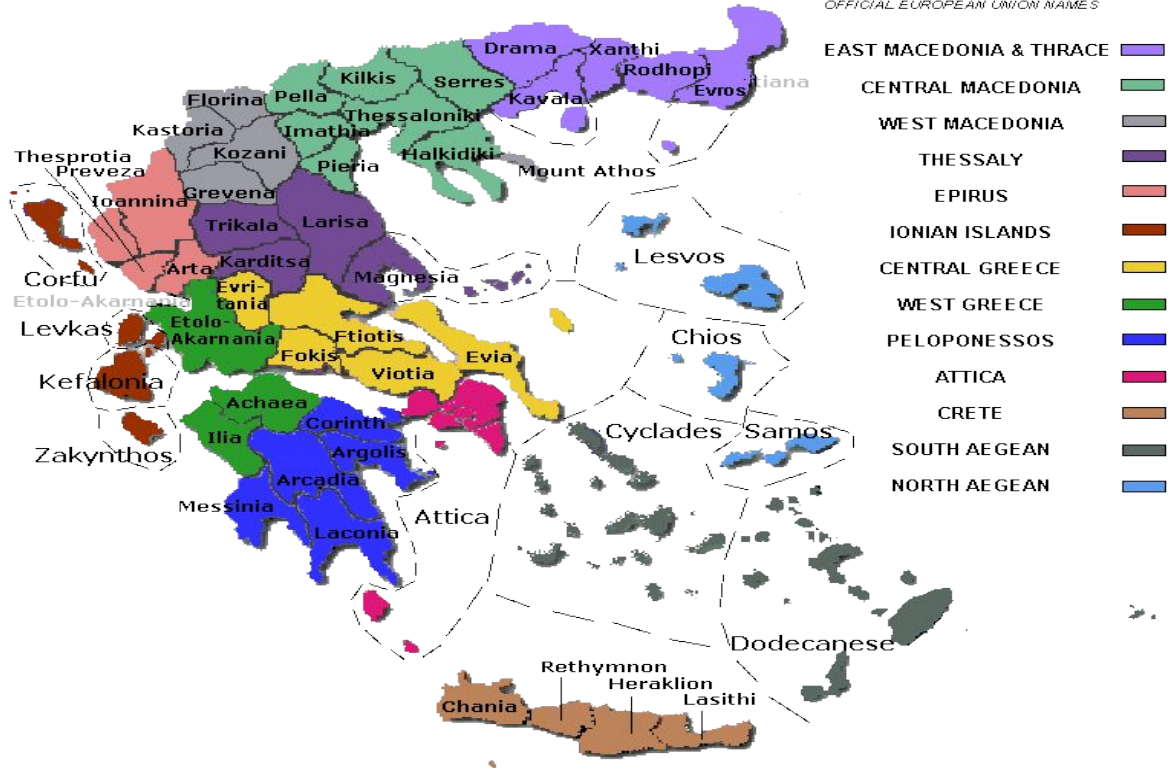
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Location

- Southern Europe,
- Bordering the Aegean Sea, Ionian Sea,
- and the Mediterranean Sea,
- Between Albania and Turkey
- Compare smaller than Alabama State
- **Capital:** ATHENS
- **Language:** Greek (official) 99%, other (includes English and French) 1%
- **Religion:** Greek Orthodox (official) 98%, Muslim 1.3%
- **Currency:** Euro



13 Regions



Branches

- Executive Branch
- Legislative Branch
- Judicial Branch

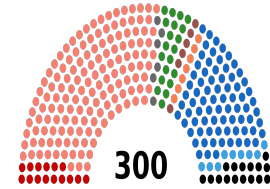
Executive Branch

- **Parliamentary Republic**
- **Chief of State:** President Prokopios
- **Head of Government:** Prime Minister Alexis Tsipras
- **Cabinet:** Appointed by the president of recommendation of the Prime Minister
- **Election:** President Elected by Hellenic Parliament for a 5 years term.
- **Election Result:** Prokopios won election President Parliament with 233 of 300 votes.



Legislative Branch

- Hellenic Parliament or Vouli ton Ellinon
- 300 seats members elected in single
- 12 seats are filled from nationwide party list
- 50 seats allocated the high party with a total valid vote
- The member serve up to 4 years



Judicial Branch

- **Highest Court:** Supreme Civil and Criminal Court
- 56 Judges include the court president.
- Council of State (Supreme administrative)
- President, Vice-President
- 42 Privy Counsellors
- 98 Associate and reporting judges
- **Judge Selections:** Supreme Court judges appointed by presidential for life

Political Parties

- **12 Political Parties in Greece**
- **Anticapitalist Left Cooperation for the Overthrow or ANTARSYA [collective leadership]**
- **Coalition of the Radical Left or SYRIZA [Alexios (Alexis) TSIPRAS]**
- **People's Association-Golden Dawn [Nikolaos MICHALOLIAKOS]**
- **Democratic Left or DIMAR [Athanasios (Thanasis) THEOCHAROPOULOS]**
- **Communist Party of Greece or KKE [Dimitrios KOUTSOUMBAS]**
- **Independent Greeks or ANEL [Panagiotis (Panos) KAMMENOS]**
- **Movement of Democratic Socialists or KIDISO [Georgios PAPANDREOU]**
- **New Democracy or ND [Kyriakos MITSOTAKIS]**
- **Panhellenic Socialist Movement or PASOK [Foteini (Fofi) GENIMMATA]**
- **Popular Unity or LAE [Panagiotis LAFAZANIS]**
- **To Potami (The River) [Stavros THEODORAKIS]**
- **Union of Centrists or EK [Vasilis LEVENTIS]**

Ευχαριστώ πολύ!

Efcharistó polý!

