

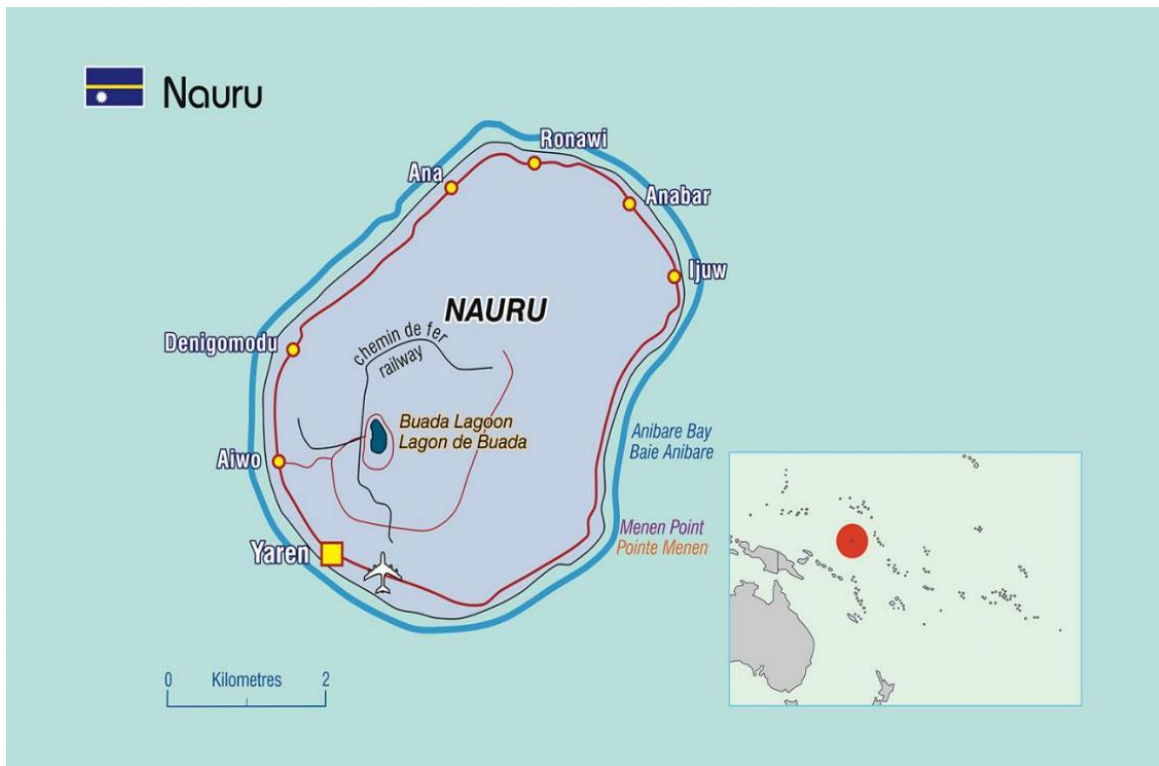
# Nauru

## Country Infrastructure Profile

Country Facts		Key Statistics	
<b>Official name of country</b>	Republic of Nauru	<b>Land area (km<sup>2</sup>)</b>	21.1 <sup>1</sup>
<b>Capital</b>	No official capital, government office located in Yaren district	<b>Exclusive economic zone (km<sup>2</sup>)</b>	308 480 <sup>1</sup>
<b>Government and legal status</b>	Parliamentary democracy Independence gained in 1968	<b>Population (2019 estimate)</b>	12 580 <sup>#</sup>
<b>Head of state</b>	President Lionel Aingimea	<b>Population density (persons/km) (2019)</b>	541 <sup>*</sup>
<b>Head of government</b>	President Lionel Aingimea	<b>Population growth (% annual change) (2014-2019)</b>	1.6 <sup>*</sup>
<b>Official languages</b>	English, Nauru	<b>Urban population (% of total population) (2018)</b>	100 <sup>*</sup>
<b>Official currency</b>	Australian dollar	<b>GDP (USD million) (2019)</b>	100 <sup>*</sup>
<b>Memberships</b>	1968 – Member of the Commonwealth 1969 – Pacific Community (SPC) 1971 – Pacific Forum Secretariat (PIF) 1975 – International Civil Aviation Organisation (ICAO) 1999 – United Nations 2013 - PRIF 2018- International Maritime Organisation (IMO)	<b>GNI per capita (USD) (2018)</b>	12 060 <sup>*</sup>
		<b>Proportion of population living below the national poverty line (2018)</b>	24 <sup>*</sup>
		<b>Overseas development assistance to infrastructure (USD million) (2018)</b>	8.6 <sup>*</sup>


**Source:** <sup>1</sup> SPC members details <https://www.spc.int/our-members/nauru/details> (accessed 17 July 2020); <sup>\*</sup> Asian Development Bank, Basic 2020 Statistics, <https://www.adb.org/mobile/basic-statistics-2020/> (accessed 17 July 2020); <sup>#</sup> World Bank, data, <https://data.worldbank.org/indicator/SH.H2O.BASW.ZS?locations=NR&view=chart> (accessed 17 July 2020)

## Map of Nauru




Source: SPC, members details <https://www.spc.int/our-members/nauru/details> (accessed 17 July 2020)


## Access and Infrastructure Indicators

 <b>Telecommunication</b>	
Proportion of population covered by mobile network (2G) (2018)	98.0%*
Proportion of population covered by mobile network (3G) (2018)	98.0%*
Proportion of population covered by mobile network (LTE/WiMAX) (2018)	30.0%*


  

 <b>Water &amp; Sanitation</b>	
Proportion of population using safely managed drinking water services (2017)	97.5%*
Proportion of population using safely managed sanitation services, including a hand-washing facility with soap & water (2017)	78.7%*
Percentage of population using at least basic sanitation (2017)	65.60%*
Percentage of population using least basic drinking services (2017)	99.48%*


  

 <b>Energy</b>	
Proportion of population with access to electricity (2017)	99.6%*
Renewable energy share in the total final energy consumption (2017)	0.8%*
Average annual mean of particulate matter of 2.5 microns in diameter or smaller levels in urban areas (ug/m <sup>3</sup> )	12.5*
CO <sub>2</sub> emission (metric tons/per capita) (2014)	4.02 <sup>#</sup>

 <b>Transport<sup>^</sup></b>	
International airport: 1 - Nauru International Airport (Yaren)	
Total road network (km)	30
Paved road network as % of total network	80
Number of international ports	1

 <b>Climate Resilience-related Risk Indexes<sup>^</sup></b>	
INFORM natural hazard index	0.3
Physical exposure to earthquake	0.1
Physical exposure to flood	0.1
Physical exposure to tsunami	8.2
Physical exposure to tropical cyclones	0.0

**Source:** \*Asian Development Bank, Basic 2020 Statistics, <https://www.adb.org/mobile/basic-statistics-2020/> (accessed 17 July 2020); # World Bank, data, <https://data.worldbank.org/indicator/SH.H2O.BASW.ZS?locations=NR&view=chart> (accessed 17 July 2020); \*European Union, INFORM Index for Risk Management, 2020. The risk score ranges from 0-10, where 10 is the highest risk.

<sup>^</sup> All transport indicators from the Pacific Region Infrastructure Facility, Pacific Infrastructure Performance Indicators (PIPI), 2016

### Key Development Policies

-	Nauru National Infrastructure Investment Strategy	2019
-	Nauru Voluntary National Review (VNR) on the implementation of the 2030 Agenda	2019
-	National Sustainable Development Strategy 2019-2030	2019
-	Nauru Energy Road Map 2018-2020	2018
-	National Solid Waste Management Strategy 2017-2026	2017
-	Republic of Nauru Framework for Climate Change Action and Disaster Risk Reduction (RONADAPT)	2015
-	National Water, Sanitation and Hygiene Implementation Plan (NWSHIP) is a fifteen-year plan to implement the Republic of Nauru's 2011 National Water, Sanitation and Hygiene Policy	Updated September 2012
-	National Water Sanitation and Hygiene Policy	2012
-	National Economic and Infrastructure Strategy Implementation Plan	2011