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"We travel, some of us forever, to seek other states, other lives, other souls." (Anais Nin)

We All Treasure Elements and Resources

Salut! Bok! Bonjour! Olá! Hoşgeldin! kaλημερα! *SUMMAR* Y

CROATIA FRANCE PORTUGAL TURKEY GREECE ROMANIA



Croatia has a lot of water sources. The most beautiful natural lakes are the Plitvica lakes.

The biggest lake is Vransko, near Biograd. The national park is world famous for its lakes arranged in cascades. Currently, 16 lakes can be seen from the surface.

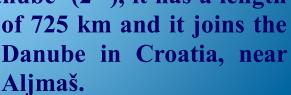
REGIONAL PARK MUR – DRAVA

A part of the future planned EU's project Drava – Mur – Danube: the biggest and one of the most important transboundary UNESCO's biosphere resevations (Austria, Croatia, Slovenia, Serbia, Hungary)

The Drava river is a tributary of the Danube (2^{nd}) , it has a length















France is a beautiful country with a lot of rivers, and they are flowing from ancient times, taking France's glorious history with them . The most important are La Loire, La Garonne, La Seine and Le Rhone.

Seine is one of the most important France's rivers, flowing through Paris, France's capital.



We also have another type of water, the virtual one. This is needed for human's weel growth or to produce everyday items. We spend a large amount of water on nothing, without knowing that it is not a good thing.









One of the most important rivers of Portugal is The Vouga. It is called by many as the "Portuguese Nile".





Another important river is The Alfusqueiro. It has its origin in the mountain of Caramulo. Along the watercourse, are frequently organized outdoor activities, like canyoning, among others.





Important touristic places: <u>Ponta de Sagres Costa Algariva</u>









Turkey is situated in the Balcanic peninsula. The seas surrounding Turkey are Marmara, The Aegean sea and The Black



Some rivers and streams in Turkey are : Nilüfer Stream, Kizilimark ,Gökdere River and Büyükmenderes. In turkey there are also many lakes like: Uluabat lake, Iznik lake, Van Gölü, Beyehir, Egridir and Burdur.







Some important waterfalls in Turkey are Kursunlu, and Duden.

One of the most beautiful sights in the world, the Bosphorus, a unique "sea-river", is a strait that runs a winding course between the two continents. With old seaside mansions, mosques, palaces, restaurants and beaches along its shores, the Bosphorus resembles a wide river.







Welcome to Thessaloniki!

Some of the most important rivers are The Gallikos River, The Axios River, The Ludias River and The Aliakmonas River. They form a delta, and the acronym for milk, and are natural monuments.



It also has two big lakes, Volvi and Koroneia. First of them has a rare, rich ecosystem, but second one is polluted, because of the human actions.

Besides a huge delta and two gulfs, Thessaloniki is an important source for mineral water and food. You can find mineral springs,, or, if you take a walk through Thessaloniki's lakes, rivers, gulfs, you will surely see fishmen or shops with fish.





Romania has a rich hydrography, with a lot of rivers, lakes (most of them small or medium) and dams.





Second biggest river in Europe (Danube) also crosses Romania, being a food source . Danube Delta, a touristic place with unique types of birds, fish and plants, is the only delta in Romania.



Here we can also find the Black Sea Shore, another touristic place. We must also mention lakes with thermal water, Mountain Spring Lake or The Blue Lake, a beautiful natural monument. "Water is the best of all things." - Pindar, Olympian Odes

"Water has become a highly precious resource. There are some places where a barrel of water costs more than a barrel of oil." - Lloyd Axworthy, Foreign Minister of Canada

"If there is magic on this planet, it is contained in water." - Loran Eisely, The Immense Journey

"All the water that will ever be is, right now." National Geographic

"When the well is dry, we know the worth of water." Benjamin Franklin

Use your brain. Appreciate and conserve water.



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