



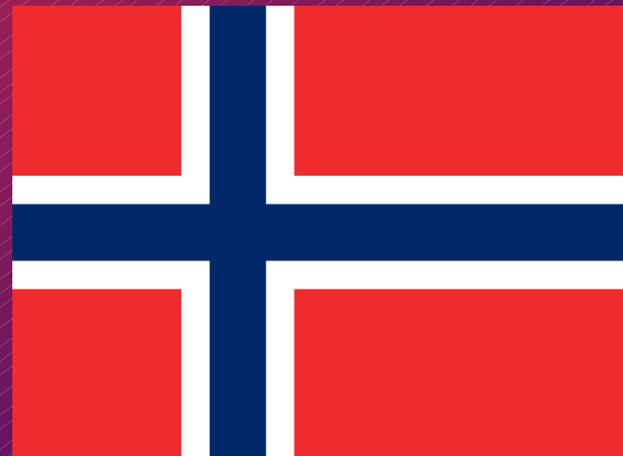
Norway

Geographically info

- **Name of the country:** Norway, officially the Kingdom of Norway
- **Location:** Norway is in northern Europe, in the western of Scandinavian Peninsula
- **Area:** 385 199 km²
- **Population:** about 4 800 000
- **Capital:** Oslo
- **Language:** Norwegian
- **Country symbol:** on the picture



- **National day:** Grunnlovsdagen, day of accept constitution (was on 17th may in 1814).
- **Flag:** on the picture
- **Form of government:** constitutional monarchy
- **Currency:** Norwegian krone (NOK)
- **Climate:** A lot of crashes per year, on coasts are warmer than on the mountains. In lowlands around Oslo is the hottest in the summer.





Norway on the map

How I am going to Norway?

- The simplest way to Norway- Oslo is to go by air.
- Air ticket for 1 adult person is 2 780Kč
=107EUR
- Air ticket for person 12-24years old is
1800Kč = 69EUR

Interesting places

Voringfoss

- It is the most famous cascade in Norway. Its height is 145 m. It is near the village Eidfjord in west Norway.

Sognefiord

- In the Sogn og Fjordane is the biggest Norway fiord. Its size is 200 km and somewhere is 1 300m deep.

Jotunheimen and Vettisfossen

- Jotunheimen is national park and Vettisfossen is the highest cascade of Norway. Its height is 275 m.

Province More og Romsdal

- It is very dramatic corner of Norway. In the most beautiful areas of Norway are Gold way, eagle´s way and Way of trolls.

Trolls

- Troll is Norwegian symbol. It is esence with special power. They hide out in forest or on foothill of hill. People can see him only in night, because sun flash is dangerous for him. Troll has long bent nose, four fingers and often they have hairy tail. People should be nice for him, because they can summon illness.



Food and Drinks

- Norwegians like food from fishes or reindeer's steaks with a lot of vegetables and sea food. Interesting food from town Voss is boiled sheep head even with its eyes.
- Typical alcoholic drink called AGUAVIT and typical beers, e.g. JULEØL (Christmas beer), GULLØL (gold beer), and LETTØL (light beer).
- Then they like great goat brown cheese named geitost.

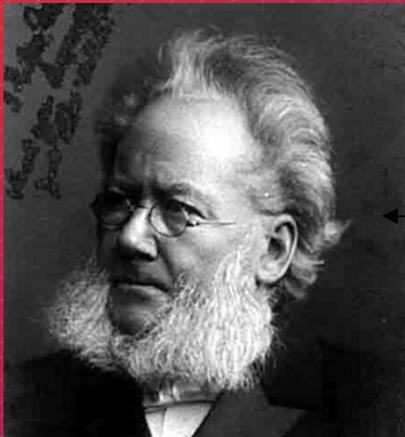


National sports

- The most popular sports are winter sports. Norway is a second successful country in the winter sports on the world! Norwegians love skiing, ski jumping, and track skiing...
- At Norway there are 30 000 km skiing routes! At night are routes alight.
- Every winter is in Holmenkollen skiing festival. The more prestigious discipline is ski jumping. Holmenkollens bridgewall is one hundred years old!

The famous Norwegians

- **Niels Henrik Abel -1802-1829**
 - He was famous mathematics.
- **Henrik Ibsen -1828-1906**
 - He was poet, playwright and painter.
 - He lives in Italy and Germany.
 - His works are Catilina, Nora, John Gabriel Borkman...



← Henrik Ibsen

- **Fridtjof Nansen** - 1861-1930
 - He was zoologist, research worker, diplomat and scientist.
 - He crossed Greenland.
 - In 1922 he got Nobel award of piece.
- **Roald Amundsen** – 1872-1928
 - He was famous Norwegian polar explorer.
 - He was first people on the South Pole.
 - He died on saving expedition.

Roald Amundsen



Name days

- Norway has got several state name days a significant days. 16 from them are so-called „flaggdager“ (=Flag days), when every state institutions have got duty disconnect Norwegian state flag. Common is from also municipal institutions disconnect the flag.

Flaggdager

- 1st of January
- 6th of January
- 21st of January
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- 12th of April
- 1st of May
- 8th of May
- 17th of May
- 31st of May
- 7th of June
- 4th of July
- 20th of July
- 29th of July
- 19th of August
- 14th of September
- 25th of December

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