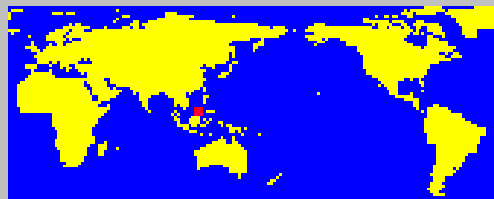


BRUNEI DARUSSALAM



M	D	HOLIDAYS
1	1	New Year's Day
2	15	Maulud (Birth of the Prophet)
2	23	National Day *
3	2-3	Chinese New Year
5	31	Anniversary of Royal Brunei Malay
6	28	Israk Mikraj (Ascension of the Prophet)
7	15	Sultan's Birthday
8	1	Start of Ramadan
8	30-31	Hari Raya Aidilfitri (End of Ramadan)
9	7	Anniversary of the Revelation of the
11	6-8	Hari Raya Aidiladha (Feast of the Sacrifice)
11	26	Islamic New year
12	25	Christmas Day

CAPITAL	BANDAR SERI BEGAWAN
CURRENCY	BRUNEI DOLLAR
POPULATION	300,000 (2009)
TIME ZONE (GMT)	+8
SUMMER TIME (GMT)	NONE
COUNTRY CODE	673
GDP:	US\$10.2 billion (2007)

Religion:

Most of the Malay population are Sunni Muslims. There are also significant Buddhist, Confucianist, Daoist and Christian minorities. Large numbers of the indigenous groups practise traditional animist forms of religion.

JAN

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Note:

Muslim festivals are timed according to local sightings of various phases of the moon and the dates given above are approximations. During the lunar month of Ramadan that precedes Hari Raya Puasa, Muslims fast during the day and feast at night and normal business patterns may be interrupted. Restaurants are closed during the day and Muslims are prohibited from smoking and drinking. Some disruption may continue into Hari Raya Puasa itself. Hari Raya Puasa and Hari Raya Haji may last anything from two to 10 days.