

## Useful Links



### Country Information:

BBC Website: [www.news.bbc.co.uk/1/hi/country\\_profiles/default.stm](http://www.news.bbc.co.uk/1/hi/country_profiles/default.stm)

FCO

Profile: [www.fco.gov.uk/en/travel-and-living-abroad/travel-advice-by-country/country-profile](http://www.fco.gov.uk/en/travel-and-living-abroad/travel-advice-by-country/country-profile)

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### Culture and communications:

CILT – National Centre for Languages – Regional Language Network in your area: [www.cilt.org.uk/workplace/employer\\_support/in\\_your\\_area.aspx](http://www.cilt.org.uk/workplace/employer_support/in_your_area.aspx)

### Customs & Regulations:

HM Revenue & Customs: [www.hmrc.gov.uk](http://www.hmrc.gov.uk)

### Economic Information:

The Economist: [www.economist.com/countries](http://www.economist.com/countries)

Trading Economics: [www.tradingeconomics.com](http://www.tradingeconomics.com)

**Export Control:**

Export Control Organisation: [www.gov.uk/beginners-guide-to-export-controls](http://www.gov.uk/beginners-guide-to-export-controls)

**Export Finance and Insurance:**

British Insurance Brokers Association (BIBA): [www.biba.org.uk](http://www.biba.org.uk)

UK Export Finance (formerly ECGD): [www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-export-finance](http://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-export-finance)

**Intellectual Property:**

Intellectual Property Office: [www.ipo.gov.uk](http://www.ipo.gov.uk)

**Market Access:**

Market Access Database for Tariffs: [www.madb.europa.eu/madb/indexPubli.htm](http://www.madb.europa.eu/madb/indexPubli.htm)

**Standards and Technical Regulations:**

British Standards Institution (BSI): [www.bsigroup.com/en/sectorsandservices/Disciplines/ImportExport](http://www.bsigroup.com/en/sectorsandservices/Disciplines/ImportExport)

Intellectual Property Office: [www.ipo.gov.uk](http://www.ipo.gov.uk)

National Physical Laboratory: [www.npl.co.uk](http://www.npl.co.uk)

**Trade Statistics:**

HM Revenue and Customs (HMRC): [www.uktradeinfo.com/statistics/buildyourowntables/pages/table.aspx](http://www.uktradeinfo.com/statistics/buildyourowntables/pages/table.aspx)

National Statistics Information: [www.statistics.gov.uk/hub/index.html](http://www.statistics.gov.uk/hub/index.html)

UK Trade Info: [www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-trade-investment](http://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-trade-investment)

**Trade Shows:**

10 Times (formerly BizTradeShows.com): [www.10times.com/germany](http://www.10times.com/germany)

British Expertise Events: [www.britishexpertise.org](http://www.britishexpertise.org)

EventsEye.com online database: [www.eventseye.com](http://www.eventseye.com)

UKTI Events Portal: [www.events.ukti.gov.uk](http://www.events.ukti.gov.uk)

**Travel Advice:**

FCO Travel: [www.gov.uk/browse/abroad](http://www.gov.uk/browse/abroad)

FCO Foreign Travel Insurance: [www.gov.uk/guidance/foreign-travel-insurance](http://www.gov.uk/guidance/foreign-travel-insurance)

**Healthcare abroad:**

Travel health: [www.travelhealth.co.uk](http://www.travelhealth.co.uk)

TravelHealthPro: [www.travelhealthpro.org.uk/locations/germany](http://www.travelhealthpro.org.uk/locations/germany)

NHS (Scotland): [www.fitfortravel.nhs.uk/destinations/europe--russia/germany.aspx](http://www.fitfortravel.nhs.uk/destinations/europe--russia/germany.aspx)

NHS

Choices: [www.nhs.uk/NHSEngland/Healthcareabroad/Pages/Healthcareabroad.aspx](http://www.nhs.uk/NHSEngland/Healthcareabroad/Pages/Healthcareabroad.aspx)

**International Trade:**

British Chambers of Commerce (BCC): [www.britishchambers.org.uk](http://www.britishchambers.org.uk)

British Council: [www.britishcouncil.org](http://www.britishcouncil.org)

British Expertise: [www.britishexpertise.org](http://www.britishexpertise.org)

CBI (Confederation of British Industry): [www.cbi.org.uk](http://www.cbi.org.uk)

Department for Business, Innovation & Skills (BIS): [www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-business-innovation-skills](http://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-business-innovation-skills)

Exporting is GREAT: [www.exportingisgreat.gov.uk](http://www.exportingisgreat.gov.uk)

Foreign & Commonwealth Office: [www.gov.uk/government/organisations/foreign-commonwealth-office](http://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/foreign-commonwealth-office)

Gov.uk: [www.gov.uk/browse/business/imports-exports](http://www.gov.uk/browse/business/imports-exports)

Institute of Directors (IoD): [www.iod.com](http://www.iod.com)

Institute of Export (IOE): [www.export.org.uk](http://www.export.org.uk)

OECD: [www.oecd-ilibrary.org](http://www.oecd-ilibrary.org)

Open to Export: [www.opentoexport.com](http://www.opentoexport.com)

Overseas business risk: [www.gov.uk/government/collections/overseas-business-risk](http://www.gov.uk/government/collections/overseas-business-risk)

SOLVIT: [www.ec.europa.eu/solvit/index\\_en.htm](http://www.ec.europa.eu/solvit/index_en.htm)

Tenders Electronic Daily (Supplement to the Official Journal of the EU) (TED): [www.ted.europa.eu/TED/main/HomePage.do](http://www.ted.europa.eu/TED/main/HomePage.do)

Trade Tariff: [www.gov.uk/trade-tariff](http://www.gov.uk/trade-tariff)

Transparency International: [www.transparency.org](http://www.transparency.org)

UK Trade & Investment: [www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-trade-investment](http://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-trade-investment)

UKTI e-exporting programme: [www.gov.uk/e-exporting](http://www.gov.uk/e-exporting)

UK Visas: [www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-visas-and-immigration](http://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-visas-and-immigration)

World Bank Group economy rankings: [www.doingbusiness.org/rankings](http://www.doingbusiness.org/rankings)

World Economic Forum Global Competitiveness report: [www.weforum.org/reports/global-competitiveness-report-2014-2015](http://www.weforum.org/reports/global-competitiveness-report-2014-2015)

### **German websites:**

Common Register Portal of the German Federal States (Gemeinsames Registerportal der Länder): [www.handelsregister.de/rp\\_web/welcome.do](http://www.handelsregister.de/rp_web/welcome.do)

Federal Chamber of German Civil Law Notaries  
(Bundesnotarkammer): [www.bnotk.de/en](http://www.bnotk.de/en)

Federal Ministry for Economic Co-operation and Development: [www.bmz.de](http://www.bmz.de)

German Company Register (Bundesanzeiger): [www.unternehmensregister.de/ureg](http://www.unternehmensregister.de/ureg)

German Embassy in the  
UK: [www.uk.diplo.de/Vertretung/unitedkingdom/en/Startseite.html](http://www.uk.diplo.de/Vertretung/unitedkingdom/en/Startseite.html)

German Federal Gazette (Bundesanzeiger): [www.bundesanzeiger.de/ebanzwww](http://www.bundesanzeiger.de/ebanzwww)

German Federal Government  
homepage: [www.bundesregierung.de/Webs/Breg/EN/Homepage](http://www.bundesregierung.de/Webs/Breg/EN/Homepage)

German Federal Statistical Office: [www.destatis.de/EN/Homepage](http://www.destatis.de/EN/Homepage)

German Institute for Standardization: [www.din.de](http://www.din.de)

German Patent and Trade Mark Office (DPMA), (Deutsches Patent- und  
Markenamt): [www.dpma.de/english/index.html](http://www.dpma.de/english/index.html)

Germany Trade and Invest: [www.gtai.de/GTAI/Navigation/EN/welcome.html](http://www.gtai.de/GTAI/Navigation/EN/welcome.html)

Germany Trade  
Fairs: [www.germany.travel/en/business-travel/trade-fairs/trade-fairs/messen.html](http://www.germany.travel/en/business-travel/trade-fairs/trade-fairs/messen.html)

Office of the Commissioner for Foreign Investment in  
Germany: [www.business-in-germany.de](http://www.business-in-germany.de)

#### Additional Useful Links

##### **British Chamber of Commerce in Germany:**

[www.bccg.de](http://www.bccg.de)

##### **UK Trade & Investment:**

[www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-trade-investment](http://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/uk-trade-investment)

##### **Foreign & Commonwealth Office:**

[www.gov.uk/government/organisations/foreign-commonwealth-office](http://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/foreign-commonwealth-office)



**British Council:**

[www.britishcouncil.org](http://www.britishcouncil.org)

**Trade Tariff:**

[www.gov.uk/trade-tariff](http://www.gov.uk/trade-tariff)

**Middle East Association:**

[www.the-mea.co.uk](http://www.the-mea.co.uk)

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## **UKTI e-exporting programme:**

[www.gov.uk/e-exporting](http://www.gov.uk/e-exporting)

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