

SCOTLAND IN ZOOM





What do you picture in your mind when you hear the word «Scotland»?

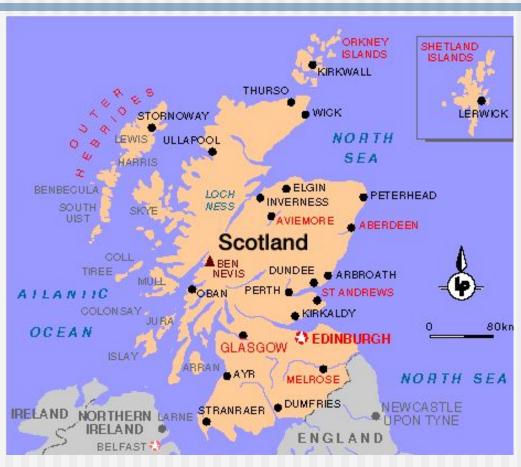








Map of Scotland



Area: 77 080 sq. km.

Population: 5.1 mln.

Nationality: Scots

Capital: Edinburgh

Islands: about 800

Status: a part of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

Languages: English (official) and Gaelic

Scottish Flag





The national flag of Scotland appeared in 832 A.D. It's a white cross on the blue ground. It's associated with St. Andrew, Scottish patron.

Scottish Emblem /Thistle/



Clan-a group of some families with the same surname (Mac Donald, Mac Gregory, Mac Duncan)

Mac Duncan-a son of Duncan



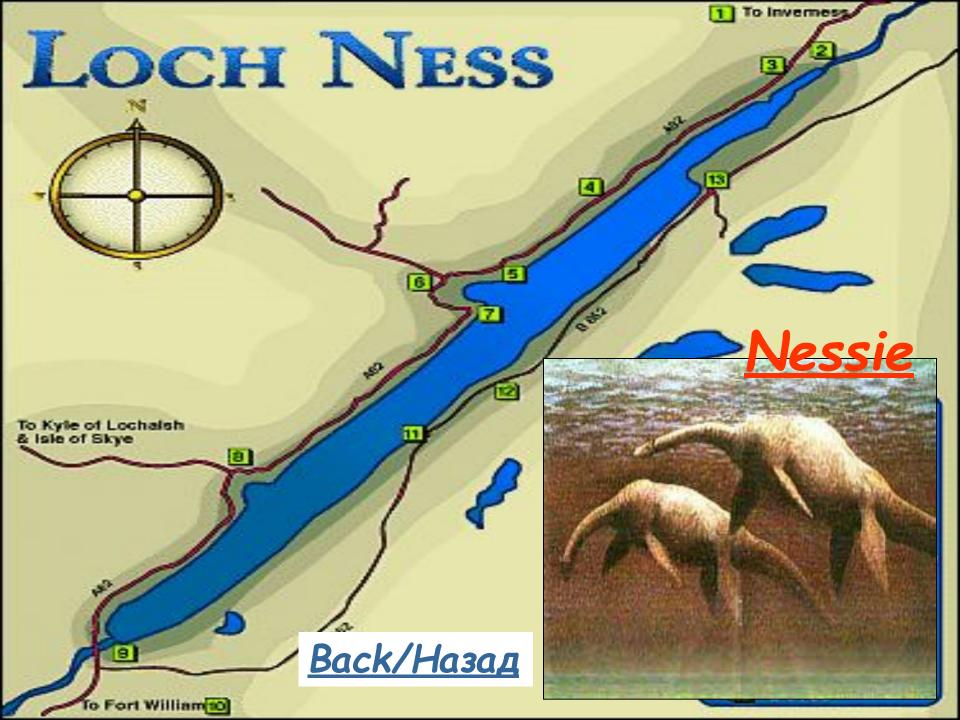
National Instrument

Perhaps, it was brought by The Romans. It was a favorite musical instrument of **King James I** in 16th century.

















The Stone of Destiny

It is a big grey stone. It is about 700 years old. It's a symbol of union Scots

It was used when Scottish and later British kings and queens were crowned



Honours of Scotland



The Jewels of the Scottish Crown are the most ancient ones in Great Britain , dated XV-XVI. They are the crown, the sword, the scepter.

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