# BALI



LOCATION: INDONESIA POP: 4,225,000

80%

of Bali's economy is from tourism

83%

of people on Bali identify as Hindu

22%

of tourists visit for cultural reasons

## INTERESTING **FACTS**



Bali is one of Indonesia's wealthiest regions, due to tourism.



Bali is part of the Coral Triangle, the area with the highest biodiversity of marine species.



Day time temperatures vary between 20-33° C

#### **CAUTIONS**



Tap water is not safe to drink.



Bali has one of the highest rates of HIV infection in Indonesia.



Many beaches have strong undertows and rip currents.



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### GEOGRAPHY



East to west - 153 km North to south - 112 km



Highest mountain - Mount Agung (3,031 m (9,944 ft)). Known as the "mother mountain" which is an active volcano.

## TRADITIONS/ **FESTIVALS**



A new-born baby is regarded as a god for the first 42 days of its life.



Tri Datu are the colors red, white and black. They are thought to symbolize the holy spirit of God and represent the idea of our presence in this world.



Nyepi Festival (Day of Silence). The day after the dark moon of the Spring Equinox. It's reserved for self-reflection and to keep the balance of nature. Tourists are exempt, but activities will be limited.