

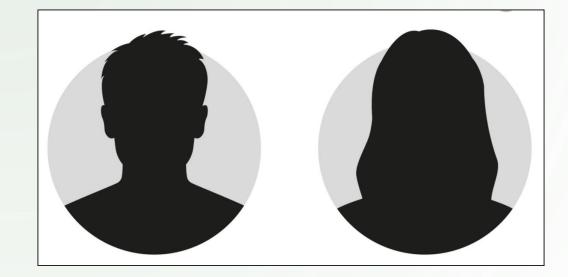
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### **Trivia Questions**

Scotland Today

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A.Nicola Sturgeon is current First Minister of Scotland

B.Alex Salmond was First Minister 2007-2014

C.Arctic Charr is a common fish found in Scotland

D.Boris Johnson is the Prime Minister of the whole United Kingdom

### 2. What year did Scotland last vote to stay in the European union?

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**B.**2016

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**B. 2016** The people of Scotland voted decisively to remain within the European Union (EU) in 2016. Scottish Ministers continue to believe that staying in the EU is the best option for Scotland and have published compromise proposals including remaining in the Single Market and Customs Union. https://www.gov.scot/brexit/

# 3. Which US state has the closest Land Mass to Scotland?

A. Alabama – 50,645 Ml<sup>2</sup>
B. Maine – 30,843 Ml<sup>2</sup>
C. Massachusetts - 7,838 Ml<sup>2</sup>
D. Michigan – 56,539 Ml<sup>2</sup>
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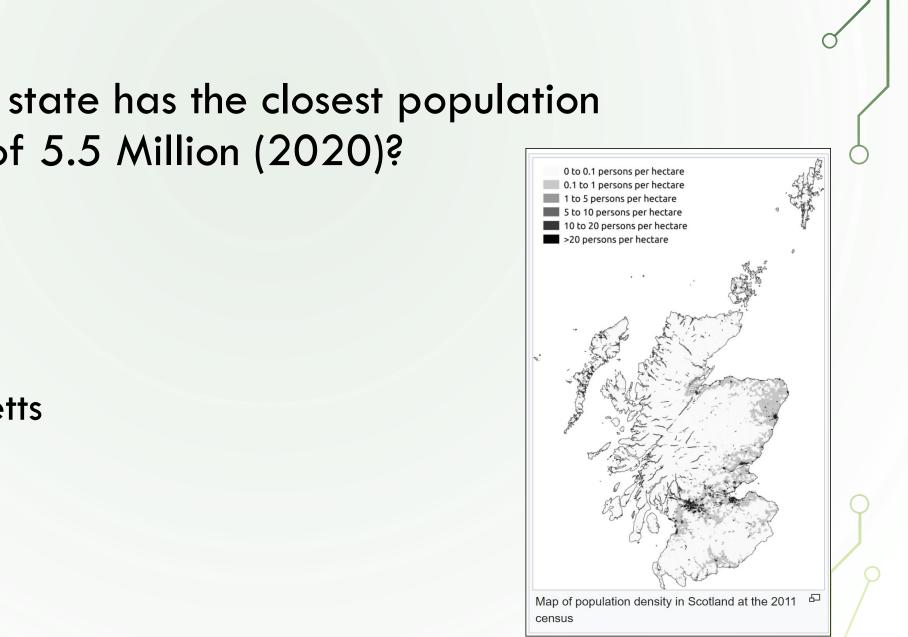
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https://statesymbolsusa.org/symbol-official-item/national-us/uncategorized/states-size



4. Which US state has the closest population to Scotland of 5.5 Million (2020)?

A.Alabama

**B.** Connecticut

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E. Wisconsin

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A.Alabama – 4.8 Million
B. Connecticut – 3.4 Million
C.Massachusetts – 6.5 Million
D.Michigan – 9.9 Million
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E. Wisconsin – 5.7 Million

#### 5. What % of the population of Scotland is over 65 (2018)?

A. 19% **B.** 22% **C.** 25%

D. 30%

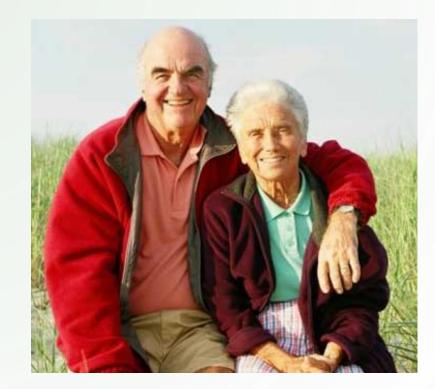
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https://www.nrscotland.gov.uk/files/statistics/population-estimates/mid-18/mid-year-pop-est-18-pub.pdf

6. In 2019, what was the largest overseas-born group in Scotland (ONS estimates)?

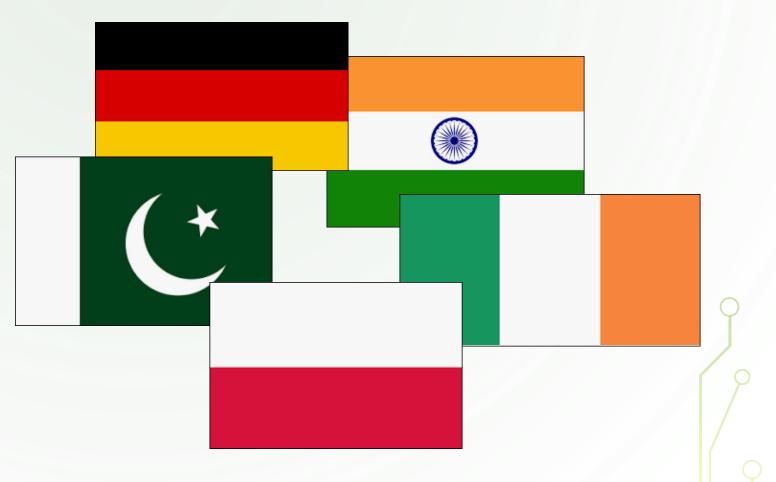
A.India

B. Ireland

C.Germany

D. Pakistan

E. Poland



### 6. In 2019, what was the largest overseas-born group in Scotland (ONS estimates)?

A.India – 25,000

B. Ireland – 18,000

C.Germany – 24,000

**D.** Pakistan – 23,000

E. Poland – 80,000

F. "ONS"  $\rightarrow$  Office of National Statistics

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Demography\_of\_Scotland#cite\_note-19

7. In 2018, what was the number one selling Scotch in Scotland (according to golf.com)?

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### A. "The Famous Grouse, aka The Low Flying Bird It's the top selling blend in Scotland.

- B. Dewar's, aka The Drinking Man's Scotch Best seller in the U.S., top five in the world.
- C. Bell's, aka Afore Ye Go Top mover in the U.K. overall.
- D. Whyte & Mackay, aka Pride of Glasgow Related to Bones, according to 23andMe.
- E. Johnnie Walker, aka Johnnie Walker Most widely distributed whisky on the planet."

https://golf.com/news/which-scotch-do-scots-drink-exploring-whisky-in-the-home-of-golf/

### 8. In 2019, to where was the most Scotch Whisky Exported By VALUE (<u>after</u> the United States)?

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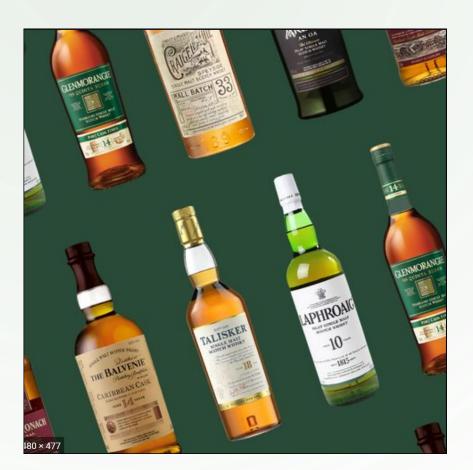
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**1.**USA: £1,069m +2.8% on 2018

**2.France:** £432m -2.4% on 2018

3.Singapore: £300m -6.3% on 2018

4.Taiwan: £205m +22% on 2018

5.Germany: £184m +5.6% on 2018

5. Spain: £180m +4.8% on 2018

**6.** India: £166m +19.7% on 2018

**7.** Japan: £147m +16.1% on 2018

8. Latvia: £142m +8.1% on 2018

**9.** Mexico: £121m -8.1% on 2018

 $\rightarrow$  "m" is millions: £121m=£121,000,000

https://www.scotch-whisky.org.uk/newsroom/scotch-whisky-exports-surge-amidst-backdrop-of-tariff-uncertainty

9. What is the most popular Takeaway in Scotland (According to <u>Scottish Field</u> in 2019)?

A. Chinese Food

B. Chippy

C. Hamburgers

D.Indian

E. Italian



### 9. What is the most popular Takeaway in Scotland (2019)?

A. Chinese Food – 44%

B. Chippy – 8%



C.Hamburgers – Dè? (What?) D.Indian – 21%

E. Italian – 12%

https://www.scottishfield.co.uk/food-and-drink-2/the-surprising-cost-of-scotlands-takeaway-meals/

#### 10. What is the National Anthem of Scotland?

- A. Auld Lang Syne
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- C. Flower of Scotland
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- E. A Man's A Man for A' That
- F. Scotland the Brave
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 $https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/National\_anthem\_of\_Scotland$ 

 $\mathcal{O}$ Add up your scores! Who has 10 correct? Who has 9 correct? 8 correct? 7 or less?

Tiebreaker **#1** – According to the <u>Edinburgh Evening</u> <u>News</u>, what was the most popular story 2020?

- A. RBS loses Edinburgh woman's safe deposit box containing 'irreplaceable' jewels - including mother's rare sapphire and father's World War II medals
- B. Alex Salmond Inquiry: Does Nicola Sturgeon have something to hide? It's starting to look like it – Alex Cole-Hamilton MSP
- C. Coronavirus in Scotland: Takeaway and click-and-collect services hit by new restrictions
- D. Edinburgh single mum, 25, in 'disbelief' at Lothian Buses over £5 pick up fee for son's lost lunchbox

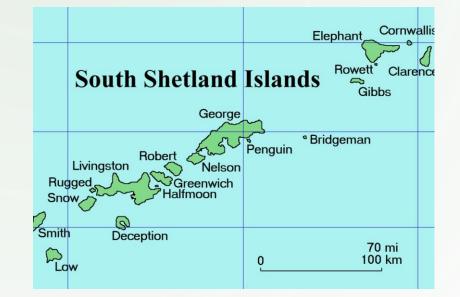
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- C. #4 Coronavirus in Scotland: Takeaway and click-and-collect services hit by new restrictions
- D. #5 Edinburgh single mum, 25, in 'disbelief' at Lothian Buses over £5 pick up fee for son's lost lunchbox

https://www.edinburghnews.scotsman.com/news/people/edinburgh-evening-news-2020-review-look-back-our-most-popular-stories-year-3072023

Tiebreaker **#2** – How far is it, in miles, from the Scottish Mainland to the South Shetland Islands?

- A. 58.5 MI
- **B.** 106 MI
- C. 217 MI
- D. 326.7 MI
- E. 8,725 MI



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Cornwallis Elephant 61°S Rowett Clarenc **South Shetland Islands** Gibbs George 62°S <sup>o</sup> Bridgeman Penguin Robert Livingston Nelson Rugged Greenwich Snow 63°S Smith Deception 70 mi Low 100 km

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The South Shetland Islands are a group of Antarctic islands with a total area of 3,687 km2 (1,424 sq mi). They lie about 120 km (75 mi) north of the Antarctic Peninsula, and between 430 km (270 mi) to 900 km (560 mi) southwest from the nearest point of the South Orkney Islands.

Argentina

Antarctica / Smith Island (South Shetland Islands)

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South\_Shetland\_Islands

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#### E.Over 500 → 550!



https://www.visitscotland.com/see-do/active/golf/

#### And the Winners are: "Shelby Team"

- Ann Campbell
- Faith Frederick
- Bob Giles
- Louise Giles
- Cathy Hasse
- Tim Reade

The Winner receives a \$5 Gift Certificate to Panera Bread!



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### **Trivia Questions**

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#### Scotland Today Topics [For planning, not shown]

#### • Government

- Prime Minister #1
- Brexit #2
- Geography
  - Land Mass #3
- Population
  - Population #4
- Diversity
  - Age #5
  - Cultural #6

- Whisky
  - Drank in Scotland #7
  - Exported #8
- Appetite/Food #9
- National Anthem #10
- Tiebreakers
  - 1. Most Popular Story of 2020
  - 2. South Shetland Islands
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