

LET US LOOK AT MALAWI



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Where is Malawi located?

AFRICA



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What are its neighboring countries?

What is the Capital City?



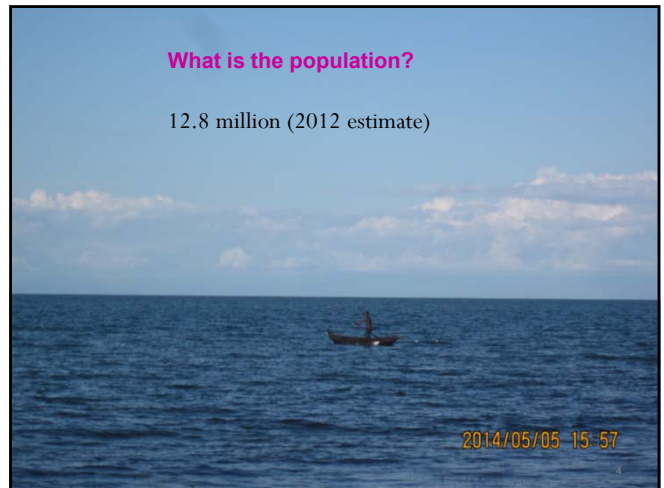
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What is the population?

12.8 million (2012 estimate)



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Symbol on flag?

Dawn of hope & freedom

Indigenous people

Blood of our struggle

Evergreen nature of Malawi



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Official language?

English

Common language?

Chichewa

What is the greeting in Chichewa?

Allo

Choni

Response: ikomo

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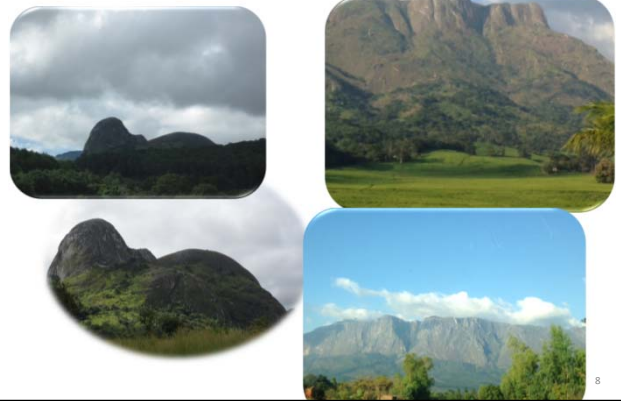
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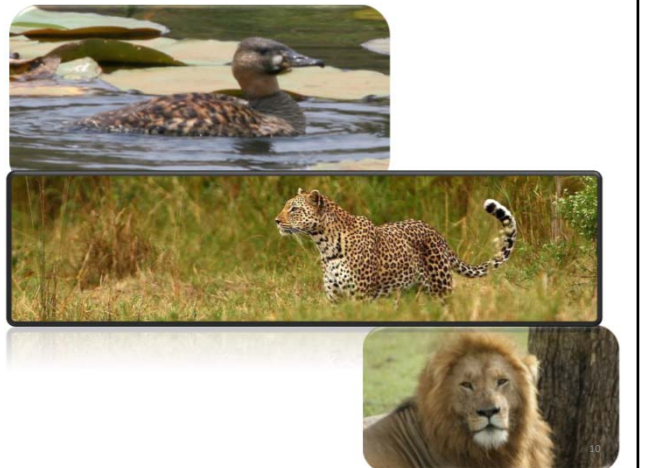


What natural resources is Malawi endowed with?

Breathtaking mountains!



Diverse wildlife



Abundant Fisheries Resources



Agricultural land



Abundant water resources



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Lake Malawi

- ❑ 3rd deepest freshwater lake in the world
- ❑ 9th largest freshwater lake in the world (29,500Km²)
- ❑ Great tourist destination



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Lake Malawi

- ❑ Contains the greatest freshwater fish biodiversity in the world & 90% is unique to this lake alone



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Environmental Challenges

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Deforestation & Soil Erosion



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Water resources degradation & depletion



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Fisheries resources depletion

Waste



What do you think are the causes of these environmental problems?

- ☐ High levels of poverty – (Poverty headcount ratio 50.7%, World Bank 2010)
- ☐ Rapid population growth
- ☐ Low awareness/education levels
- ☐ Climate change

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Discussion

*Scientists are saying there may be oil in Lake Malawi.
Do you think this is good news or bad news?*

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Culture

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What is the staple food?



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Made from...



DRY CORN



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FLOUR - UFA



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Drying Ufa



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What other foods do Malawians enjoy?



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Are Malawians Religious?

- ☐ 75% Christians
- ☐ 13% Muslims
- ☐ The rest include indigenous beliefs & other practices



Traditional Dances



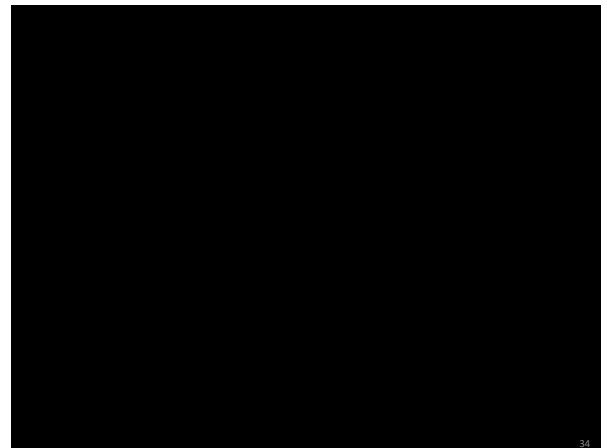
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The People?

- ☐ Happy
- ☐ Peaceful
- ☐ Genuinely friendly



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Malawi's Nickname?



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Discussion

- ☐ What are the major differences with your culture?
- ☐ Are there any similarities with your culture?
- ☐ Do you have any other thoughts or comments?

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THANK YOU!!!

ZIKOMO!!!!

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