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People	Region	Population +	Modern language +	Predominant religion +			
Turkish people Mesiherian Turks System Turks Egyptian Turks West Thrace Muslim Minosty in Greece Algorida Turks Iracji Turkmen	Turley, Germany, Algele, Ison, Bulgale, Georgie, Syrie, Yugoshnie, Grece	70 M	Tutish	Sunni Islam and Alevian			
Azerbaijanis	Azerbaijan Republic, Iran, Iraq, Turkey, Russia, Georgia	35 M	Azerbaijani	Shia Islam			
Uzbeks	Uzbekistan, Afghanistan, Tajikistan, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Turkmenistan, Pakistan	28.3 M	Uzbek	Sunni Islam			
Kazakhs	Kazakhstan, Russia, China, Uzbekistan	13.8 M	Kazakh	Sunni Islam			
Uyghuns	China (Vinjiang), Kazakhstan, Uzbekistan, Kyrgyzstan, Turkey	9 M	Uyghur	Sunni Islam			
Turkmens	Turkmenistan, Iran, Afghanistan, Pakistan	8 M	Turkmen	Sunni Islam			
Tatars	Russia, Uzbekistan, Kazakhstan, Tajkistan, Poland, Lithuania, Finland	7 M	Tatar	Sunni Islam			
Kyrgyza	Kyrgyzstan, Afghanistan, Uzbekistan, China, Tajkistan	4.5 M	Kyegyz	Sunni Islam			
Bashkin	Russia, Uzbekistan, Kazakhstan	2 M	Bashkir	Sunni Islam			
Crimean Tatars	Ukraine (Crimea), Russia, Uzbekistan, Turkey, Romania	0.5 to 2 M	Crimean Tatar	Sunni Islam			
Ceshqai	Iran	1.7 M	Qashqai	Shia Islam			
Chuvashes	Russia	1.7 M	Chuvesh	Orthodox Christianity			
Karakalpaka	Uzbekistan, Kazakhstan, Turkmenistan	0.6 M	Karakalpok	Sunni Islam			
Yekuta	Russia	0.5 M	Sakha	Orthodox Christianity			
Kumyka	Russia	0.4 M	Kumyk	Sunni Islam			
Karacheys and Balkars	Russia, Turkey	0.4 M	Karachay-Balkar	Sunni Islam			
Tuvens	Russia	0.3 M	Tuvan	Tibetan Buddhism			
Gegeuze	Moldova, Greece	0.2 M	Gegeuz	Orthodox Christianity			
Turkic Karaibes and Krymchaiks	Lithuania, Poland, Russia, Turkey	0.2 M	Karaim and Krymchak	Judaiam			

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gözlük	göz + -lük	eyeglasses	Noun	yatmak	yat-mak	to lie down	Verb (infinitive
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gözlükçülük	göz + -lük + -çü + -lük	optician's trade	Noun	yatak	yat- + -ak	bed, place to sleep	Noun
çözlem	göz + -lem	observation	Noun	yatay	yat-+-ay	horizontal	Adjective
gőzlemci	göz + -lem + -ci	observer	Noun	yation	yat- + -gin	inclined to; stale (from lying too long)	Adjective
pözle-	göz + -le	observe	Verb (order)	yatır-	yat- + -(/)r-	lay down	Verb (order)
pözlemek	göz + -le + -mek	to observe	Verb (infinitive)	yatırmak	yat- + -(/)r-mak	to lay down something/someone	Verb (infinitiv
pözetlemek	göz + -et + -le + -mek	to peep	Verb (infinitive)	yatınm	yat+ + -(i)r+ + -(i)m	laying down; deposit, investment	Noun
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5. Cami Dün Gökhan Kirdi.							
6.Cami Al	hmet Dür	n Kirdi.					

Turkish Religion and Culture

 Tengrism – Gök Tanri: National Reigion. First one. Million Kök" = mavi, "Tengri"= Gökyüzü Same as Cenghizhan and Mongols Kırkın cikmasi, Tie a fabric to tree, hit to wooden 3 times to prevent bad things in future, kursun dökme (drop lead over head), drop water on moving car etc.
Budism
Manism: 8 century Uighurs . Light vs. darkness.
Judaism: Hazar Turks. Most of East Europe Jewish Origin is Hazar Turks.

6. Christianity:

7. Islam : Shia and Sunni. Kuran – Sunnah ? - Hadith ?













Turkish Religion and Culture



It is a common attitude in Turkey . When we visit old people, we kiss their hands and put it onto our forehead.



Sufism : Kiss Each Others' Hand Younger: Less Sinful Older: Worshiped More



Turkish Religion and Culture Kına Gecesi & Wedding





The night before the wedding day, the women among the family and the friends of the bride meet with wearing traditional clothes and turn around the bride singing and dancing with henna in their hands. They sing sadly and wait the bride to cry as she is leaving her house and family. Some piece of henna is also put into each of the women's palms in the meeting. It is called 'Henna Night' in our country.



Turkish Religion and CultureKaragöz&HacivatStaragöz@LacivatStaragöz@Lacivat

Another popular element of Turkish folklore is the shadow theater centered around the two characters of Karagöz and Hacivat, who both represent stock characters: Karagöz—who hails from a small village—is something of a country bumpkin, while Hacivat is a more sophisticated city-dweller. Popular legend has it that the two characters are actually based on two real persons who worked for Osman I,the founder of Ottoman Empire.

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Folk dance is our traditional dance and it can differ from region to region, and also the clothes are different in every region.

























