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The land		
Total Area (1 000 km²):	132	
Agricultural (1 000 km², 2003):	39.8	
Major regions/cities (thousand inhabitants, 2008):	Greater Athens (including Piraeus)	3 895
	Greater Thessaloniki	1 084
The people		
Population (thousands, 2008):	11 193	
Number of inhabitants per km² (2008):	85	
Net increase (2006/07):	0.4	
Total labour force (thousands, 2007):	4 917	
Unemployment rate (% of civilian labour force, 2009):	9.5	
The economy		
Gross domestic product in USD billion (2008):	334.7	
Per capita (PPP in USD):	27 945	
Exports of goods and services (% of GNI):	23.1	
Imports of goods and services (% of GNI):	31.9	
Monetary unit:	Euro	
The government		
System of executive power:	Parliamentary	
Type of legislature:	Unicameral	
Date of last general election:	October 2009	
Date of next general election:	2012	
State structure:	Unitary	
Date of entry into the EU:	1981	
Composition of the main chamber (Number of seats): (As of December 2011)	Pan-Hellenic Socialist Movement	153
	New Democracy	83
	Communist Party of Greece	21
	Popular Orthodox Rally	16
	Coalition of the Radical Left	9
	Independent	18
	Total	**300**

Note: 2007 unless otherwise stated.

Sources: OECD (2009), *Economic Survey of Greece;* OECD in Figures 2009, OECD (2009), *Employment Outlook 2009*, and OECD (2011), *Government at a Glance 2011*.

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