

Why Malta ?

“Malta has possibly the most attractive fiscal regime in the European Union...”

Malta has one of the best the best performing economies in the EU (3.30% growth in 2014)

Malta due to its political and economic stability and security, strong and effective legal system, unique and investor friendly fiscal regime, skilled, multi lingual and adaptable workforce, European culture, geographic location and flourishing tourist industry is ideally placed to attract foreign investment. Bank deposits from foreign investors are increasing steadily and as at end of March 2015 stood at €49 billion which is an increase of €7 billion from March 2014.

In addition, Malta has deep natural harbours and is strategically situated between Europe, Africa and Middle East. It has the world’s sixth largest ship register and services to the shipping industry include bunkering, ship repairs and chandelling and its Freeport Zone has the latest shipping terminal and storage facilities with a 24 hour service.



Malta has a well diversified and high tech industrial manufacturing base with an emphasis on products that require highly specialised personnel skills and quality control.

Malta has a burgeoning financial services sector which competes with other well established international financial centres and now contributes to 25% of the country’s GDP.

Malta has an attractive fiscal regime that has been approved by the EU Commission in 2006 and is fully compliant with EU rules.

Malta offers:

- Double tax treaties with more than 65 countries
- Full imputation tax system
- Full tax exemption for qualifying shareholding and patents
- Effective corporate tax rate of 5%
- No withholding tax on dividends, interest and royalties
- No thin capitalisation rules
- No Controlled Foreign Company (CFC) rules
- No transfer pricing rules
- No capital gains or wealth tax
- No entry or exit tax

Companies who have already established themselves in Malta include:

