

Bulgaria

TRAVEL GUIDE

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Overview

Bulgaria fits mountains, Black Sea coast, and thousands of years of history into one of Europe's most affordable countries. Sofia, the capital, sits at the foot of Vitosha and mixes Roman ruins with the golden domes of Alexander Nevsky Cathedral. Inland, Plovdiv's old town rises over a restored Ancient Theatre of Philippopolis, and Tsarevets rises above Veliko Tarnovo, Bulgaria's medieval capital. The Black Sea coast adds beach resorts and walled old towns like Nesebar Ancient City, while the Rila and Pirin mountains hold Orthodox monasteries such as Rila Monastery, hiking trails, and ski resorts.

Bulgaria suits travelers who want variety on a modest budget: Orthodox history, hiking and skiing, and seaside relaxation, all within a few hours' drive of each other. The country has used the same name since it was founded in 681, one of the oldest unbroken state names in Europe. It is a full **Schengen** member and switched to the **euro** in 2026, which makes border crossings and payments simple for visitors arriving from elsewhere in the EU.

Money & payments

Bulgaria uses the euro, which it adopted on 1 January 2026 after decades using the Bulgarian lev.

Currency

CURRENCY
€
EUR

1 EUR
1.114 USD
1 USD = 0.8976 EUR

Cards widely accepted

ATMs are common in every city and most towns, and card payments work almost everywhere in Sofia, Plovdiv, Varna, and the coastal resorts. Carry small cash amounts for rural villages, local minibuses, and some small guesthouses, where card readers are less common. Bulgaria remains one of the cheapest countries in the EU for food, transport, and accommodation.

Typical costs

Rough prices in touristic areas, per person

Hotel (double room, per night) mid-range hotel, double room	40 – 75 € $45 – $84
Dinner (mid-range restaurant) mid-range restaurant, per person	15 – 30 € $17 – $33
Inexpensive meal	6 – 9 € $7 – $10
Local beer 0.5 L, local draft	1.5 – 2.5 € $2 – $3
Coffee	1.8 – 3 € $2 – $3
Water 0.5 L bottle	0.6 – 1 € $1 – $1
Transit ticket single city ticket	0.8 – 1 € $1 – $1
Taxi (per km)	0.5 – 0.8 € $1 – $1

Tipping

Tipping in Bulgaria is appreciated but not obligatory. In restaurants, round up the bill or add about 10% for good service; card machines rarely have a built-in tip prompt, so leave cash or tell the server the total you want to pay. Taxi drivers expect a small round-up rather than a percentage. Tour guides and hotel staff welcome a few euros for good service, and tipping in bars is unusual.

Restaurant round up or ~10%	Optional
Taxi round up	Optional
Hotel a few euros for good service	Optional
Tour guide 5-10%	Optional
Bar	Not customary

Electricity

Bulgaria uses Type C and F plugs at 230 V / 50 Hz — standard European two-pin sockets. Most phone, camera, and laptop chargers already handle this voltage, so only travelers from outside continental Europe need an adapter.

ELECTRICITY



Type C

ELECTRICITY



Type F

230 V · 50 Hz

Language

Bulgarian is the official language, written in Cyrillic. Street signs and metro stops in Sofia and other tourist areas usually have Latin transliteration alongside Cyrillic, but menus and shop signs often do not, so recognizing a few Cyrillic letters helps with reading names and prices. English is common in hotels, restaurants, and shops in Sofia, Plovdiv, and the Black Sea resorts, and less common in villages and among older residents.

Useful phrases

Hello	Здравей Zdravey
Thank you	Благодаря Blagodarya
Please	Моля Molya
Yes	Да Da
No	Не Ne
Goodbye	Довиждане Dovizhdane
Excuse me	Извинете Izvinete
Sorry	Съжалявам Sazhalyavam
How much?	Колко струва Kolko struva
Where is...?	Къде е Kade e
Help	Помощ Pomosht
Cheers	Наздраве Nazdrave

Staying connected

If you have an EU or EEA mobile plan, it works in Bulgaria at no extra cost under EU roaming rules. Visitors from outside the EU can buy a prepaid SIM from A1, Vivacom, or Yettel at the airport or any city phone shop; bring your passport for registration. Coverage is reliable in cities and along the coast, with some gaps in remote mountain areas.

Safety & emergencies

Bulgaria is a safe country for tourists, with violent crime against visitors rare. The most common issues are pickpocketing on crowded transport and in tourist areas of Sofia, Plovdiv, and Black Sea resorts, plus occasional taxi overcharging for airport transfers — agree on a fare or use a metered or app-based taxi before you get in. Nightlife areas in resort towns can get rowdy in peak summer; keep an eye on drinks and belongings. The single emergency number 112 reaches police, ambulance, and fire across the country and is answered in English.

Emergency numbers

✱ GENERAL EMERGENCY
112

Health

Tap water is generally safe to drink in Sofia and other major cities; in small villages, or if in doubt, bottled water is cheap and widely available. Pharmacies, marked "Аптека," are common in cities and larger towns, and pharmacists often speak some English; look for a green cross sign. Late-night and 24-hour pharmacies operate on a rotation in larger cities. No special vaccinations are required for Bulgaria beyond routine immunizations; hikers spending time in forested areas in spring or summer should check for ticks afterward.

Visas & entry

Bulgaria is a full member of the Schengen area and the European Union. Citizens of EU and EEA countries can enter with a valid ID card or passport and stay indefinitely. Citizens of the United States, United Kingdom, Canada, Australia, and many other countries can enter visa-free for stays of up to 90 days within a 180-day period, the same rule that applies across the rest of the Schengen area. Travelers who need a visa can apply for a Schengen visa through a Bulgarian embassy or consulate before travel.

> Visa and entry requirements change frequently. Verify current requirements with the official immigration authority or your country's embassy before travel.

Etiquette

Bulgarians nod their head for "no" and shake it side to side for "yes" — the reverse of most other countries. Listen for a spoken да (yes) or не (no) alongside the gesture to avoid confusion. Dress modestly when visiting monasteries and churches: cover shoulders and knees, and women may be asked to cover their hair in some Orthodox churches. Greetings are usually a handshake; close friends

may exchange cheek kisses. Bargaining is not common in shops or restaurants, though it is sometimes accepted at outdoor markets for handmade goods. Photography is generally welcome, but ask before photographing people directly, especially in villages and at religious sites during services.

Holidays & opening hours

Public holidays can close banks, offices, and many shops, especially over Christmas, New Year, and Easter, which follows the Orthodox calendar and can fall later than in Western Europe. Transport and tourist services keep running on most holidays, but expect reduced schedules. Shops in cities are generally open daily including Sunday, though smaller shops and services may close on Sunday afternoons or take a longer midday break in smaller towns.

Public holidays

Jan 1	New Year's Day
Mar 3	Liberation Day
May 1	International Workers' Day
May 6	Saint George's Day
May 24	Saints Cyril and Methodius Day
Sep 6	Unification Day
Sep 22	Independence Day
Dec 24	Christmas Eve
Dec 25	Christmas Day
movable — Jan	Currency change day
movable — Apr/May	Easter Monday
movable — Apr/May	Easter Sunday
movable — Apr	Good Friday
movable — Apr/May	Holy Saturday

Getting around

- **By train**: Bulgarian State Railways (BDZ) connects major cities, including Sofia, Plovdiv, Varna, and Burgas, but journeys are slow compared with Western Europe; book tickets through BDZ.
- **By bus**: Intercity buses are faster than trains on most routes and reach towns that trains don't, including Veliko Tarnovo and Bansko.
- **By air**: Domestic flights are rare and rarely worth it, since Bulgaria is small enough to cross by road or rail in a few hours.
- **By car**: Renting a car is the easiest way to combine cities, mountains, and the coast in one trip; see the driving section below.

Sofia has a small metro system and a dense bus and tram network. Single tickets are sold at kiosks and validated on board, and some vehicles accept contactless card payment directly.

Driving

- **Speed limits**: 50 km/h in towns, 90 km/h on rural roads, and up to 140 km/h on the newest motorway sections — among the highest motorway limits in the EU.
- **Key rules**: Winter tires or snow chains can be required in poor conditions between November and March. The blood alcohol limit is 0.5 ‰, lower than in many Western countries.
- **Tolls and vignettes**: An electronic vignette ("vinetka") is required on motorways and most national roads for vehicles up to 3.5 tonnes. Buy it online before you drive at BGTOLL, at border crossings, or at petrol stations; a weekly pass covers a typical short visit.
- **Parking**: Paid parking zones operate in city centers, usually pay-by-app or by meter; free parking is common outside the centers.
- **Fuel**: Stations are self-service and take cards, though rural stations may be cash-only. Petrol is labeled A95H or A98H (A95/A98) and diesel as Дизел.
- **Electric vehicles**: Charging points are concentrated in Sofia, Plovdiv, and along the coast and motorways; coverage is thinner in rural mountain areas, so plan charging stops on longer road trips.

URBAN
50 km/h

RURAL
90 km/h

MOTORWAY
140 km/h

PETROL
A95H (A95), A98H (A98)

DIESEL
Дизел (Diesel)

Drive on the right

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Food & drink

Bulgarian meals lean on fresh vegetables, dairy, and grilled meat. Breakfast is often banitsa, a flaky pastry filled with cheese and eggs, eaten on the go with yogurt or ayran, a salted yogurt drink. Lunch and dinner usually start with a salad — shopska salad, made of tomatoes, cucumbers, peppers, and grated white cheese, is the best known — followed by grilled or stewed meat dishes like kavarma or kebapche. In summer, tarator, a cold cucumber-and-yogurt soup, is a common starter.

Bulgaria is proud of its dairy, especially thick, tangy Bulgarian yogurt, linked to the discovery of the Lactobacillus bulgaricus bacterium. Rakia, a strong fruit brandy usually made from grapes or plums, is the traditional drink for toasts and is often homemade in villages. Wine is also widely produced, particularly in the Thracian Valley and around Melnik in the southwest.

Locals eat at small family-run restaurants called mehana, which serve traditional dishes in a rustic setting, as well as at modern cafes and bakeries for quick snacks like banitsa or lukanka, a dry-cured sausage. Markets and bakeries are common for picking up cheap, filling food between sightseeing stops.

What to eat & drink

BREAKFAST

Banitsa · баница
Flaky pastry filled with cheese and eggs, the everyday Bulgarian breakfast.

Bulgarian yogurt · кисело мляко
Thick, tangy yogurt made with a bacterial culture first identified in Bulgaria.

LUNCH

Tarator · таратор
Cold soup of cucumber, yogurt, garlic, and dill, popular in summer.

DINNER

Kavarma · кавърма
Slow-cooked meat and vegetable stew, usually served bubbling in a clay pot.

Kebapche · кебапче
Grilled minced-meat roll, a staple grill dish across the country.

SNACKS & STREET FOOD

Lukanka · луканка
Flattened, air-dried pork sausage seasoned with black pepper and cumin.

DRINKS

Rakia · ракия
Strong fruit brandy, usually distilled from grapes or plums, drunk as a toast.

Ayran · айран
Salted, watered-down yogurt drink, common with grilled food.

SIGNATURE DISHES

Shopska salad · шопска салата
Tomatoes, cucumbers, peppers, and grated white cheese, Bulgaria's best-known salad.

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Where to explore

Bulgaria's most visited destinations run from the capital to the Black Sea coast and the mountains.

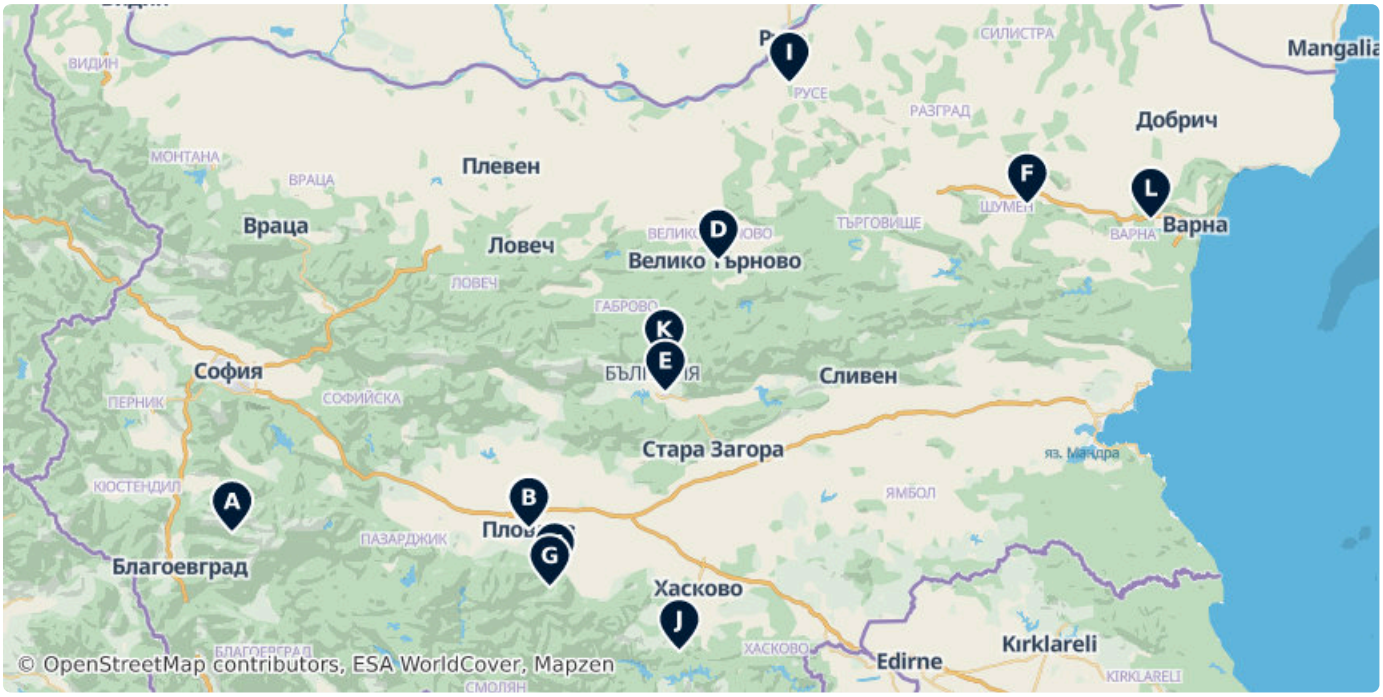
Cities: Sofia, the capital, mixes Roman ruins, Communist-era monuments, and Orthodox churches. Plovdiv, one of the oldest continuously inhabited cities in Europe, has a restored Roman theatre and an old town of 19th-century Revival houses. Veliko Tarnovo, Bulgaria's medieval capital, is built into a river gorge below the Tsarevets fortress.

Black Sea coast: Varna and Burgas are the main coastal cities, with beaches, nightlife, and ferry and cruise connections. Nearby, the walled old towns of Nesebar and Sozopol are smaller, quieter seaside destinations worth a day trip or overnight stay.

Mountains and villages: Bansko, at the foot of Pirin National Park, is Bulgaria's main ski resort and a summer hiking base. Koprivshtitsa is a preserved 19th-century village known for its role in the 1876 April Uprising and its colorful Revival-era houses.

Bulgaria Essentials

Bulgaria's landscape is defined by its diverse historical layers, from the 4th-century BC frescoes of the Thracian Tomb of Kazanlak to the 2nd-century Roman theater and stadium in Plovdiv. This selection includes spiritual centers like the 10th-century Rila Monastery and the rock-hewn churches of Ivanovo. Medieval power is represented by the Tsarevets fortress and the Madara Rider relief. Modern history is marked by the brutalist Buzludzha Monument, while natural phenomena like the Pobiti Kamani stone desert offer a contrast to the country's architectural heritage.



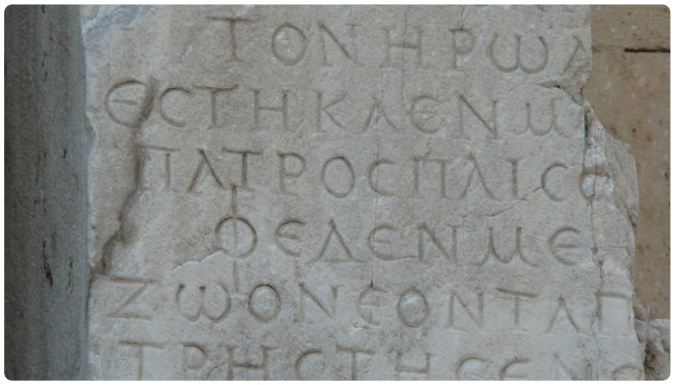


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Kyustendil Province, Bulgaria (42.13340, 23.34005)

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B Roman amphitheatre

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1 улица Хемус, Пловдив 4000, Bulgaria (42.14690, 24.75110)



C Old Town

The old town in Plovdiv is an architectural and historical reserve located on three of Plovdiv's hills: Nebet Tepe, Dzhambaz Tepe and...

Staria Grad, 4000 Plovdiv, Bulgaria (42.15022, 24.75026)

oldplovdiv.com, +359 (0) 32 63 33 80



D Tsarevets

Tsarevets is a medieval stronghold located on a hill with the same name in Veliko Tarnovo in northern Bulgaria.

Велико Търново (43.08336, 25.65134)

tsarevets.eu, +359886056565



E Thracian Tomb of Kazanlak

The Thracian Tomb of Kazanlak is a vaulted-brickwork "beehive" tomb that is located near the town of Kazanlak in central Bulgaria.

6100 Казанлък (42.62573, 25.39916)

Mo–Su 09:00–17:00

muzei-kazanlak.org/index.php, +35943164750



F Madara Rider

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Bulgaria (43.27737, 27.11889)



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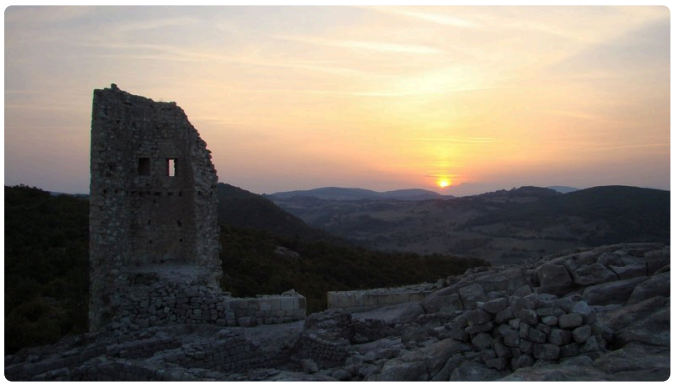
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K Buzludzha Monument

The Monument House of the Bulgarian Communist Party, also known as the Buzludzha Monument (), was built on Buzludzha Peak in central...

Bulgaria (42.73574, 25.39363)



L Pobiti Kamani (The Stone Desert)

Pobiti Kamani, also known as The Stone Desert, is a desert-like rock phenomenon located on the north west Varna Province border in Bulgaria.

Bulgaria (43.22632, 27.70639)



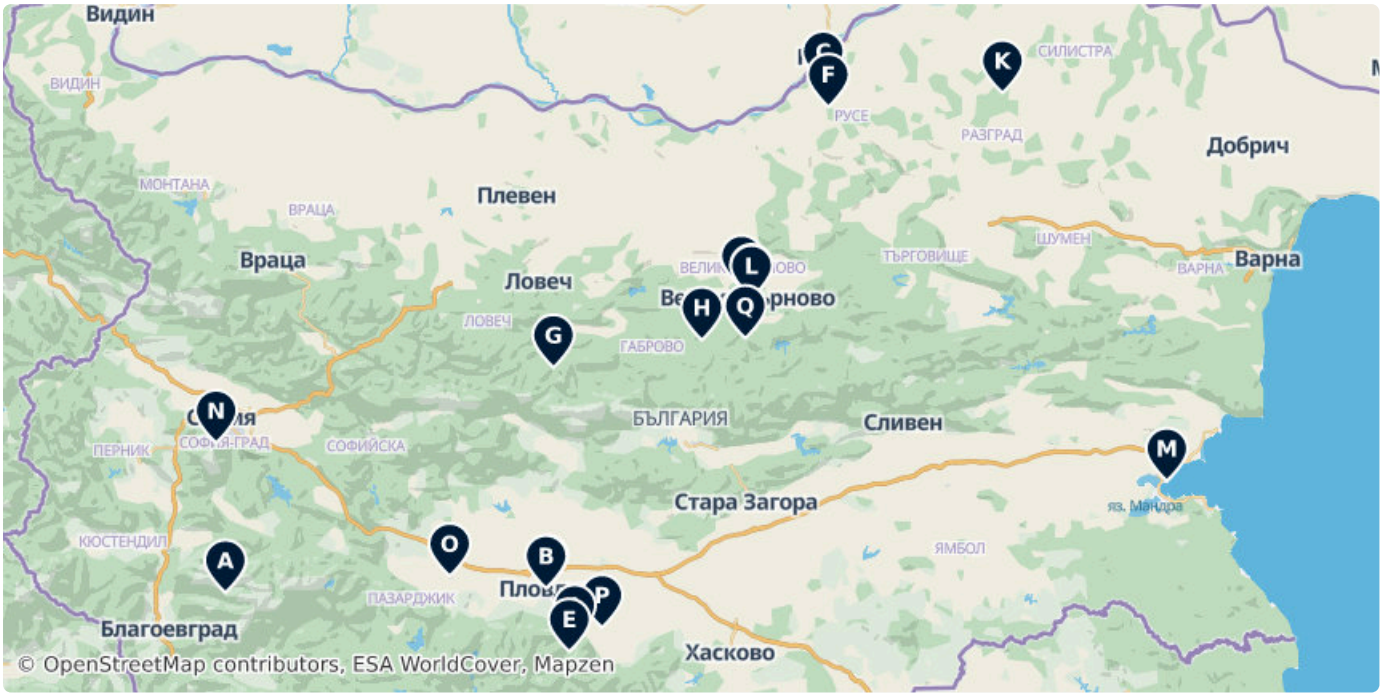
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Historic Monasteries & Churches

Bulgaria's spiritual landscape features a blend of Eastern Orthodox monasteries and Ottoman-era landmarks. This collection includes the UNESCO-listed Rila Monastery and the medieval rock-hewn churches of Ivanovo, known for their 14th-century frescoes. Significant sites from the Second Bulgarian Empire in Veliko Tarnovo sit alongside the 14th-century Djumaya Mosque in Plovdiv and the 16th-century Alevi mausoleum, Demir Baba Teke. These sites showcase diverse architectural styles, from Byzantine-influenced stone masonry to intricate wood carvings and defensive fortifications.





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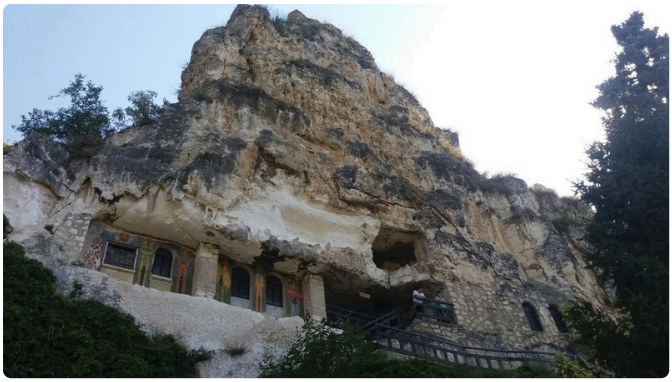
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B Djumaya Mosque

The mosque is an example of history in Plovdiv. The monumental minaret can be seen from far away.

Площад "Римски стадион", Капана, 4000 Plovdiv, Bulgaria (42.14793, 24.74834)



C Basarbovo Rock Monastery

The only active rock-hewn monastery in Bulgaria, this site dates back to the Second Bulgarian Empire. Located in the Rusenski Lom River valley, it features a rock-cut chapel, monk cells, and the tomb of Saint Dimitrius of Basarbovo.

(Unnamed Road), Bulgaria (43.76667, 25.96501)

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D St. Constantine and St. Helena Orthodox Church

The Church of St Constantine and Helena is a church in Plovdiv, Bulgaria. It is considered to be among the oldest churches in the city.

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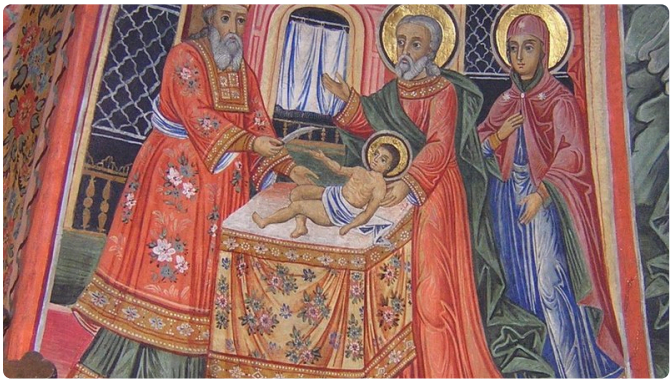
(Unnamed Road), Bulgaria (42.86187, 24.78073)



H Dryanovo Monastery

The Dryanovo Monastery is a functioning Bulgarian Orthodox monastery situated in the Andaka River Valley, in Bulgarka Nature Park in the...

(Unnamed Road), Дряновски манастир 5370, Bulgaria (42.95039, 25.43227)



I Transfiguration Monastery

The Transfiguration Monastery or the Monastery of the Holy Transfiguration of God is an Eastern Orthodox monastery located in the Dervent...

(Unnamed Road), Bulgaria (43.11662, 25.60685)



J Church of the Holy Mother of God

The Church of the Holy Mother of God is the popular name of a medieval Eastern Orthodox church located in Asen's Fortress.

Bulgaria (41.98698, 24.87384)



K Demir Baba Teke

Demir Baba Teke is a 16th-century Alevi mausoleum near the village of Sveshtari, Isperih municipality, Razgrad Province in northeastern...

Bulgaria (43.73861, 26.75207)



L Sv. 40 mcenici

Built in 1230 by Tsar Ivan Asen II to commemorate the victory at Klokotnitsa, this medieval Eastern Orthodox church served as a royal burial site. It houses significant historical artifacts, including the Omurtag and Asen columns with Proto-Bulgarian inscriptions.

18 улица Св. Климент Охридски, Велико Търново 5000, Bulgaria (43.08449, 25.64996)

st40martyrs.org



M St. Cyril and Metodius Church

One of the most famous church in Burgas is marvellous both from the outside and inside. It was built in 1899 and designed by Usta Gencho.

(42.49623, 27.47415)

Mo–Fr	08:30–20:00
Sa	08:30–15:00



N Dragalevtsi Monastery

Dragalevtsi Monastery of the Holy Mother of God of Vitosha is a Bulgarian Orthodox monastery on the lower slopes of Vitosha mountain on the...

Bulgaria (42.61897, 23.29899)



O Church of Virgin Mary

Church of the Dormition of the Mother of God is an Eastern Orthodox church located in Pazardzhik, Bulgaria.

50 булевард България, Пазарджик 4400, Bulgaria (42.18731, 24.32519)



P Arapovo Monastery

The Arapovo Monastery of Saint Nedelya is a Bulgarian Orthodox monastery lying some six kilometres east of the town of Asenovgrad in...

(Unnamed Road), Bulgaria (42.01988, 24.99345)



Q Kilifarevo Monastery

Established in 1348 as a major center for Hesychasm and medieval Bulgarian literature, this monastery was later rebuilt in the 19th century by the architect Kolyu Ficheto. It features the Church of Saint Demetrius and preserved National Revival period buildings.

Килифарски манастир 5055, Bulgaria (42.95602, 25.62266)



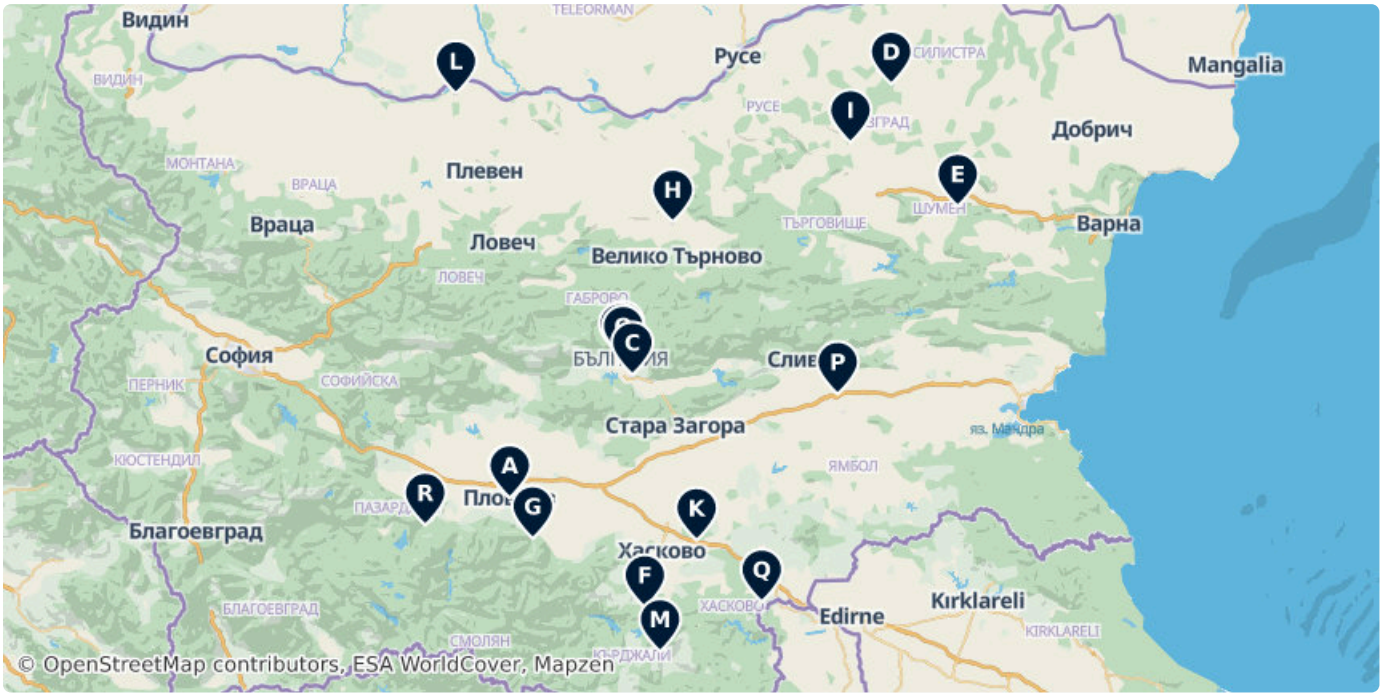
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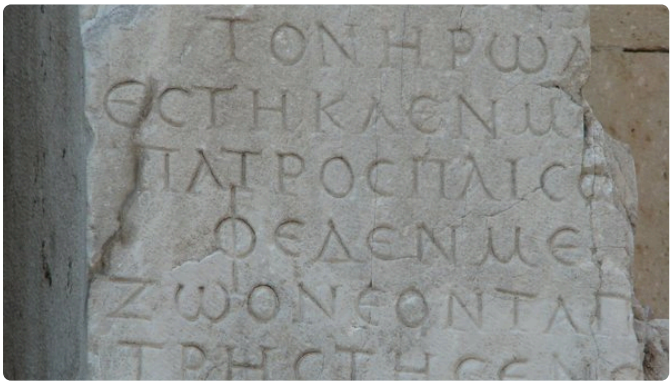
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Ancient Archaeological Sites

Bulgaria's archaeological landscape spans several millennia, featuring remarkably preserved Thracian, Roman, and medieval monuments. This collection includes UNESCO World Heritage sites like the Thracian Tomb of Kazanlak and the Madara Rider rock relief. Explore the ancient Thracian city of Perperikon, the exceptionally preserved Roman theatre and stadium in Plovdiv, and the strategic medieval strongholds of Asen's Fortress and Mezek. These sites showcase sophisticated beehive tomb architecture, Roman urban planning, and early medieval rock carvings.





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D Thracian Tomb Sveshtari

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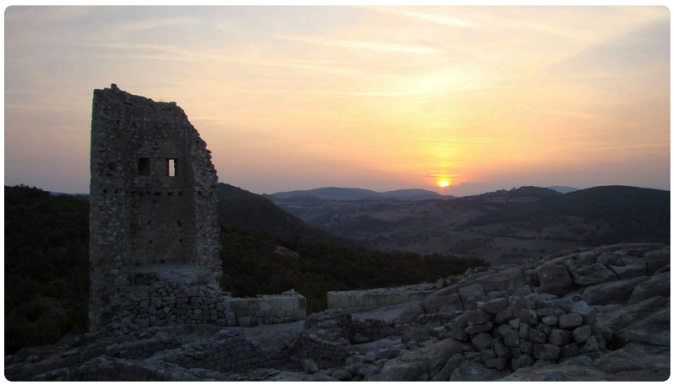
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H Nikopolis ad Istrum

Nicopolis ad Istrum or Nicopolis ad Iatrum was a Roman and Early Byzantine town.

Bulgaria (43.21676, 25.61300)

Apr-Oct Mo–Su 09:00–18:00
Nov-Mar Mo–Su Open 24/7



I Abritus

Abritus was an impressive Roman walled city and one of the biggest urban centres in the province of Moesia Inferior.

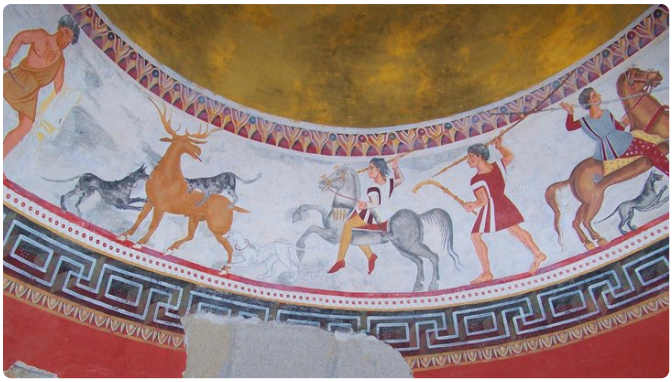
(Unnamed Road), Разград 7200, Bulgaria (43.52205, 26.55209)



J Tomb of Seuthes III

The Tomb of Seuthes III is located near Kazanlak, Bulgaria. Seuthes III was the King of the Odrysian Kingdom of Thrace from c. 331 to c. 300...

Bulgaria (42.70008, 25.33336)



K Aleksandrovo tumulus

The Aleksandrovo tomb is a Thracian burial mound and tomb excavated near Aleksandrovo, Haskovo Province, South-Eastern Bulgaria, dated to c...

(Unnamed Road), Bulgaria (41.97965, 25.73848)



L Oescus

Oescus, Palatiolon or Palatiolum was an important ancient city on the Danube river in Roman Moesia. It later became known as Ulpia Oescus.

Гиген 5970, Bulgaria (43.70935, 24.46717)



M Tatul Thracian surface tomb

Ancient Thracian sanctuary featuring a unique pyramid-shaped tomb carved into a massive rock monolith. Dating back to the late 5th century BC, the site is often associated with the cult of Orpheus and includes sacrificial altars and a medieval fortress.

Bulgaria (41.54183, 25.54546)



N Thracian tomb Shushmanets

The Thracian tomb at Shushmanets is a mound located in the Valley of the Thracian Rulers.

Bulgaria (42.70713, 25.34877)

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O Ostrusha mound

The Ostrusha mound is a Thracian burial tumulus near the Bulgarian town of Shipka. It was constructed in the middle of the 4th century BCE.

(Unnamed Road), Bulgaria (42.68981, 25.35099)

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P Kabyle (ancient city)

Cabyle or Kabile, also known as Calybe or Kalibe, is a town in the interior of ancient Thrace, west of Develtus, on the river Tonsus.

Bulgaria (42.55062, 26.48431)



Q Neutzikon (Mezek Fortress)

Mezek Fortress is a medieval stronghold constructed in the 11th and 12th centuries west of the modern village of Mezek, southeastern...

Мезек 6521, Bulgaria (41.73747, 26.08348)



R Krepost "Peristera"

Late Antique and medieval fortress located on Sveti Petka hill. The site features restored defensive walls and two unique watchtowers that were converted into churches during the 4th century, reflecting the transition from military to religious use.

(Unnamed Road), Пещера 4550, Bulgaria (42.03894, 24.30446)

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