Bosnia & Herzegovina in Europe

**BASIC INFORMATION**

**Location:** South-East Europe, in north-western part of Bosnia and Herzegovina (BiH)

**Surface:** 900 km² / 347.49 mi²

**Population:** 56,261

**Population density:** 68 inhabitants/km²

**Altitude:** 231 m above the sea

**Climate:** Continental

**Average temperature:** 20°C in the summer, 2°C in the winter

**Time zone:** CET (GMT + 1 hour)

**Currency:** BAM

**Exchange rate (related to €):** 1 € = 1,95583 BAM

**VAT:** 17%

**Tax on profit:** 10%

**TRANSPORT CONNECTIONS**

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<tr>
<th>Location</th>
<th>Distance to Bihać</th>
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<td>Zagreb, Croatia</td>
<td>150 km</td>
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<td>Banja Luka, BiH</td>
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<td>Rijeka, Croatia</td>
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<td>Ljubljana, Slovenia</td>
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<td>Kopar, Slovenia</td>
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<td>Sarajevo, BiH</td>
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**WHY TO INVEST IN BIHAĆ**

City of Bihać possesses:

- Favourable geographic position, with access to the market of over 600 million inhabitants
- Tradition in metal processing and wood processing industries
- Qualified and competitive labour force
- Acceptable land prices
- Abundance in natural resources
- Competitive overheads
- Taxes are among the lowest in the region
- Fast and efficient administration
- Liberal foreign trade regime with EU, CEFTA countries and Turkey

**AGRICULTURAL AND FOOD PROCESSING SECTOR**

- Production of cereals and fodder
- Production of vegetables and berry fruits
- Green house production
- Bee keeping
- Fishing
- Milk production

**STRUCTURE OF LAND SURFACES**

- Total surface is 35,809 ha
  - Arable land 13,441 ha
  - Orchards 538 ha
  - Meadows 10,175 ha
  - Grasslands 11,654 ha

**SIGNIFICANT LEGAL ENTITIES**

- “Meggle” Ltd. Bihać
- “Bihać brewery” joint stock co. Bihać
- “Leji Komerc” Ltd. Bihać
- “RIZ Krajina” Ltd. Bihać
- “Poljoprom” Ltd. Bihać
- “Amanita” Ltd. Bihać
- “EE-Commerce” Ltd. Bihać

**AGRICULTURAL SECTOR**

- Una-Sana Canton Government Support Program (agriculture, entrepreneurs zones etc.)
- Program of Federal Ministry of Agriculture, Water management and Forestry

**HUMAN RESOURCES**

- 9,015 persons-available labour force in Bihać
- 41,974 persons-available labour force in wider region
- University of Bihać

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