

# The River Danube in Hungary

Danube is **the longest** river in central Europe, and the **second longest river in Europe**.

It is a long „blue ribbon” flowing through Europe, connecting **nine countries**: Germany, Austria, Slovakia, Hungary, Croatia, Serbia, Bulgaria, the Ukraine and Romania.

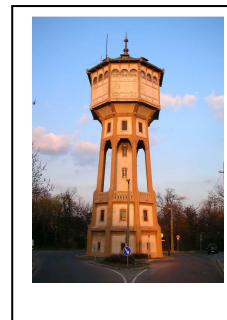
The Danube flows through **four capital cities**, more than any other river in the world Vienna, Bratislava, Budapest and Belgrade.

Through its long journey it has about **300 tributaries**

The river supplies many million people with water in households and industry.



It rises in **West Germany** in the **Black Forest** and reaches the Black Sea with a delta after 2,872 km.



There are many beautiful parts where you can enjoy

nature and wildlife



sports

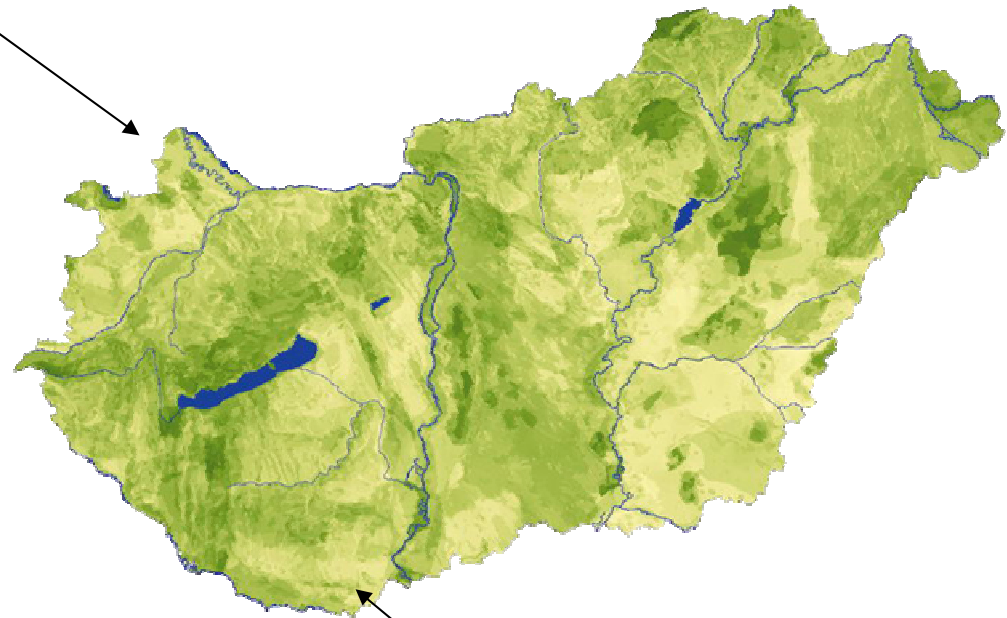


free time activities



The Danube is the main river of Hungary. The total length of the river from reaching the country to leaving it is 427 km.

Here she enters Hungary



Here she leaves Hungar

In winters she has a very different, but still beautiful view



At Budapest the river is 350 m wide and 3-10 m deep.



The view from the river is part of the Unesco Heritage.

Margaret island is a good place to have a walk.



You can reach it on foot or by boat.

In Budapest you can cross the Danube on nine bridges which all have different names.


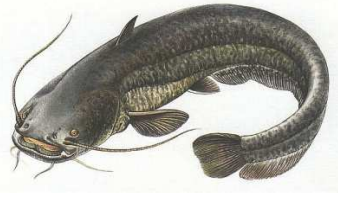




Chainbridge/Lánchíd is the oldest

and most well-known one.



There are many interesting fish living in the Danube

			
carp	catfish	pike	crucian

The soup made from different fish is a famous dish at Baja.



Flood comes nearly every year.



It can block the traffic for days in the city



and can cause big damage in the country.

