



WELCOME TO FINLAND



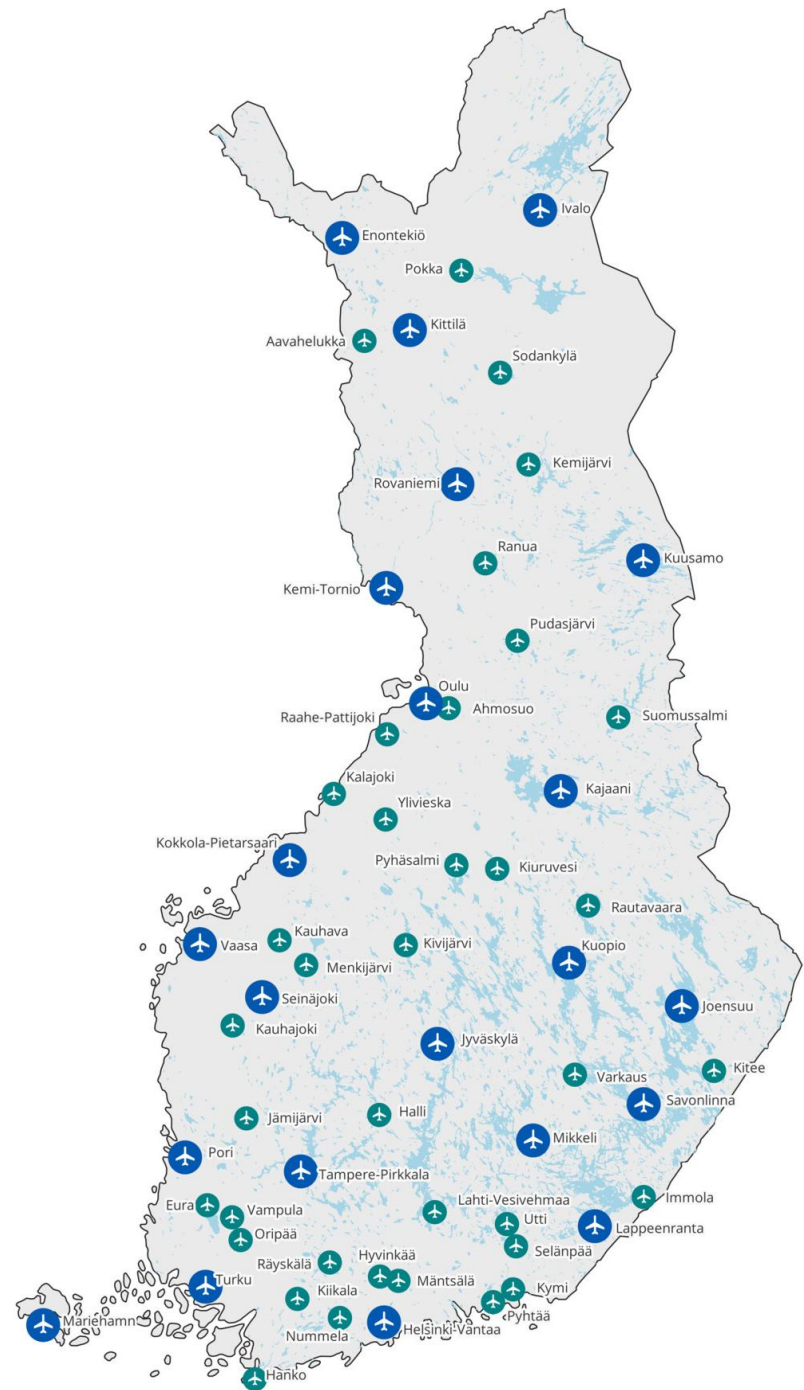
A MAGICAL TOUCH OF NORTH





DISTANCES & MAIN AIRPORTS

- Length: 1498 km (as Italy or Chile)
- Area: 338 455 km² (as Poland or Norway)
- **Helsinki (HEL) – Rovaniemi (RVN) Lapland**
850 km | 9,5h non-stop drive | 1:15 flight | 8-12h day/night train
- **Helsinki (HEL) – Ivalo (IVL) Lapland**
1110 km | 13h non-stop drive | 1:30 flight | no train connection
- **Helsinki (HEL) – Kittilä (KTT) Lapland**
975 km | 11,5h non-stop drive | 1:35 flight | no train connection
- **Helsinki (Hel) – Kuusamo (KAO)**
800 km | 9,5h non-stop drive | 1:45 flight | no train connection
- **Helsinki (HEL) – Oulu (OUL)**
630 km | 8h non-stop drive | 1:10 flight | 6,5-9h train
- **Helsinki (HEL) – Kajaani (KAJ)**
560 km | 7h non-stop drive | 1:20 flight | 6,5h train
- **Helsinki (HEL) – Jyväskylä (JYV) Kuopio (KUO) Joensuu (JOE)**
300 – 450 km | 4-5h non-stop drive | good train connections
- **Helsinki – Tampere**
180 km | 2h non-stop drive | good train connections
- **Helsinki – Turku (TKU)**
170 km | 2h non-stop drive | good train connections



FACTS

- **Time zone:** UTC +2 normal, +3 summer
- **Currency:** Euro €
- **Official Languages:** Finnish & Swedish, Sámiš – English well spoken
- **Population:** 5.6 milj., 1.4 milj in capital area
- **Parliamentary republic** independence 6.12.1917 (public holiday)
- **Religions:** Evangelical Lutheran Church 63,6 %, Orthodox 1%, unaffiliated 33,6% + other minors as Islam, Judaism, Buddhism, Hinduism
- **Forests:** 75% of land area is covered by forests
- **Land of Lakes:** 187 888 lakes
- **Saunas:** over 2 milj. saunas are integral part of Finnish culture
- **Midnight Sun:** summertime phenomenal
- **Arctic Night:** wintertime phenomenal
- **Aurora Borealis** = Northern Lights
- **Safety:** one of the safest countries in the world. Very low crime rate.
- **Sisu:** stoic determination, bravery, resilience, hardiness
- **Trust:** in Finland we have this thing called "reilu meininki" [fair play]
- **Minimum Small talkers:** in social situations, Finns might avoid unnecessary chatter and focus on meaningful conversations. Small talk is not as common, and silence is perfectly acceptable.





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SPRING

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More daylight

Warmer Southern days

Sunny Northern days



SUMMER

Archipelago

Lakeland

Midnight sun

Events





AUTUMN

Lapland

Forests

Berries

Nature

Northern lights



WINTER

Lapland
Santa Clause
Ski Resorts
Snow shoeing
Reindeers
Huskies
Ice & snow fun



HEALTHY FOOD AND DRINKABLE TAP WATER



WELLBEING



COOL EXPERIENCES











SPORTS





Kon-Tiki Tours | Kon-Tiki Finland DMC

- 100% Finnish Travel Agency
- Established 1995
- Owner/CEO Mr. Timo Saranpää
- Offices: Helsinki, Rovaniemi
- Employees total 12
- Kon-Tiki Tours | outgoing
- Kon-Tiki Sport Travel | outgoing & incoming
- Kon-Tiki Finland DMC | incoming
- Specialized for tailor made groups

- IATA Accredited
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- Visit Rovaniemi partner



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