

With a length of about **2850 km**, the Danube is the **second longest river in Europe**. The Danube is also the only river in Europe that runs from **west to east**. It crosses **Germany → Austria → Slovakia → Hungary → Croatia → Serbia → Romania → Bulgaria → Republic of Moldova → Ukraine**.



The **Danube region**, on the other hand, consists of **14 countries** instead of 10 and is home to around **115 million people**.