BUSINESS FRIENDLY MUNICIPALITY SOUTH EAST EUROPE

Jablanica

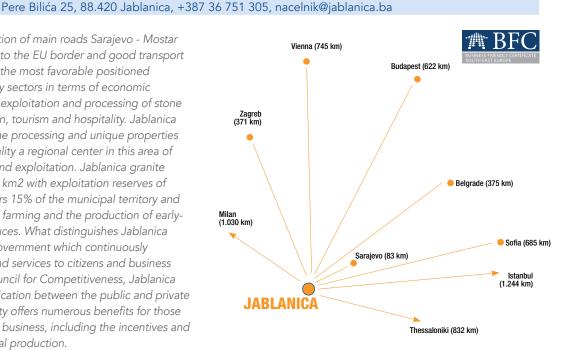
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Bosnia and Herzegovina, 43°39'N 17°46'E Location Croatia (92 km) **Border Crossings Population** 10.111 301 km²; 15,7% arable land, 68,65% forests, 15,65% roads and other **Territory Budget** € 4,13 million, 35% of capital investments

Jablanica is located at the intersection of main roads Sarajevo - Mostar and Mostar - Banja Luka. Proximity to the EU border and good transport connections rank Jablanica among the most favorable positioned municipalities in the region. The key sectors in terms of economic development potential include the exploitation and processing of stone and gypsum, agricultural production, tourism and hospitality. Jablanica has a hundred-year tradition in stone processing and unique properties of granite stone make the municipality a regional center in this area of work, with 9 locations of research and exploitation. Jablanica granite covers an area of approximately 17 km2 with exploitation reserves of 800,000 m2. Agricultural land covers 15% of the municipal territory and has enormous potential for organic farming and the production of earlyseason vegetables and other produces. What distinguishes Jablanica from its peers is its efficient local government which continuously works on improving its efficiency and services to citizens and business community. Through Municipal Council for Competitiveness, Jablanica has established extensive communication between the public and private sector. Furthermore, the municipality offers numerous benefits for those wishing to develop or expand their business, including the incentives and support for start-ups and agricultural production.









HUMAN RESOURCES

Total work force: 7.059, unemployment rate: 53,7%

Average gross salary: € 486,60 per month

Education: 10,5% college or university degree; 66,2% high school; 23,3% elementary and

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Schools and faculties: Universities in Sarajevo (22 faculties) and Mostar (18 faculties), high school in Jablanica



Number of businesses: 223 companies, 353 entrepreneurs Size of businesses: 99,9% small, 0,01% middle-sized

Dominant industries: Preparation and serving of food, trade, stone processing industry,

construction industry

Major companies: Babić (construction, BiH), Voće promet (wholesale of food, beverages

and tobacco, BiH)



Highways: Indirect access to E 73 via M17 – distance 47 km

Main roads: M17 and M16

Railroad lines: Direct access to line Ploče - Jablanica - Zagreb

Ports: Distance from ports in Ploče – 115 km, Split – 162 km, Brčko – 250 km

Airports: Distance from international airports in Sarajevo – 78 km, Tuzla – 179 km, Split

162 km, Dubrovnik – 202 km, Zagreb – 371 km



BUSINESS ZONE UNIS – GORNJA KOLONIJA

Size, purpose and ownership 12.200 m², business zone for SME's, public and private ownership

Location Distance from city center 1km, next to regional road R 419 Jablanica-Posušje

Infrastructure Access road, water, sewerage, high voltage electricity

Price and type of acquisition $6.5 \in / \text{ m}^2$, purchase

Local incentives Financial incentives for startups, production activities and commerce