

The logo for the Bermuda Business Development Agency (BDA) features the letters 'BDA' in a large, bold, white sans-serif font, set against a dark blue rectangular background.

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## IN A NUTSHELL

### Why is Bermuda a leading global finance centre?

**Bermuda not only is a stable, business-friendly, tax-neutral paradise to live and work in, but the island also helps support global jobs and economies**

**REPUTATION:** blue-chip legacy thanks to democratic, stable, business-friendly government

**REGULATION:** regulatory system globally recognised for leadership in compliance, transparency

**LEGISLATION:** 400-year-old English common law system with recourse to the UK Privy Council

**TAX-NEUTRAL:** consumption-based system supports island's infrastructure, with zero income, corporate, withholding, or capital-gains taxes

**LOCATION:** convenient Atlantic Time zone, with direct daily flights to major gateway cities

**DESTINATION:** ranked one of the world's most pristine sub-tropical islands, with high standard of living, attracting global business talent plus high-end tourism

**MULTI-INDUSTRY:** a global hub for (re)insurance, ILS, captive insurance, trust and private client, funds, capital markets, shipping, aviation, bio-med, technology, and start-up industries

**GLOBALISATION:** supporting more than a half-million jobs worldwide and over \$50 billion in trade to powerhouse nations, Bermuda plays a critical role in the global economy, including coverage of billions of dollars' worth of catastrophic risks and rebuilding of major cities and coastlines