

# Position

Cyprus is the third largest island in the Mediterranean, after Sicily and Sardinia, with an area of 9,251 sq. km (3,572 sq. miles).

It is situated at the north-eastern corner of the Mediterranean, at a distance of 300 km north of Egypt, 105 km west of Syria, and 75 km south of Turkey. Greece lies 380 km to the north-west (Rhodes – Karpathos).

Cyprus lies at a latitude of  $34^{\circ} 33'$  –  $35^{\circ} 34'$  North and longitude  $32^{\circ} 16'$ –  $34^{\circ} 37'$  East.



The geophysical map of Cyprus