

# MÉXICO



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# CAPITAL:

México City is the largest urban center in the country, as well as the main political, academic, economic, fashion, financial, business and cultural center. It is located in the Valley of Mexico at an altitude of 2,240 meters and has an area of 1,485 square kilometers, divided into 16 delegations. The population of the capital is around 8.8 million inhabitants, according to the definition agreed by the federal and state governments, the capital together with its metropolitan area (Metropolitan Area of the Valley of Mexico) add up to more than 21 million inhabitants. , which makes it the third largest urban agglomeration in the world, the largest in the American continent and the most populated Spanish-speaking city on earth.

# CLASSIC FOODS:

Tacos. Corn is the main ingredient in most of the dishes you will eat in Mexico and tacos are probably the clearest exponent. ... Tlayuda. ... Tortilla chips. ... Mass. ... Escamoles and grasshoppers. ... Lime soup. ... Tamales. ... Enchiladas.

# FESTIVALS AND CARNAVALS

Mazatlán. Photo: Mazatlán International Carnival. ... Veracruz. Photo: Carnival of Veracruz. ... Campeche. Photo: Campeche Carnival. ... Merida. Photo: Merida Carnival Committee. ... Ensenada. Photo: Ensenada Carnival.

## TIPICAL COSTUMES:

What are the typical costumes of Mexico? Veracruz: Jarocho suit. Jalisco: Charro costume. Nahuatl: Aztec. Nuevo León: "Elegant wardrobe" Puebla: Costume of the Puebla China. Chiapas: Parachicos Costume and Chiapanecas Costume. Yucatán: Terno suit and mestizo suit. San Luis Potosí: The Huastecas.



## curious fact

The celebration of the Day of the Dead is older than the arrival of the Spaniards, as there is evidence of its celebration in cultures such as the Mexica, Mayan, Purépecha, and Totonaca.