



Administrative division Costa Rica

Division by Province

Estimation 2022

Province	ISO 3166-2	Capital	Area km ²	Population	Density Persons/km ²
Alajuela	CR-A	Alajuela	10.127,7	1.035.464	102,2
Cartago	CR-C	Cartago	3.124,7	545.092	174,4
Guanacaste	CR-G	Liberia	10.140,8	412.808	40,7
Heredia	CR-H	Heredia	2.657,0	479.117	180,3
Limón	CR-L	Puerto Limón	9.188,5	470.383	51,2
Puntarenas	CR-P	Puntarenas	11.265,7	500.166	44,4
San José	CR-SJ	San José	4.966,0	1.601.167	322,4
Total			51.470,4	5.044.197	98,0

Division by Cantón

Estimation 2022

Cantón	HASC	Province	Capital	Area km ²	Population	Density Persons/km ²
Abangares	GU.AB	Guanacaste	Las Juntas	675,8	22.211	32,9
Acosta	SJ.AC	San José	San Ignacio	342,2	22.542	65,9
Alajuela	AL.AL	Alajuela	Alajuela	758,3	322.143	424,8
Alajuelita	SJ.AL	San José	Alajuelita	21,2	81.012	3.821,3
Alvarado	CA.AL	Cartago	Pacayas	81,1	17.134	211,3
Aserrí	SJ.AS	San José	Aserrí	167,1	59.588	356,6
Atenas	AL.AT	Alajuela	Atenas	127,2	30.407	239,0
Bagaces	GU.BA	Guanacaste	Bagaces	1.273,5	23.709	18,6
Barva	HE.BA	Heredia	Barva	53,8	47.699	886,6
Belén	HE.BE	Heredia	San Antonio	12,2	23.759	1.947,5
Buenos Aires	PU.BA	Puntarenas	Buenos Aires	2.384,2	50.562	21,2
Cañas	GU.CN	Guanacaste	Cañas	682,2	31.738	46,5
Carrillo	GU.CR	Guanacaste	Filadelfia	577,5	48.227	83,5
Cartago	CA.CA	Cartago	Cartago	287,8	165.417	574,8
Corredores	PU.CO	Puntarenas	Neily	620,6	51.023	82,2
Coto Brus	PU.CB	Puntarenas	San Vito	933,9	46.351	49,6
Curridabat	SJ.CU	San José	Curridabat	16,0	71.026	4.439,1
Desamparados	SJ.DE	San José	Desamparados	118,3	223.226	1.886,9
Dota	SJ.DO	San José	Santa Maria	400,2	9.364	23,4
El Guarco	CA.EG	Cartago	El Tejar	167,7	47.375	282,5
Escazú	SJ.ES	San José	Escazú	34,5	71.500	2.072,5
Esparza	PU.ES	Puntarenas	Esparza	216,8	34.808	160,6
Flores	HE.FL	Heredia	San Joaquín	7,0	22.026	3.146,6
Garabito	PU.GA	Puntarenas	Jacó	316,3	26.672	84,3
Goicoechea	SJ.GO	San José	Guadalupe	31,5	132.104	4.193,8
Golfito	PU.GO	Puntarenas	Golfito	1.754,0	44.086	25,1
Grecia	AL.GR	Alajuela	Grecia	141,5	76.226	538,7
Guácimo	LI.GU	Limón	Guácimo	576,5	49.606	86,0
Guatuso	AL.GU	Alajuela	San Rafael	758,3	18.316	24,2
Heredia	HE.HE	Heredia	Heredia	282,6	131.901	466,7
Hojancha	GU.HO	Guanacaste	Hojancha	261,4	8.224	31,5
Jiménez	CA.JI	Cartago	San Viñas	286,4	18.710	65,3
La Cruz	GU.LC	Guanacaste	La Cruz	1.383,9	26.829	19,4
La Unión	CA.LU	Cartago	La Unión	44,8	99.539	2.221,9
León Cortés Castro	SJ.LC	San José	San Pablo	120,8	13.553	112,2
Liberia	GU.LI	Guanacaste	Liberia	1.436,5	80.130	55,8
Limón	LI.LI	Limón	Puerto Limón	1.765,8	116.457	66,0
Los Chiles	AL.LC	Alajuela	Los Chiles	1.358,9	34.701	25,5
Matina	LI.MA	Limón	Matina	772,6	45.329	58,7
Montes de Oca	SJ.MO	San José	San Pedro	15,2	53.862	3.543,6
Montes de Oro	PU.MO	Puntarenas	Miramar	244,8	16.395	67,0
Mora	SJ.MR	San José	Ciudad Colón	162,0	32.348	199,7

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Moravia	SJ.MV	San José	San Vicente	28,6	59.546	2.082,0
Nandayure	GU.NA	Guanacaste	Carmona	565,6	11.874	21,0
Naranjo	AL.NA	Alajuela	Naranjo	126,6	46.647	368,5
Nicoya	GU.NI	Guanacaste	Nicoya	1.333,7	66.268	49,7
Oreamuno	CA.OR	Cartago	San Rafael	202,3	48.911	241,8
Orotina	AL.OR	Alajuela	Orotina	141,9	24.217	170,7
Osa	PU.OS	Puntarenas	Ciudad Cortés	1.930,2	36.088	18,7
Palmares	AL.PA	Alajuela	Palmares	38,1	39.148	1.027,5
Paraíso	CA.PA	Cartago	Paraíso	411,9	65.941	160,1
Parrita	PU.PA	Puntarenas	Parrita	478,8	20.068	41,9
Pérez Zeledón	SJ.PZ	San José	San Isidro	1.905,5	156.917	82,3
Poás	AL.PO	Alajuela	San Pedro	73,8	36.207	490,6
Pococí	LI.PO	Limón	Guápiles	2.403,5	146.320	60,9
Puntarenas	PU.PU	Puntarenas	Puntarenas	1.842,3	141.697	76,9
Puriscal	SJ.PU	San José	Santiago	553,7	38.525	69,6
Quepos	PU.AG	Puntarenas	Quepos	543,8	32.416	59,6
Río Cuarto	AL.RC	Alajuela	Río Cuarto	254,5	14.418	56,7
San Carlos	AL.SC	Alajuela	Quesada	3.348,0	198.742	59,4
San Isidro	HE.SI	Heredia	San Isidro	27,0	22.806	844,7
San José	SJ.SJ	San José	San José	44,6	352.381	7.900,9
San Mateo	AL.SM	Alajuela	San Mateo	125,9	6.952	55,2
San Pablo	HE.SP	Heredia	San Pablo	7,5	29.860	3.981,3
San Rafael	HE.SR	Heredia	San Rafael	48,4	48.848	1.009,3
San Ramón	AL.SR	Alajuela	San Ramón	1.018,6	93.264	91,6
Santa Ana	SJ.SA	San José	Santa Ana	61,4	58.020	945,0
Santa Bárbara	HE.SB	Heredia	Santa Bárbara	53,2	39.133	735,6
Santa Cruz	GU.SC	Guanacaste	Santa Cruz	1.312,3	72.366	55,1
Santo Domingo	HE.SD	Heredia	Santo Domingo	24,8	45.932	1.852,1
Sarapiquí	HE.SA	Heredia	Puerto Viejo	2.140,5	67.153	31,4
Siquirres	LI.SI	Limón	Siquirres	860,2	63.765	74,1
Talamanca	LI.TA	Limón	Bribri	2.809,9	48.906	17,4
Tarrazú	SJ.TA	San José	San Marcos	297,5	17.810	59,9
Tibás	SJ.TI	San José	San Juan	8,2	74.592	9.096,6
Tilarán	GU.TI	Guanacaste	Tilarán	638,4	21.232	33,3
Turrialba	CA.TU	Cartago	Turrialba	1.642,7	82.065	50,0
Turrubares	SJ.TU	San José	San Pablo	415,3	6.173	14,9
Upala	AL.UP	Alajuela	Upala	1.580,7	57.361	36,3
Valverde Vega	AL.VV	Alajuela	Sarchí Norte	120,3	21.562	179,2
Vázquez de Coronado	SJ.VC	San José	San Isidro	222,2	67.078	301,9
Zarcero	AL.AR	Alajuela	Zarcero	155,1	15.153	97,7
Total				51.470,4	5.044.197	98,0

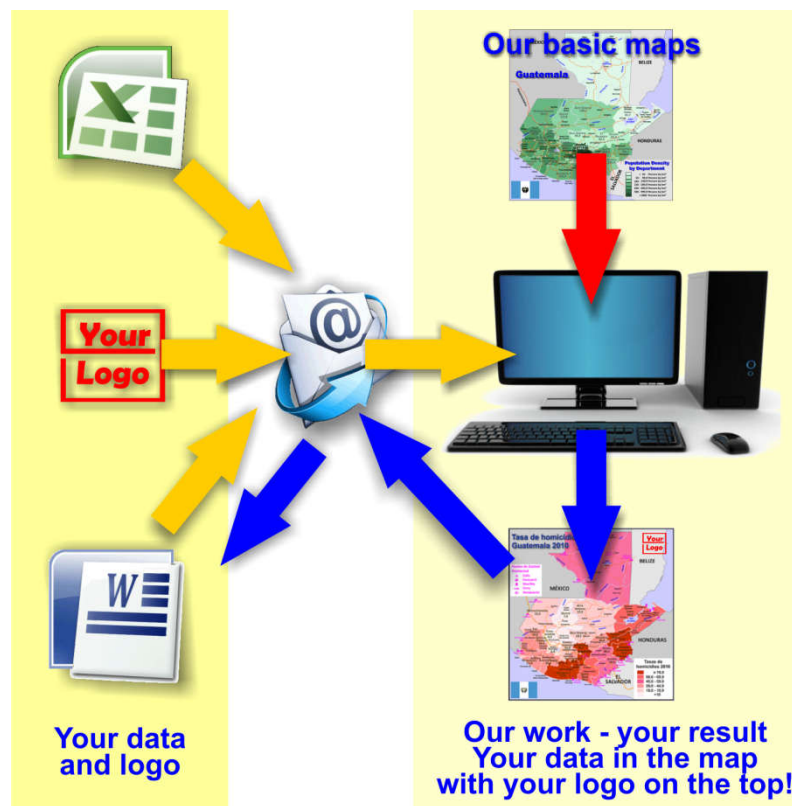
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