

MEXICO

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Politics

- United Mexican States

Type of Government:

- Federal Republic (31 states)

Executive Branch:

- Chief of state: Enrique Peña Nieto
- Elections held every 6 years

Legislative Branch

- National Congress (128 Senate)
- Chamber of Deputies (500)

Judicial Branch

- Supreme Court of Justice

Pressure Groups

- National Syndicate of Education Workers or SNTE
- Roman Catholic Church



Economy

- Economic freedom score is 66.4= 59th freest in the 2015 Index.
- North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA).
- Trading with 46 countries

GDP (PPP):

\$1.8 trillion

1.1% growth

1.8% 5-year compound annual growth

\$15,563 per capita

Resources for GDP:

- **agriculture:** 3.5% (corn, cotton)
- **industry:** 36.4% (oil, tobacco)
- **services:** 60.1% (2014 est.; labour)

Unemployment:

5.0%



1 USD= 17 pesos

1 GBP= 25 pesos

Society

Language:

- Spanish only 92.7%
- 150 dialects and variations (Mayan, Nahuatl)

People:

- 118.4 million= 12 in the world
- Life expectancy 80
- Highest in child obesity

Culture

- 16 September
- Day of the Dead

Religion

- Roman Catholic 82.7%



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