

Brazil, 1800

Colony of Portugal



Quickworld Factoid

Official Name : State of Brazil
Status : Colony of Portugal
Active : ca. 1550 - Present
Capital : Rio de Janeiro
Land Area : 7,815,000 sq km - 3,018,000 sq mi
World Region : North Atlantic Ocean, South America, South Atlantic Ocean
Coordinates : 14°14'S 54°23'W

Conflicts and Disputes

Territorial Disputes (3)

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| Dispute between Brazil and Peru | Dispute between Brazil and Venezuela | Disputes between Brazil and Paraguay |
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Territories under Foreign Claim (2)

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| French Guiana Claim in Brazil | Paraguayan Claim in Mato Grosso |
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Dependent Territories

Outlying Territories (1)

Fernando de Noronha

Administrative Subdivisions

Captaincies (14)

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| Bahia | Ceará | Goias |
| Grão-Pará | Maranhão | Mato Grosso |
| Minas Gerais | Paraíba | Pernambuco |
| Piauí | Rio de Janeiro | Rio Grande do Norte |
| Santa Catarina | São Paulo | |

Former Dependencies and Subdivisions

Dependencies (1)

Sacramento Colony

Names

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Common Name :

Brazil

Brasil (*Portuguese*)

Official Name :

State of Brazil

Estado do Brasil (*Portuguese*)

Former Names :

Governorate General of Brazil - ca. 1550 - 13 June 1621

Governo-Geral do Brasil (*Portuguese*) - ca. 1550 - 13 June 1621

Demonym : Brazilian

Physical Geography

World Region : North Atlantic Ocean, South America, South Atlantic Ocean

Area

Land : 7,795,000 sq km - 3,010,000 sq mi

Wetlands : 20,780 sq km - 8,025 sq mi

Freshwater : 112,400 sq km - 43,420 sq mi

Maritime Inland Waters : 47,580 sq km - 18,380 sq mi

Total Land : 7,815,000 sq km - 3,018,000 sq mi

Total Inland Waters : 160,000 sq km - 61,800 sq mi