

Countries and capitals of Africa

All 54 countries, A to Z. Where a country lists more than one seat, the note says why.

COUNTRY	CAPITAL	COUNTRY	CAPITAL
 Algeria	Algiers	 Libya	Tripoli
 Angola	Luanda	 Madagascar	Antananarivo
 Benin	Porto-Novo / Cotonou ¹	 Malawi	Lilongwe
 Botswana	Gaborone	 Mali	Bamako
 Burkina Faso	Ouagadougou	 Mauritania	Nouakchott
 Burundi	Gitega ²	 Mauritius	Port Louis
 Cabo Verde	Praia	 Morocco	Rabat
 Cameroon	Yaounde	 Mozambique	Maputo
 Central African Republic	Bangui	 Namibia	Windhoek
 Chad	N'Djamena	 Niger	Niamey
 Comoros	Moroni	 Nigeria	Abuja
 Côte d'Ivoire	Yamoussoukro / Abidjan ³	 Republic of the Congo	Brazzaville
 Democratic Republic of the Congo	Kinshasa	 Rwanda	Kigali
 Djibouti	Djibouti	 Senegal	Dakar
 Egypt	Cairo	 Seychelles	Victoria
 Equatorial Guinea	Malabo	 Sierra Leone	Freetown
 Eritrea	Asmara	 Somalia	Mogadishu
 Eswatini	Mbabane / Lobamba ⁴	 South Africa	Pretoria / Cape Town / Bloemfontein ⁵
 Ethiopia	Addis Ababa	 South Sudan	Juba
 Gabon	Libreville	 Sudan	Khartoum
 Gambia	Banjul	 São Tomé and Príncipe	São Tomé
 Ghana	Accra	 Tanzania	Dodoma ⁶
 Guinea	Conakry	 Togo	Lome
 Guinea-Bissau	Bissau	 Tunisia	Tunis
 Kenya	Nairobi	 Uganda	Kampala
 Lesotho	Maseru	 Zambia	Lusaka
 Liberia	Monrovia	 Zimbabwe	Harare

¹ Benin: Porto-Novo is the official capital; Cotonou is the seat of government.

² Burundi: Gitega became the political capital in 2019; Bujumbura remains the economic capital.

³ Côte d'Ivoire: Yamoussoukro is the official capital; Abidjan is the seat of government and largest city.

⁴ Eswatini: Mbabane is the administrative capital; Lobamba is the legislative and royal capital.

⁵ South Africa: Three capitals: Pretoria is the executive seat, Cape Town the legislative seat, and Bloemfontein the judicial seat.

⁶ Tanzania: Dodoma is the official capital; Dar es Salaam remains the largest city and commercial centre.

Countries and capitals of Asia

All 48 countries, A to Z. Where a country lists more than one seat, the note says why.

COUNTRY	CAPITAL	COUNTRY	CAPITAL
 Afghanistan	Kabul	 Maldives	Male
 Armenia	Yerevan	 Mongolia	Ulaanbaatar
 Azerbaijan	Baku	 Myanmar	Naypyidaw
 Bahrain	Manama	 Nepal	Kathmandu
 Bangladesh	Dhaka	 North Korea	Pyongyang
 Bhutan	Thimphu	 Oman	Muscat
 Brunei	Bandar Seri Begawan	 Pakistan	Islamabad
 Cambodia	Phnom Penh	 Palestine	Ramallah ³
 China	Beijing	 Philippines	Manila
 Cyprus	Nicosia	 Qatar	Doha
 Georgia	Tbilisi	 Saudi Arabia	Riyadh
 India	New Delhi	 Singapore	Singapore
 Indonesia	Jakarta	 South Korea	Seoul
 Iran	Tehran	 Sri Lanka	Sri Jayawardenepura Kotte / Colombo ⁴
 Iraq	Baghdad	 Syria	Damascus
 Israel	Jerusalem ¹	 Tajikistan	Dushanbe
 Japan	Tokyo	 Thailand	Bangkok
 Jordan	Amman	 Timor-Leste	Dili
 Kazakhstan	Astana	 Turkmenistan	Ashgabat
 Kuwait	Kuwait City	 Türkiye	Ankara
 Kyrgyzstan	Bishkek	 United Arab Emirates	Abu Dhabi
 Laos	Vientiane	 Uzbekistan	Tashkent
 Lebanon	Beirut	 Vietnam	Hanoi
 Malaysia	Kuala Lumpur ²	 Yemen	Sanaa

¹ Israel: Capital status is disputed. Israel designates Jerusalem as its capital; most states keep their embassies in Tel Aviv.

² Malaysia: Kuala Lumpur is the capital; Putrajaya is the federal administrative centre.

³ Palestine: Capital status is disputed. Ramallah is the administrative seat; Palestine claims East Jerusalem as its capital.

⁴ Sri Lanka: Sri Jayawardenepura Kotte is the legislative capital; Colombo is the commercial centre and executive seat.

Countries and capitals of Europe

All 44 countries, A to Z. Where a country lists more than one seat, the note says why.

COUNTRY	CAPITAL	COUNTRY	CAPITAL
 Albania	Tirana	 Luxembourg	Luxembourg
 Andorra	Andorra la Vella	 Malta	Valletta
 Austria	Vienna	 Moldova	Chisinau
 Belarus	Minsk	 Monaco	Monaco
 Belgium	Brussels	 Montenegro	Podgorica
 Bosnia and Herzegovina	Sarajevo	 Netherlands	Amsterdam ¹
 Bulgaria	Sofia	 North Macedonia	Skopje
 Croatia	Zagreb	 Norway	Oslo
 Czechia	Prague	 Poland	Warsaw
 Denmark	Copenhagen	 Portugal	Lisbon
 Estonia	Tallinn	 Romania	Bucharest
 Finland	Helsinki	 Russia	Moscow
 France	Paris	 San Marino	San Marino
 Germany	Berlin	 Serbia	Belgrade
 Greece	Athens	 Slovakia	Bratislava
 Hungary	Budapest	 Slovenia	Ljubljana
 Iceland	Reykjavik	 Spain	Madrid
 Ireland	Dublin	 Sweden	Stockholm
 Italy	Rome	 Switzerland	Bern ²
 Latvia	Riga	 Ukraine	Kyiv
 Liechtenstein	Vaduz	 United Kingdom	London
 Lithuania	Vilnius	 Vatican City	Vatican City

¹ Netherlands: Amsterdam is the constitutional capital; the government sits in The Hague.

² Switzerland: Bern is the federal city. The Swiss constitution names no capital.

Countries and capitals of North America

All 23 countries, A to Z. Where a country lists more than one seat, the note says why.

COUNTRY	CAPITAL	COUNTRY	CAPITAL
 Antigua and Barbuda	Saint John's	 Haiti	Port-au-Prince
 Bahamas	Nassau	 Honduras	Tegucigalpa
 Barbados	Bridgetown	 Jamaica	Kingston
 Belize	Belmopan	 Mexico	Mexico City
 Canada	Ottawa	 Nicaragua	Managua
 Costa Rica	San Jose	 Panama	Panama City
 Cuba	Havana	 Saint Kitts and Nevis	Basseterre
 Dominica	Roseau	 Saint Lucia	Castries
 Dominican Republic	Santo Domingo	 Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	Kingstown
 El Salvador	San Salvador	 Trinidad and Tobago	Port of Spain
 Grenada	Saint George's	 United States	Washington, D.C.
 Guatemala	Guatemala City		

Countries and capitals of South America

All 12 countries, A to Z. Where a country lists more than one seat, the note says why.

COUNTRY	CAPITAL
 Argentina	Buenos Aires
 Bolivia	Sucre / La Paz ¹
 Brazil	Brasilia
 Chile	Santiago
 Colombia	Bogota
 Ecuador	Quito
 Guyana	Georgetown
 Paraguay	Asuncion
 Peru	Lima
 Suriname	Paramaribo
 Uruguay	Montevideo
 Venezuela	Caracas

¹ Bolivia: Sucre is the constitutional capital; La Paz is the seat of government.

Countries and capitals of Oceania

All 14 countries, A to Z. Where a country lists more than one seat, the note says why.

COUNTRY	CAPITAL
 Australia	Canberra
 Fiji	Suva
 Kiribati	Tarawa
 Marshall Islands	Majuro
 Micronesia	Palikir
 Nauru	Yaren ¹
 New Zealand	Wellington
 Palau	Ngerulmud
 Papua New Guinea	Port Moresby
 Samoa	Apia
 Solomon Islands	Honiara
 Tonga	Nuku'alofa
 Tuvalu	Funafuti
 Vanuatu	Port Vila

¹ Nauru: Nauru has no official capital. Government offices are in Yaren.