



Country Fact Sheet Mexico

| LAND AND POPULATION | Year | Value | Unit | | | | | | | | | |
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| Area | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Country total area | 2016 | 196 438 | 1 000 ha | | | | | | | | | |
| Cultivated area (arable land + permanent crops) | 2016 | 25 187 | 1 000 ha | | | | | | | | | |
| Population | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total population | 2015 | 127 017 | 1 000 | | | | | | | | | |
| Population density | 2016 | 64.66 | inhab/km ² | | | | | | | | | |
| Rural population | 2015 | 27 772 | 1 000 | | | | | | | | | |
| Economically active population in agriculture | 2014 | 7 720 | 1 000 | | | | | | | | | |
| As % of total economically active population | 2014 | 14.27 | % | | | | | | | | | |
| RENEWABLE WATER RESOURCES (RWR) | Year | Value | Unit | | | | | | | | | |
| Long-term average annual precipitation | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Depth | | 758 | mm/year | | | | | | | | | |
| Volume | | 1 489 | km ³ /year | | | | | | | | | |
| Long-term average annual RWR | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Internal (IRWR) | | 409 | km ³ /year | | | | | | | | | |
| External (ERWR) | | 52.88 | km ³ /year | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Actual (TRWR) | | 461.9 | km ³ /year | | | | | | | | | |
| Dependency ratio | | 11.53 | % | | | | | | | | | |
| TRWR per capita | 2014 | 3 637 | m ³ /year | | | | | | | | | |
| Total dam capacity | 2011 | 150 | km ³ | | | | | | | | | |
| WATER WITHDRAWAL | Year | Value | Unit | | | | | | | | | |
| By sector | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agricultural | 2016 | 66.05 | km ³ | | | | | | | | | |
| Municipal | 2016 | 12.58 | km ³ | | | | | | | | | |
| Industrial | 2016 | 7.951 | km ³ | | | | | | | | | |
| Total | 2016 | 86.58 | km ³ | | | | | | | | | |
| Total water withdrawal per capita | 2016 | 681.6 | m ³ | | | | | | | | | |
| By source | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Surface water withdrawal | 2015 | 52.35 | km ³ | | | | | | | | | |
| Groundwater withdrawal | 2015 | 33.31 | km ³ | | | | | | | | | |
| Total freshwater withdrawal | 2016 | 86.58 | km ³ | | | | | | | | | |
| Desalinated water produced | 2008 | 0.0191 | km ³ | | | | | | | | | |
| Direct use of treated municipal wastewater | 2011 | 0.804 | km ³ | | | | | | | | | |
| Direct use of agricultural drainage water | | - | km ³ | | | | | | | | | |
| Pressure on water resources | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total freshwater withdrawal as % of TRWR | 2016 | 18.74 | % | | | | | | | | | |
| Agricultural water withdrawal as % of TRWR | 2016 | 14.3 | % | | | | | | | | | |
| IRRIGATION AREAS | Year | Value | Unit | | | | | | | | | |
| Area equipped for irrigation | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Full control irrigation | 2009 | 6 460 | 1 000 ha | | | | | | | | | |
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| Equipped lowland areas | | - | 1 000 ha | | | | | | | | | |
| Spate irrigation | | - | 1 000 ha | | | | | | | | | |
| Total area equipped for irrigation | 2009 | 6 460 | 1 000 ha | | | | | | | | | |
| As % of cultivated area | 2009 | 25.03 | % | | | | | | | | | |
| Area actually irrigated | 2007 | 5 439 | 1 000 ha | | | | | | | | | |
| As % of area equipped for irrigation | 2007 | 86.06 | % | | | | | | | | | |

Notes: 1 km³ = 10⁹ m³ = 1 000 million m³; 1 ha = 1 hectare = 10 000 m²