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CAJAS NATIONAL PARK, GUAYAQUIL AND MOLLETURO ROAD

SAN PEDRO DEL CEBOLLAR, RACAR AND SININCAY ROAD

CHIQUINTAD, CHECA, MULTI, PACCHA, OCTAVIO CORDERO, LLACAO AND SIDCAY ROAD

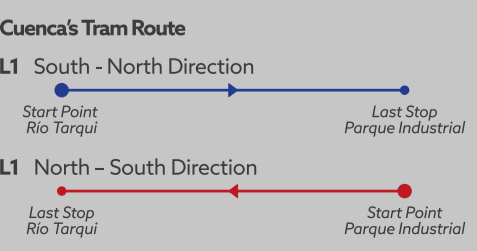
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BAÑOS, PORTETE DE TARQUI, LOJA, GIRON, SANTA ISABEL AND MACHALA ROAD

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 GUALACEO, PAUTE, CHORDELEG, SIGSIG, MACAS, AZOGUES, INGAPIRCA, RIOBAMBA, AMBATO AND QUITO ROAD

AMOR POR CUENCA



Cuenca:
Ciudad Histórica
y Cultural



**Culinary
Capitals**

Welcome to Cuenca, the historical and cultural jewel of Ecuador, capital of the province of Azuay. With an altitude of 2550 meters above sea level and an approximate population of 600,000 inhabitants, this charming city is the third most important in the country.

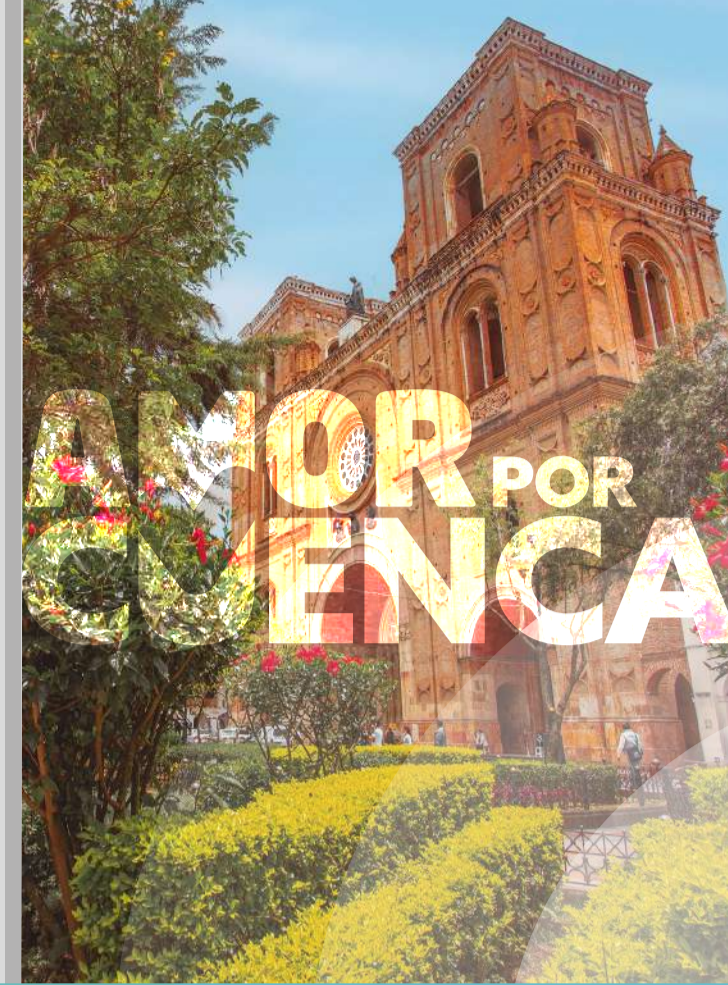
Cuenca was named a Cultural Heritage of Humanity by UNESCO in 1999 due to its architectural heritage, traditions, and cultural life.

Cuenca has the privilege of being crossed by 4 four rivers: Tomebamba, Yanuncay, Machangara and Tarqui. You can enjoy the riverside and walk along the bike path.

Discover the magic of Cuenca as you explore its cobbled streets, contemplate its impressive churches and delight in its exquisite cuisine.

Cuenca, has a diverse gastronomy, which offers a variety of dishes, soups and beverages that we can enjoy during its traditional festivities and throughout the year. Our gastronomy is deeply mixed, as a result of the encounter between Cañaris, Incas and Spaniards. It has evolved and maintained its presence for over more than four centuries and stands out for the preservation of its food and gastronomic heritage, innovation, sustainability and culinary quality.

We look forward to inviting you to share the flavors of Cuenca: the first certified Culinary Capital of Latin America.



**Cajas
National Park**

Location and general information:

Location 32 km West of Cuenca, this protected area is a lake system of glacial origin consisting of more than 235 lagoons and ecosystems. In 2013, UNESCO recognized this site and the entire Cajas massif as World Biosphere Reserve. The park is open from 08:00 to 16:30. We suggest downloading the Cajas National Park App.

Recommendations:

It is recommended to wear warm and waterproof clothing, sunscreen, bring snacks, hydrating drinks, sleeping bag in case of camping and always go with a calified guide. Admission to Cajas National Park is free, both for Ecuadorians and foreigners. The cost to spend the night in the park is \$2,00 for Ecuadorians and \$4,00 for foreigners.

How do I get there?
Take the bus of Cooperativa Transporte Occidental (EMTROCC) at the Bus Station, departure times: 08:00, 10:20, 12:00, 14:00. Cost \$2,50 to the entrance "La Toreadora". For the return, you can take any bus that has as destination Cuenca.

Information And Control Point

- 1 Llaviuco Control
- 2 Patoquiños Control
- 3 Toreadora Refuege
- 4 Huagrahuma Control

Main Lagoons

- 1 Llaviuco Lagoon
- 2 Taitachugo Lagoon
- 3 Lagartococha Lagoon
- 4 Osohuaycu Lagoon
- 5 Taquiurcu Lagoon
- 6 Patoquiños Lagoon
- 7 Totoras Lagoon
- 8 Toreadora Lagoon
- 9 Unidas Lagoon
- 10 Riñon Cocha Lagoon
- 11 Toreador Lagoon
- 12 Larga Lagoon
- 13 Lupsa Lagoon
- 14 Angas Lagoon
- 15 De Napale Lagoon
- 16 Cascarillas Lagoon
- 17 Ventanas Lagoon
- 18 De Hunanchi Lagoon

Visit Points

- 1 Virgen del Cajas Sanctuary
- 2 Tres Cruces View Point

Cuenca
Lo tiene todo

TOURISTIC MAP

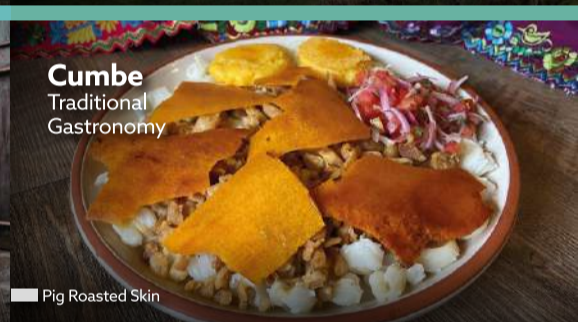
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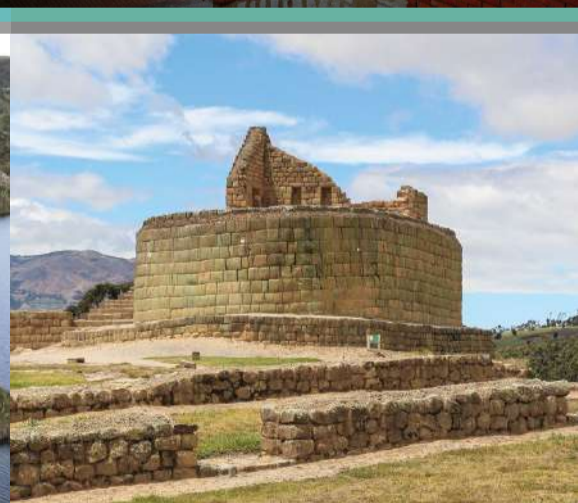
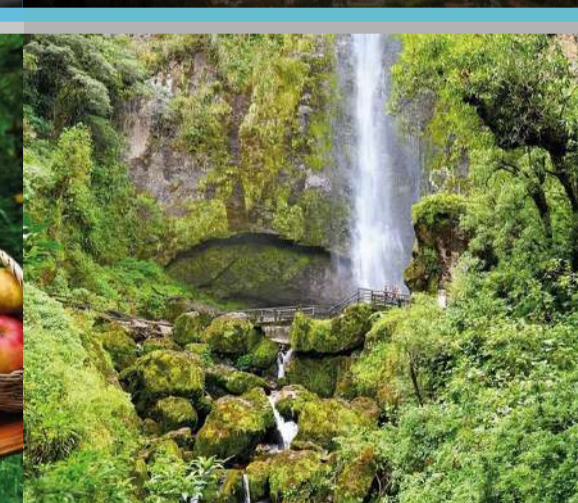
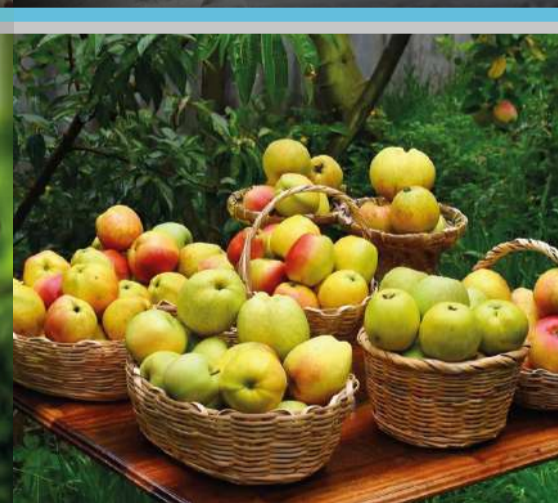
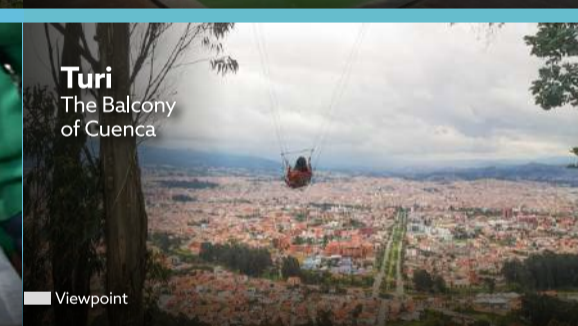
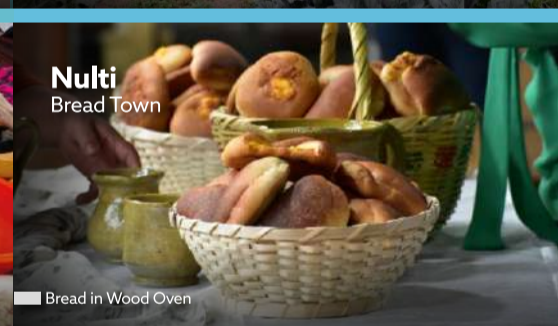
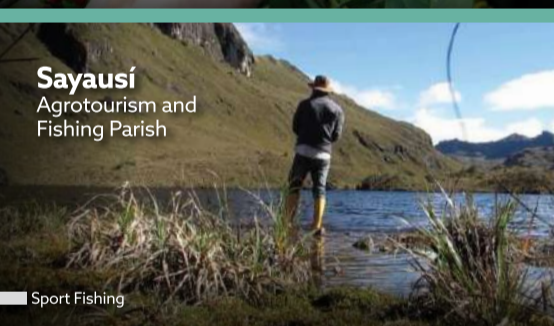
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Main Distances from Cuenca

Cities	Distance (km)
Quito	460
Guayaquil	196
Riobamba	261
Machala	168
Loja	212

Counties	Distance (km)
Girón	44
Gualaceo	36
Nabón	71
Paute	42
Pucará	125
San Fernando	62
Santa Isabel	76
Sigsig	60
Oña	103
Chordeleg	42
El Pan	64
Sevilla de Oro	77
Guachapala	52
Ponce Enríquez	181

Sigsig
Discover the outstanding craftsmanship of Sigsig, famous for its toquilla straw weaving. At the Cuenca Bus Terminal, you can take buses from Express Sigsig and Flota Cenepa to Sigsig. There are buses every 30 minutes from 05:30 to 19:00. Cost \$2,10.

Chordeleg
6 km from Gualaceo is Chordeleg, a town known for its pottery and jewelry, especially in gold and silver. You can take direct buses from Cuenca to Chordeleg (Flota Cenepa, Express Sigsig). The cost is \$1,50 with units every 30 minutes from 05:30 to 19:00.

Gualaceo
Explore charming sites in this tourist area, such as the banks of the Santa Bárbara River, food markets and typical food, ikat weaving workshops in the Bullcay area, and the Ecuagenera orchid farm. If you are traveling by car, you should leave Cuenca by taking the highway to "El Descanso" and head East on the road to Gualaceo. If you travel by public service, you must take the buses at the Terminal Terrestre, Santiago de Gualaceo and Santa Bárbara bus companies, leave every 15 minutes from 05:30 to 21:30. Cost: \$1,30.

Paute
Explore a valley characterized by the cultivation of fruit and flowers. Paute offers multiple activities such as rappelling and paragliding. For traditional gastronomy, El Cabo is the place to go. The "world's largest wooden spoon" which allowed Paute to enter the Guinness Book of Records, is another place to visit. To get to the canton, you should take buses from the Bus Terminal, the Cooperative Rio Paute and Cooperative Cutlucay, leave every 15 minutes, from 05:15 to 22:00. Cost \$1,45.

Girón
Discover "El Chorro", an impressive natural site with three waterfalls in a beautiful montane rain forest. To get to "El Chorro", you must rent a van in Girón; the approximate cost is \$5,00, or if you like hiking, it will take you approximately one hour from the town to get there. The entrance fee to El Chorro is \$2,00. From the city of Cuenca, you can take the Cooperativa Girón buses, with frequencies every 15 minutes from 06:00 to 19:00. The cost of the bus is \$1,25.

Nabón
Discover a region with a vibrant indigenous presence, where the cantonal center is Cultural Heritage of the Nation for its colonial architecture. Its main attractions are the Orchidarium, the Curiquingue Lagoon, agrotourism, and handicrafts. From Cuenca, you can take a bus at the Bus Terminal operated by Quezada Aguirre transportation for \$2,30. Departures from 06:00 to 18:00.

Ingapirca Archeological Complex
It is located in the province of Cañar. Take the Cañar Cooperative bus directly to the complex from the Bus Terminal. The cost is \$4,00. The bus departs at 09:00 and returns at 13:30 from Wednesday to Sunday. You can also take any bus to Quito, stay in El Tambo and take another bus to the Ingapirca Complex.