

APPENDIX

COSTA RICA VISA REQUIREMENTS

1. The citizens of the following countries do not require visa to enter Costa Rica up to 90 days.

Germany	Holland (Netherlands)	Portugal
Argentina	Hungary	Monaco
Austria	Israel	Puerto Rico
Belgium	Italy	United Kingdom
Brazil	Japan	Czech Republic
Canada	Estonia	South Korea
Cyprus	Liechtenstein	Greece
Denmark	Luxembourg	Romania
Spain	Norway	Uruguay
United States of America	Panama	Switzerland
Finland	Paraguay	Trinidad & Tobago
France	Poland	

2. The citizens of the following countries do not require visa to enter Costa Rica up to 30 days:

Antigua y Barbuda	Russian Federation	San Marino
Australia	Philippines	San Vicente and the Grenadines
Bahamas	Granada	Vatican
Barbados	Guatemala	Santa Lucia
Belice	Guyana	Singapore
Bolivia	Honduras	South Africa
Bulgaria	Ireland	Surinam
Chile	Iceland	Turkey
Dominica	Jamaica	Venezuela
El Salvador	México	
Slovakia	New Zealand	
Estonia	Saint Christopher and Nieves	

3. The citizens of the following countries **require** visa to enter Costa Rica up to 30 days and must apply with the nearest Costa Rican diplomatic mission:

Andorra	Slovenia	Peru
Belarus	Lithuania	Dominican Republic
Colombia	Malaysia	Thailand
Ecuador	Malta	Zimbabwe
Egypt	Nicaragua	

4. For the citizens of the following countries the visa is restricted. Please consult the concerned authorities in Costa Rica. Participants from these countries are required to send to the National Meteorological Institute of Costa Rica (fax: (506) 223-18-37 or e-mail: ymunoz@imn.ac.cr) the following information: full name, dates of stay in Costa Rica, passport number, type and validity, as well as a photocopy of the passport.

Afghanistan	Republic of Moldova	Libya
Albania	Mongolia	Jordanian
Angola	Mozambique	Kazakhstan
Saudi Arabia	Myanmar (Burma)	Kenya
Algeria	Namibia	Kyrgyzstan
Armenia	Nauru	Kiribati
Azerbaijan	Nepal	Kuwait
Bahrain	Niger	Lesotho
Bangladesh	Nigeria	Lebanon
Benin	Oman	Liberia
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Pakistan	Macao, China
Botswana	Palau	Madagascar
Brunei-Darussalam	Palestine	Malawi
Burkina Faso (Alto Volta)	Papua New Guinea	Samoa
Burundi	Qatar	Santo Tome and Principe
Bhutan	Kingdom of Tonga	Senegal
Cape Verde	Dem. Republic of Laos	Serbia and Montenegro
Cambodia	Western Sahara	Seychelles
Cameroon	Republic of Syria	Sierra Leone
Comoros	Republic of Central Africa	Somalia
Ivory Coast	Republic of Macedonia	Sri Lanka
Croatia	Republic of Congo	Sudan
Cuba	Dem. Republic of Congo	Swaziland
Chad	China	Tanzania
Arab's Emirates	North Korea	Tajikistan
Eritrea	Rwanda	(East) Timor
Ethiopia	Guinea	Togo
Fiji	Guinea-Bissau	Tunisia
Gabon	Equatorial Guinea	Turkmenistan
Gambia	Haiti	Tuvalu
Georgia	Hong Kong, China	Ukraine
Ghana	India	Uganda
Maldives	Indonesia	Uzbekistan
Mali	Iran	Vanuatu
Morocco	Iraq	Vietnam
Mauritius	Marianas Islands	Yemen
Mauritania	Marshall Islands	Djibouti
Micronesia	Solomon Islands	Zambia

5. Citizens of territories (U.K., France, Netherlands, Denmark, Norway, New Zealand and United States of America) require the same type of visa as the dependant country.