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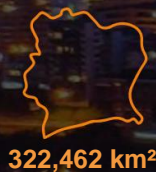


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5 cities, 6 stadiums, 24 nations
to celebrate the values of football through
this 34th edition of the Africa Cup of

Nations: The AFCON of Hospitality!



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This is Ivory Coast.

Welcome to our home!



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322,462 km²



27.48 million
inhabitants



775.6%
- 35 years



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ABIDJAN

Pearl of lagoons / *Pearl of lagoons*



Located on the southern coast of Ivory Coast, bordered by the Gulf of Guinea, Abidjan, the largest city in Ivory Coast, is an Autonomous District of ten communes and four sub-prefectures.

As the country's main economic center, in addition to its continentally renowned port, it is home to a considerable number of national and international companies and institutions, confirming its status as a major commercial and financial hub in West Africa.

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4.7 million inhabitants

2,119 square kilometers

147 hotels with over 7,000 beds available

Félix Houphouët-Boigny International Airport (Domestic, regional and international flights); Local taxis; Ride-hailing services; SOTRA buses and minibuses; River transport

More than 30 police stations; Headquarters; Police Headquarters; Gendarmerie

04 University Hospital Centers (Treichville, Cocody, Yopougon and Cocody-Angré), an Institute of Cardiology, a National Center for Medical Oncology and Radiotherapy, a Mother and Child Hospital, and several public and private medical centers

Félix Houphouët-Boigny University

Nangui-Abrogoua University

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More than 30 police stations; Police headquarters; Gendarmerie stations

04 Public hospital establishments (Treichville, Cocody, Yopougon and Cocody-Angré), 1 heart institute, 1 Mother and Child hospital, the National Center for Medical Oncology and Radiotherapy and several public and private medical centers

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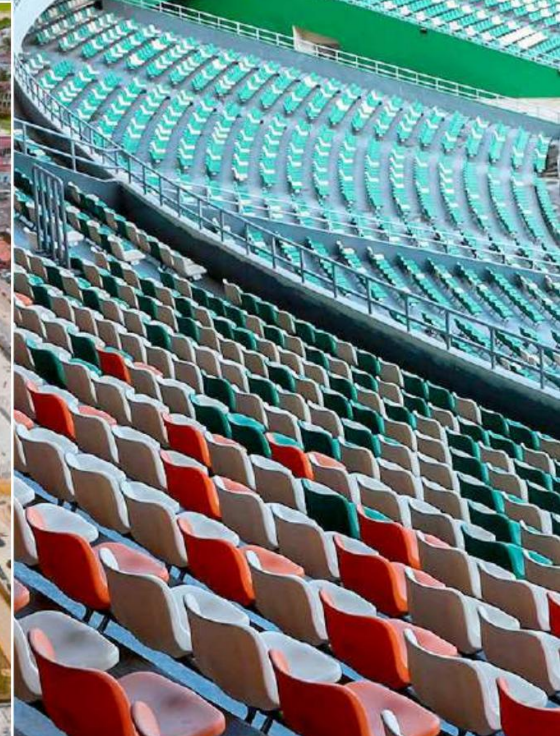
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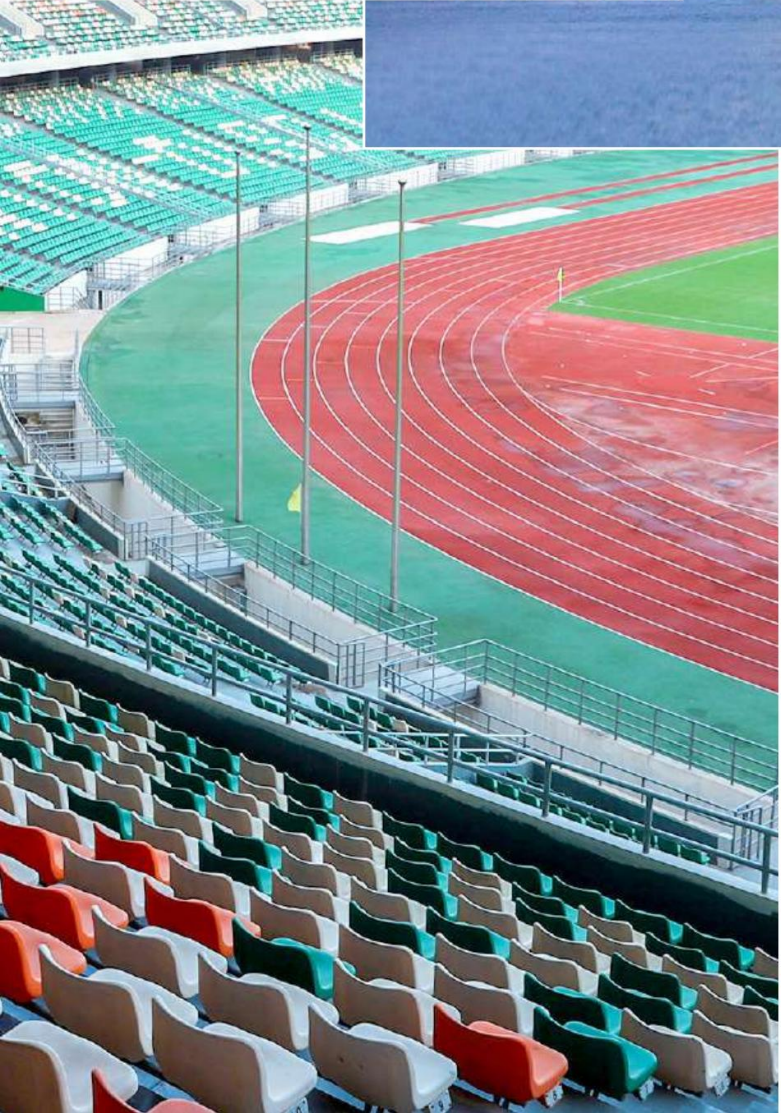
Key sports, tourism and cultural infrastructure

The Félix Houphouët-Boigny Stadium, in the Plateau district, has 27,000 seats.

The Alassane Ouattara Olympic Stadium in Ébimpé, in the commune of Anyama, has 60,000 seats.

The Palace of Culture, in the municipality of Treichville, 12,900 m²; 7 rooms.





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The Museum of Civilizations (in the Plateau district)

Open since 1942, this state museum boasts a rich and varied collection, estimated at over 15,000 authentic pieces from all regions of Ivory Coast. These include statues, masks, musical instruments, archaeological artifacts, symbols of power, gold weights, everyday objects, jewelry, photographs, slave shackles, carved doors, pottery, textiles, and more.

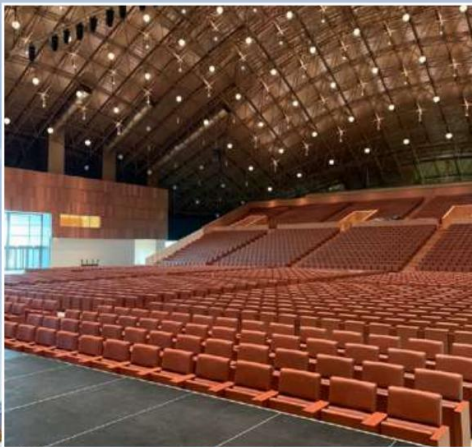


The Abidjan Exhibition Park

(in the municipality of Port-Bouët) 16 hectares; Congress Palace with a capacity of 11,000 people; Large Exhibition Hall with 640 stands; Piazzas and semi-covered parking lots with 800 spaces.

Museum of Civilizations (in the municipality of Plateau)

Open since 1942, this state museum has a rich and varied museographic collection estimated at more than 15,000 authentic pieces from all regions of Côte d'Ivoire. Among them, statues, masks, musical instruments, archaeological pieces, attributes of power, weights to weigh gold, everyday objects, ornaments, photographs, slave fetters, carved doors, pottery, textiles, etc.



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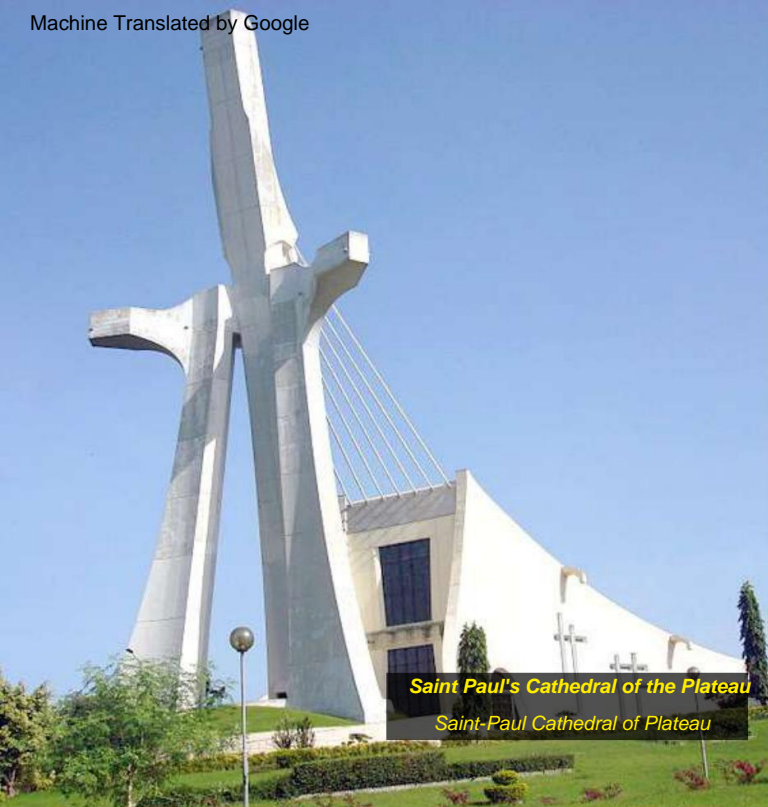
Banco National Park

3,438 hectares; 600 ha of primary forests; Arboretum of more than 800 species of higher plants originating from the tropical regions of Africa, Asia and Latin America; Fish ponds; Semi-natural swimming pools; Restaurants; Ecomuseum - Governor's House.

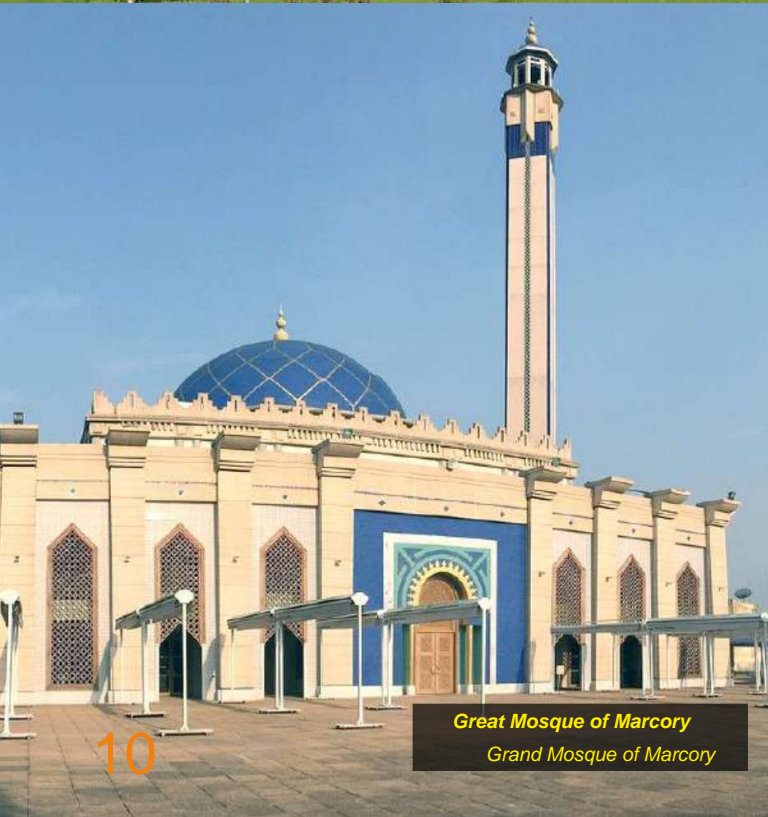


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Saint Paul's Cathedral of the Plateau
Saint-Paul Cathedral of Plateau



Great Mosque of Marcory
Grand Mosque of Marcory



Marcory Interchange
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Alassane Ouattara Bridge (Cocody)
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Cocody Bay
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Port-Bouët Beach
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YAMOUSSOUKRO

Capital of Ivory Coast



Basilica of Our Lady of Peace of Yamoussoukro
Our Lady of Peace Basilica of Yamoussoukro



In the center of the country, in the Lakes region, 248 km from Abidjan, lies Yamoussoukro, the birthplace of the first President of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire, the late Félix Houphouët-Boigny.

With two departments and about ten residential districts, the Autonomous District of Yamoussoukro, the country's political landmark, is to this day a place for celebrating independence, and the city that houses the Senate, in accordance with its status as the political and administrative capital of Ivory Coast.

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Great Mosque of Yamoussoukro
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250,000 inhabitants

3,500 km²

102 hotels with 3,493 available beds

Yamoussoukro International Airport (Domestic Flights); Local Taxis; SOTRA Buses

03 Police Stations; Police Headquarters; Gendarmerie Division

01 Regional Hospital Center and various public and private medical centers

Félix Houphouët-Boigny National Polytechnic Institute (INPHB)

250,000 inhabitants

3500 km²

102 hotels for 3,493 places available

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Key sports, tourism and cultural infrastructure

The **Charles Konan Banny Stadium** in Yamoussoukro, 20,000 seats.

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The Basilica of Our Lady of Peace

Built on 14,000 m² in the middle of a 37-hectare park, planted with 400,000 species. Made of marble and granite.

A 150 m high dome.

Facade 150 m wide. Cross 2.5 m high.

Esplanade surrounded by 128 columns, 21 m high and 2.20 m in diameter.

Capacity of 18,000 people inside, and another 30,000 on its vast plaza.

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The Félix Houphouët-Boigny Foundation for Peace Research, 60,000 m².

Amphitheatres with 2,000 and 400 seats.

Meeting rooms: 2 with 160 seats, 20 with 100 seats and 20 with 50 seats.

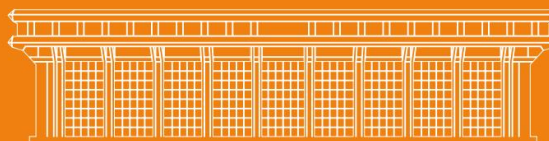
Press rooms and offices of 600 m².

Research room of 8,800 m².

Library of 5,200 m².

Computer room of 3,600 m².

Peace Museum of 530 m².



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The President Golf Club

18 holes

Nearly 90 hectares

A lake of 6 hectares

Sixteen kilometers of trenches

Nearly 550 automatic sprinklers. A pumping station with 2 motors, drawing nearly 80 liters per second from the 6 ha lake located in the middle of the course.

The Presidential Palace and its crocodile lake

22 km of fencing

Consisting of a gigantic six-story building, surrounded by houses intended for the relatives and staff of the father of the nation.

Bordered by the crocodile lake, the site has an entrance flanked on either side by two life-size rams, the totem of its builder.



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20,000 ha, of which 7,000 ha have been developed for tourist visits.

Wildlife of more than 500 head, including elephants, buffalo and sable antelopes.

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BOUAKÉ

City of *Peace*





Located about 350 km from Abidjan and 3 hours by car from Yamoussoukro, discover Bouaké, the second largest city in Ivory Coast.

With more than thirty villages around it, Bouaké, a large and continuously expanding trading city, reigns supreme in the Bandama region thanks to its social and cultural positioning.

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1.5 million inhabitants

2,280 square kilometers

52 hotels with 1,213 beds

Bouaké International Airport (Domestic Flights); Local Taxis; SOTRA Buses and Minibus

05 Police Stations; A detachment from the General Staff

01 Regional Hospital Center and several public and private medical centers
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Key sports, tourism and cultural infrastructure

The Bouaké Peace Stadium, 40,000
seats.

The Brobo Cliffs, a steep
escarpment with a drop of approximately 20
meters overlooking a dreary river.



Key sports, tourism, and cultural infrastructures

Peace Stadium in Bouaké
40,000 seats.

Cliffs of Brobo

*Steeply sloping escarpment about 20
meters above a dreary river.*





The pottery village of Tanou Sakassou

is a small locality with a predominantly female community, renowned for its perfect mastery of clay sculpting in black earthenware pottery. Their creations, zoomorphic or anthropomorphic, are distinguished by their originality and the stories they tell.

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Tourist site

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Bomizambo, the world of woven loincloths

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KORHOGO

Cité du Poro / *City of the PORO*



In northern Ivory Coast, 635 km from Abidjan, the City of Poro, a socio-religious institution practiced by the Senufo people, is the third largest city in Ivory Coast.

Korhogo, with its 7 sub-prefectures and hundreds of rural localities, is a city with a strong cultural heritage, which has managed to preserve its charm and ancestral values over the years.

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440,926 inhabitants

620 square kilometers

34 hotels with 925 beds

Korhogo Airport, local taxis and motorcycle taxis; SOTRA buses

01 Police Station; Police Academy of

Korhogo; National Gendarmerie Squadron

01 Regional Hospital Center and several public and private medical centers

Pelefero Gon Coulibaly University

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Korhogo Airport, Municipal taxi and mototaxis; SOTRA Bus

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Péléféro Gon Goulibaly University of Korhogo





Key sports, tourism and cultural infrastructure

The Amadou Gon Coulibaly Stadium

20,000 seats.

The Péléforo Gbon Coulibaly Museum

Completed in 1950, the second Regional Museum of Côte d'Ivoire is a public regional museum with an ethnographic focus. Formerly the residence of the patriarch Péléforo Soro Gbon Coulibaly, this museum preserves the Senufo cultural heritage.



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Mount Korhogo

At just over 500m high, taking an hour to climb up and down, it offers a breathtaking view of the city, its grand mosque and its line of hills dotted with forests and wooded savannas.

The Village of Niofoin

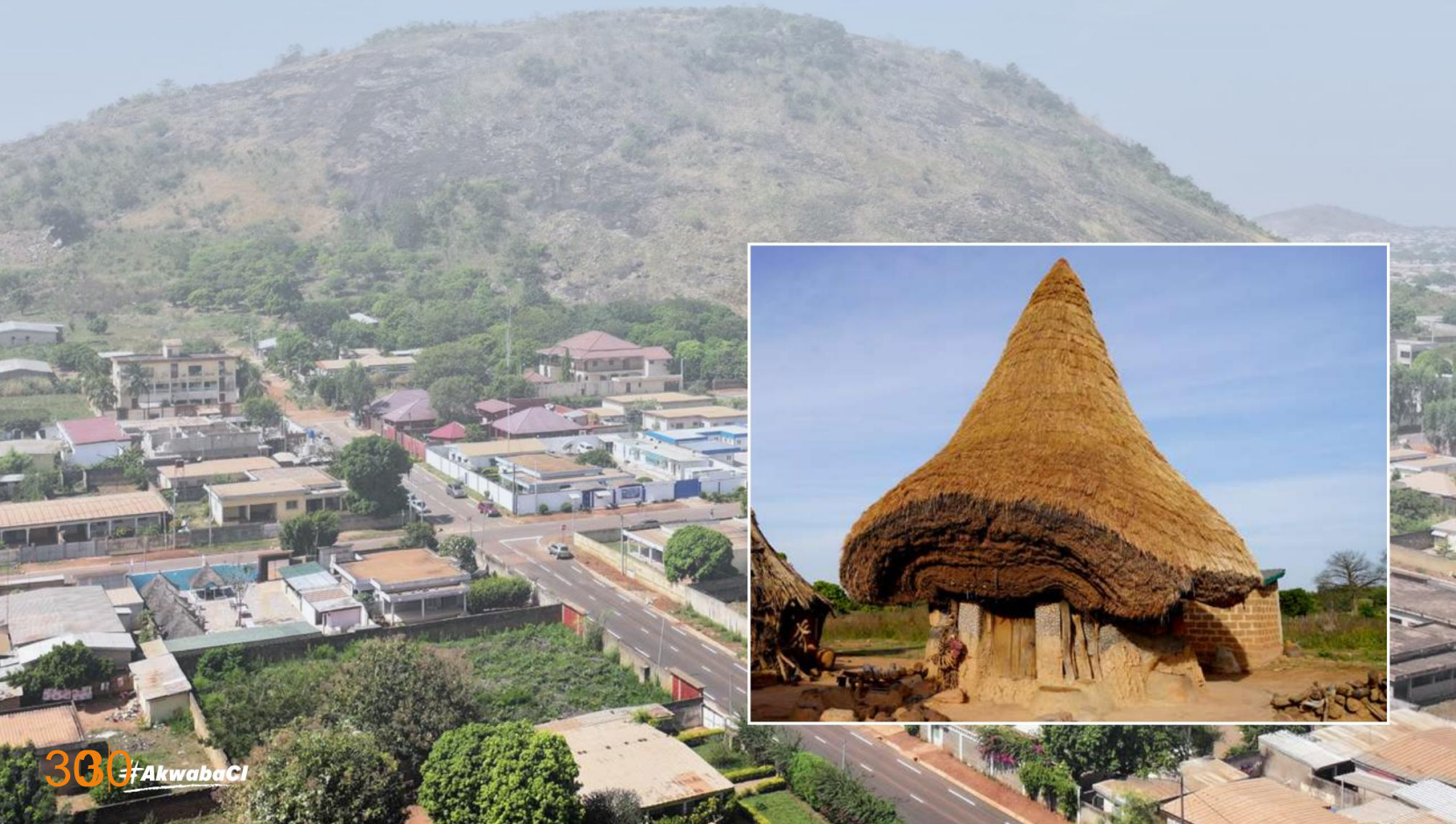
A sanctuary village 50 km from the city, with its mystical and particularly designed huts, Niofoin, a UNESCO World Heritage site, jealously preserves the traditions and customs of a people very attached to their history.

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The granite quarry:

Water, dust, rocks and granular landscapes offering an unparalleled image, on the outskirts of the city.

Granite Quarry

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SAN PEDRO

Seaside *Town*

Mermaid Bay
Bay of Sirens



Located on the edge of the Atlantic Ocean, San Pedro, linked to the economic capital by the coastal road, is 462 km southwest of Yamoussoukro.

Capital of the Bas-Sassandra District, this seaside town is the second largest economic region in Ivory Coast, thanks to its port and industrial zones.

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250,000 inhabitants

887 square kilometers

81 hotels with 1,401 beds

Airfield & Municipal Taxis; Buses
SOTRA

02 Police Stations; National Gendarmerie
Squadron

1 Regional Hospital Center and
several public and private medical centers

University of San Pedro

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Autonomous Port
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CAN City
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Key sports, tourism and cultural infrastructure

The Laurent Pokou Stadium

20,000 seats.

Lovers' Rock

Two immense blocks of rock facing each other, creating a corridor to immortalize the most beautiful memories by offering a panoramic view of the Atlantic Ocean.





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The Laurent Pokou Stadium

20,000 seats.

Rock of lovers

*Two huge boulders facing each other,
creating a corridor to immortalize the most
beautiful memories by offering a panoramic view
of the Atlantic Ocean.*



Monogaga

Fishing village about twenty kilometers from San Pedro, with its dense forest, magnificent beach, canoes and multicolored huts.

Taki's tip

25 km from the city, a sublime spot of clear water, coconut trees and strips of land forming one of the most beautiful beaches in San Pedro.

Monogaga

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Taki Point

25 km from the city, sublime place of clear water, coconut trees and strips of land constituting one of the most beautiful beaches of San Pedro.





Tai National Park

508,186 hectares.

140 mammal species, including 12 endemic species, 240 bird species and numerous species of insects, reptiles and amphibians, such as chimpanzees habituated to the presence of humans, pygmy hippos, elephants, red colobus monkeys, forest buffalo, etc. 1,800 plant species, including 138 endemic species and navigable waterways.

Second largest primary forest in Africa, listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site since 1982.

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Monogaga Beach
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