

Know before you go **Brazil**



Population: 212.6 Million | **Currency:** Brazilian Real R\$ (BRL) | **Capital City:** Brasilia



Official language
Brazilian Portuguese



Greeting
Oi, Olá,
Como vai?



Most popular city for expats and tourists
São Paulo

National Flower
Ipê-amarelo



National animal
Rufous-bellied thrush



Famous national food
Moqueca, Feijoada,
Pão de queijo, Acarajé



Tipping
It is customary to leave 10% when eating out, which is often already included in the bill



Fun Fact Brazil has more animal and plant species than any other country in the world

Cost of living & travel in **São Paulo**



- **Standard city one-way bus ticket:** 4.30 BRL
- **Taxi fare:** 5.40 BRL (initial charge); 3.50 BRL (per km)



- **Standard pint of beer:** 7 – 12 BRL
- **3-course meal for 2 people:** 120 – 150 BRL



- **Typical hotel for 2 adults:** 196 – 246 BRL (per night)
- **Average rent for 1-bedroom apartment:** 2,300 – 3,000 BRL (per month)



- **Doctor's visit:** 195 - 210 BRL

Costs are based on average in São Paulo, Brazil in September 2021; costs will vary from region to region.

Celebrating **Brazilian culture**



National holiday
Carnival, a week-long festival between the end of February and beginning of March



Notable landmarks
Christ the Redeemer,
Amazon Theater, Copacabana Beach

National sport
Football

