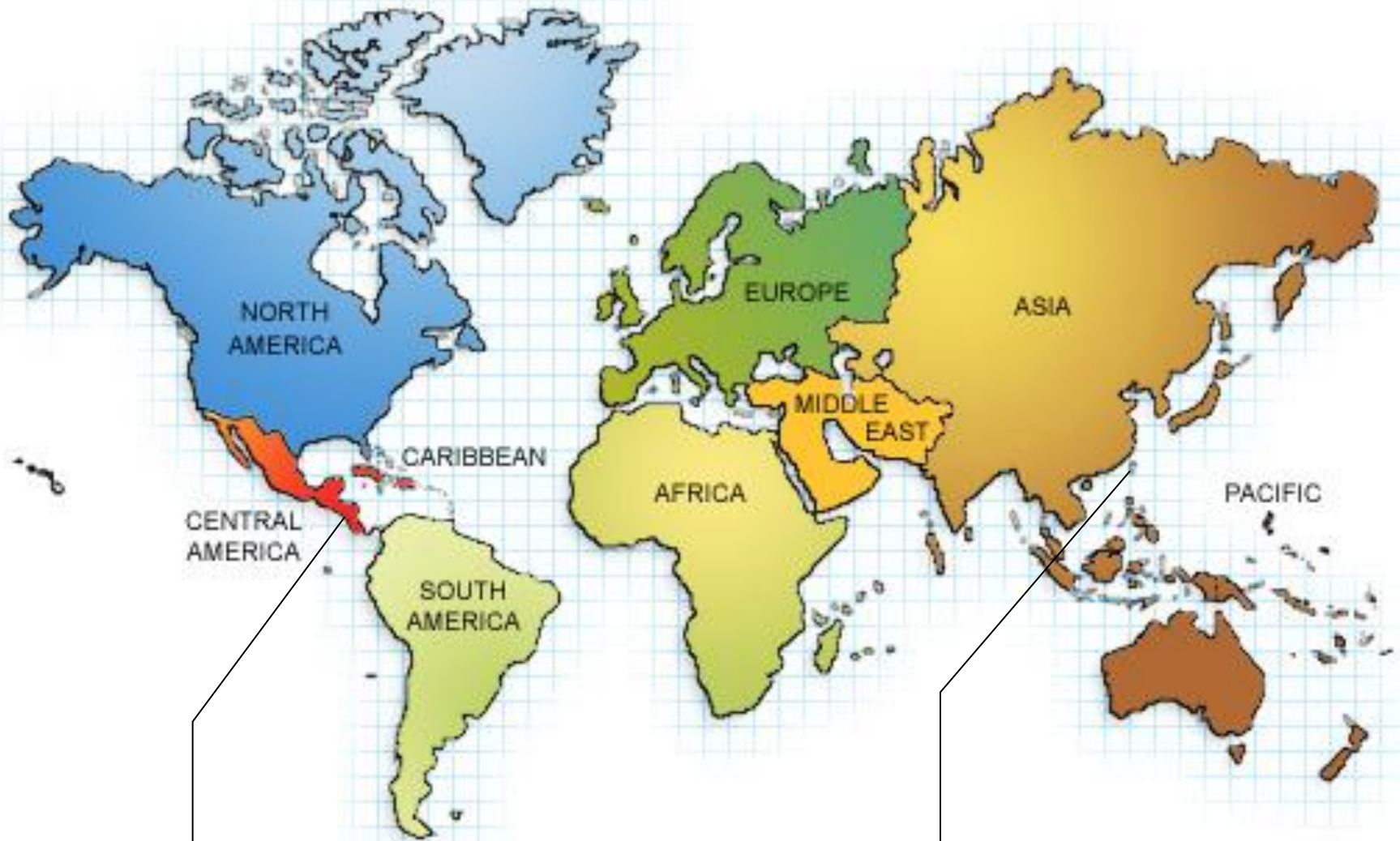
A map of Nicaragua is shown, filled with the colors of the national flag: blue at the top and bottom, and white in the center. The national coat of arms is visible in the center of the white band. The text "Nicaragua: Land of Lakes and Volcanoes" is overlaid on the map.

Nicaragua: Land of Lakes and
Volcanoes



Nicaragua

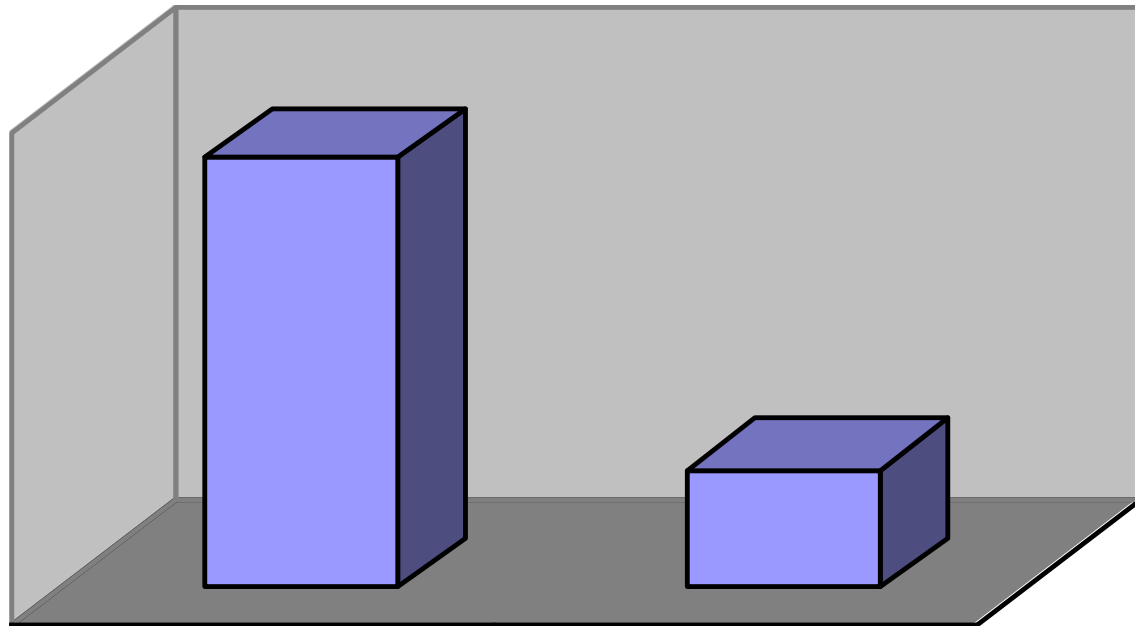
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Nicaragua



Nicaragua Area

Area (Sq km)



Nicaragua

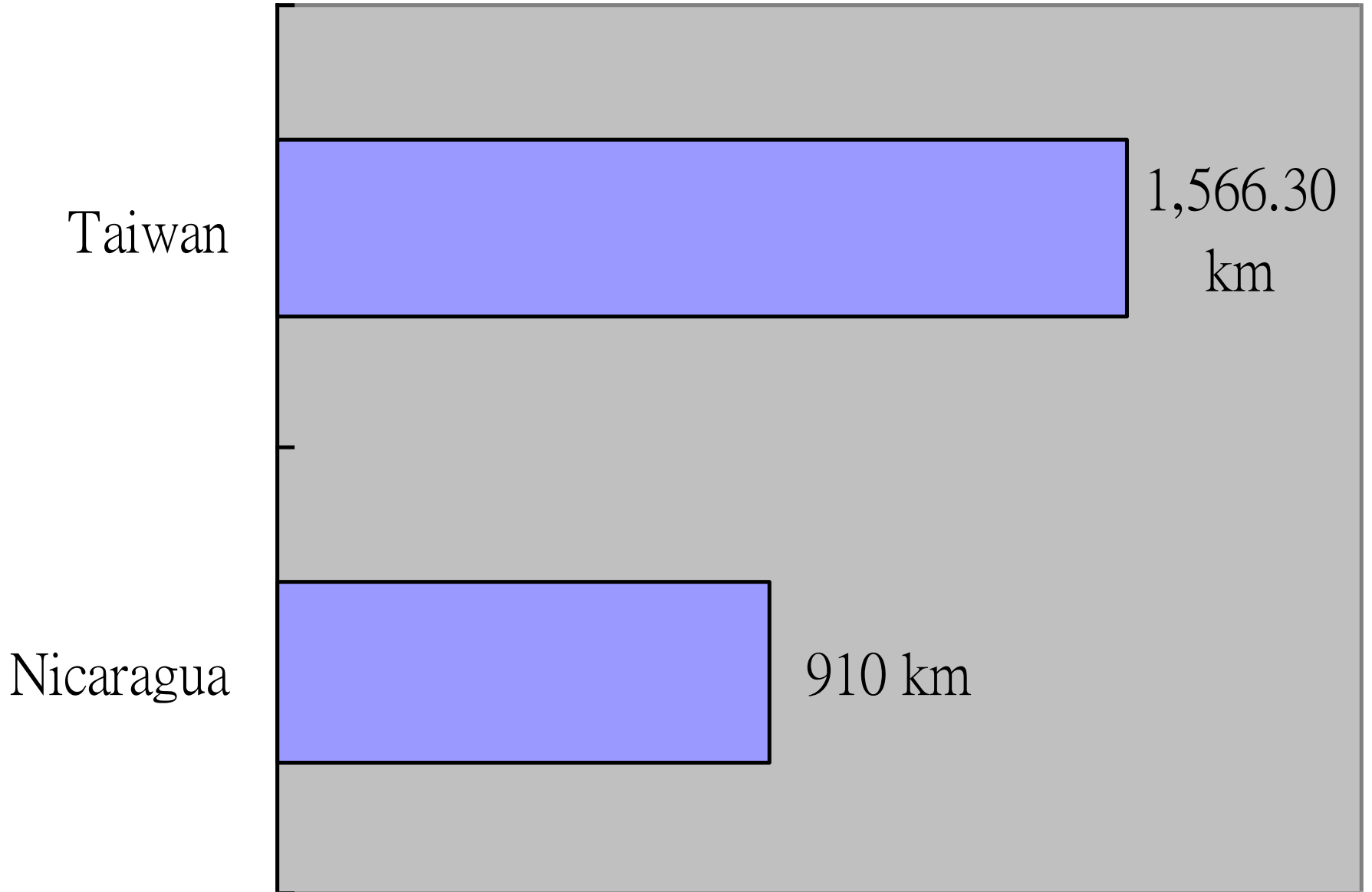
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■ Sq km

130,370

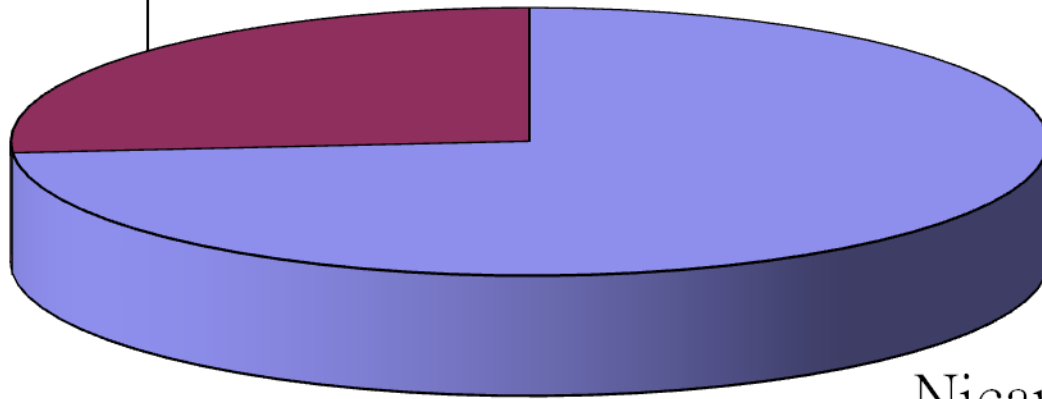
35,980

Available Coast (km)



Freshwater (Sq km)

Taiwan,
3,720 Sq km



Nicaragua,
10,380 Sq
km

National Lake: Cocibolka (8264 sq km)





Volcanoes Concepción & Maderas



Volcano Masaya





Volcano San Cristobal



Natural Reserve: Volcano Cosigüina



Biosphere Reserve *BOSAWAS*

- Area: 19,926 sq km
- Is composed of:
- *Bosawas* Natural Reserve (6,811 sq km)
- *Cerro Cola Blanca* Natural Reserve (105.2 sq km)
- *Peñas Blancas* Massif (116 sq km)
- *Kilambe Hill* Natural Reserve (126 sq km)
- Buffer Zone (11,861.96 sq km)





Southeast Reserve

- Indio Maíz Biological Reserve
- Los Guatuzos Wildlife Refuge
- Río San Juan Wildlife Refuge
- Cerro Silva Natural Reserve
- Punta Gorda Natural Reserve
- Archipiélago de Solentiname National Monument
- Historic Monument Fortaleza de la Inmaculada Concepción de María

The total area is 18,349 sq km, including Buffer and Transition zones



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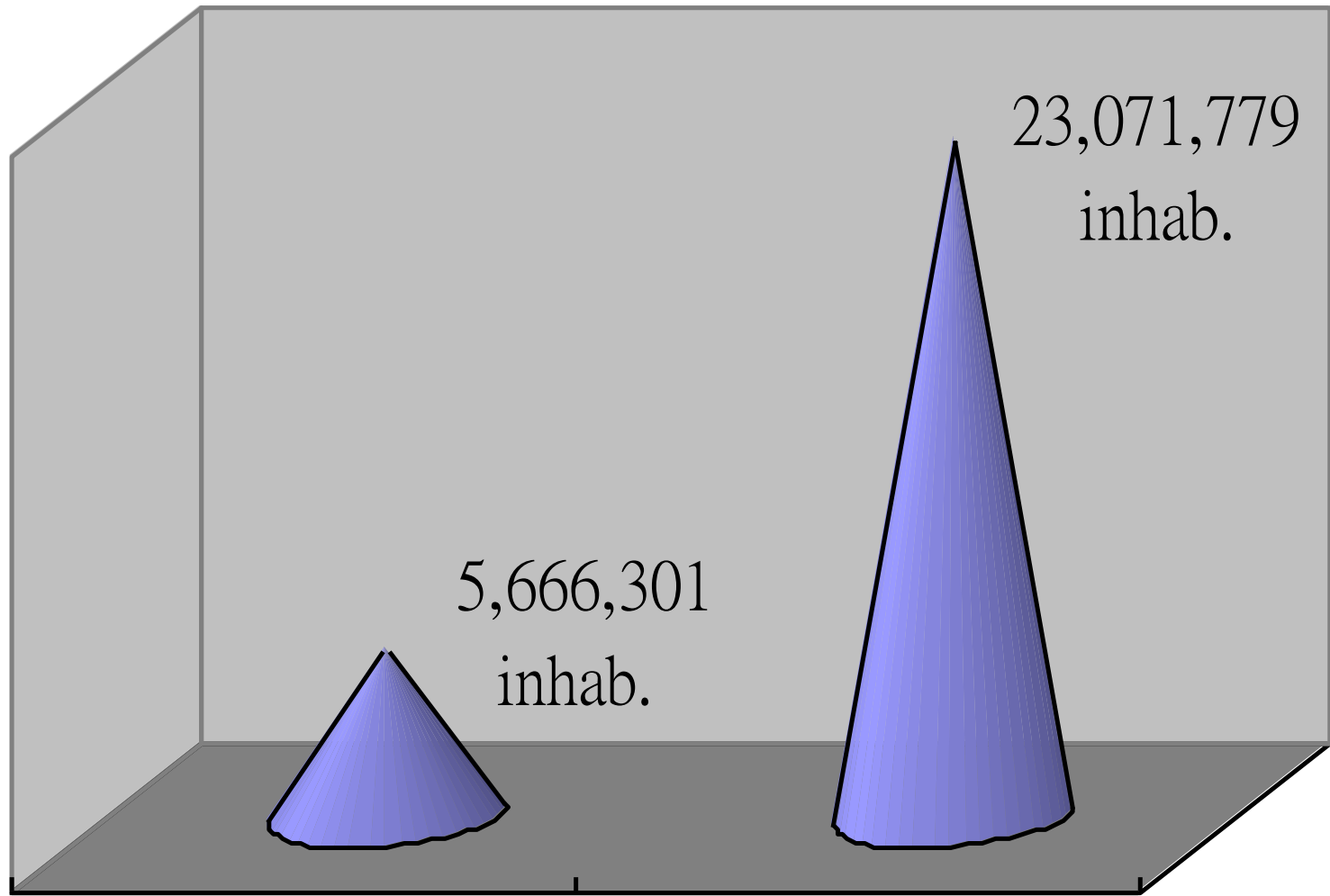
POPULATION

Indigenous
(Amerindians)

Mixed Races

Ethnics
(Afrocaribbean)

Population

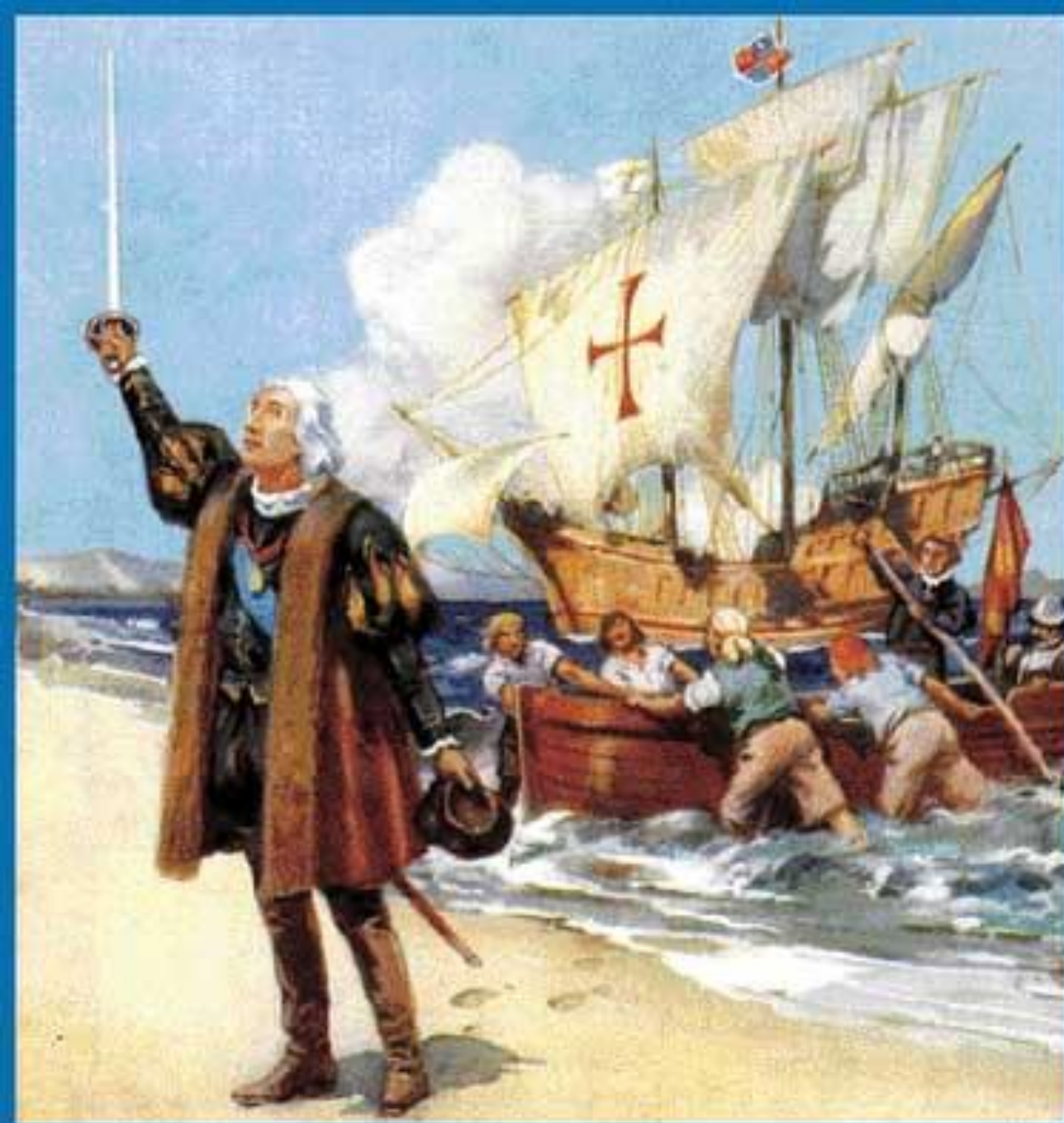


Nicaragua

Taiwan

Indigenous People





America was
discovered by
Spaniards Sailors
in **October 12th**
1492

“known as the
New World”

**Nicaragua is
discovered in
Set 12th, 1502**

Colonization

The former population (Amerindians) was used in the slave market, killed, violated...

- Spaniards brought with them:
Africans slaves, diseases, war...
...Religion, a new culture, new education,
new social structure...
- Took with them: Animal & plants species,
gold, silver...

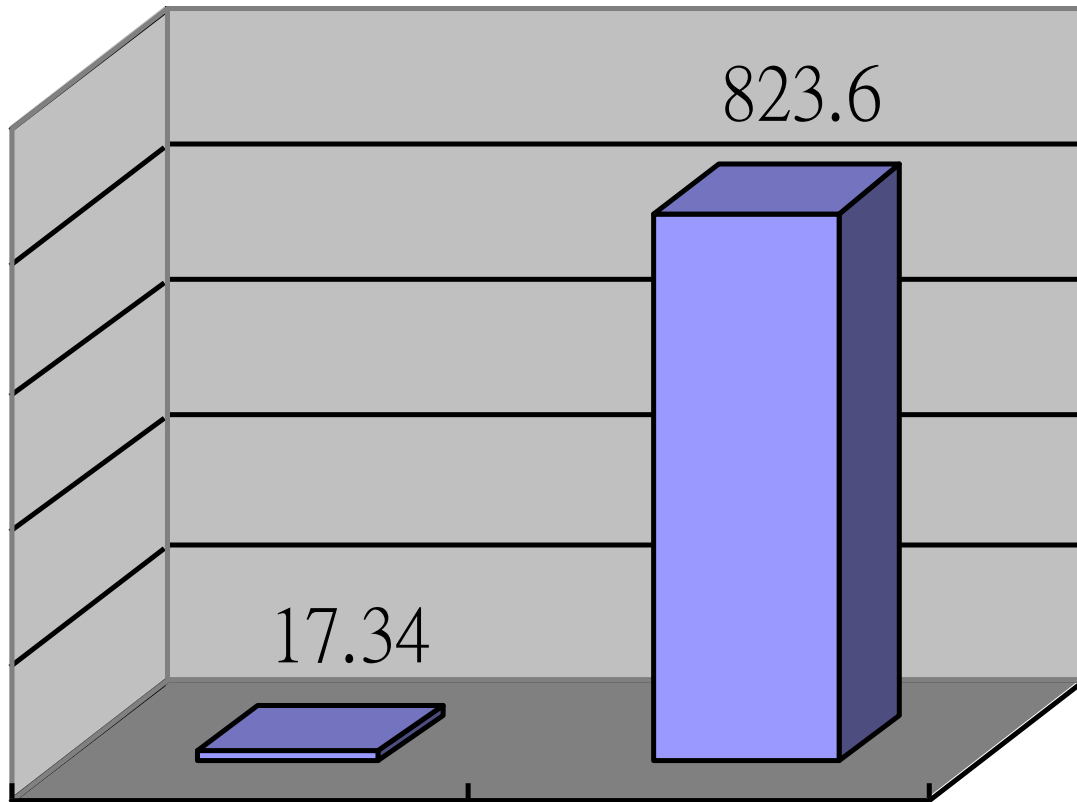
Independence



Independence: After 319 of spanish colonialism Nicaragua becomes a Republic

Economy

GDP (US\$ Billions)



Nicaragua

Taiwan

■ GDP (US\$ Billions)

National Flag



National Flower



National Tree



National Costumes







Typical Food



An aerial photograph of a tropical coastline. The water is a vibrant blue, and the land is covered in dense green vegetation. Several small boats are visible in the water, and a larger boat is docked at a small pier on one of the islands. The sky is a pale blue with some light clouds.

QUESTIONS

- HOW IMPORTANT ARE THE VOLCANOES FOR NICARAGUA?
- DO YOU CONSIDER IMPORTANT THAT NICARAGUA CONSERVES THEIR NATURAL RESERVES?
- WHAT DO YOU THINK ARE THE CAUSES OF POVERTY IN NICARAGUA TODAY?
- WHAT SIMILARITIES DO YOU NOTICE BETWEEN NICARAGUA AND TAIWAN?