

HP Costa Rica Global Delivery Center Overview

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Costa Rica, San Jose HPS Global Delivery Center





Site Profile & Capability Summary (4/2006)

Site Codes: PGJ01, PGJ02, PGJ03. Address: Parque Empresarial Forum, EDIF H, Santa Ana, San Jose, Costa Rica.

- Scope: Foundation, Application, ITO, BPO services: One of HPS' Global Delivery Centers for English language support with 24x7 and "follow the sun" options for internal and global trade business.
- Resources: total workforce is about 2000 (1700 HP). New business and transition of current delivery from US/Latin America are driving a very aggressive expansion, with the total workforce expected to reach 5,000 in 2007. The workforce in Costa Rica is one of the most cost-effective in the Americas.
- 2 DS3 Pipes (Houston and Atlanta). Upgrade to 2 OC3 Lines in progress.
- All systems attached to UPS (PC's, Telecomm and Network). Multiple Power Generators





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Costa Rica Profile General Overview



Overview

Costa Rica is home to the oldest and most established democracy in Latin America

- > 4 million population, 15-29 years old: 27%
- > Total work force: 1.6 million
- > \$15 billion economy
- > 6% of GDP Invested in education
- > Literacy rates currently exceed 95%.
- > Advanced telecommunications infrastructure

San Jose

- > Capital and primary air hub of Costa Rica
- > Ranked #1 among Latin American cities EIU quality of life survey
- > US companies with large presence include HP, Procter & Gamble , Intel, Coca-Cola & Firestone

Advantages

- > Costa Rica offers a stable economy with a large English speaking population
- > Highly educated workforce with improving technical skills
- > The lowest bilingual labor costs in the Americas.
- > Advanced telecommunications infrastructure among Latin American locations.
- > Free trade zone benefits among best in Latin America



Site overview

History:-

- Site established by P&G in Aug 99 as part of their shared services strategy.
- May 03, P&G and HP signed \$3B outsourcing deal, enabling P&G to focus on their core business.
- ITO started operations in Aug 03.
 123 employees transferred to HP in Costa Rica.
 BPO started operations in Aug 04.
 45 employees transferred to HP in Costa Rica.



•* As per Dials



Why Costa Rica?

Alburquerque, NM
 B. Aires, Arg
 Calgary, AB
 Caracas, Vz
 Cayman Islands

24.Mexico City 29.Panama, Panama 35.San Juan, PR

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36.San José, CR 37.Santiago, Chile 38.Tampa, FL



- Site Study from
 September 1998 to June
 1999
- 42 cities were analyzed in the Americas

Why Costa Rica?



Key Factors Considered

- * Social, Political and economic Stability
- * Total Operation Cost
- * Population's level of education (bilingual capabilities)
 - * Government support
 - * Time Zone
 - * Distance to other countries



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Submarine optic fiber route





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