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Written by Caitriona Maria If you've been meaning to learn the Asian flags, we've got you covered. Skip to our Asia flag quiz or download our flashcards. There are 50 countries in Asia. These countries are: Afghanistan, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Brunei, Cambodia, China, Cyprus, Egypt, Georgia, India, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Japan, Jordan, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Kyrgyzstan, Laos, Lebanon, Malaysia, Maldives, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, North Korea (Korea, Democratic People's Republic of), Oman, Pakistan, Palestine, Philippines, Qatar, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, South Korea (Republic of Korea), Sri Lanka, Syria, Tajikistan, Thailand, Timor-Leste, Türkiye (Turkey), Turkmenistan, United Arab Emirates, Uzbekistan, Vietnam, Yemen. Political map of Asia with country flags (Shutterstock) Curious about the colors, symbols, and designs that represent Asia's diverse nations? Here are the 50 country flags of Asia. When you are finished learning, be sure to take our Asian flag quiz to see how many you got correct! Afghanistan flag Armenia flag Azerbaijan flag Bahrain flag Bangladesh flag Bhutan flag Brunei flag Cambodia flag China flag Cyprus flag Egypt flag Georgia flag India flag Indonesia flag Iran flag Iraq flag Israel flag Japan flag Jordan flag Kazakhstan flag Korea, Democratic People's Republic of, (North Korea) flag Kuwait flag Kyrgyzstan flag Laos flag Lebanon flag Malaysia flag Maldives flag Mongolia flag Myanmar (Burma) flag Nepal flag Oman flag Pakistan flag Palestine flag Philippines flag Qatar flag Republic of Korea (South Korea) flag Russia flag Saudi Arabia flag Singapore flag Sri Lanka flag Syria flag Tajikistan flag Thailand flag Timor-Leste flag Türkiye (Turkey) flag Turkmenistan flag United Arab Emirates flag Uzbekistan flag Vietnam flag Yemen flag See next: Country flag names worldwide. Azerbaijan, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Russia and Türkiye (Turkey) are geographically located in the European and Asian continents. Azerbaijan flag Georgia flag Kazakhstan flag Russia flag Türkiye (Turkey) flag Egypt is geographically located in the African and Asian continents, but more significantly in Africa. Egypt flag Depending on the source, some may claim there are 51 Asian countries, as Taiwan seeks international recognition as an independent nation. Taiwan's flag The Association of Southeast Asian Nations, or ASEAN, aims to promote unity, growth, and prosperity across Southeast Asia by fostering cooperation among Asian nations. There are 10 member states: Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and Vietnam. The ASEAN flag For learning the flags of Asia, you can use similar strategies, focusing on common colors, symbols, and regional groupings, along with mnemonics and visual associations: Many Asian flags incorporate unique symbols tied to each country's identity, which makes them easier to remember: Japan: A single red circle, denoting its nickname "Land of the Rising Sun." South Korea: The Taegeuk symbol (yin-yang) in the center, with trigrams in each corner that represent natural elements. Bhutan: A dragon holding jewels on a yellow and orange flag, symbolizing power and wealth. Nepal: A uniquely shaped flag with two triangles, symbolizing the Himalayas and their two major religions, Hinduism and Buddhism. Associating flags with memorable characteristics or elements linked to each country can help with recall: Japan (Red Circle): Think of a rising sun over Mt. Fuji. Vietnam (Red with Yellow Star): Red symbolizes bloodshed for independence, while the star represents unity among workers, farmers, soldiers, and youth. Malaysia (Stripes and Crescent): Picture the stripes representing unity among Malaysia's states, with the crescent symbolizing Islam. Breaking down flags by region can help you organize them in your mind. For example: East Asia: includes China, Japan, Macau, Mongolia, North Korea, South Korea, and Taiwan. Southeast Asia: Brunei, Cambodia, Timor-Leste, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Myanmar, the Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and Vietnam. South Asia: Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Pakistan, Nepal, and Sri Lanka. Reinforce your knowledge with online quizzes and flashcards. Focus on differentiating key elements, like the number of stripes or specific icons. Associating flags with national landmarks or cultural aspects can create mental links: India: Picture the tuk-tuks or scooters to remember the Ashoka Chakra wheel. Sri Lanka: Imagine a golden lion holding a sword, which appears on the flag, symbolizing the Sinhalese ethnicity and strength. Thailand: Think of elephants and the "land of smiles" when picturing the red, white, and blue striped flag. Click on Country Flags for More Information and Bigger Image Select Country... Select Country Afghanistan Aland Island Albania Alderney Algeria American Samoa Andorra Angola Anguilla Antarctica Antigua Argentina Aruba Australia Austria Azerbaijan Bahamas Bahrain Bangladesh Barbados Belarus Belgium Belize Benin Bermuda Bhutan Bolivia Bonaire Bosnia Botswana Bouvet Island Brazil British Antarctic Territory British Indian Ocean Territory Brunei Bulgaria Burkina Burundi Cambodia Cameroon Canada Cape Verde Cayman Island Central African Republic Chad Chile China Christmas Island Cook Islands Comoros Congo Brazzaville Congo Kinshasa Cook Islands Costa Rica Croatia Cuba Curaçao Cyprus Czech Republic Democratic Republic of Korea Denmark Djibouti Dominica Dominican Republic Ecuador Egypt El Salvador England Equatorial Guinea Eritrea Estonia Ethiopia Falkland Islands Faroe Islands Fiji Finland France French Guiana French Polynesia French Southern Territories Gabon Gambia Georgia Germany Ghana Gibraltar Greece Greenland Grenada Guadeloupe Guam Guatemala Guernsey Guinea Guyana Haiti Heard Island and Mcdonald Islands Holy See Honduras Hong Kong Hungary Iceland India Indonesia Iran Iraq Ireland Isle of Man Israel Italy Ivory Coast Jamaica Japan Jersey Jordan Kazakhstan Kenya Kiribati Kuwait Kyrgyzstan Laos Latvia Lebanon Liberia Lesotho Libya Liechtenstein Lithuania Luxembourg Macao Macedonia Madagascarr Malawi Malaysia Maldives Mali Malta Marshall Islands Martinique Mauritania Mauritius Mayotte Mexico Micronesia Moldova Monaco Mongolia Montenegro Montserrat Morocco Mozambique Myanmar Namibia Nauru Nepal Netherlands Antilles Netherlands New Caledonia Newzealand Nicaragua Niue Norfolk Island Northern Marianas Norway Oman Overseas Territory of British Virgin Pakistan Palau Palestine Panama Papua New Guinea Paraguay Peru Philippines Pitcairn Islands Poland Portugal Puerto Rico Qatar Republic of Korea Reunion.Htm Romania Russian Federation Rwanda Saba Saint Helena Saint Kitts and nevis Saint Lucia Saint Pierre and Miquelon Samoa San andres and providencia San Marino Sao Tome Principe Saudi Arabia Scotland Seborgia Senegal Serbia Seychelles Sierra Leone Singapore Sint Eustatius Sint Maarten Slovakia Slovenia Solomon Islands Somalia South Africa South Georgia and South Sandwich Islands South Sudan Spain Sri Lanka Saint Helena Dependencies St Vincent and Grenadines Sudan Surinam Svalbard and Jan Mayen Eswatini(Swaziland) Sweden Switzerland Syria Taiwan Tajikistan Tanzania Thailand Tibet Timor Leste Togo Tokelau Tonga Trinidad and Tobago Tunisia Turkey Turkmenistan Turks Caicos Islands Tuvalu Uganda Ukraine United Arab Emirates United Kingdom United States Minor Outlying Islands Uzbekistan Vanuatu Vatican City Venezuela Vietnam Virgin Islands Wales Wallis and Futana Western Sahara Yemen Zambia Zimbabwe Buy Printed Map Buy Digital Map

Customize Email JPG Print Description : Map showing all national Flags of Asian Countries and Territories. Disclaimer x Disclaimer : All efforts have been made to make this image accurate. However MapShepa, Inc. its directors and employees do not own any responsibility for the correctness or authenticity of the same. This article needs additional citations for verification. Please help improve this article by adding citations to reliable sources. Unsourced material may be challenged and removed.Find sources: "Flags of Asia" – news – newspapers – books – scholar – JSTOR (March 2025) (Learn how and when to remove this message)A map of Asia with national flags, excluding dependent territories and partially recognized states (Taiwan not shown) This is a list of international, national and subnational flags used in Asia. An incomplete list of flags representing intra-Asian international and supranational organisations, which omits intercontinental organisations such as the United Nations: Flag Date Use Description 1945 - Flag of the Arab League The flag of the League of Arab States is two olive branches and 22 chain-links encircling a crescent and the name of the organisation (written in Arabic). The Arab League is an organization made up of countries in the Arab world in Northern Africa and Southwest Asia. Most, though not all of these countries use Arabic as their official language and concentered on Mediterranean sea and Arabian sea countries. The purpose is to find ways for the countries to have unity and to work together to solve their problems. 1997 - Flag of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations The flag of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations is blue with the emblem of the organisation in the center. The Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN) is an international organization. In August 1967, Malaysia, Thailand, Indonesia, Singapore, and the Philippines formed the ASEAN. At that time, communism was growing in Vietnam, and these five countries were also facing problems inside their own countries. Nowadays ASEAN consists of ten countries, the latter and Brunei, Cambodia, Laos, Vietnam and Myanmar. 1991 - Flag of the Commonwealth of Independent States The flag of the Commonwealth of Independent States is blue with the emblem of the organisation in the centre. 1981 - Flag of the Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf Originally (and still colloquially) known as the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC; Arabic: ال ل ع ا ا ا), is a regional, intergovernmental political and economic union that consists of five Arabian peninsula countries except Yemen. 2011 - Flag of the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation The flag of the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation is white with a green crescent and globe, with the Kaaba at the center of the globe. The Organisation of Islamic Cooperat an international group. It has over 55 member states. The organisation tries to be the voice of the Muslim world. They try to safeguard the interests and the progress and well-being of Muslims. 1960 - Flag of the Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries The Flag of the Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries is a blue background with the acronym "OPEC" in stylized white lettering. OPEC, the Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries is an international organization. Since 1965, the headquarters of OPEC has been in Vienna, Austria. OPEC was established in September 1960 in Baghdad, Iraq. 2017 - Flag of the Organization of Turkic States The flag combines the symbols of the original four members: the light blue color of the flag of Kazakhstan, the sun of the flag of Kyrgyzstan, the star of the flag of Azerbaijan and the crescent of the Turkish flag. Flag Date Use Description Ref. 1997 - 20012021 - Flag of Afghanistan Originally adopted in 1997 and re-adopted in 2021, the flag of the Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan has the Shahada in black on a white background. 1918 - 19201991 - Flag of Armenia[a]See also: List of Armenian flags After gaining independence, the First Republic of Armenia adopted the modern Armenian tricolor. The independent Armenian government selected the colours used during the last period of Rubenid Dynasty, red, blue and yellow. The red emblemizes the Armenian Highland, the Armenian people's continued struggle for survival, maintenance of the Christian faith, Armenia's independence and freedom. The blue emblemizes the will of the people of Armenia to live beneath peaceful skies. The orange emblemizes the creative talent and hard-working nature of the people of Armenia. 1918 - 19201991 - Flag of Azerbaijan[a] See also: List of Azerbaijan flags Originally adopted in 1918 as the flag of the Democratic Republic of Azerbaijan, was officially adopted again in 1991, after Azerbaijan gained its independence. The flag of Azerbaijan is the national ensign of Azerbaijan. It consists of three equal horizontal bands colored blue, red, and green, with a white crescent and an eight-pointed star are centered in the red band. The blue band refers to Turkic heritage, the red is for progress and the green refers to Islam. 2002 - Flag of Bahrain Adopted in February 2002, the flag of Bahrain consists of a white band on the hoist, with red on the right. They are separated by five triangles forming a serrated line. 1972 - Flag of BangladeshSee also: List of Bangladesh flags Adopted in January 1972, the flag of Bangladesh consists of a slightly off-center red disc over a green field. 1969 - Flag of Brittan Adopted in 1969, the flag of Britain consists of a diagonally-divided field, the upper left yellow and the lower right orange. Along the diagonal line is a white dragon, the Druk (Thunder Dragon), holding jewels in its claws. 1959 - Flag of Brunei Adopted in September 1959, the flag of Brunei consists of a yellow field divided by diagonal black and white stripes; superimposed over it is Brunei's crest, featuring a crescent facing upwards surrounded by hands and a parasol, all in red. 1948 - 19701993 - Flag of CambodiaSee also: List of Cambodian flags Adopted in 1993 and previously used between 1948 and 1970,[citation needed] the flag of Cambodia consists of a horizontal tricolor of blue, red (double width) and blue, with a white depiction of Angkor Wat in the center of the red band. [1] 1949 - Flag of ChinaSee also: List of Chinese flags Adopted in September 1949, the flag of China consists of a red field with five gold stars in the canton; one large star is surrounded by four smaller stars surrounded in a semicircle and set off towards the fly. 1960 - Flag of Cyprus[b] The flag was officially adopted on August 16, 1960. The island is depicted in a copper shade representative of its name; the name Cyprus has roots in the Sumerian word for copper (zubar) from the large deposits of copper found on the island. The crossed green olive branches symbolise the hope for peace between the Turks and the Greeks. It was designed by İsmet Güney, a Turkish Cypriot painter. 1984 - Flag of Egypt[f] Adopted in October 1984, the flag of Egypt consists of a horizontal tricolor of red, white and black, with the eagle of Saladin in the center of the white band. 2004 - Flag of Georgia[a]See also: List of flags of Georgia (country) This recently adopted flag is a simple white rectangle, with a central red cross connecting all four sides of the flag; in each of the four corners is a small red cross. The flag is based on a historic five-cross design that dates back to the 14th century. 1947 - Flag of IndiaSee also: List of Indian flags Adopted in July 1947, the flag of India consists of a horizontal tricolour of saffron, white and green; in the centre of the white band is a 24-spoke wheel (the Ashoka Chakra) coloured in navy blue. 1945 - Flag of IndonesiaSee also: List of flags of Indonesia Adopted in August 1945, the flag of Indonesia consists of a bicolor, red on the top, white on the bottom. 1930 - Flag of IranSee also: List of Iranian flags Adopted in July 1980, the flag of Iran consists of a horizontal tricolor of green, white and red; the country's national emblem ("Allah") in red is centered on the white band; and the takbir (as written in the Kufic script) is written 11 times on each band in white. 2008 - Flag of Iraq Adopted in January 2008, the flag of Iraq consists of a horizontal tricolor of red, white and black; in the center of the white stripe is the takbir written in green Kufic script. 1948 - Flag of IsraelSee also: List of flags of Israel Adopted in October 1948, the flag of Israel consists of a blue star of David, surrounded by two blue horizontal stripes, all over a white field. 1870 - Flag of JapanSee also: List of Japanese flags Adopted as a civil ensign on February 27, 1870, Adopted as a national flag on August 13, 1999. The flag consists of a white background with a red circle representing the sun. 1928 - Flag of Jordan Adopted in April 1928, the flag of Jordan is a horizontal tricolor with a red chevron, the colors used are the Pan-Arab colors. 1992 - Flag of Kazakhstan[d]See also: List of Kazakh flags Adopted on June 4, 1992, the flag has a gold sun with 32 rays above a soaring golden steppe eagle, both centered on a sky blue background; the hoist side displays a national ornamental pattern called "koshkar-muiz" (the horns of the ram) in gold. 1961 - Flag of Kuwait Adopted in 1961, uses the Pan-Arab colors. 2023 - Flag of Kyrgyzstan 1945 -19461975 - Flag of Laos The flag has 3 horizontal bands, with the middle band being blue and the rest being red. It has a white circle in the center symbolizing the full moon over the Mekong River. 1943 - Flag of Lebanon 1950 - Flag of MalaysiaSee also: List of Malaysian flags Adopted on May 26, 1950, the flag has fourteen horizontal stripes, alternating between red and white, represents the equality of the Malaysia's 13 member states; and in the canton, a yellow crescent represents Islam, and a 14-point star representing unity among their member states, all of which on a blue field. 1965 - Flag of Maldives The flag has a green field with a red outline and a crescent in the center. 1945 - Flag of Mongolia 2010 - Flag of MyanmarSee also: List of Burmese flags The flag is a horizontal tricolor of saffron, green and red, with a white star in the middle. 1962 - Flag of Nepal 1948 - Flag of North KoreaSee also: List of North Korean flags 1995 - Flag of Oman 1947 - Flag of PakistanSee also: List of Pakistani flags 1988 - Flag of PalestineSee also: List of Palestinian flags United Nations observer state. The flag of Palestine consists of tricolor horizontal stripes of black, white, green, and a red triangle aligned on the left. 1898 - Flag of Qatar 1883 - 19181993 - Flag of RussiaSee also: List of Russian flags The Russian Federation flag was officially adopted on August 22, 1991. The flag was hoisted shortly after the former Soviet Union collapsed. The white, blue and red are Pan-Slavic colors. 1973 - Flag of Saudi Arabia The flag of Saudi Arabia contains the Shahada and an Arab sword, coloured white, on a green background. 1959 - Flag of SingaporeSee also: List of Singaporean flags 1883 - 19201949 - Flag of South KoreaSee also: List of South Korean flags 1972 - Flag of Sri LankaSee also: List of Sri Lankan flags 2024 - De facto flag of Syria 1992 - Flag of Tajikistan 1917 - Flag of ThailandSee also: List of Thai flags 19752002- Flag of Timor-Leste Adopted in May 2002 (originally in November 1975 as East Timor), the flag of Timor-Leste consists of a red field; at the hoist is a white five-pointed star inside a black isosceles triangle superimposed on a larger yellow triangle, that points toward the center. 1844 - Flag of Turkey[]See also: List of Turkish flags The flag of Turkey has a red background with a white crescent moon and a star in its centre. The flag is called Ay Yıldız (literally, moon star) or Albayrak (red flag). It was adopted in 1844 with the Tanzimat reforms; though the shape, placement and shade of the colour vary. The geometric proportions of the flag were legally standardised with the Turkish Flag Law in 1936. 2001 - Flag of Tuemenistan 1971 - Flag of the United Arab Emirates 1991 - Flag of UzbekistanSee also: List of Uzbek flags 1945 - Flag of VietnamSee also: List of flags of Vietnam Officially adopted in 1945, the flag of Vietnam has a yellow star on a red background. 1990 - Flag of Yemen The flag is a horizontal tricolour of red, white and black. Flag of Yemen The flag is a horizontal tricolour of red, white and black. Flag Date Use Description 1992 - Flag of Abkhaz[a] Internationally recognized as part of Georgia The flag of Abkhazia consists of seven green and white stripes with a red upper left canton bearing a white open right hand and seven white stars. 1984 - Flag of Northern Cyprus[b] Internationally recognized as part of Cyprus Adopted by the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (recognized only by Turkey and the Autonomous Republic of Nakhichevan) on 7 March 1984 following the Turkish invasion and the occupation of the northern part of the island in 1974. 1990 - Flag of South Ossetia[a] Internationally recognized as part of Georgia The flag of the South Ossetia is a tricolour, the top stripe white, the middle stripe red and the bottom stripe yellow. 1945 - Flag of Taiwan[e][]See also: List of Taiwanese flags Internationally recognized as part of China Although the flag of the Republic of China was adopted in 1928 in the Chinese mainland, this flag was flown from 25 October 1945 in Taiwan after the Surrender of Japan. It consist of a red flag with a blue canton with a 12-ray white sun. Flag Date Use State (status) Description 1960 - Flag of Akrotiri and Dhekelia UK (overseas territory) The flag of the United Kingdom is used. 1990 - Flag of the British Indian Ocean Territory UK (overseas territory) 2002 - Flag of Christmas Island Australia (external territory) 2004 - Flag of the Cocos (Keeling) Islands Australia (external territory) Flag Date Use Description 1997 - Flag of Hong Kong 1999 - Flag of Macau Main article: List of flags of Georgia (country) Flag Date Use Description 2004 - Flag of Adjara Flag Date Use Description 1921 - Flag of Kurdistan The flag of Kurdistan is a red-white-green tricolour with a yellow sun in the centre. Main article: List of Japanese flags Flag Date Use Description 2000 - Flag of Aichi Prefecture Stylised hiragana of 愛 (Aichi). The emblem also expresses sunrise and wave to indicate Aichi's location facing the Pacific Ocean. Main article: List of Korean flags Flag Date Use Description 2019 - Flag of Bangsamoro The flag of Bangsamoro is a horizontal tricolor of green, white and red with the yellow seven-pointed star surrounded by a yellow crescent both centered on the white band and a white kris centered on the red band. Main article: List of Thai flags Main articles: Flags of the federal subjects of Russia and List of Russian flags Flag Date Use Description 2000 - Flag of Altai Krai 1992 - Flag of the Altai Republic 1999 - Flag of Amur Oblast 1992 - Flag of the Republic of Buryatia 2001 - Flag of Chelyabinsk Oblast 1997 - Flag of Chukotka Autonomous Okrug 1997 - Flag of Irkutsk Oblast 2005 - Flag of the Jewish Autonomous Oblast 2010 - Flag of Kamchatka Krai 1994 - Flag of Khabarovsk Krai 2003 - Flag of the Republic of Khakassia 1995 - Flag of Khanty-Mansi Autonomous Okrug 2000 - Flag of Krasnoyarsk Krai 1997 - Flag of Kurgan Oblast 2001 - Flag of Magadan Oblast 2009 - Flag of Nenets Autonomous Okrug 2014 - Flag of Omsk Oblast 2011 - Flag of Perm Krai 1995 - Flag of the Sakha Republic 1995 - Flag of Sakhalin Oblast 1997 - Flag of Sverdlovsk Oblast 1992 - Flag of the Tuva Republic 1995 - Flag of Tyumen Oblast 1996 - Flag of Yamalo-Nenets Autonomous Okrug 1995 - Flag of Zabaykalsky Krai Flag Date Use Description 1991- Flag of Karakalpakstan Main article: List of city flags in Asia Flags of cities with over 1 million inhabitants. Flag of Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates Flag of Almaty, Kazakhstan Flag of Astana, Kazakhstan Flag of Baku, Azerbaijan Flag of Bandung, Indonesia Flag of Bangkok, Thailand Flag of Busan, South Korea Flag of Caloocan, Philippines Flag of Chelyabinsk, Russia Flag of Daejeu, South Korea Flag of Davos City, Philippines Flag of Delhi, India Flag of Dubai, United Arab Emirates Flag of Fukuoka, Japan Flag of Hong Kong, China Flag of Incheon, South Korea Flag of Jakarta, Indonesia Flag of Kaohsiung, Taiwan Flag of Kawasaki, Japan Flag of Kobe, Japan Flag of Krasnoyarsk, Russia Flag of Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia Flag of Kyoto, Japan Flag of Nagoya, Japan Flag of New Taipei City, Taiwan Flag of Novosibirsk, Russia Flag of Omsk, Russia Flag of Osaka, Japan Flag of Ouezon City, Philippines Flag of Sapporo, Japan Flag of Seoul, South Korea Flag of Singapore Flag of Surabaya, Indonesia Flag of Taichung, Taiwan Flag of Tainan, Taiwan Flag of Taipei, Taiwan Flag of Taoyuan, Taiwan Flag of Tbilisi, Georgia Flag of Tokyo, Japan Flag of Yangon, Myanmar Flag of Yekaterinburg, Russia Flag of Yerevan, Armenia Flag of Yokohama, Japan Flag Date Use Description 1937 - 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1489 Flag of the Kingdom of Cyprus 1891 - 1922 Flag of Cyprus 1922 - 1960 Flag of Cyprus 1960 Flag of Cyprus 1960 - 2006 Flag of Cyprus 1975 Flag of the Democratic Republic of East Timor (1975) 1999-2002 Flag of United Nations Administered East Timor 1933 - 1934 Flag of the First East Turkestan Republic 1944 - 1949 Flag of the Second East Turkestan Republic 1920 - 1922 Flag of the Far Eastern Republic 1895 Flag of the Republic of Formosa 1990 - 2004 Flag of Georgia 1938 - 1939 Flag of Hatay State 1871 - 1876 Flag of British Hong Kong 1876 - 1955 Flag of British Hong Kong 1955 - 1959 Flag of British Hong Kong 1959 - 1997 Flag of British Hong Kong 1959 - 1997 Flag of British Hong Kong 1906 - 1980 Flag of Iran (Persia) 1880 - 1980 Flag of Iran With the first IRI emblem. 1980 - 1980 Flag of Iran With the current IRI emblem and the first Takbir design. 1924 - 1959 Flag of Iraq 1959 - 1963 Flag of Iraq 1963 - 2008 Flag of Iraq 1991 - 2004 Flag of Iraq 2004 - 2008 Flag of Iraq 1978 - 1993 Flag of Kampuchea 1991 - 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1985, 1986 - 1998 Flag of the Philippines 1985 - 1986 Flag of the Philippines 1862 - 1889 Flag of the Qing dynasty 1889 - 1912 Flag of the Qing dynasty 1858 - 1883 Flag of the Russian Empire 1918 Flag of the Russian Soviet Republic 1918 - 1922 Flag of the Russian Socialist Federative Soviet Republic 1991 - 1993 Flag of Russia 1932 - 1934 Flag of Saudi Arabia 1934 - 1938 Flag of Saudi Arabia 1938 - 1973 Flag of Saudi Arabia 1973 - 2023 Flag of Saudi Arabia 1877 - 1914, 1962 - 1967 Flag of the Kingdom of Sikkim 1914 - 1962 Flag of Kingdom of Sikkim 1967 - 1975 Flag of the Kingdom of Sikkim 1962 - 1967 Flag of the Federation of South Arabia 1922 - 1923 Flag of the Soviet Union 1923 - 1924 Flag of the Soviet Union 1924 - 1936 Flag of the Soviet Union 1936 - 1955 Flag of the Soviet Union 1955 - 1991 Flag of the Soviet Union 1843 - 1855 Flag of Siam 1920 Flag of the Arab Kingdom of Syria 1920 Flag of the Mandate of Syria 1922 - 1930 Flag of the Syrian Federation / the State of Syria 1930 - 1958, 1961 - 1963 Flag of the First Syrian Republic / the Second Syrian Republic 1963 - 1972 Flag of the Syrian Arab Republic 1972 - 1980 Flag of the Syrian Arab Republic 1980 - 2024 Flag of the Syrian Arab Republic 1991 - 1992 Flag of the Republic of Tajikistan 1916 - 1951 Flag of Tibet 1991 - 1992 Flag of Turkmenistan 1992 - 1997 Flag of Turkmenistan 1997 - 2001 Flag of Turkmenistan 1918 - 1921 Flag of Uryankhay Krai 1945 - 1955 Flag of North Vietnam 1955 - 1976 Flag of North Vietnam 1949 - 1975 Flag of South Vietnam 1960 - 1976 Flag of South Vietnam 1918 - 1923 Flag of North Yemen 1923 - 1927 Flag of North Yemen 1927 - 1962 Flag of North Yemen 1962 - 1990 Flag of North Yemen 1967 - 1990 Flag of South Yemen ^ Part of Transcaucasian Region, at the crossroads of Asia and Europe. Physiographically, Armenia falls entirely in Western Asia, while Georgia and Azerbaijan are mostly in Western Asia with small portions north of the Caucasus Mountains divide in Europe. ^ The island of Cyprus, which comprises the Republic of Cyprus, Northern Cyprus and Akrotiri and Dhekelia, is geographically located in Asia, closer to Asian Turkey than to the European mainland. However, the Republic of Cyprus is a member state of the European Union. Turkey is a transcontinental country in the Middle East and Southeast Europe. Turkey has a biggest part of its territory (95%) in Western Asia called Anatolia. ^ Kazakhstan is a transcontinental country. Kazakhstan has a small part of its territories located west of the Urals in Eastern Europe. ^ The Republic of China (ROC) was the recognized legitimate government of China between 1912 and 1949. After its defeat in the Chinese Civil War, the Republic of China retreated to the island of Taiwan where it continues to govern today. In 1949, the People's Republic of China (PRC) was established on the Chinese mainland. Since 1949, both the ROC and PRC officially claim to be the sole legitimate government of the entirety of China (including Taiwan). The flag of the ROC was thus the legitimate flag of China since its adoption in 1928 to 1949, whereas after 1949 its status has been linked to the political status of Taiwan. ^ Egypt is mostly situated within Africa, however the Sinai Peninsula lies in Asia. 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The World Encyclopedia of Flags & Heraldry: An international history of heraldry and its contemporary uses together with the definitive guide to national flags, banners, standards and ensigns. London: Lorenz, pp. 166-180. ISBN 9780754817802. Retrieved from " Looking at the national flags of the independent countries of this region you can clearly observe that the most of them have a dominance of the red color. Some have an absolutely red background, many are with the red stripes, triangles or disks. This color has a deep meaning in the Asian culture. The most worldwide recognized national symbols are the state flags of China, India, Japan and South Korea. All A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z FlagCountry A Afghanistan Armenia Azerbaijan B Bahrain Bangladesh Bhutan Brunei C Cambodia China Cyprus G Georgia I India Indonesia Iran Iraq Israel J Japan Jordan K Kazakhstan Kuwait Kyrgyzstan L Laos Lebanon M Malaysia Maldives Mongolia Myanmar FlagCountry N Nepal North Korea O Oman P Pakistan Palestine Philippines Q Qatar R Russia S Saudi Arabia Singapore South Korea Sri Lanka Syria T Taiwan Tajikistan Thailand Timor-Leste Turkey Turkmenistan U United Arab Emirates Uzbekistan V Vietnam Y Yemen Read next Countries of Asia Capitals of Asia Currencies of Asia Skip to content