



**Currency:
the Córdoba**

1 Córdoba = 0.027 USD /

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A little more about Nicaragua

- **Money matters**
 - 44.7% of population below poverty line
 - Poorest country in Central America
 - Remittances
- **Economy**
 - Main industries: food processing, chemicals, machinery and metal products, apparel, petroleum refining and distribution, beverages, footwear, wood, electric wire harness manufacturing, mining
- **History & politics**
 - President, Daniel Ortega and his VP and wife, Rosario Murillo
 - High levels of corruption
 - 1980s - Sandinista Revolution
 - 2018 - Civil unrest
 - 2021 - Ortega (FSLN) entered a 5th term of presidency