

Bolivia

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Bolivia Latest News

Recently, the Bolivian President announced a state of emergency in Bolivia.

About Bolivia

- **Location:** It is a landlocked country located in west-central **South America**.
- **Bordering countries:** It is bordered by 5 countries: by **Brazil** to the north and east; by **Paraguay** to the southeast; by **Argentina** to the south; by **Chile** to the southwest and by **Peru** to the northwest.
- **Capital City:** The constitutional capital is **Sucre**, while the seat of government and executive capital is **La Paz**.

Geographical Features of Bolivia

- **Terrain:** Bolivia's geography is diverse, featuring high mountains, plateaus, and low plains.
- **Mountain Range:** The **Andes Mountains** dominate the west, with the **Cordillera Occidental** along the **Chilean border**, and the **Cordillera Oriental** to the east.

- **Highest Point:** It is **Nevado Sajama at 21,463ft**
- **Rivers:** Important ones include the Beni, Desaguadero, Guapore, Madre de Dios and Mamore.
- **Lakes:** **Lake Titicaca** is situated between **Peru to the west and Bolivia to the east** is the largest freshwater lake in South America and the highest of the world's largest lakes.
- **Natural Resources:** It has significant deposits of natural gas and vast reserves of minerals such as tin, silver, zinc, and lithium.

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