



# ALL ABOUT

## THE 2016 RIO SUMMER GAMES



**Bucket List**Events



## THE 2016 SUMMER GAMES IN RIO



















### A FIRST FOR SOUTH AMERICA

In 2016, Rio de Janeiro  
will be the first  
South American  
country to ever host the  
Summer Games.

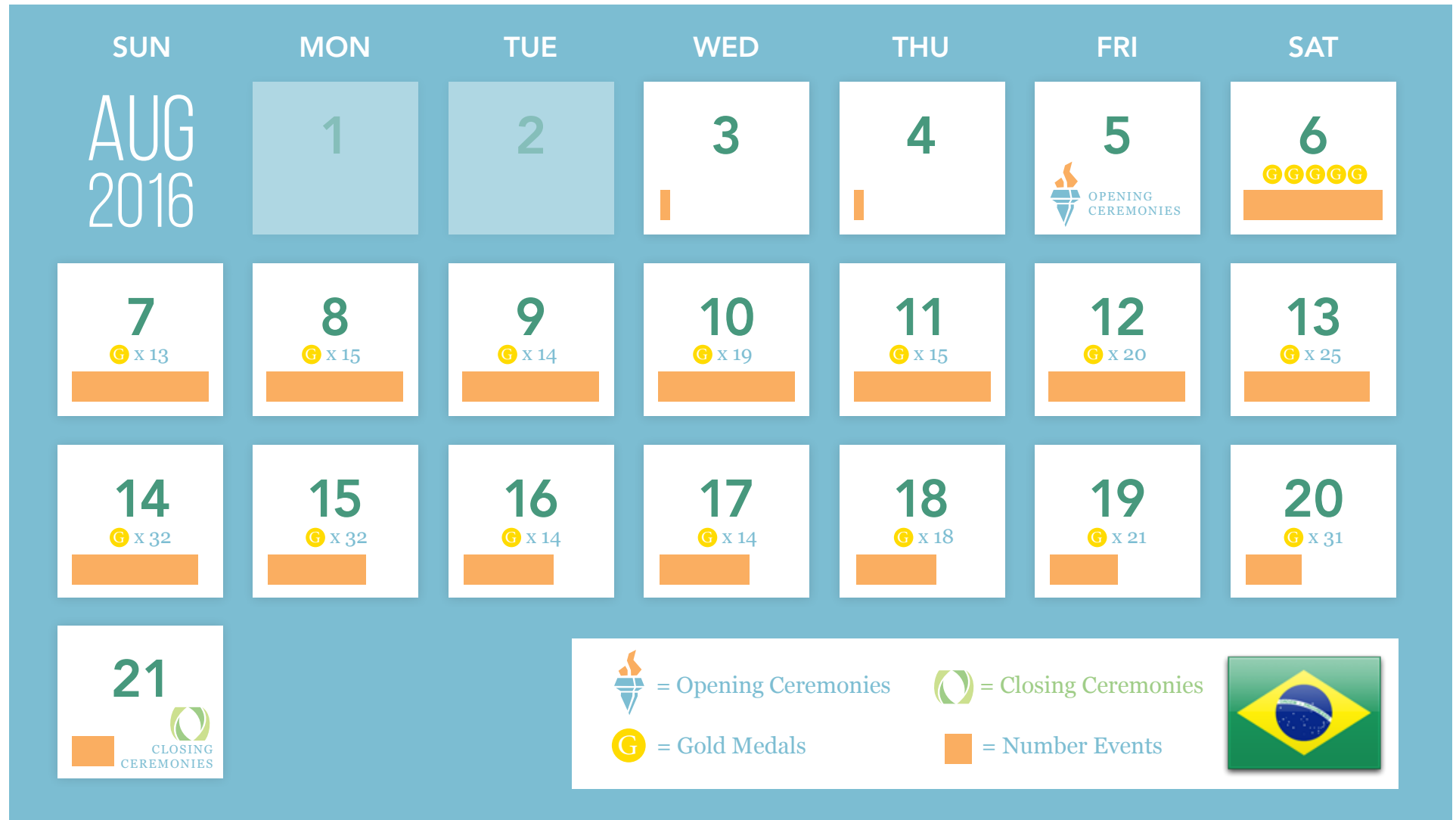
## SUMMER GAMES HISTORY

The first Summer Games were held in 1896 in Athens, Greece.  
It was the largest organized ever at the time, with only 245 competitors and 14 countries represented.

 1896: Athens, Greece	 1940: Cancelled – WWII	 1984: Los Angeles, CA, USA
 1900: Paris, France	 1944: Cancelled – WWII	 1988: Seoul, South Korea
 1904: St. Louis, MO, USA	 1948: London, United Kingdom	 1992: Barcelona, Spain
 1908: London, United Kingdom	 1952: Helsinki, Finland	 1996: Atlanta, GA, USA
 1912: Stockholm, Sweden	 1956: Melbourne, Australia	 2000: Sydney, Australia
 1916: Cancelled - WWI	 1960: Rome, Italy	 2004: Athens, Greece
 1920: Antwerp, Belgium	 1964: Tokyo, Japan	 2008: Beijing, China
 1924: Paris, France	 1968: Mexico City, Mexico	 2012: London, United Kingdom
 1928: Amsterdam, Netherlands	 1972: Munich, West Germany	 2016: Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
 1932: Los Angeles, CA, USA	 1976: Montreal, Canada	 2020: Tokyo, Japan
 1936: Berlin, Germany	 1980: Moscow, Soviet Union	 2024: Selection in 2017

## SUMMER GAMES DATES

The games will open on August 5, 2016 and the closing ceremony will be on August 21, 2016.



## EVENTS & COMPETITORS

The Olympics have increased from a 42-event competition with fewer than 250 male athletes from 14 nations to a 300-event sporting celebration with over 10,000 competitors from 205 nations.



### AQUATICS

Diving (8)

Swimming (34)

Synchronized swimming (2)

Water polo (2)



ARCHERY (4)



ATHLETICS (47)



BADMINTON (5)



BASKETBALL (2)



BOXING (13)



CANOEING

Slalom (4)

Sprint (12)



### CYCLING

BMX (2)

Mountain biking (2)

Road (4)

Track (10)



EQUESTRIAN

Dressage (2)

Eventing (2)

Jumping (2)



FENCING (10)



FIELD HOCKEY (2)



FOOTBALL (2)



GOLF (2)



### GYMNASTICS

Artistic (14)

Rhythmic (2)

Trampoline (2)



HANDBALL (2)



JUDO (14)



MODERN PENTATHLON (2)



ROWING (14)



RUGBY SEVENS (2)



SAILING (10)



SHOOTING (15)



TABLE TENNIS (4)



TAEKWONDO (8)



TENNIS (5)



TRIATHLON (2)



VOLLEYBALL

Volleyball (2)

Beach volleyball (2)



WEIGHTLIFTING (15)



WRESTLING

Freestyle (12)

Greco-Roman (6)

# SUMMER GAMES SCHEDULE

The 2016 Summer Games feature 28 sports and a total of 42 disciplines.

Below you will find the tentative schedule that will help get you started planning your dream trip of a lifetime.

AUGUST	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
CEREMONIES			OC																CC
ARCHERY				●	●	●	●	●											
ATHLETICS										●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	
ATHLETICS MARATHON												●							●
BADMINTON				●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●							
BASKETBALL				●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
BOXING				●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●		●	●	●
CANOEING					●	●	●	●	●					●	●	●	●	●	●
CYCLING BMX																●	●	●	
CYCLING ROAD				●	●			●											
CYCLING MOUNTAIN BIKE								●	●	●	●	●	●						
CYCLING TRACK							●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●					
DIVING							●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●			
EQUESTRIAN DRESSAGE										●	●				●		●		
EQUESTRIAN EVENTING					●	●	●	●											
EQUESTRIAN JUMPING												●	●	●		●			
FENCING				●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●							
FIELD HOCKEY					●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
FOOTBALL	●	●		●	●		●	●			●	●	●	●		●	●		
GOLF				●	●	●	●				●	●	●	●					

● REGULAR EVENT SESSIONS ● MEDAL SESSIONS

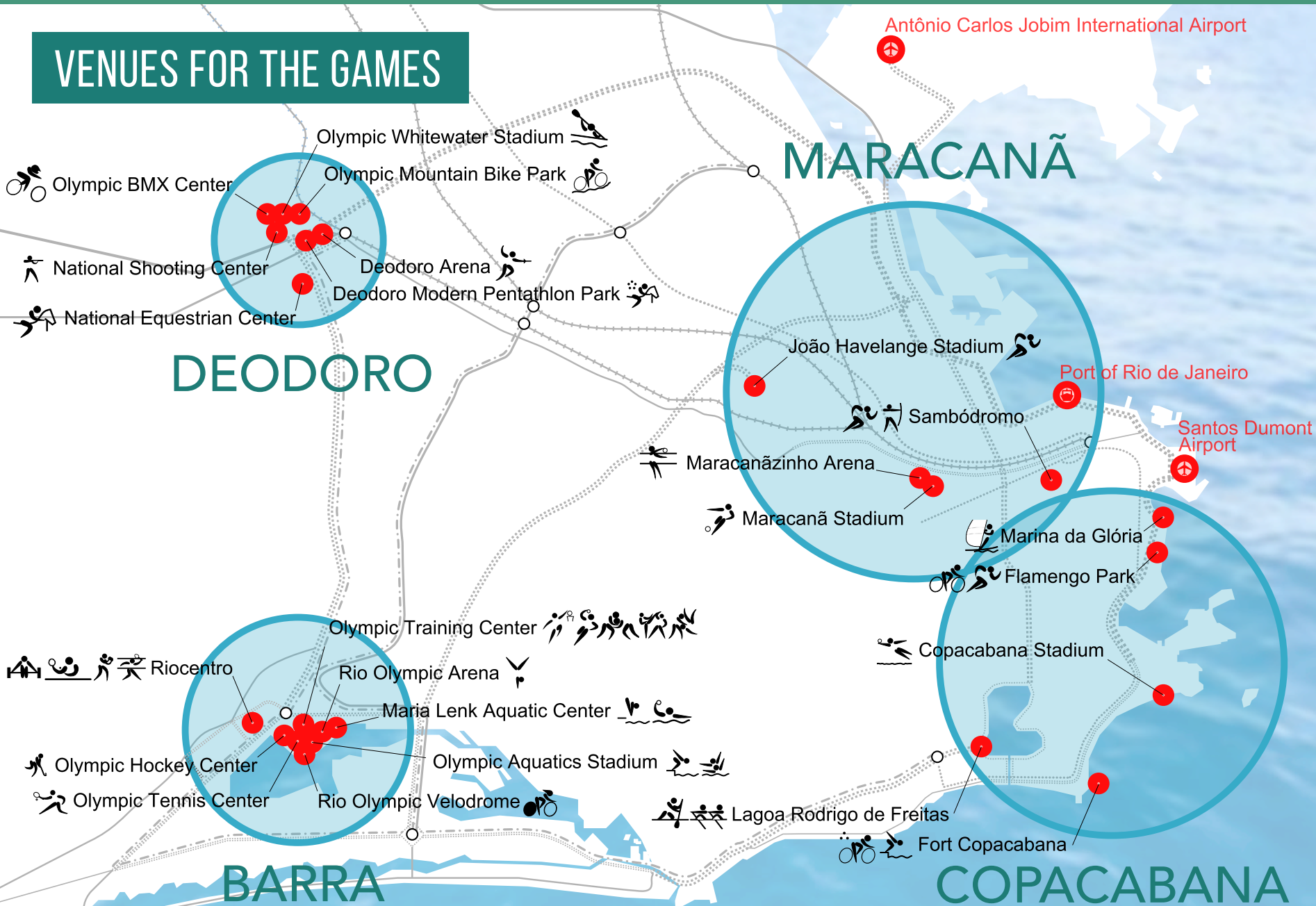
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AUGUST	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
ARTISTIC GYMNASTICS				REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL		MEDAL	MEDAL						
RHYTHMIC GYMNASTICS														REGULAR	REGULAR	MEDAL	MEDAL		
TRAMPOLINE GYMNASTICS										MEDAL	MEDAL								
HANDBALL				REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR
JUDO				MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL									
MODERN PENTATHLON																	MEDAL	MEDAL	
ROWING				REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR		MEDAL	MEDAL							
RUGBY SEVENS				REGULAR	REGULAR		MEDAL												
SAILING					REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL		
SHOOTING				MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL							
SWIMMING				REGULAR	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL								
SWIMMING MARATHON													MEDAL	MEDAL					
SYNCHRONIZED SWIMMING													REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR		MEDAL	MEDAL	
TABLE TENNIS				REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	MEDAL	MEDAL	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	MEDAL	MEDAL					
TAEKWONDO															MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	
TENNIS				REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	MEDAL	MEDAL						
TRIATHLON							MEDAL	MEDAL											
BEACH VOLLEYBALL				REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	MEDAL	MEDAL			
VOLLEYBALL				REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR
WATER POLO				REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	REGULAR	MEDAL	MEDAL		MEDAL	
WEIGHTLIFTING				MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL			MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL					
WRESTLING												MEDAL	MEDAL		MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	MEDAL	

REGULAR EVENT SESSIONS MEDAL SESSIONS



## VENUES FOR THE GAMES





## THE CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO



- Rio is the 2nd largest city in Brazil
- Part of the city designated as World Heritage Site
- Birthplace of Samba and Bossa Nova
- Average August temperature is 72° F

### FAMOUS LANDMARKS:

- Christ the Redeemer atop Corcovado Mountain
- Sugarloaf Mountain with its cable car
- Copacabana, Ipanema, Barra da Tijuca, and Leblon beaches



## SURPRISING FACTS (FOR COCKTAIL PARTIES)

80,000  
volunteers  
needed



7.5  
million

tickets  
will be  
sold

3.8  
million

tickets  
will be  
under \$30

33 Venues  
in Rio  
will host  
Olympic events



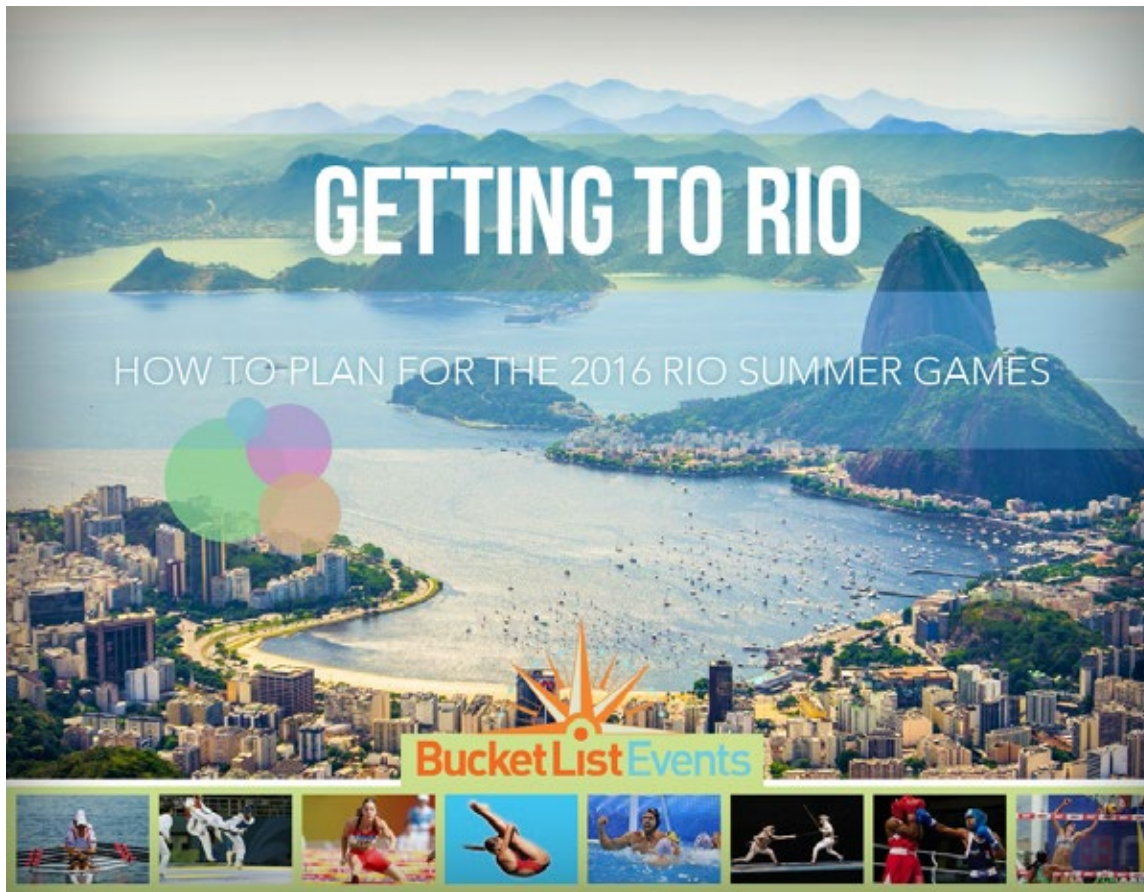
\$11.9 billion

is the estimated cost  
for the games



## LEARN MORE

Want to know what it takes to get to the 2016 Rio Summer Games?



Check out our 12-page guide detailing everything you need to plan between now and 2016.

**Includes:**

- Safety information
- Getting a visa
- Best time to book hotels and flights

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