

## COSTA RICA

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Abangares is the seventh canton of the province of Guanacaste. This place was dominated by the Overlord Avancari that inhabited this place when the Spaniards arrived. The mining industry was the main economic activity, between 1887 and 1940.

In that period, Abangares were negatively affected by foreign visitors, who brought chaos and disease to the area, causing the first labor strike in 1912.