

Nothern and Central Kazakhstan



Kostanay



Karaganda



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Kostanay city

- ❑ **Kostanay city** was founded in 1879.
- ❑ On June 17h, 1997, the town received the name **Kostanay**.
- ❑ In 1912-1913 the railway line Kustanay-Chelyabinsk was constructed and Kustanay railway station was opened.
- ❑ The climate of **Kostanay city** area is of sharp continental type, with hot dry summers and cold winters with little snow. The average temperature in July is 21,4 degs C above 0, in January - 16,1 degs C below 0.



Kazakhstan street



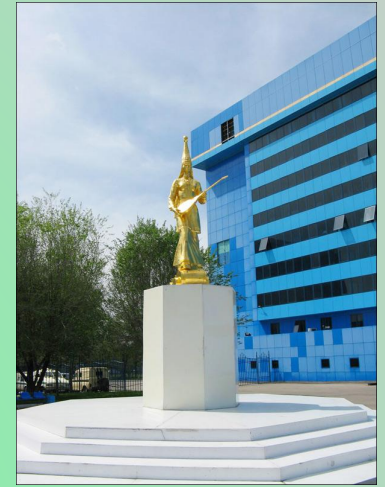
Kostanay city theater view



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Karaganda

- Karaganda is the second largest city of Kazakhstan.
- Karaganda city has the population of about 457,000 (2009) on the territory of 543 sq.km.
- On the territory of **Karaganda city** there are about 50 monuments of history and culture:
- Miners' Palace of Culture, Sports Palace, Theater named after K.Stanislavsky and S.Seyfullin, a circus, stadium "Miner", a monument of military glory "Eternal Fire" and others.



city scenery



Soviet soldiers monument

Pavlodar

- Pavlodar is a large industrial, economic and cultural center of Kazakhstan.
- there are such plants as: metallurgic plants producing steel and seamless pipes, mostly for export, oil-processing plants, plant producing electrical, electronic and optical equipment as well as plants of processing industry.
- Pavlodar Kazakhstan city population - 321,000 (2009) on the land area of 638 sq. km.



the mosque of Mashkhour Zhusup



Kokshetau

- **Kokshetau ay**, formerly known as *Kokchetav*. Until 1993 is the administrative center of [Akmola Province](#), northern [Kazakhstan](#). It has a population of 125,225 (2007 census). The name of the city established in 1824 means "blue mountain".
- There are urban light industries such as food production. The region produces low grades of wheat and other cultures. There is a [gold mining](#) operation north of the city.
- Kokshetau has one [airport](#) Kokshetau has one airport with flights to [Almaty](#) Kokshetau has one airport with flights to Almaty and [Petropavl](#) Kokshetau has one airport with flights



Petropavl

- In 1807 the fortification was renamed into **Petropavlovsk** town.
- Petropavl city population is about 195,000 (2010) on the land area of 222 sq. km.
- The climate of the area is of sharp continental type. Winters are frosty and long (over 5 months), with little snow, summers are hot, with frequent droughty weather.
- **Petropavl city** is the main producer of railway carriages in Kazakhstan

