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Zagreb was first mentioned in eleventh century, when the city existed as two different centres: smaller Kaptol, on the east, and bigger Gradec on the west.

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Zagreb is capital and the largest city in Croatia. It is located in the northwest side of the country. In 2018 population of Zagreb was 804 507 citizens.

It is located on river Sava and under Medvednica mountain.

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In Croatia there are 21 counties or regions. It's interesting that Zagreb is the only city in Croatia that has status of city and a county.

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Best attraction for kids in Zagreb is the Zoo. Zoo has a lot of animals to see and you can also pet some of them.

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You can also go to the Josip Jelačić square. In Christmas time there are lots of booths there. My favourite one is the one that has cotton candy

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If you like to watch shows, HNK (Croatian national theater) is a great place to visit. They're showing over a thousand shows.

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If you go to the upper town, you can see Zagreb's Cathedral. It was built in 1094. Its height is 94 meters. Cathedral is also a symbol of Zagreb.

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There are many lakes in Zagreb. The most popular ones are lake Jarun and lake Budek. Jarun is a much bigger lake than Budek. You can play football, volleyball or just enjoy your time on the beach. Both of them are very beautiful and I would highly recommend you to visit them!

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Sljeme is the highest top of the Medvednica mountain. It is ideal for hiking, walking and enjoying the time with your family and dogs in nature.

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Zagreb has a lot of museums. Most popular one is the technical museum Tesla. In that museum you can see many things, such as old cars, planes, ships, firetrucks, and much more. Underground mine is the main attraction of the museum. Unfortunately, because of the earthquakes and epidemics it is closed. After all, technical museum is a great places to visit with your family and friends!

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An earthquake of magnitude 5.5 struck Zagreb on Sunday, March 22nd, 2020 at 6:24 am. It was reported that the epicenter was located 7 kilometers north from Zagreb Center, in Markuševac, at a depth of 10 km.

At 7:01 a.m., another 5.0-magnitude earthquake followed. The third one was recorded at 7:41 a.m., magnitude was 3.7. In just over 24 hours after the first earthquake, 57 additional earthquakes were recorded in Zagreb area. One person died in this earthquake and some were injured.

Although a lot of buildings in the very centre of the city were damaged, they have been mainly reconstructed and you are more than welcome to come and visit our capital city