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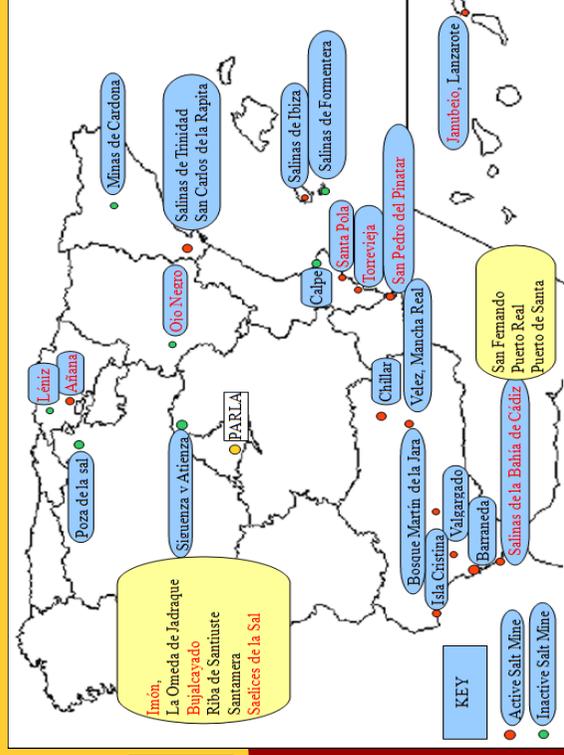
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„SALT OF THE EARTH,”

SALT MINES IN SPAIN



SALT IN SPAIN

Extracting and trading salt is an integral part of Spanish history with these activities dating back to times before the Roman Empire. Spanish salt products show a steady evolution over the last years with yearly figures at nearly four million tonnes.



Salt production is undertaken in various provinces according to the extraction process used, as follows:

- natural brine (sea saltworks 40% and inland saltworks 50.9%)
- mining techniques (rock salt exploitations 9.1%)



Solar evaporation ponds - Añana

Active Salt Mines in Spain:

Torrevieja, Santa Pola, San Pedro del Pinatar, Salinas del Cabezo de la Rosa, Valcargado, Chíllar, Vélez, Bosque, Martín de la Jara, Castellón, Salinas de la Trinidad, San Carlos de la Rápita, Isla Cristina, Salinas de la Bahía de Cádiz (San Fernando, Puerto Real, Puerto de Santa María Chiclana de la Frontera), Barrameda, Janubeio, Salinas de Fuencaliente, Añana, Salinas de Ibiza



Salina Anana
The Salt Valley is one of the most spectacular and best preserved inland saltworks in the world.

In addition to producing salt, whose profits and quality have been internationally recognized since 1851 (awarded a prize at the Great Exhibition in London), its heritage includes archaeological remains from the mediaeval period.

Flor de sal



Hand harvested in the same manner for thousands of years near the Bay of Cádiz, flor de sal is one of the highest quality sea salts in the world. Salina San Vicente is one of the last remaining companies producing salt in the salt fields above the **Bay of Cádiz**.

Today in Spain, salt production covers the needs of domestic consumption and also allows us to hold a firm international position as an exporting country.

