

WORLD RIVER DATA INDEX

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RIVER NAME	CONTINENT	OUTFLOW	LENGTH (KM)	DRAINAGE AREA (KM ²)
Nile	AFRICA	Mediterranean Sea	6,650	3,254,555
Amazon	SOUTH AMERICA	Atlantic Ocean	6,400	7,050,000
Yangtze	ASIA	East China Sea	6,300	1,808,500
Mississippi-Missouri	NORTH AMERICA	Gulf of Mexico	6,275	2,980,000
Yenisei	ASIA/RUSSIA	Kara Sea	5,539	2,580,000
Yellow River	ASIA	Bohai Sea	5,464	752,000
Ob-Irtysh	ASIA	Gulf of Ob	5,410	2,990,000
Paraná	SOUTH AMERICA	Río de la Plata	4,880	2,582,672
Congo	AFRICA	Atlantic Ocean	4,700	3,680,000

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Amur	ASIA	Sea of Okhotsk	4,444	1,855,000
Lena	ASIA/RUSSIA	Laptev Sea	4,400	2,490,000
Mekong	ASIA	South China Sea	4,350	810,000
Danube	EUROPE	Black Sea	2,850	817,000

Note: Data based on standardized geographical measurements. Lengths may vary based on seasonal source definition.