

Christ of Chiapas, Copoya, Tuxla Gutiérrez, Chiapas, Mexico

Architect: Jaime Latapí López

The 62 metre-high statue is a multi-metal design, which involves a carbon steel primary structure, an aluminium secondary structure and a stainless steel outer skin. The stainless steel sheet is adhesively bonded to the supports to avoid galvanic corrosion. The inner surface is outlined in gold to convey the idea of "Christ of Light".



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Details

Environment:	Rural
Grade and finish:	304 P3
Total weight of the stainless steel used in the project:	46 tons
Date of completion:	2011
Manufacturing company:	Obras de Arte, Inventos, Sueños SA de CV, Tlalnepantla, Mexico
Material supplier:	Outokumpu Mexinox