



Aztec Timeline

Leave Aztlan, wander southwards into central Mexico

1300s Tenochtitlan (Mexico City) founded

1427 King Chimalpopoca unsuccessfully assists Tayatzin to stay on the throne of Azcapotzalco; Chimalpopoca commits suicide after his capture

1428 Triple Alliance was formed (with Tlacopan and Texcoco) under the King Izchoatl

1440-1468 Reign of Moctezuma I, who conquered the Zapotec city of Mitla (in Oaxaca), as well as the Huastec and Totonac peoples on the Gulf of Mexico coast.

1465 Vast majority of the Valley of Mexico has been conquered under King Moctezuma I

1486-1503 Reign of Ahuitzotl, who greatly expanded the Aztec empire, conquering the Mixtec and Zapotec peoples of central Mexico, and pushed the Aztec domain down into modern day western Guatemala.