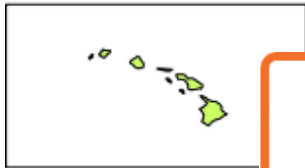
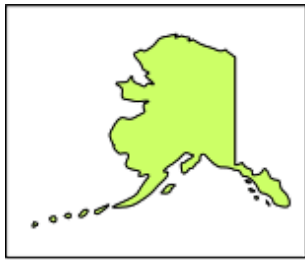


SOUTHEASTERN REGION OF THE USA

The Southeastern Region of the United States of America

The twelve states in the Southeastern Region are Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, and Louisiana. The region is known for its many rivers, a majority of which start in the Appalachian Mountains. The growing season in the Southeastern Region is longer than in the Northeastern Region.



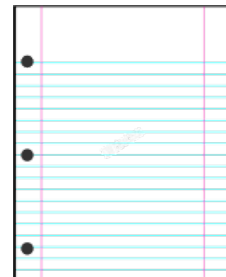
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Here are some interesting facts about this region:

Major Cities: New Orleans, Atlanta, Miami, Nashville, Charleston, Richmond, Memphis, Raleigh, Charlotte, Tampa, and Little Rock

Economy: agriculture, tourism, fishing, mining, papermaking and service industries



Geographic Features: Appalachian Mountains, Atlantic Ocean, Mississippi River, Gulf of Mexico, James River, Cape Hatteras and the Ohio River



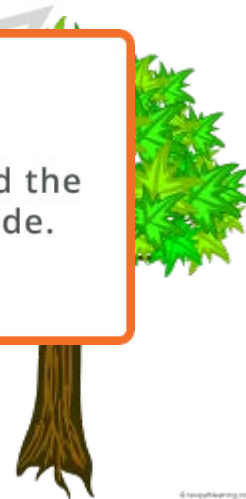
Resources: oil, natural gas, coal, fertile soil, trees, and hydroelectric power



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Landmarks: Fort Sumter, St. Augustine, Disney World, Williamsburg, Jamestown, Monticello and Mount Vernon



Other Interesting Information:

- **Mammoth Cave National Park** is a national park in Kentucky.
- The **Peach State** is Georgia.



- Because of its location near the warm waters of the **Gulf of Mexico**, parts of this region experience powerful storms with high winds and heavy rain called **hurricanes**.



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- An important crop grown in Georgia is **peanuts**.



- The space shuttle is launched from **Cape Canaveral**, Florida.