

STATISTICAL ABSTRACT OF THE UNITED STATES

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Accession	Date	Gross area, square miles	Accession	Date	Gross area, square miles
Aggregate (1930).....		3, 738, 395	Outlying territories and possessions.....		711, 606
Continental United States.....		3, 026, 789	Alaska Territory.....	1867	586, 400
Territory in 1790.....		802, 135	Hawaii Territory.....	1898	6, 407
Louisiana Purchase.....	1803	827, 987	Philippine Islands.....	1899	114, 400
Florida.....	1819	58, 066	Puerto Rico.....	1899	3, 435
By treaty with Spain.....	1819	13, 435	Guam.....	1899	206
Texas.....	1845	389, 166	American Samoa.....	1900	76
Oregon.....	1846	286, 541	Panama Canal Zone.....	1904	549
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No. 2.—AREA: GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS AND STATES, 1930

Division and State	Area (square miles)			Division and State	Area (square miles)		
	Land	Water	Total		Land	Water	Total
Continental United States.....	2, 973, 776	153, 013	3, 026, 789	South Atlantic—Con.			
New England.....	61, 978	4, 448	66, 424	Dist. of Columbia.....	62	8	70
Maine.....	29, 895	3, 145	33, 040	Virginia.....	40, 262	2, 365	42, 627
New Hampshire.....	9, 031	310	9, 341	West Virginia.....	24, 022	148	24, 170
Vermont.....	9, 124	440	9, 564	North Carolina.....	48, 740	3, 686	52, 426
Massachusetts.....	8, 030	227	8, 256	South Carolina.....	30, 495	494	30, 989
Rhode Island.....	1, 067	181	1, 248	Georgia.....	58, 725	540	59, 265
Connecticut.....	4, 820	145	4, 965	Florida.....	54, 861	3, 805	58, 666
Middle Atlantic.....	100, 000	2, 554	102, 554	East South Central.....	179, 609	1, 974	181, 483
New York.....	47, 654	2 1, 560	49, 204	Kentucky.....	40, 181	417	40, 598
New Jersey.....	7, 614	710	8, 324	Tennessee.....	41, 687	335	42, 022
Pennsylvania.....	44, 832	2 204	45, 126	Alabama.....	51, 270	719	51, 988
East North Central.....	245, 584	2, 541	248, 105	Mississippi.....	40, 362	603	40, 965
Ohio.....	40, 740	2 300	41, 040	West South Central.....	428, 746	8, 048	437, 794
Indiana.....	36, 045	2 309	36, 354	Arkansas.....	52, 525	810	53, 335
Illinois.....	56, 043	2 622	56, 665	Louisiana.....	45, 409	3, 097	48, 506
Michigan.....	57, 480	2 500	57, 980	Oklahoma.....	60, 414	643	70, 057
Wisconsin.....	55, 255	2 810	56, 066	Texas.....	202, 398	3, 408	205, 806
West North Central.....	510, 804	7, 575	518, 379	Mountain.....	859, 009	6, 008	865, 017
Minnesota.....	80, 868	2 3, 824	84, 682	Montana.....	146, 131	866	146, 997
Iowa.....	55, 580	501	56, 147	Idaho.....	83, 354	634	83, 988
Missouri.....	68, 727	693	69, 420	Wyoming.....	97, 548	366	97, 914
North Dakota.....	70, 183	654	70, 837	Colorado.....	103, 658	290	103, 948
South Dakota.....	76, 868	747	77, 615	New Mexico.....	122, 503	131	122, 634
Nebraska.....	76, 808	712	77, 520	Arizona.....	113, 810	146	113, 956
Kansas.....	81, 774	384	82, 158	Utah.....	82, 184	2, 806	84, 990
South Atlantic.....	289, 073	13, 837	282, 910	Nevada.....	109, 821	869	110, 690
Delaware.....	1, 905	405	2, 370	Pacific.....	318, 095	6, 028	324, 123
Maryland.....	9, 941	2, 386	12, 327	Washington.....	66, 836	2 2, 291	69, 127
				Oregon.....	95, 607	1, 092	96, 699
				California.....	155, 652	2, 645	158, 297

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