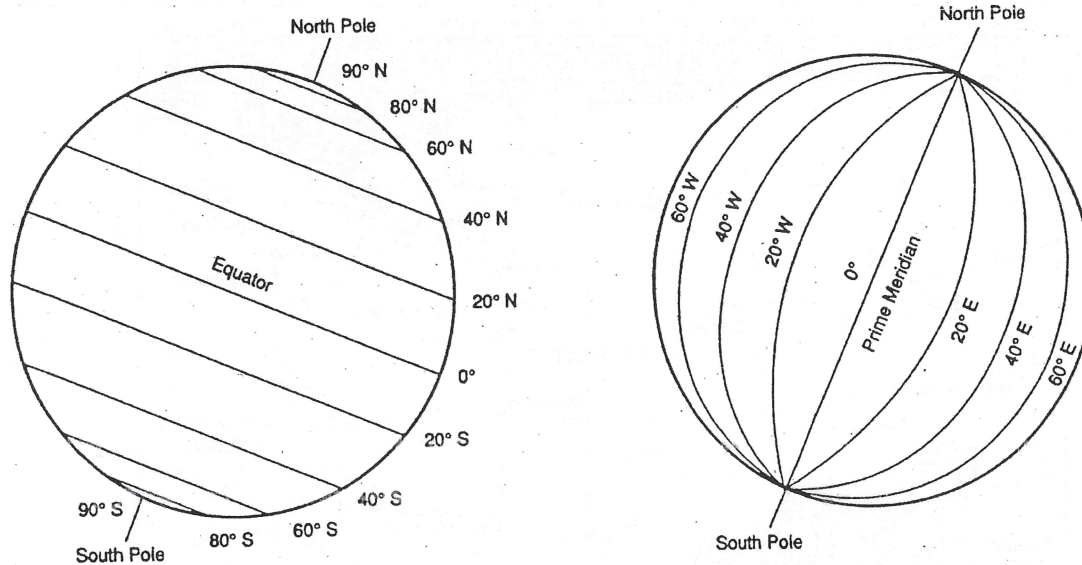


Geography Skills Activity 4

Latitude and Longitude

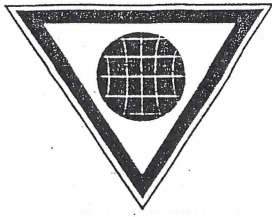
Use with Chapter 1.



Study the maps above. Then complete the sentences.

1. The _____ is 0° latitude.
2. The _____ is 90° north latitude or 90° N.
3. The _____ is 90° south latitude or 90° S.
4. The _____ are east-west lines forming circles that run in the same direction as the Equator.
5. A parallel is a line of _____.
6. The distance north or south of the Equator is measured in degrees of _____.
7. _____ are north-south lines that form half circles between the North Pole and the South Pole.
8. The _____ is 0° longitude.
9. Meridians west of the Prime Meridian are labeled with the letter _____.
10. Meridians east of the Prime Meridian are labeled with the letter _____.
11. A meridian is a line of _____.
12. Distance east or west of the Prime Meridian is measured in degrees of _____.

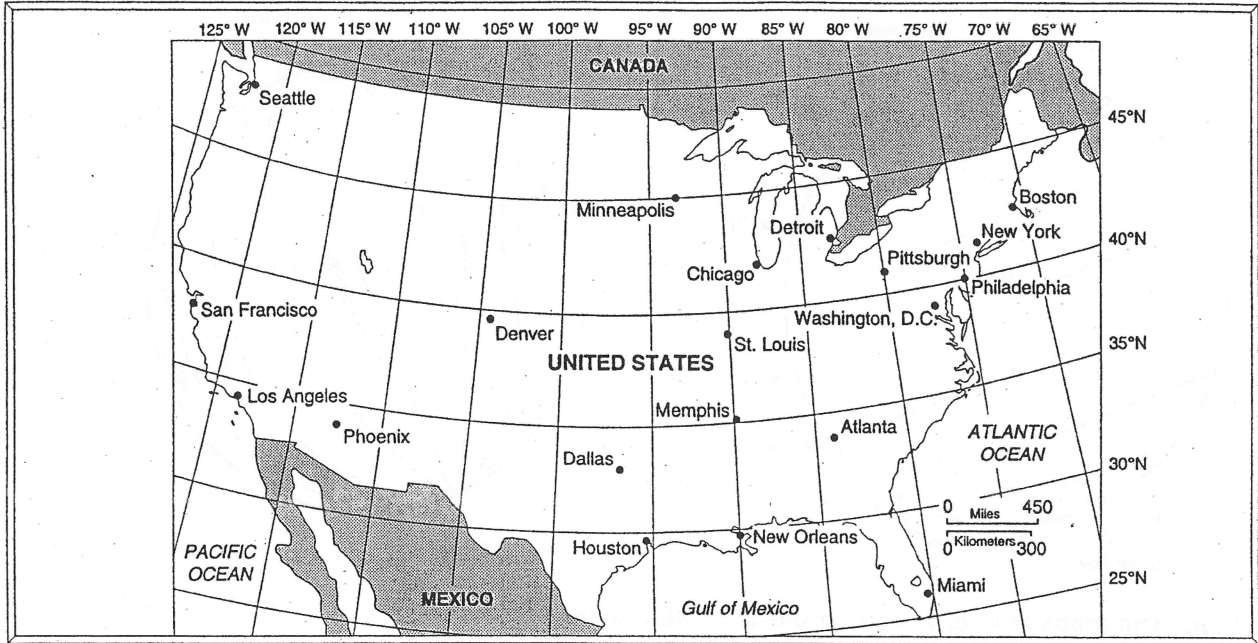
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Geography Skills Activity 5

Using a Grid

Use with Chapter 1.



Use the map of the United States above to answer the following questions.

1. In what direction do lines of latitude run? _____
2. In what direction do lines of longitude run? _____
3. What city is located along 45° N latitude? _____
4. What three cities are located closest to 90° W longitude? _____

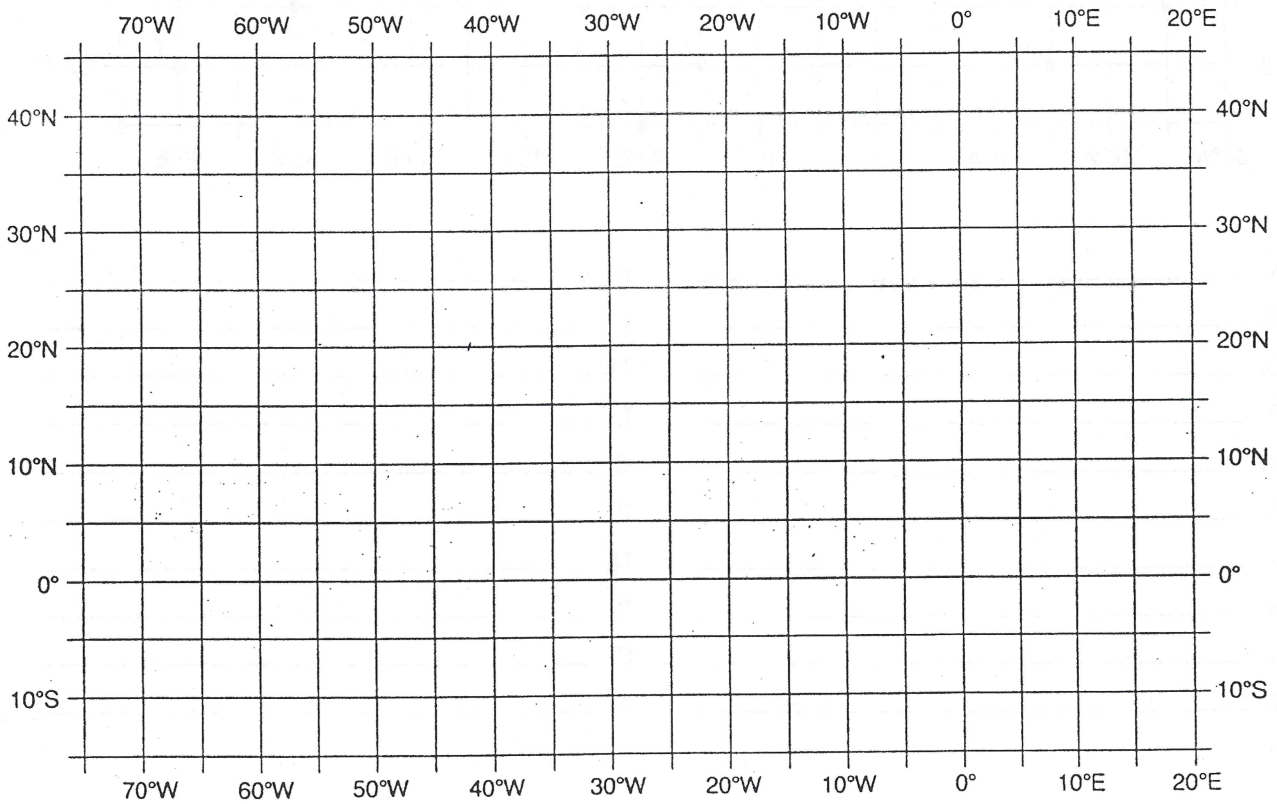
5. If you were at 30° N latitude and 75° W longitude, you would be in the _____
6. What city is located at about 30° N latitude and 95° W longitude? _____
7. What city is located at about 38° N latitude and 122° W longitude? _____
8. What city is located at about 47° N latitude and 122° W longitude? _____
9. What city is located at about 42° N latitude and 71° W longitude? _____
10. What body of water is located at 25° N latitude and 90° W longitude? _____
11. Atlanta is located at about _____ N latitude and _____ W longitude.
12. Phoenix is located at about _____ N latitude and _____ W longitude.

Plotting Latitude and Longitude Coordinates

GEOGRAPHY PRACTICE FORM

The latitude and longitude coordinates for 20 points are listed below. Each point is labeled by a letter. Plot each point at its correct location on the map grid, and label the point with the proper letter.

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|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| A. 20° N, 5° E | H. 35° N, 55° W | O. 40° N, 5° W |
| B. 30° N, 0° | I. 0°, 5° E | P. 10° S, 60° W |
| C. 10° S, 10° E | J. 40° N, 40° W | Q. 15° S, 10° W |
| D. 5° N, 65° W | K. 5° S, 70° W | R. 45° N, 35° W |
| E. 15° S, 30° W | L. 15° N, 40° W | S. 0°, 0° |
| F. 0°, 15° E | M. 25° N, 15° E | T. 10° N, 15° W |
| G. 5° S, 25° W | N. 20° N, 0° | |

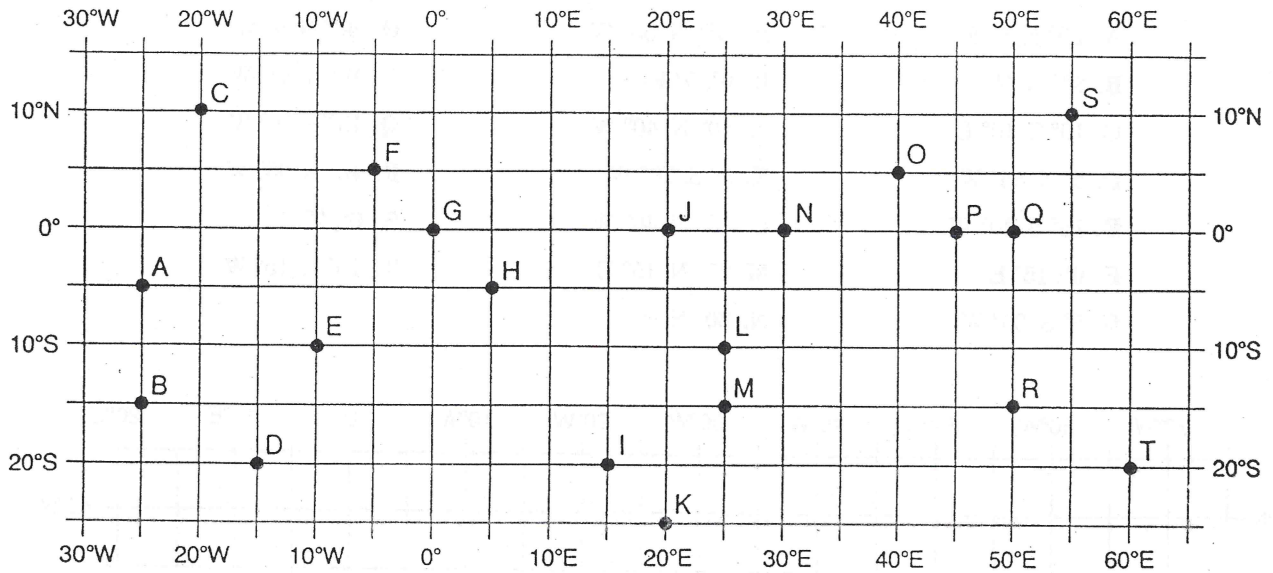


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Identifying Latitude and Longitude Coordinates

GEOGRAPHY PRACTICE FORM

Twenty points appear on the map grid below. Each point is labeled by a letter. For each point, write the correct latitude and longitude coordinates in the blank next to the proper letter.



- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____
- D. _____
- E. _____
- F. _____
- G. _____
- H. _____
- I. _____
- J. _____

- K. _____
- L. _____
- M. _____
- N. _____
- O. _____
- P. _____
- Q. _____
- R. _____
- S. _____
- T. _____