

# The 13 Colonies

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# New England Colonies

Colonies: Maine, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut

Geography: Poor soil quality, long cold winters, and short growing season.

Economy: wood, fishing, and whaling.



# Middle Colonies

Colonies: New York, New Jersey, Delaware, and Pennsylvania.

Geography: Good soil quality, long growing season, Lots of rain, large wide rivers.

Economy: Crops and hunting. Waterway transportation.



# Southern Colonies

Colonies: Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia

Geography: Excellent soil, long growing season, and lots of rain.

Economy: Crops and waterway transportation.

