

region[ˈriːdʒ(ə)n] *n*

1. 1) область, район, зона; край, страна
the Arctic Region - Арктика, арктический регион
few unknown regions are left on the Earth - на земле осталось мало неизученных мест
- 2) пространство
the aquatic regions of the Earth - водные пространства земли
2. сфера, область
every region of science - каждая область науки
the region of mythology [of metaphysics] - сфера/области/ мифологии[метафизики]
in the region of - а) в сфере, в области; б) поблизости
3. 1) округ, район (*страны, города*)
Moscow [Tveɪ] Region - Московская [Тверская] область
the city was divided into seven regions - город делился на семь районов
- 2) *воен.* округ, район (*дислокации войск*)
4. слой (*атмосферы и т. п.*)
in the upper regions - в верхних слоях атмосферы[*см. тж.* 6]
5. *анат.* область, часть тела
the abdominal region - область живота, абдоминальная область
a pain in the region of the heart - боль в области сердца
6. место, места (*тж. перен.*)
the region is indicated on the diagram - это место указано /обозначено/ в диаграмме
the back regions (of a house) - кухня; подсобное помещение
the upper regions - небо
the nether /the lower/ regions - ад, преисподняя
the region beyond the grave - загробное царство
celestial regions - небесные сферы

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region **AW** [region regions] **BrE** ['riːdʒ(ə)n] **NAmE** ['riːdʒ(ə)n] **noun**

1. **countable** a large area of land, usually without exact limits or borders
 - the **Arctic/tropical/desert, etc. regions**
 - one of the most densely populated regions of North America
 2. **countable** one of the areas that a country is divided into, that has its own customs and/or its own government
 - the Basque region of Spain
 3. **the regions plural (BrE)** all of a country except the capital city
 - People in the regions should not have to travel to London to fly to the United States.
 4. **countable** a part of the body, usually one that has a particular character or problem
 - pains in the abdominal region
- Idiom ↑ **in the region of**

Word Origin:Middle English: from Old French, from Latin **regio(n-)** 'direction, district', from **regere** 'to rule, direct'.Thesaurus:**region** **noun** **C**

• Soil erosion is particularly serious in dry tropical regions.

area •• **part** •• **zone** •• **climate** •• **belt** •• **district** •• **province** •(a/an) **eastern/northern/southern/western** region/area/parts/zone/district/provincethe **whole/entire** region/area/zone/district/provincea **border/coastal** region/area/zone/district/province**Region or area?** A **region** refers to a large area of a country or continent, especially in terms of its geographical, political or economic importance. **Area** has a wide range of meaning and can refer to a part of sth as large as a continent or smaller than a room.Example Bank:

- Italy's richest region
- Nomads have inhabited this region for thousands of years.
- Sanitary facilities varied widely from region to region.
- She earns in the region of £200 000.
- She earns in the region of ≈ approximately £200 000.
- Sports events across the region have been affected by the weather.
- The animal is found in the northern regions of Sweden.
- The champagne-producing region covers 34 500 hectares.
- The country is divided into 17 autonomous regions.
- The plant is found throughout the western regions of the country.
- This bird is largely confined to the southern regions of the country.
- This tropical forest region is characterized by frequent heavy rainfall.
- Twenty participants from the Asia-Pacific region will be invited to the seminar.

- a sparsely populated region
- an attempt to bring peace and stability to a troubled region
- cells in a particular region of the brain
- oil exploration in remote regions of the Russian Far East
- the autonomous regions of the People's Republic of China
- the poorer regions of the continent
- tissue from the mouth region
- Bilbao is the largest city in the Basque region in northern Spain.
- Many new species have been discovered in the Amazon region.
- Soil erosion is particularly serious in dry tropical regions.
- This is one of the most densely populated regions of North America.

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[Word Family: **noun**: ↑region, ↑regionalism; **adverb**: ↑regionally; **adjective**: ↑regional]

[Date: 1300-1400; Language: Old French; Origin: Latin regio, from regere; ⇒ ↑regent]

1. a large area of a country or of the world, usually without exact limits **SYN area** :

" efforts to bring peace to the region

region of

" the Choco region of Columbia

coastal/border/central etc region

" Flooding is likely in some coastal regions of the Northeast during the early part of the week.

2. a particular part of someone's body **SYN area** :

" the lower back region

region of

" a region of the brain

3. **(somewhere) in the region of something** used to describe an amount of time, money etc without being exact:

" a grant somewhere in the region of £2,500

4. **the regions** *British English* the parts of a country that are away from the capital city:

" a government policy to relocate jobs from the capital to the regions

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THESAURUS

- **area** a part of a town or country, or of the world: They live in a very wealthy area. | coastal areas
- **region** a large area of a country or the world: the northwest region of Russia | desert regions
- **zone** an area that is different from other areas around it in some way: a war zone | a no-parking zone | We crossed two different time zones/areas where there is a particular time compared to the rest of the world.
- **district** one of the areas a city or town is officially divided into, or an area of a city where a particular group live or an activity happens: the Chelsea district of Manhattan | **the business/financial/theatre etc district**: the financial district of London
- **neighbourhood** *British English*, **neighborhood** *American English* /'neɪbəhʊd \$ -ər-/ an area of a town where people live: a friendly neighbourhood | There are lots of trees in our neighborhood.
- **suburb** an area outside the centre of a city, where people live: a suburb of Boston
- **quarter** an area of a town or city where people of a particular nationality live: the French quarter of New Orleans
- **slum** an area of a city that is in very bad condition, where many poor people live: He grew up in the slums of East London.
- **ghetto** an area of a city where poor people of a particular race or class live: a black baby born in the ghetto

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