

southwest

I. **southwest**¹ *BrE* ^u *AmE* ^u , **Southwest** /,saʊθ'west</ noun [uncountable] (written abbreviation **SW**)

1. the direction that is exactly between south and west
2. **the southwest** the southwestern part of a country

—**southwest** *adverb*:

^u The plane flew southwest toward Egypt.

II. **southwest**² *BrE* ^u *AmE* ^u , **Southwest** *adjective* (written abbreviation **SW**)

1. a southwest wind comes from the southwest
2. in the southwest of a place:

^u the southwest corner of France

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