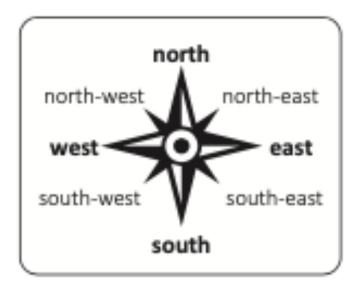


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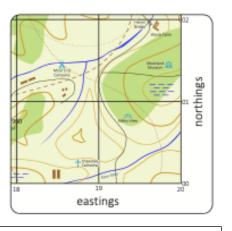
## Compass Points

There are 8 points on a compass. There are four cardinal point: north, east, south and west. There are four intercardinal points: north-east, north-west, south-east and south-west.

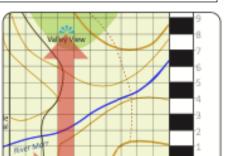


## Grid References

A grid reference is a location on a map. Four-figure grid references are used to locate a grid square on a map. Six-figure grid references are used to locate an exact position of a human or physical feature within a grid square on a map.



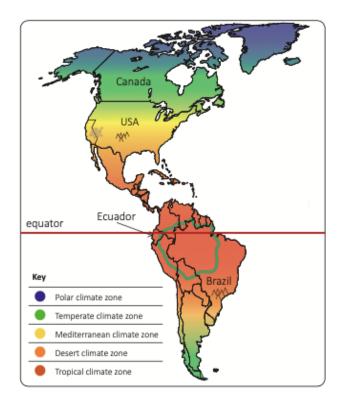
Four-figure grid reference



Six-figure grid reference

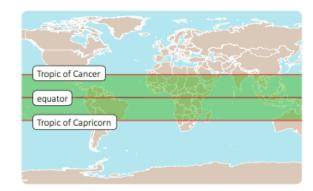
### North and South America

The countries in North and South America have a range of different cultures and contrasting climates.



## Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn

The tropics is an area between two imaginary lines of latitude which lie on either side of the equator. The area contains 95% of the world's mangrove forests.



#### Glossary

climate - the general weather conditions found in a place over a period of time.

compass - a hand-held device with a metal arrow that always points north, used for finding direction.



equator - a line of latitude around the middle of the Earth at 0°.

human feature - a geographical feature created by humans, such as a road or a bridge.

physical feature - a geographical feature that occurs naturally, such as a river or a mountain.

