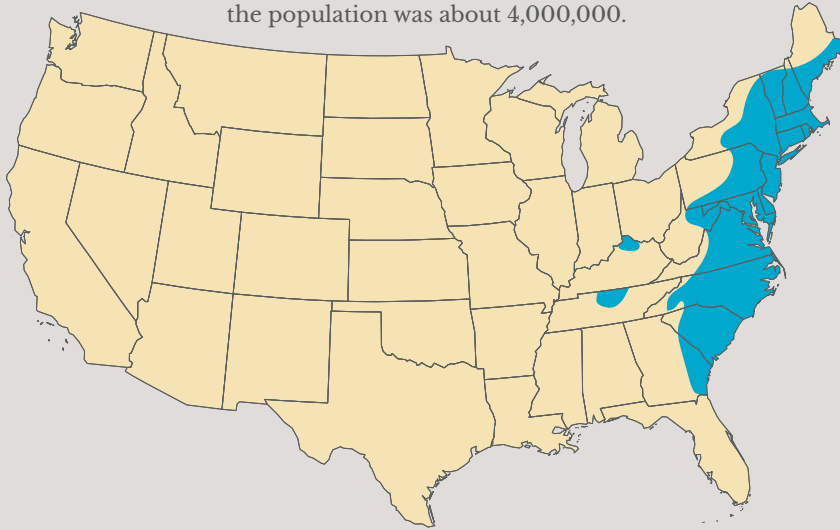
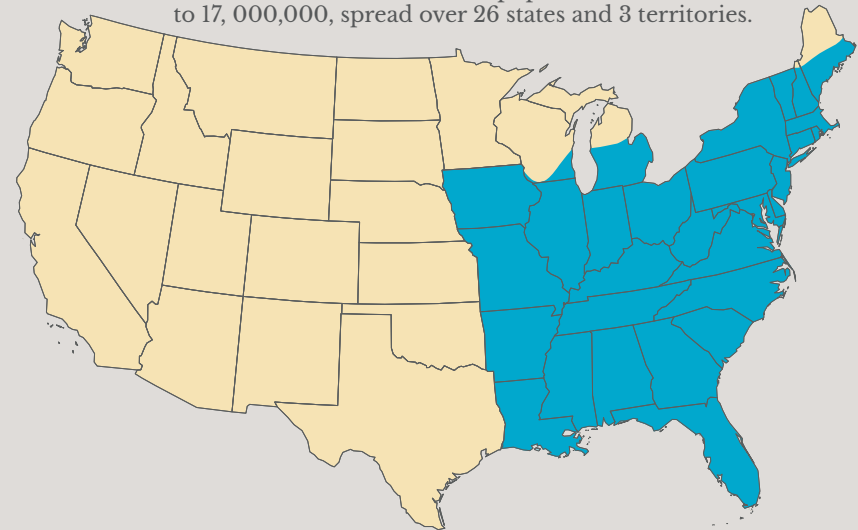


U.S. Population Over Time

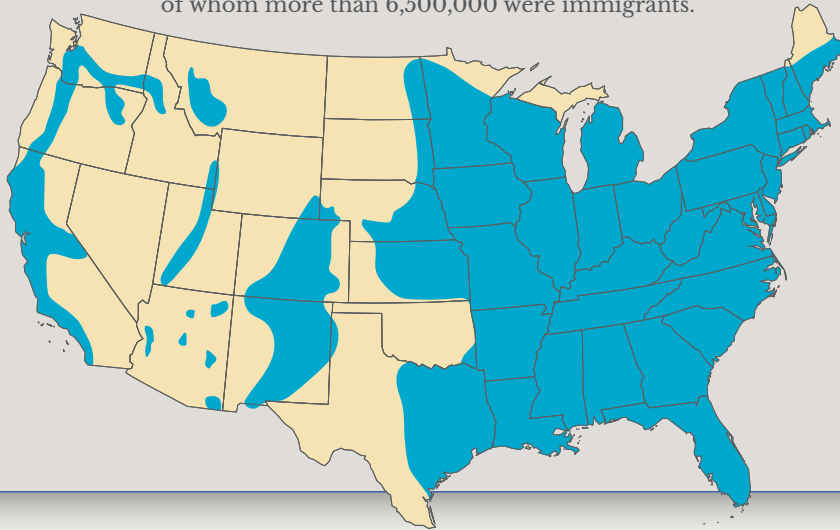
Area of settlement in 1790. At this time the population was about 4,000,000.



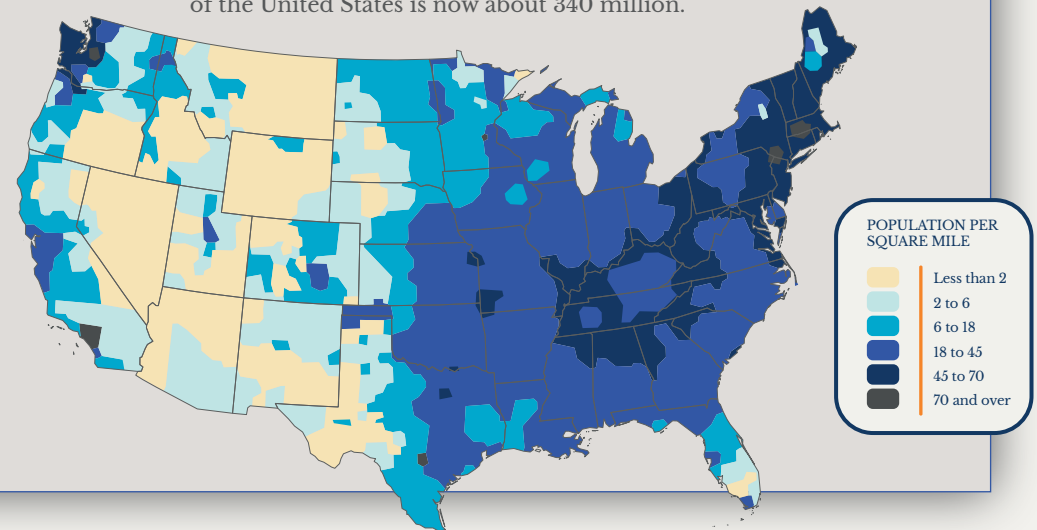
Area of settlement in 1840. The population had increased to 17,000,000, spread over 26 states and 3 territories.



Area of settlement in 1880. There were 50,000,000 people of whom more than 6,500,000 were immigrants.



Area of settlement at present. The population of the United States is now about 340 million.



POPULATION PER SQUARE MILE

Less than 2
2 to 6
6 to 18
18 to 45
45 to 70
70 and over