

Visual Aid 38: Map Analysis Worksheet

Louisiana: Our History, Our Home

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1. Type of Map (Check one)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Raised relief map | <input type="checkbox"/> Natural resource map | <input type="checkbox"/> Satellite photograph/mosaic |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Topographic map | <input type="checkbox"/> Military map | <input type="checkbox"/> Pictograph |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Political map | <input type="checkbox"/> Bird's-eye view | <input type="checkbox"/> Weather map |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Contour-line map | <input type="checkbox"/> Artifact map | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

2. Unique physical qualities of the map (Check one or more)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Compass | <input type="checkbox"/> Notations | <input type="checkbox"/> Name of mapmaker |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Handwritten | <input type="checkbox"/> Scale | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Date | | |

3. Date(s) of map:

4. Creator of the map:

5. Where was the map produced?

6. Map information

A. List three things in this map that you think are important.

B. Why do you think this map was drawn?

C. What evidence in the map suggests why it was drawn?

D. What information does the map add to the textbook's account of this event?

E. Does the information in this map support or contradict information that you have read about this event? Explain.

F. Write a question to the mapmaker that is left unanswered by this map.
