

CHAPTER 1 / Making a Chart

Using information from the chapter, fill in the chart below with as much data as you can find.

	WESTERN REGION	CENTRAL REGION	EASTERN REGION
Primary Rivers	The Clarkfork The Kootenai Flathead	Missouri Yellowstone marias Smith missel	Missouri Yellowstone
Mountain Ranges	The beaverhead Rocky mountain Bitter root Swan garnet Sapphire	Big belt bears paw little belt Judith Tobacco Mation galton desi roka bear tooth	Prior mountain big horn big sheep
Animals	grizzlies Elk Antelope Sage hen	grizzlies Deer Lynx Elk moose black bear	Jack rabbit weasel pony Aines wild turkeys
Fish	Trout Salmon	trout stergin bass	Paddle fish
Trees and Bushes	ash biteloot Elm cedars lark Pine	Pine fescue Douglass fur spruce weat grass timothy glass prickly pear sage brush	Pine pear cactus Douglass fur sage snake weed Yucca rabbit bush Lingine foil
Annual Average Precipitation	15-23 in	12 in	11-14 in
Interesting Facts	-73° farenhight is the coldest ever recorded lowest point is 1,892 ft	highest point is 12,693' -40°-105° Chinook	117° -70°

Critical Thinking

Montana is a land of extremes. Describe some of the temperature and elevation differences. Why do you think there is such variation within the state?

The temperatures are different because of altitudes

western region rivers feed the columbian