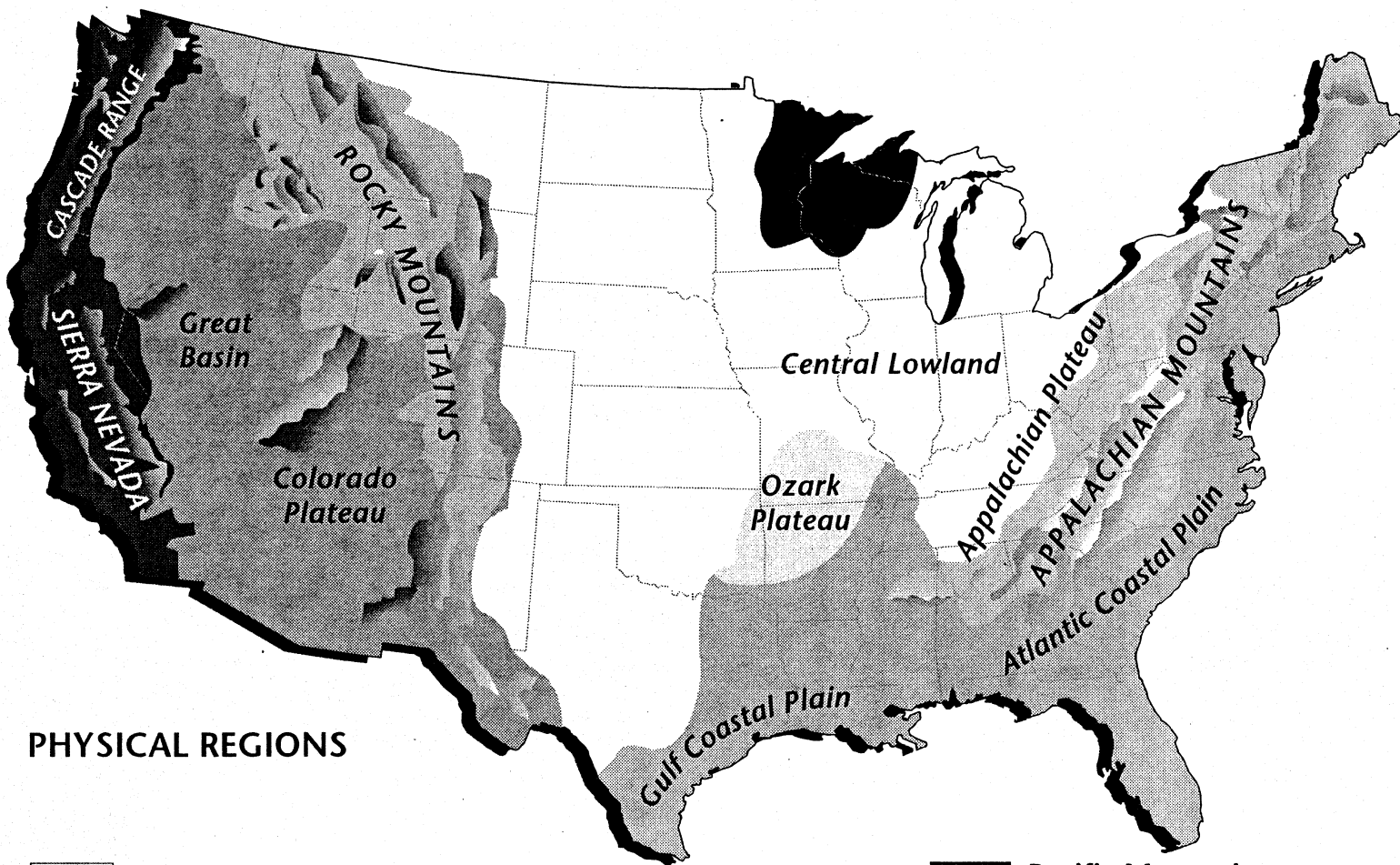










U.S. PHYSIOGRAPHIC REGIONS



PHYSICAL REGIONS

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|  | Appalachian Highlands |  | Interior Plains |  | Pacific Mountain and Valley System |
|  | Coastal Plains |  | Intermontane Plateaus and Basin |  | Rocky Mountains |
|  | Interior Highlands | | |  | Superior Upland |

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1. Which type of physical region makes up about half of the land area of the contiguous states of the United States?

2. If you live in South Dakota, what physical region do you live in?

3. What physical region do you live in if you live in the southwestern portion of Pennsylvania? in the southeastern corner of Pennsylvania?

4. How do plateaus differ from plains? from mountains? What does *intermontane* mean?

5. Use your dictionary to define upland. In which states is the *Superior Upland* located?

6. What is the Great Basin? What states are included in this region of the United States?

7. What are the physical regions that are found in Texas?
