

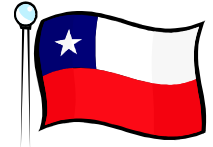
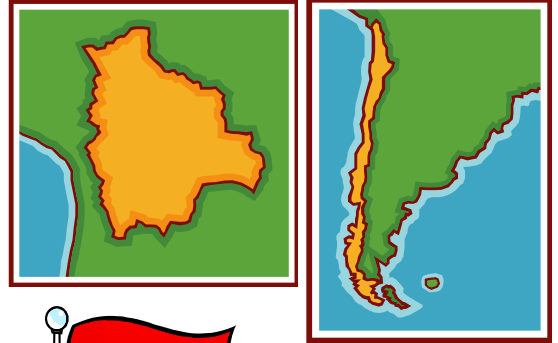
## 7 Geography

### Unit 3: Latin America

#### Chapter 9: The Andean Countries

#### 3 The Bolivians and Chileans, pp. 271-274

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### Main Idea

Bolivia and Chile share the Andes, but their economies and people are different.

### Objectives

1. Identify where Bolivia and Chile are located.
2. Describe the landforms and climates found in Bolivia and Chile.
3. Compare the economies and people of Bolivia and Chile.

### Vocabulary

landlocked-

altiplano-

sodium nitrate-

1. What does Bolivia lack? What does Chile have, in contrast?

2. What does the Andes do for both countries?

### Bolivia

3. Where does Bolivia lie? How is it described?



4. What happened in 1993, to the benefit of Bolivia?

5. What port city was given to them as part of this agreement? What “free flow” access was given to Bolivia as a result? (4)

6. What is true of Bolivia? What dominates Bolivia’s landscape? (3)

7. What is the name of the high plain surrounded by the Andes in western Bolivia? What is the altitude of over one-third of Bolivia? (3)
8. What would be difficult unless you were born there? What is true of trees and the land there? (3)
9. What features does Bolivia also have in the east and north? What type of climate can be found there? (4)
10. What is true of south-central Bolivia? What dots this region? (2)

### **A Struggling Economy**

11. In what minerals from high in the Andes is Bolivia rich? What minerals are drawn from the eastern lowlands? (6)
12. What is true of two-thirds of the people in Bolivia? What is practiced throughout the highlands? What do they grow? (5)
13. What is raised by herders at higher elevations? (2)
14. What do farmers plant in the south? What is another important export? What, unfortunately, is also a crop that can be grown for sale? (3)

### **Bolivia's People**

15. What was Bolivia a part of until Spain conquered the Inca? When did the country win independence?
16. After whom was the country named?
17. What is unusual about Bolivia's capital? What is the official capital? What is the administrative capital and largest city? Where are both capitals located? (4)
18. What is true of La Paz? What is its elevation? (3)
19. How many people live in Bolivia? Where do most of them live?
20. What percentage of the people are of Native American ancestry? What are another thirty percent? (2)

21. What traditional instruments might you hear in the countryside? (2)

**Chile**

22. How large is Chile?

23. What is its average width? How far does it stretch along the Pacific Ocean? (Include metric measurements, too, please.) (4)

24. What percentage of Chile's land is mountainous? What run along Chile's border with Bolivia and Argentina? (2)

25. Few Chileans live in the Andes except for what region? (2)

26. What is also found in the north and is one of the driest places on earth?

27. Why is the Atacama Desert so dry? (2)

28. What is true of the cold Peru Current in the Pacific Ocean? What only hits the coast? (2)

29. What lies just north of Santiago, Chile's capital? Where do most of Chile's people live? (2)

30. What type of climate is found in Chile? What do the fertile valleys have? (4)

31. What is the lake region known as? What is its climate? What does it support? (3)

32. What is found in the stormy, wind-swept south? (3)

33. What separates mainland Chile from a group of islands? What are the islands called?

34. What does *Tierra del Fuego* mean?

35. What countries share this region? (2)

36. What is the southernmost part of South America?

**Chile's Economy**

37. What has happened in Chile in recent years? What has happened to the number of people below the poverty line? (2)
38. What forms the backbone of Chile's economy? What region is rich in minerals?
39. Of what is Chile the world's leading producer? What does the country also mine and export? (5)
40. In what is sodium nitrate used? (2)
41. What is also a major economic activity? What do farmers produce? (6)
42. What may come from Chile's summer harvest? What do many people also raise? (5)
43. What do factories produce? What do other workers manufacture? (8)
44. What service industries also thrive? (2)

**Chile's Culture**

45. How many people live in Chile? What are most people?
46. Of what descent are a large majority of people? What groups live in the altiplano and "the south." (2)
47. What do nearly all people speak? Of what religion are most people? What percentage of Chile's people live in urban areas? (3)
48. What form of government does Chile have? What ended in 1990?