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Caribbean Notes



Lesser Antilles



SE of Puerto Rico



Divided into 2 groups







The NE trade winds are the reason for dividing them.



The trade winds



Bahamas



The Bahamas are the northernmost group of _____ in the Caribbean.



They are only _____ miles off the eastern coast of Florida.



Made up of about _____ hundred islands and 2,400 cays.



Cays are small _____ made of sand, limestone, or coral.



Coral is a hard, stony substance made up of _____ of many tiny sea animals.



Of the 700 islands in the Bahamas, people live on only about _____.