

Quests

Okay, my budding amateur cartographers! Time to whip out your compasses, don your longest measuring tapes and prepare to venture out into the big, bad world to solve this latest geography quest! Actually, on second thought, you should probably just embrace your inner digital cartographer and deploy the amazing online tool that is TheTrueSizeOf.com (<u>https://thetruesize.com/</u>).

Below, you are given multiple **Prompts** with sets of clues which you must first (i) decipher in order to identify the name of the US States or world countries based on the clues. Then using TheTrueSizeOf.com (ii), you must physically align the **Clue #[x]a** region to the **Clue #[x]b** region on the map according to the instructions provided in the prompt. Finally (iii), identify the name of the location (**Answer #[x]**) referenced in the final clue.

The **single keyword** answer to this quest is the **list of all Answers to the prompts in order** (all lower-case letters, space between each answer).

For example: If the answers to Prompts #1, #2 and #3 were "Paris, Belarus and Geneva", the single keyword would be: "paris belarus geneva"

Prompt #1

Align the *north-western* most corner of:

- (Clue #1a) the US state which was admitted into the Union in the year 1850 to the *geographic center* of:
 - (Clue #1b) The stadium in which Jesse Owens became a four-time Olympic gold medalist and, thereby, the most successful athlete to compete at the 1936 Olympic Games.

Now, identify:

• <u>Which European capital city</u> (Answer #1, on the Clue #1b map) is located closest to the deepest concrete dam in the world (on the translated Clue #1a region)?

Prompt #2

By translating the appropriate nation around the map, align the:

• (Clue #2a) center of the city in which Jimi Hendrix's 1968 Fender Stratocaster guitar, which he played at Woodstock, currently resides

to the *center of the city* which is:



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• (Clue #2b) the birthplace of Leo the Lion, who has been featured at the start of every MGM studios film since 1957.

Now, identify:

New York City (on the translated Clue #2a region) overlaps with <u>which country</u> (Answer #2, on the Clue #2b map)?

Prompt #3

By translating the appropriate nation around the map, align the:

• (Clue #3a) city on the next closest landmass directly due east of the African town which, rumor has it, was named after an 1893 shipwreck which lost its cargo of coffee beans offshore

to the *center of the*:

• (Clue #3b) third most populous city in North America.

Now, identify:

the city which is home to the world's first cultivated Macadamia tree (on the translated Clue #3a region) lies the closest to <u>which US state capital city</u> (Answer #3, on the Clue #3b map)?

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