

COMPARING THE NORTH & SOUTH

	NORTH (United States) AKA - Union, Federals, Yankees & Billy Yanks	SOUTH (Confederate States of America) AKA - Confederacy, Rebels & Johnny Reb
Uniform Color	_____	_____
Number of States	_____ (West Virginia & Nevada are not included in this number)	_____
Government	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a working and established _____ Capital: _____ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> _____, untried government _____ had more power than the central government which made collecting taxes and passing laws difficult Capital: _____
Population	_____ and the number continued to increase as immigrants flowed in during the war years	_____, 3.5 million of which were slaves
Industry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> contained _____ of the nation's factories contained 90% of skilled workers _____ _____ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> _____ had to rely on _____ for its war materials making it vulnerable to Northern blockades
Transportation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> extensive _____ meant men and supplies could be moved quickly large group of _____ (shipping vessels and the people that worked on them) _____ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> _____ railroad system (contained less than 30% of nation's railroad mileage) _____
Finances	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> controlled _____ of nation's wealth To fund the war, the North: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> levied high tariffs on _____ introduced an _____ issued paper money called _____ that were not backed by gold, but by the government sold government bonds to banks and individuals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Was hurt by _____, unwillingness of foreign banks to provide large loans, and opposition to direct taxation by the Confederate government To fund the war, the South: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> _____ sold government bonds _____
Military Forces	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> very few experienced officers since most joined the Confederate army when their home state seceded city dwellers and factory workers were not prepared for the life of a soldier and needed a lot of training had to fight an offensive war drafted men between the ages of 20-45, but those who did not want to fight could find a substitute or pay \$300 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> superior military leadership Southerners were accustomed to life in the outdoors, the use of weapons, and riding horses had the advantage of fighting on their own soil drafted men between ages of 18-35 except those who owned 20 or more slaves (about 10% of slave owners owned more than 20 slaves)