

East Kazakhstan

East Kazakhstan - a unique region of unique landscapes with a unique world of plants and animals. Its territory, which occupies 277 sq. M. km, "there are" severe Siberia and Central Asia sultry, mountain taiga and desert. Kazakhstan Altai mountain system Saur-Tarbagatay, Zaisan Basin, eastern edge of the Kazakh hills, the northern part of the Balkhash-Alakol depression - all Eastern Kazakhstan. Especially majestic and picturesque landscapes of Kazakhstan Altai. In the mountains, clearly expressed vertical zoning of natural landscapes where alternate dry steppe foothills and huge forests, subalpine and alpine meadows, glaciers and permanent snow.

General characteristics

- On the map of Eurasia East Kazakhstan - is a small island, but on the inner content is a huge and unique continent. Territory area is 283 sq. M. km or 10% of the territory of Kazakhstan.
- The area borders on the Pavlodar, Karaganda and Almaty regions of the Republic of Kazakhstan, the Altai Territory and the Republic of Altai of the Russian Federation, the People's Republic of China. In the 15 districts, 10 cities, 872 towns and villages, 254 rural-ray and aul districts. The population is 1,425,000 people or 10% of the population.
- The administrative center of the region is the city of Ust-Kameno-Gorski, founded in 1720 and located in the foothills of the Ore-Altai tion at the confluence of the Irtysh and Ulba rivers. The city lived-vayut 300 thousand people, or a fifth of the total population of the region.
- The natural climatically Eastern Kazakhstan is a unique region. It adjoin steppe, desert and mountain-taiga landscapes. Contrast - one of the main features of the nature of our region.

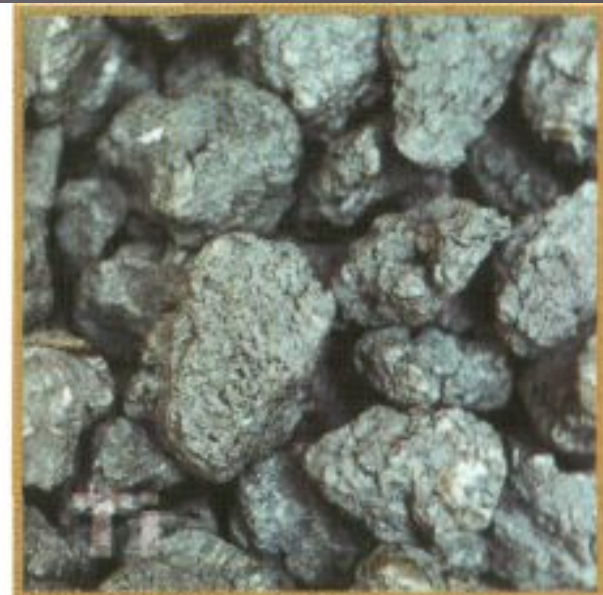
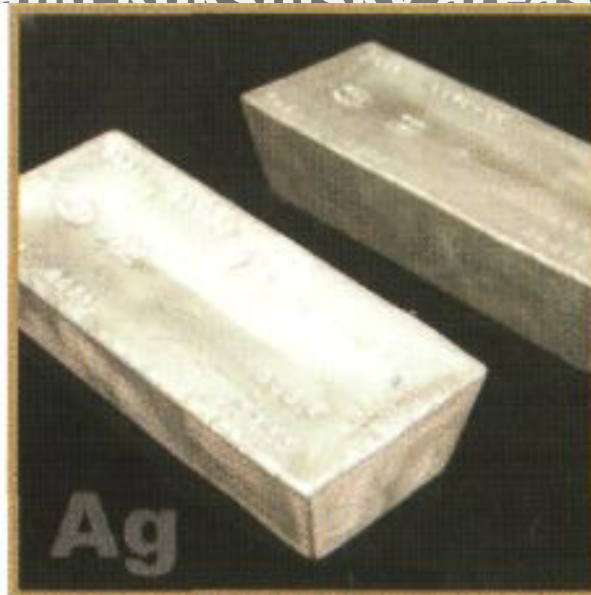
Lake Dubygalinskoe



Irtysh River



Nature has generously endowed our region in various minerals. The richest ore formations contain all the elements of the periodic table. Stocks of non-ferrous, precious and rare metals, deposits of coal, oil, plateau-like ant, oil, stocks of raw materials for cement production, glass slag, zeolite deposits - all contain the bowels of our area. In the region there are sources: mineral-waters for medicinal purposes (Rakhmanov, Barlyk-Arasan, Arasan-Taldy, Chi-likhtinsky site), for drinking and medical purposes (Espinsky, Karabirkzhsky, Shakelmessky), medical-table mineral-waters (Dzhemeneyeskoe deposit), radon sources (above-Ivanovo and Koksinsky areas)



Culture

- ▣ In the region there are 553 cultural institutions, including more than 200 libraries, 2 theaters, 10 museums, 4 movie theater, Zoo 1, nearly 200 clubs.
- ▣ All 10 museums have regional status. The regional historical museum of Ust-Kamenogorsk calculates its existence since 1914, being the oldest and richest in the number of exhibits and studies in the field of history of the region. Museum Cooperation Framework goes far beyond the field of pre-ly.
- ▣ In the area revived and operates 853 collective-Thiva amateur, consisting of more than 15 thousand participants. The country - we are the only region in which 119 teams per-schitili its title of "People" and "Exemplary". This is an outstanding achievement, emphasizing the high level of professionalism and skill of the amateur-solution-operation groups.