



Sugar in the Atlantic World by Zebediah Barnard



Sugar's beginnings

Sugar had its start in the Atlantic world by being brought over from the eastern countries.

As time progressed sugar became an integral part of the lives of the people in early America and they began to use it for many different purposes.

Production

The production of sugar was done in several places, especially in the Americas.

North America

The Americas did become dependent on sugar both the means of production and with the uses it offered for trade and within the context of its household uses. It was in large production in the Caribbean.

South America

The plantation system in South America was widely used in the production of sugar and became a major place for the exportation of sugar. Much like in Africa, the plantation system was actually perfected here.

