**Focus questions 12.1**

**Source 12.2** Death and causalities of World War I

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| **State** | **Total population** | **African-American population** | **% of total population** |
| Alabama | 3061743 | 979617 |  |
| Arkansas | 1 909511 | 426639 |  |
| Georgia | 3 444 578 | 1 062 762 |  |
| Louisiana | 2 683 516 | 882 426 |  |
| Mississippi | 2 176 914 | 986 494 |  |
| North Carolina | 4 061 929 | 1 047 353 |  |
| South Carolina | 2 117 027 | 882 077 |  |
| Tennessee | 3 291 716 | 530 603 |  |
| Virginia | 3 318 680 | 734 211 |  |
| **Total of southern states** | **26 065 614** | **7 472 182** |  |
| **Total of USA** | **150 195 000** | **15 045 000** |  |

Source: Figures taken from J. Salmond and K. Newell (ed.), *The Civil Rights Movement in the American South, 1945–1968*, La Trobe University, 1992, p. 1

Using Source 12.2:

1. Which state had the largest population of African Americans?

1. Which state had the highest percentage of African Americans?

1. What was the total percentage of African Americans in the southern states?