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Before the arrival of European explorers, the Inca Empire was the largest empire in pre-Columbian America. The mighty empire stretched from Colombia to Chile consisting of over 12 million people. The Inca Empire began in early 1400's AD. The capital of the empire was located in Cusco in Peru.

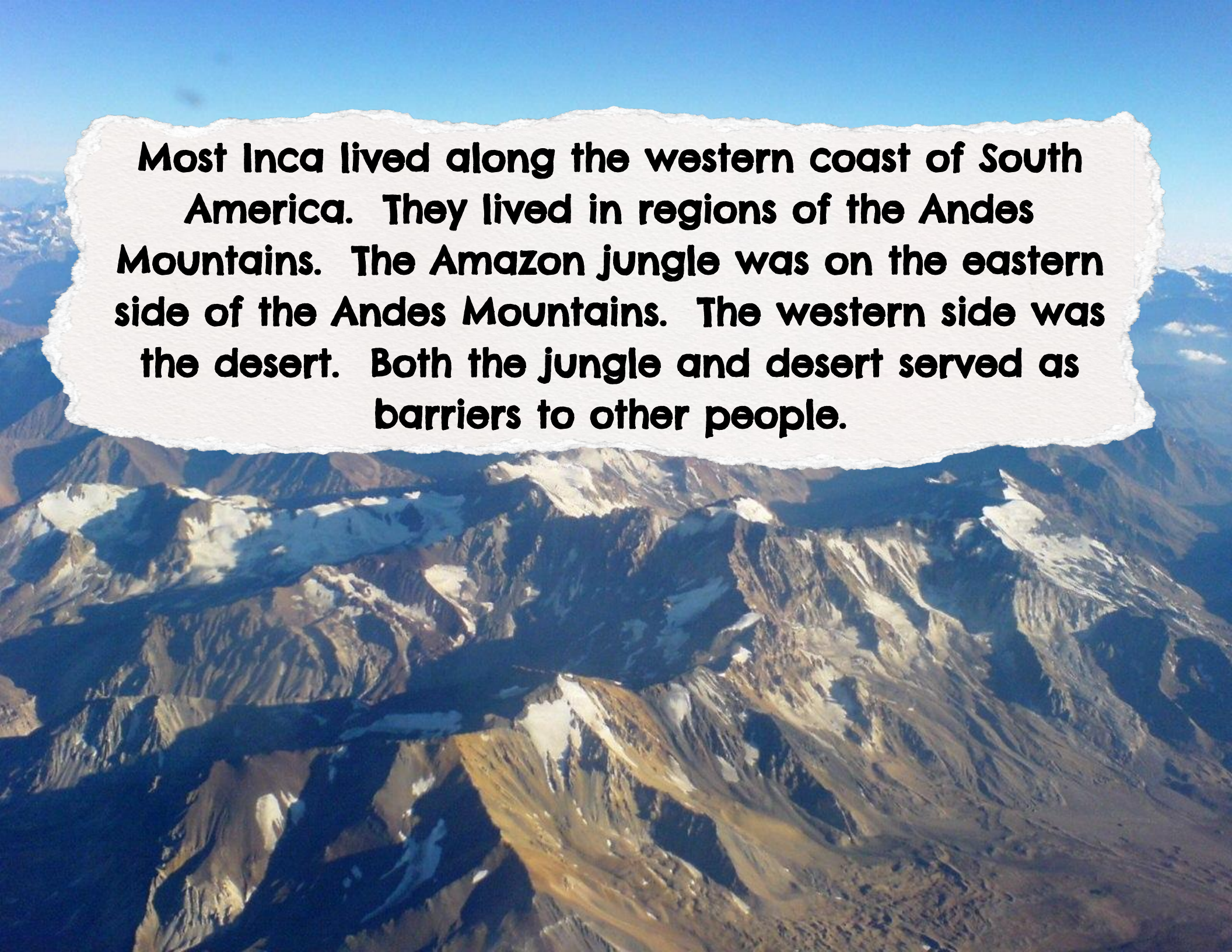


**The capital of the empire was
located in Cusco in Brazil.**

TRUE

FALSE

Most Inca lived along the western coast of South America. They lived in regions of the Andes Mountains. The Amazon jungle was on the eastern side of the Andes Mountains. The western side was the desert. Both the jungle and desert served as barriers to other people.

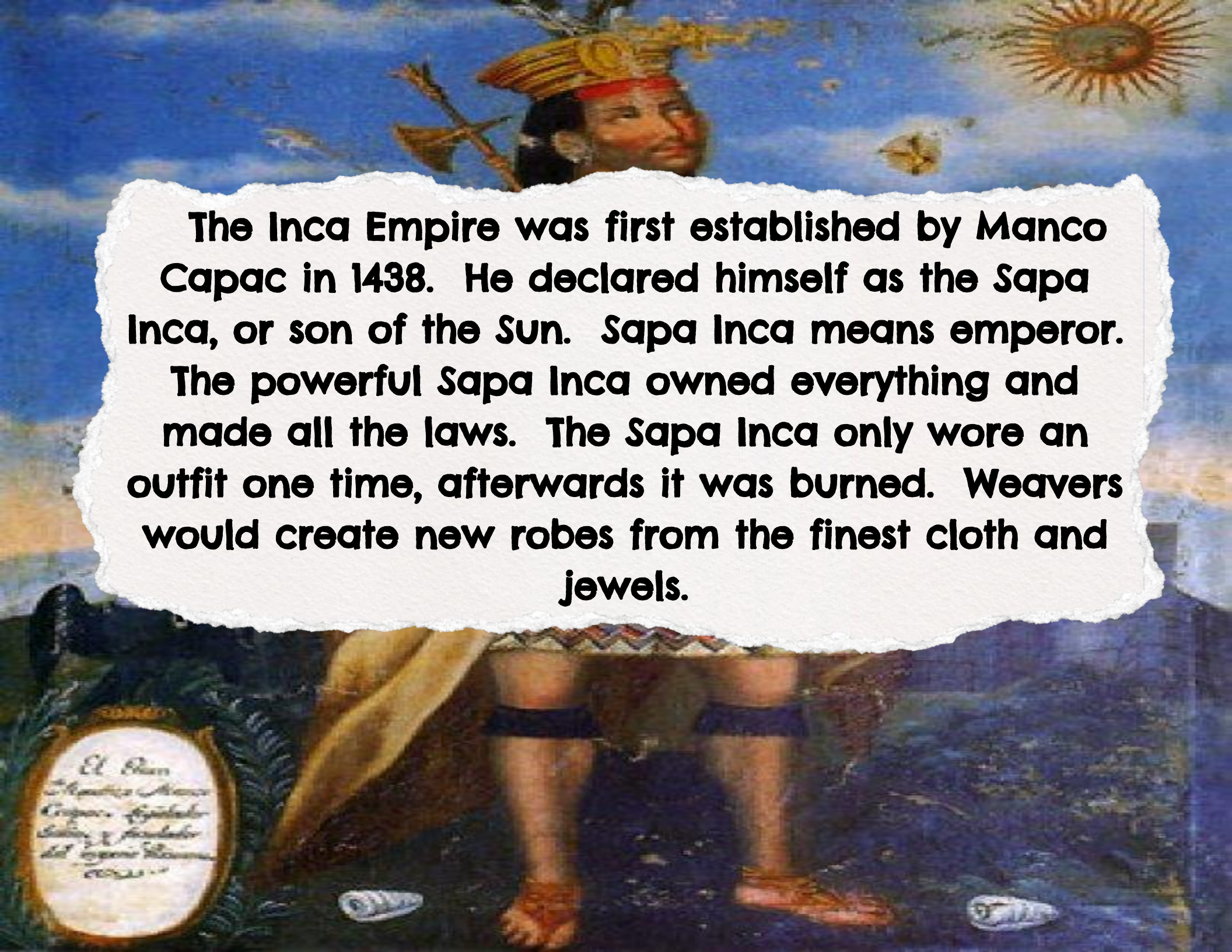


**The Inca lived in regions of the ____
Mountains.**

A. Alps

B. Andes

C. Rocky



The Inca Empire was first established by Manco Capac in 1438. He declared himself as the Sapa Inca, or son of the Sun. Sapa Inca means emperor. The powerful Sapa Inca owned everything and made all the laws. The Sapa Inca only wore an outfit one time, afterwards it was burned. Weavers would create new robes from the finest cloth and jewels.

*El Emperador
Manco Capac
Fundador
del Imperio Incaico
1438-1471*

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