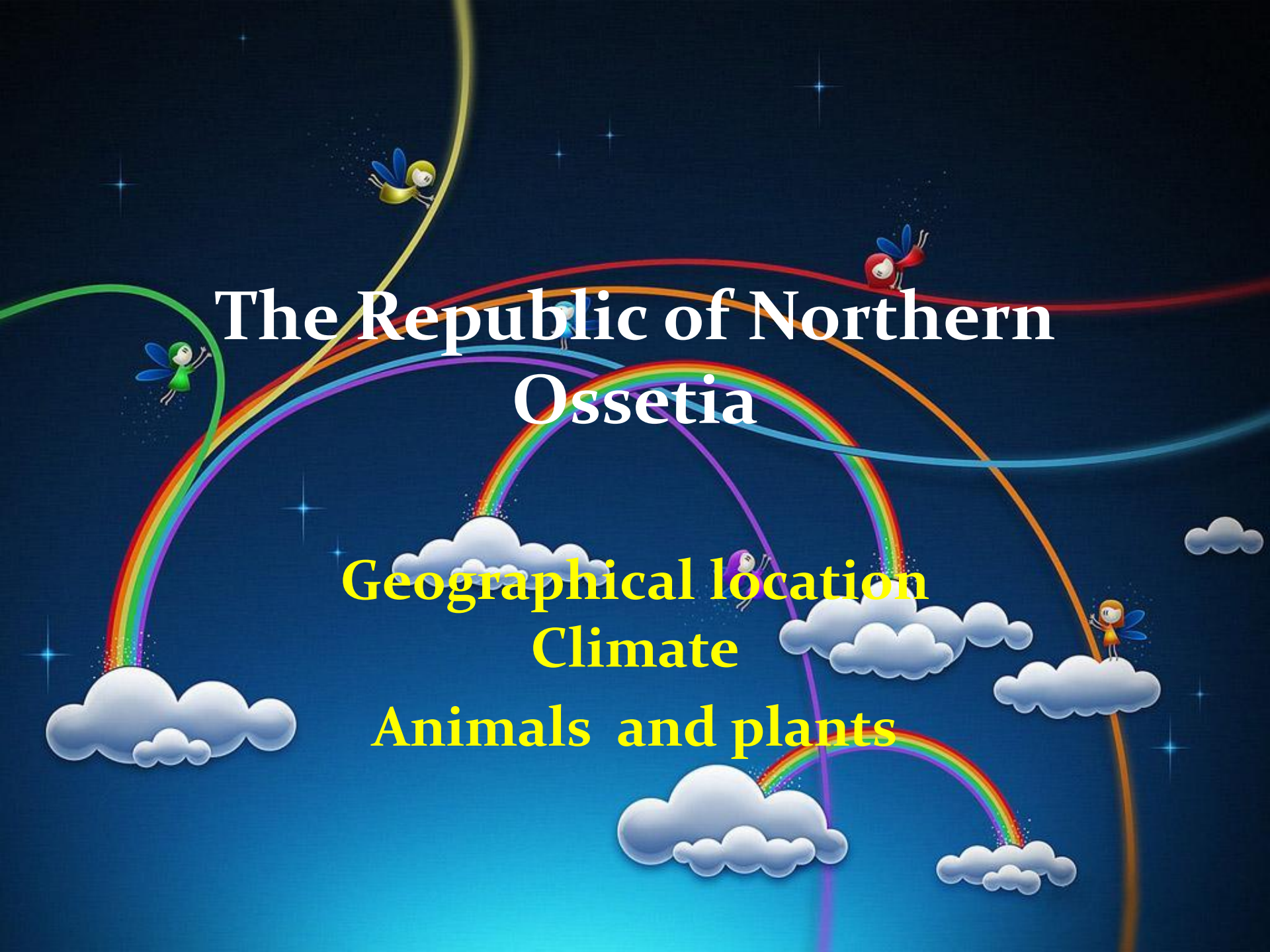




The Republic of Northern Ossetia

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Geographical location

The Republic of Northern Ossetia is situated in the northern range of the Big Caucasus.





Length of the territory from north to south is 120 km, from west to east is 125 km. The republic borders on the republic of Georgia in the south, on the republic of Kabardino-Balkaria in the west, on Stavropol region in the north, on the republic of Ingushetia in the east.





Ossetia is mountainous region.

Mount
Kazbek





Mount Dzhimara



Terek River



Fiagdon River



Ardon River





Climate

- Climate is moderately continental. Average January temperature is -5°C . Average July temperature is $+24^{\circ}\text{C}$.





Mozdok

On Mozdok plain the
climate is dry.





Vladikavkaz

Vladikavkaz has a humid continental climate with warm, wet summers and cold, drier winters (though very mild for Russia).





Flag of North Ossetia–Alania

The **flag of North Ossetia–Alania** consists of a tricolor of white, red and yellow. The colours symbolise moral purity (white), martial courage (red), and wealth and prosperity (yellow).





Coat of Arms of North Ossetia-Alania





animals and plants of North Ossetia

Caucasian
bison.





CAUCASIAN TUR, goat.





Brown bears and foxes





The Caucasian black grouse and golden eagle.

All of these animals we can find in the Caucasian Reserve.





Caucasian bell





In the North Caucasus, we can also see the following plants



chestnut tree





Apricot and apple trees



