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Most slaves were probably reasonably treated just to keep them working efficiently.

## Slavery in the Colonies

While the Portuguese traded enslaved people themselves, the Spanish empire relied on the *asiento* system, awarding merchants mostly from other countries the license to trade enslaved people to their colonies. The First Atlantic System The First Atlantic System is a term used to characterized the Portuguese and Spanish African slave trade to the South American colonies in the 16th century—which lasted until 1580, when Portugal was temporarily united with Spain.

## Empireland by Sathnam Sanghera and Slave Empire by Padraic X Scanlan

Flogging was by far the most commonly used punishment in the St. William Beckford, *Negroes in Jamaica*, Lond. But verdicts in mid-eighteenth-century Jamaican slave courts were in fact reasonably predictable in those cases that mattered most to the maintenance of slavery.

## The Dutch Slave Trade 1500

The figure of 300,00 is the number of slaves imported minus the total re-exported. By 1846 Sojourner Truth had joined the antislavery circuit, traveling with Abby Kelly Foster, Frederick Douglass, William Lloyd Garrison, and British member of Parliament George Thompson.

## Western colonialism

For much of the 16th century, Spain had things pretty much its own way in the region. By the 19th century, many southern farmers found that natural increase was a viable alternative to importation in order to replenish their slave populations. The Case For West Indian Self Government.

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Andrew records took place after this date.

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They operated their lucrative sugar, coffee, or indigo plantations from abroad and lived on vast European estates which they financed from returns on their Caribbean investments. The system of slave courts was unique to the English colonies.

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But there had never been anything like the vast slave plantations created in the Americas, especially on the islands of the Caribbean. Andrew did not build a workhouse until the late 1790s. He sought to make the colony profitable again.

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