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Dust Bowl Disaster: How it Deepened the Great Depression

Short Answer

1. Explain how over-farming and poor soil conservation contributed to the Dust Bowl.
2. What challenges did Dust Bowl refugees face during their migration to escape the environmental disaster?
3. Describe the economic impact of the Dust Bowl on the United States during the Great Depression.
4. How did the federal government respond to the Dust Bowl crisis, and what was the goal of their assistance programs?
5. What important lessons about land management and agriculture were learned from the Dust Bowl?

