

NEW SPAIN.

STATISTICAL ANALYSIS.	Population in 1803.	Extent of Sur- face in square Leagues.	No of Inhabi- tants to the square League.
I. Intendancy of Mexico.	1,511,800	5,927	255

THE whole of this intendancy is situated under the torrid zone. It extends from the $16^{\circ} 34'$ to the $21^{\circ} 57'$ of north latitude. It is bounded on the north by the intendancy of San Luis Potosi, on the west by the intendancies of Guanaxuato and Valladolid, and on the east by those of Vera Cruz and La Puebla. It is washed towards the south by the South Sea, or Great Ocean, for a length of coast of 82 leagues from Acapulco to Zacatula.

Its greatest length from Zacatula to the mines of the Doctor * is 136 leagues; and its greatest

* The extreme points are properly situated to the south-east of Acapulco, near the mouth of the Rio Nespa, and to the north of the Real del Doctor, near the city of Valles, which