Age of New Imperialism (Second Wave) (1800s -1914)

Journal Activity

Imagine you are the king/queen of your own country

- How would you rule your country?
- What would you do to make it strong?
- What would you need to make your country strong?

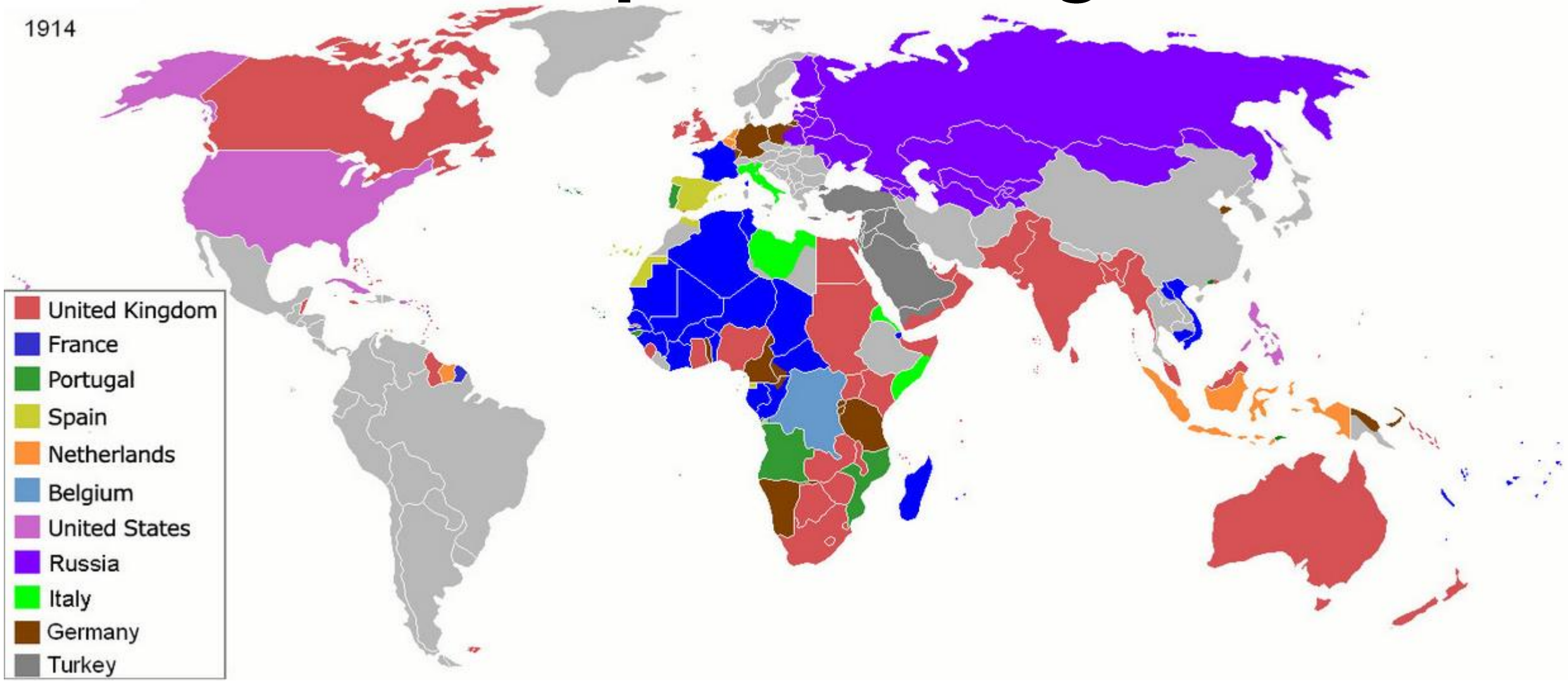
imperialism

Relating to empire

"-ism" :idea, state or condition, policy, doctrine or system

Policy of taking over another country or territory through influence/force;
empire-building

Empire-Building



Brainstorm

With a shoulder partner(s), come up with a list of as many reasons as you can think of why you want to take over other territories?

Also, think about the Industrial Revolution and the readings from the book you had to do last week.

Reasons for Imperialism

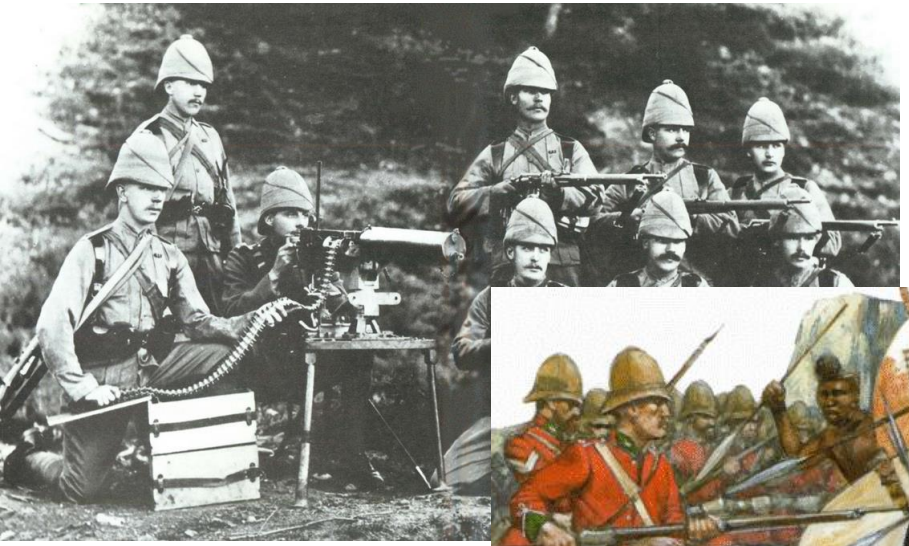
Some reasons include:

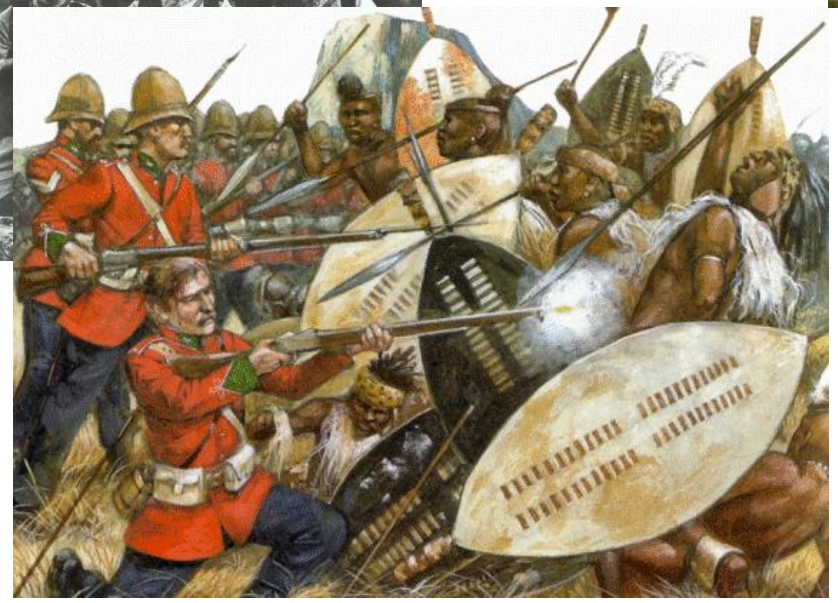
- Capitalism (Industrial Revolution)
  - Natural resources
  - Markets (to sell things)
- National pride (Nationalism)
  - Competition
  - Territory
- Sense of superiority (racism, Social Darwinism)
  - Civilize (westernize)
- Religion

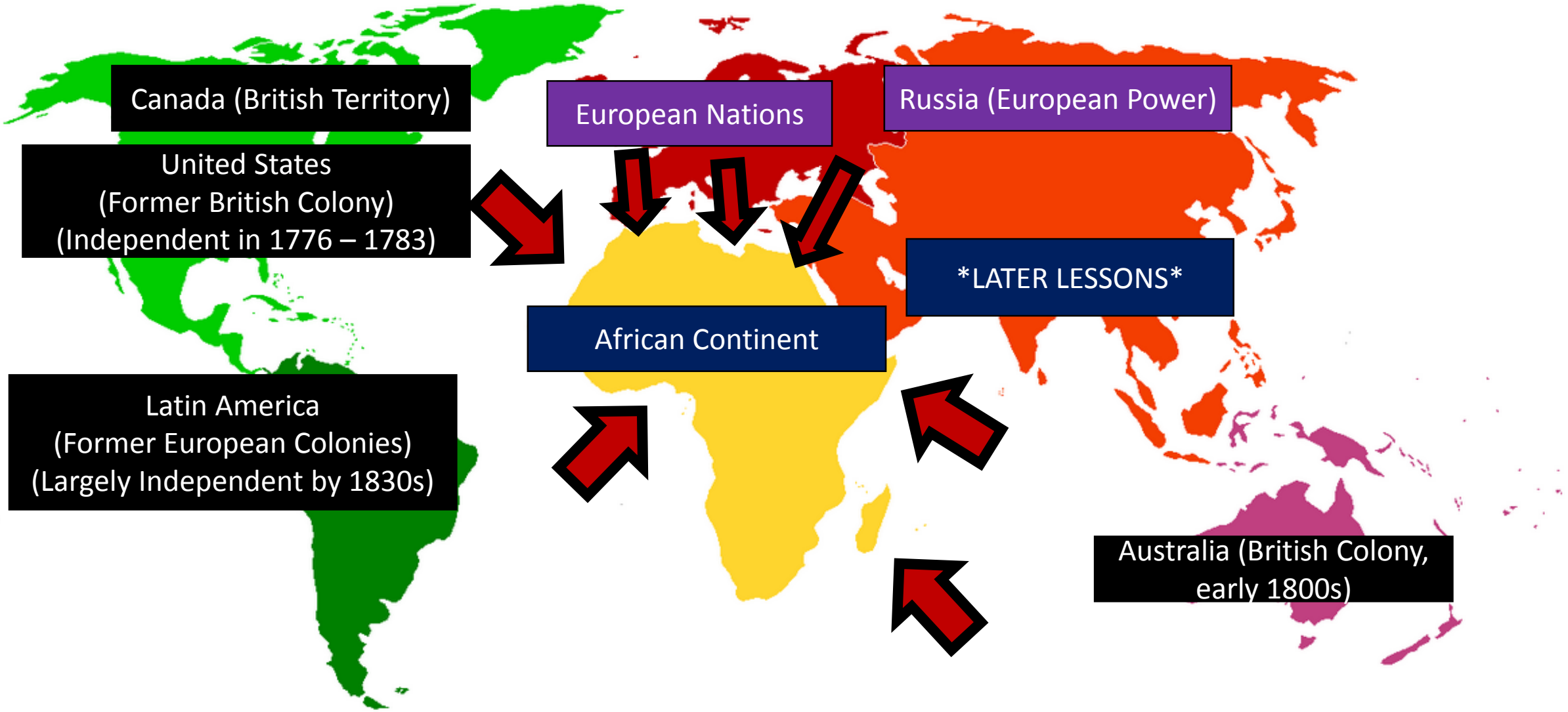
How?

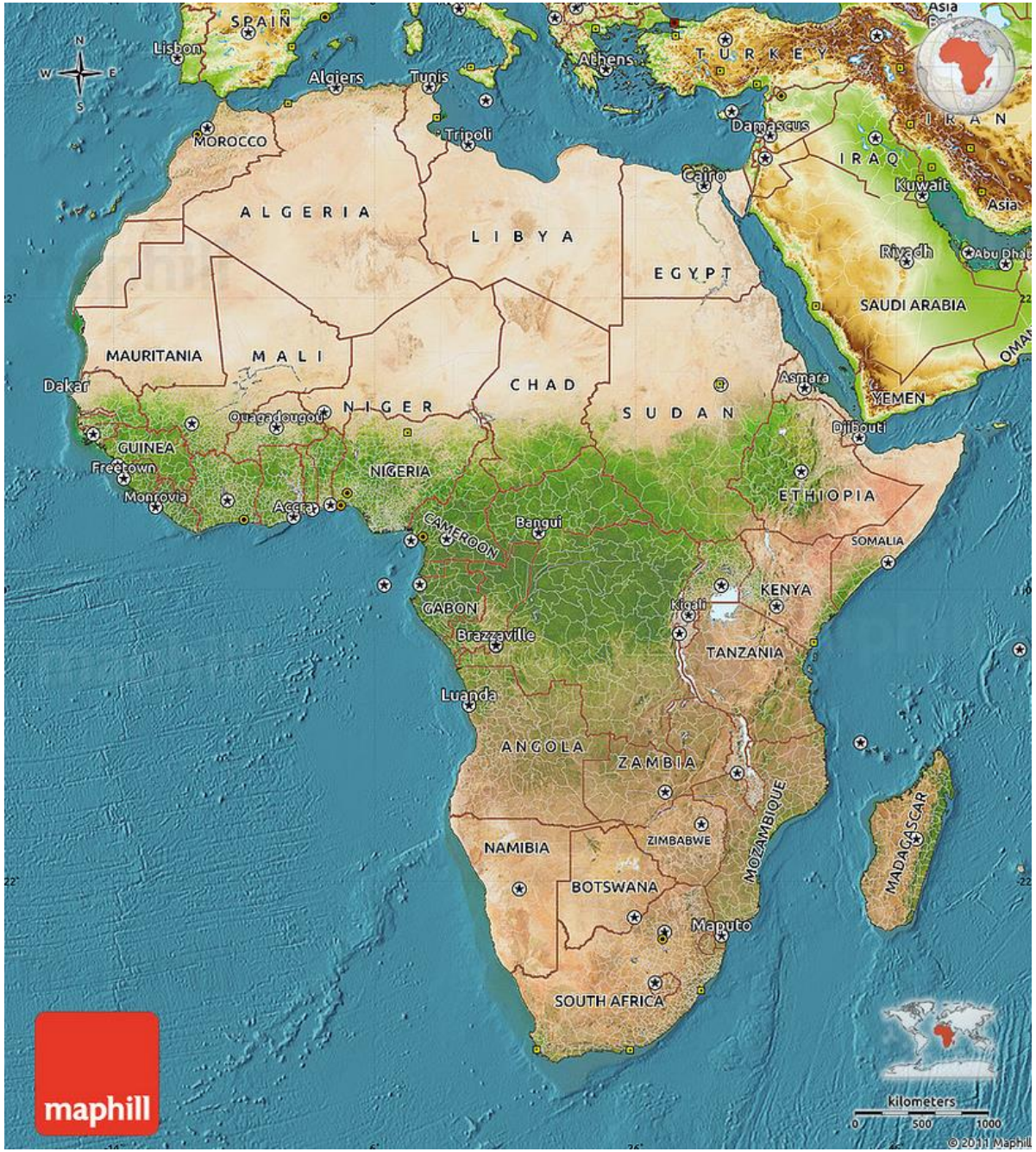
Superior Technology and Navy

- Industrial Revolution

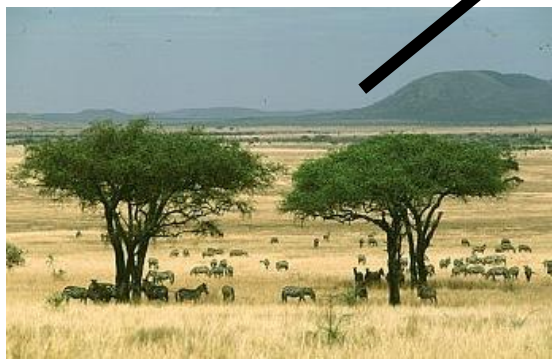


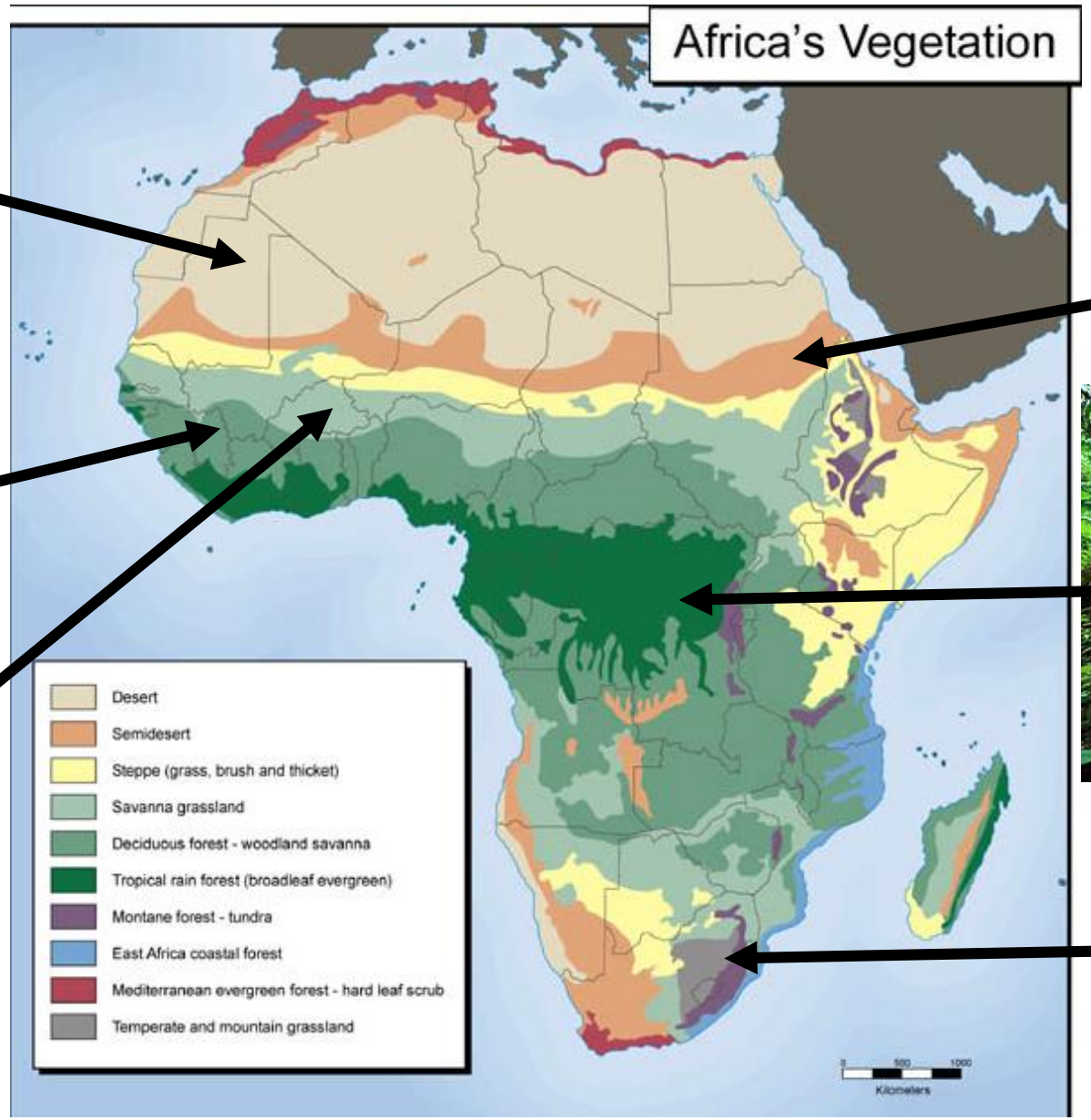



Canada (British Territory)
United States
(Former British Colony)
(Independent in 1776 – 1783)
Latin America
(Former European Colonies)
(Largely Independent by 1830s)
European Nations
Russia (European Power)
LATER LESSONS
African Continent
Australia (British Colony, early 1800s)



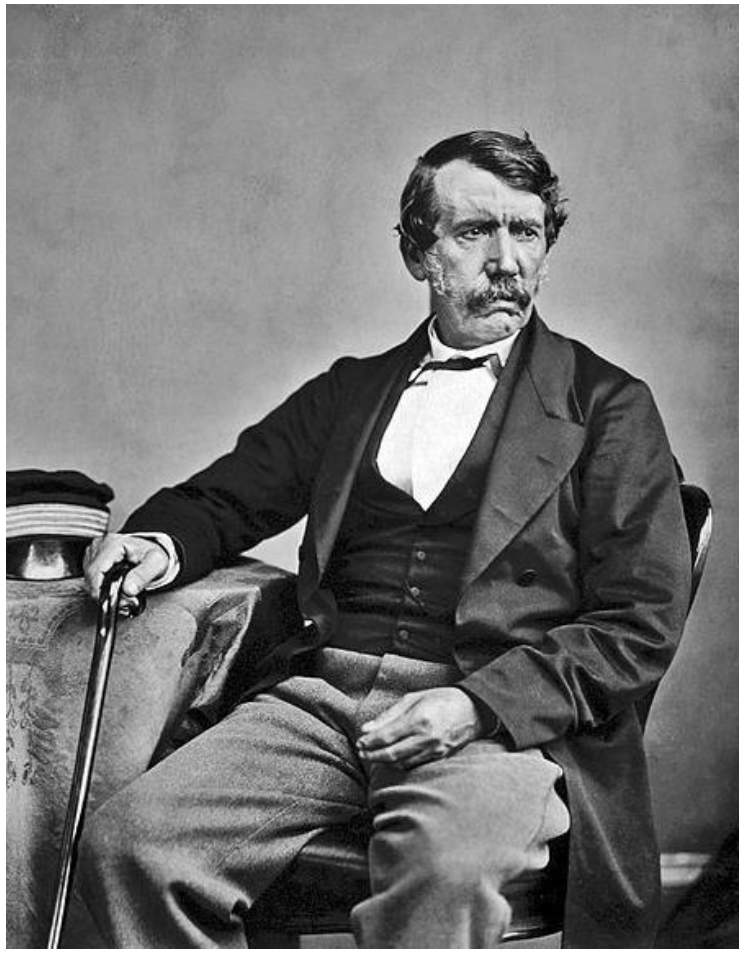
When you think about the land in Africa, how would you describe it?




Africa's Vegetation
Desert
Semidesert
Steppe (grass, brush and thicket)
Savanna grassland
Deciduous forest - woodland savanna
Tropical rain forest (broadleaf evergreen)
Montane forest - tundra
East Africa coastal forest
Mediterranean evergreen forest - hard leaf scrub
Temperate and mountain grassland
0 500 1000
Kilometers

Dr. David Livingstone

- Doctor, explorer, missionary, scientist, reformer
- Wanted to find source of Nile River and disappeared in the 1860s
- Reporter Henry Stanley hired to find him
- Found in 1871 in southeastern Africa
- 1879, Stanley returned, representing Belgium
- By 1880s, European nations started coming in



Dr. David Livingstone Movie Clip
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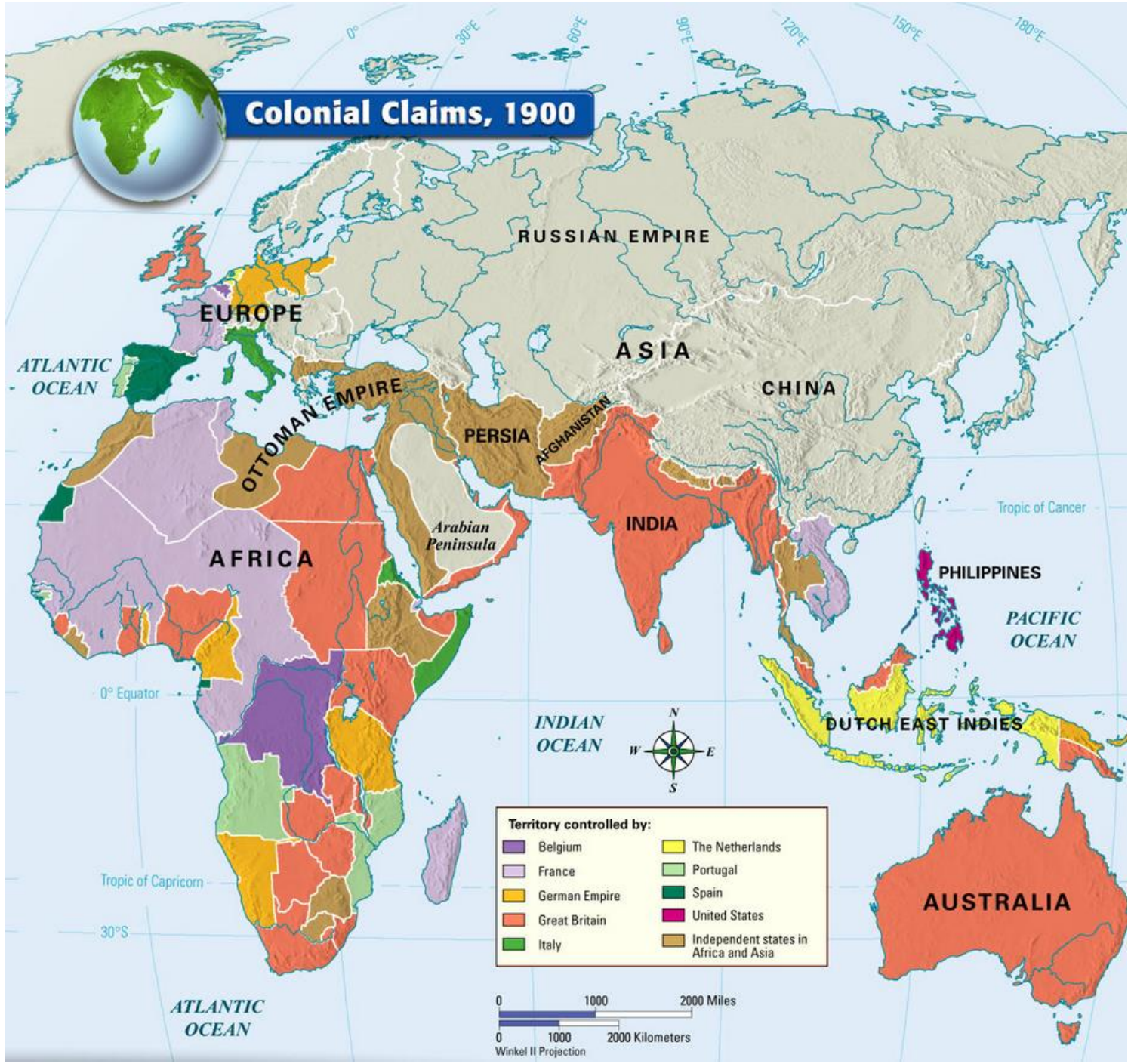
Colonial Claims, 1900
RUSSIAN EMPIRE
EUROPE
ASIA
ATLANTIC OCEAN
OTTOMAN EMPIRE
PERSIA
AFGHANISTAN
CHINA
INDIA
Arabian Peninsula
AFRICA
Tropic of Cancer
PHILIPPINES
PACIFIC OCEAN
0° Equator
INDIAN OCEAN
DUTCH EAST INDIES
AUSTRALIA
Tropic of Capricorn
30°S
ATLANTIC OCEAN
Territory controlled by:
Belgium
France
German Empire
Great Britain
Italy
The Netherlands
Portugal
Spain
United States
Independent states in Africa and Asia
0 1000 2000 Miles
0 1000 2000 Kilometers
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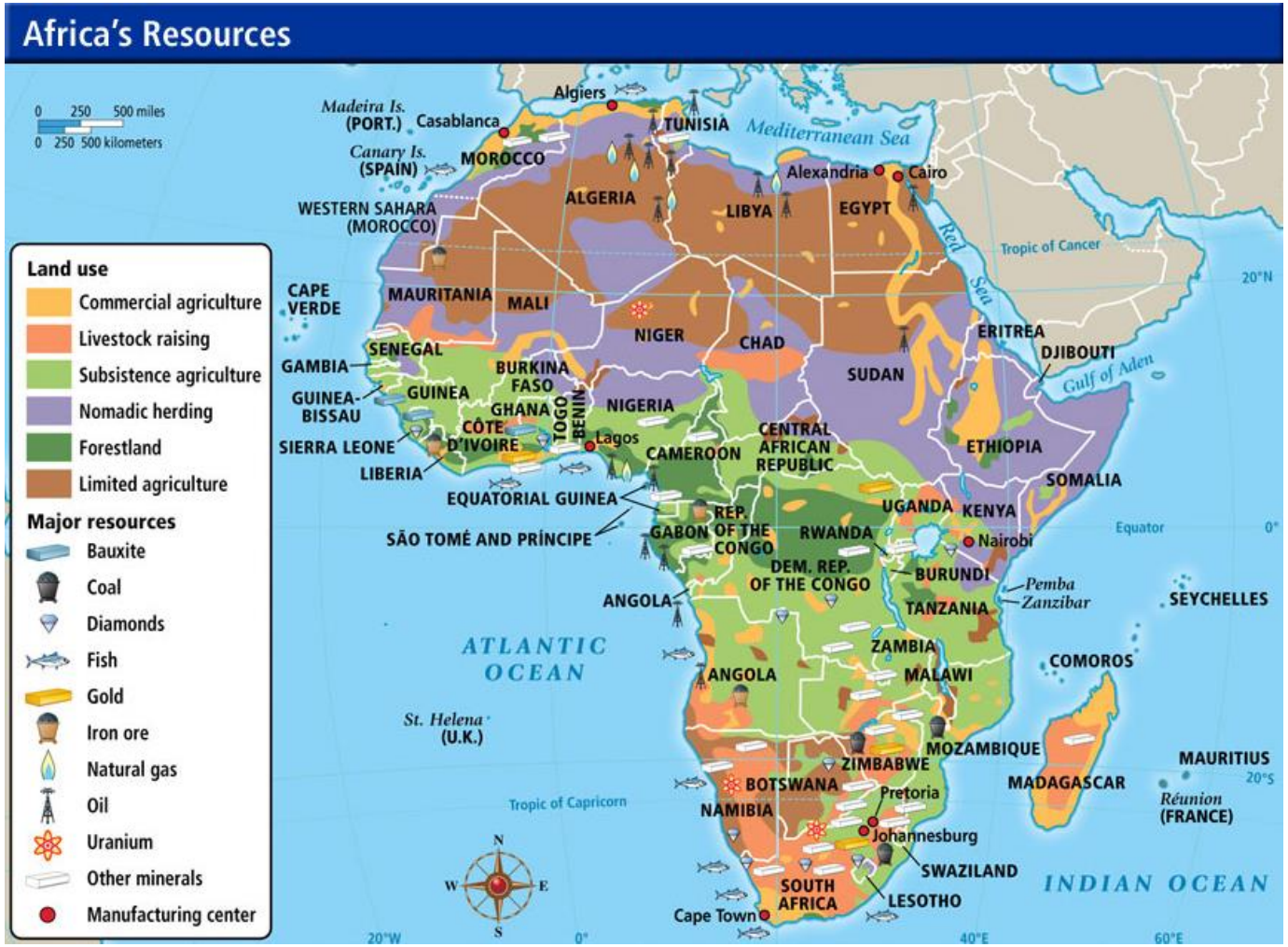
AFRICA: OR HOW THE REST OF THE WORLD IS STEALING ALL THE GOODS IN THE NAME OF "DEMOCRACY"

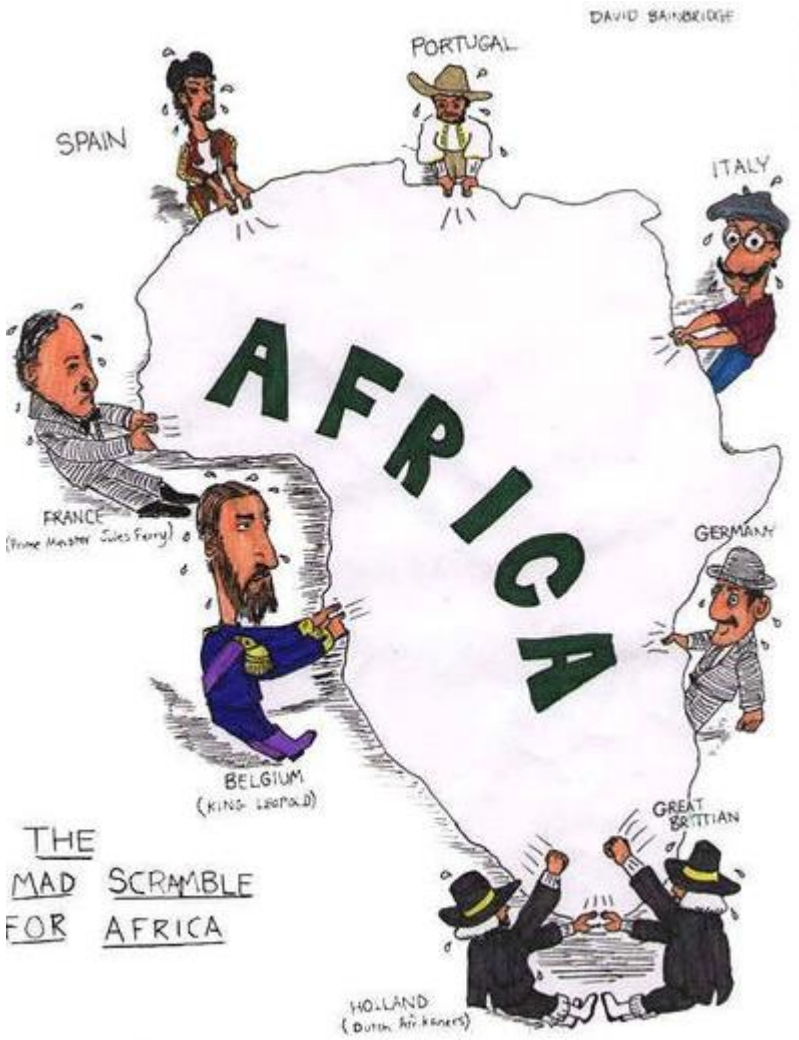


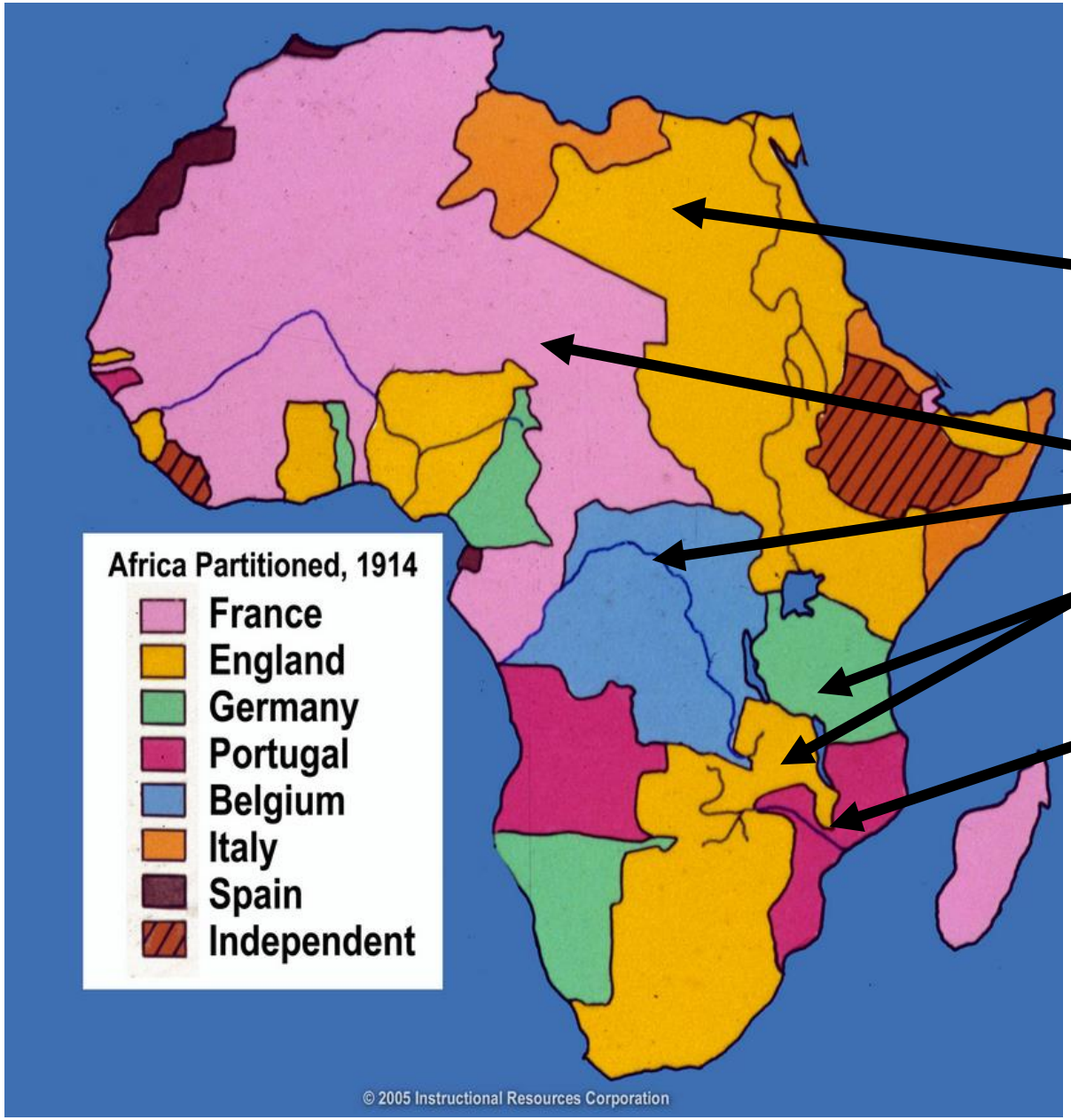
The Scramble for Africa

- Europeans went crazy for land because of resources
- Everybody wanted a piece of the action
- War could have happened

Berlin Conference (1884-1885)

- 14 European countries met
- Peacefully divided Africa as long as they can show they can control the land they want
- NO AFRICAN COUNTRIES REPRESENTED
- No regard for ethnic or linguistic groups
  - Created many issues that still exist today




Africa Partitioned, 1914
France
England
Germany
Portugal
Belgium
Italy
Spain
Independent
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Tórshavn
Oslo
Stockholm
Helsinki
Tallinn
Saint Petersburg
Rockall
North Sea
Baltic Sea
Gulf of Bothnia
Lake Ladoga
Lake Onega
EST.
LAT.
LITH.
Riga
Vilnius
Minsk
BELARUS
Moscow
Yaroslavl'
Nizhr
Novgo
Ul'ya
DENMARK
Copenhagen
RUSSIA
Glasgow
UNITED KINGDOM
IRELAND
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Isle of Man
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Berlin
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POLAND
Homyel
Voronezh
Celtic
GERMANY
Prague
Kraków
Kyiv
L'viv
UKRAINE
Kharkiv
Volgograd
Donets'k
Rostov
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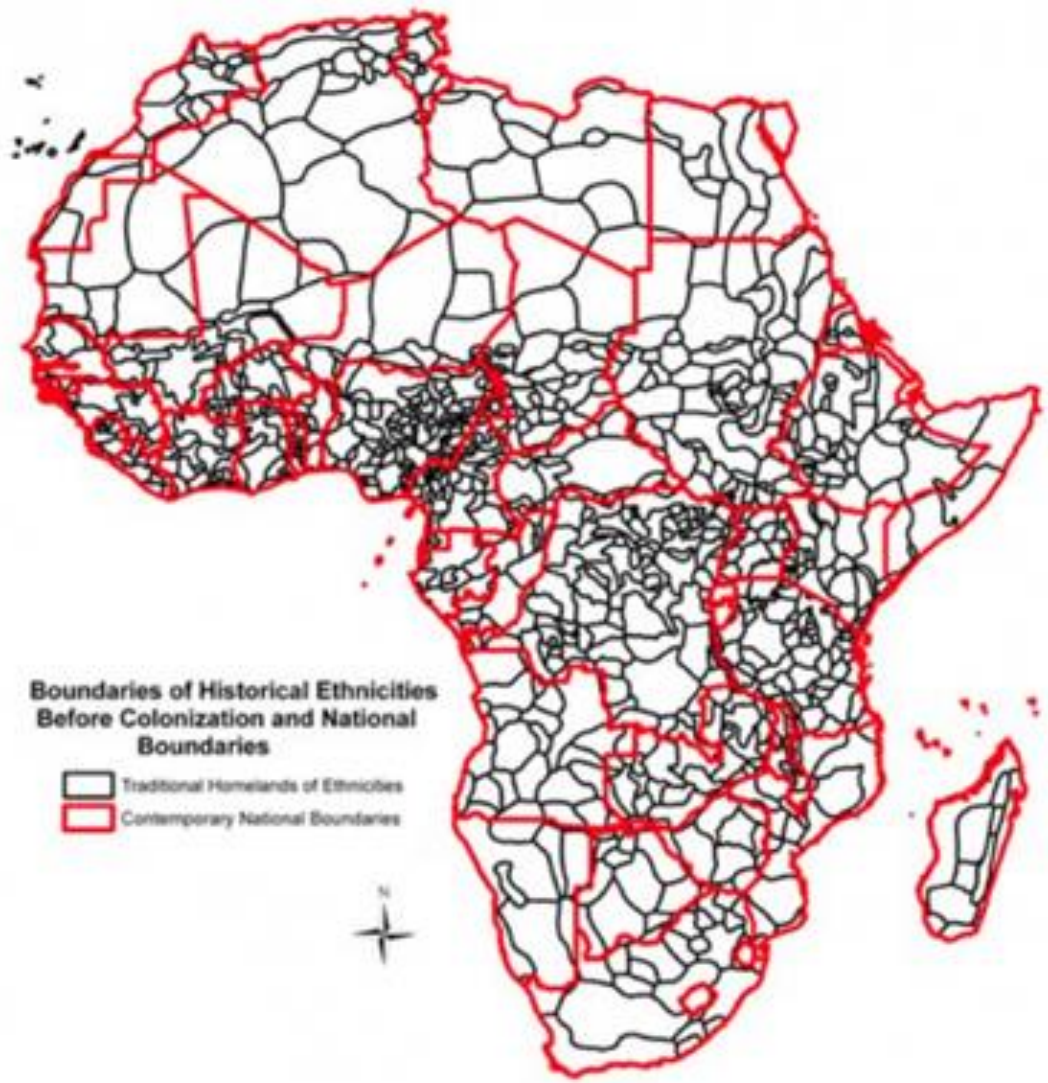
AFRICA

A Plethora of Design Identities

Africa Today

54 Countries and 'National Identities'



Africa in Fact

Hundreds of 'TRUE' Ethnic Identities