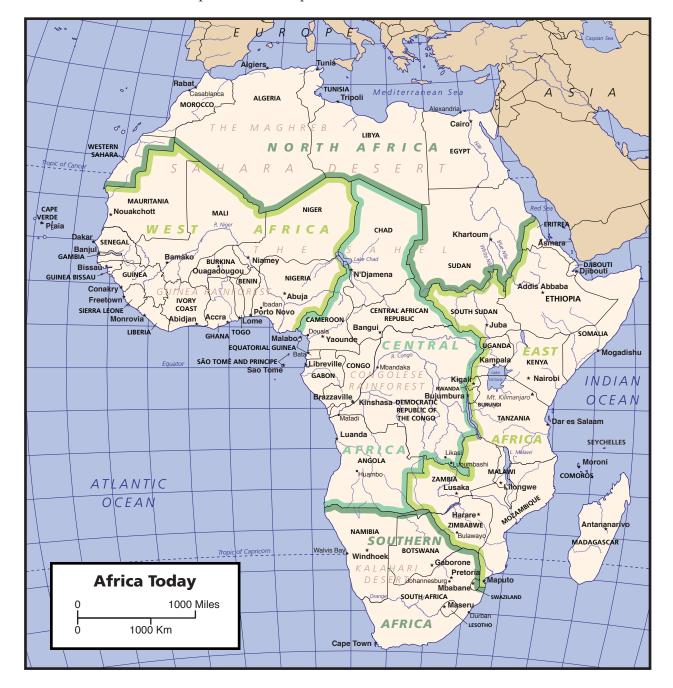
Africa Today

Instructions: Use the map to answer the questions that follow.



Questions:

1. Which major bodies of water border Africa?



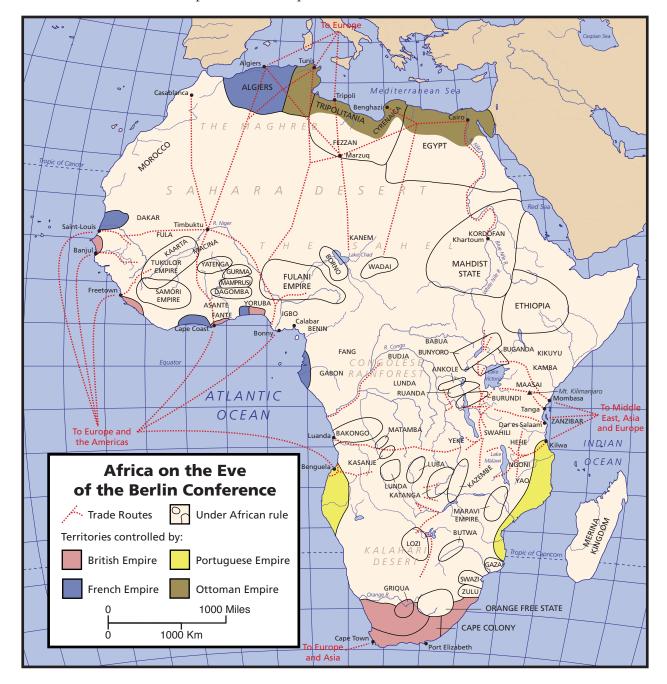
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2. Which two continents are closest to Africa?

3. List three major topographical features on the African continent (for example, the names of major rivers, deserts, or forests). a.
b.
c.
4. List three countries in North Africa. a.
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5. List three countries in East Africa. a.
b.
C.
6. List three countries in West Africa. a.
b.
C.
7. List three countries in Central Africa. a.
b.
C.
8. List three countries in Southern Africa. a.
b.
c.

Africa in the Late Nineteenth Century

Instructions: Use the map to answer the questions that follow.



Questions:

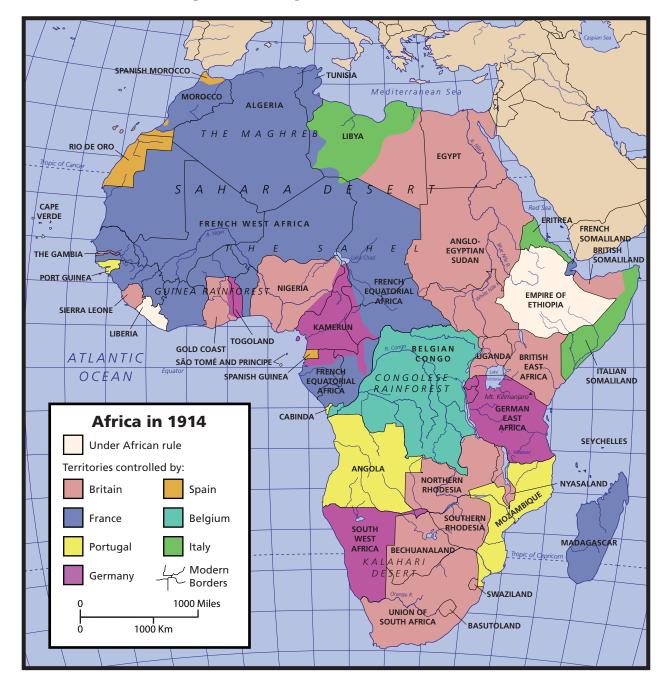
1. a. Which regions of Africa conducted international trade? (Hint: use the regions referred to on the map "Africa Today.")

2. To which continents was Timbuktu connected by trade?

- 3. List five coastal cities that conducted international trade. If any of these cities were controlled by an empire include it in parentheses. For example, Cape Town (British Empire).
 - a. d.
 - b. e.
 - c.
- 4. List four major African empires, kingdoms, or societies and describe where they are located. For example, Tukulor Empire, West Africa.
 - a. c.
 - b. d.
- 5. What parts of the continent did Europeans claim? Using this map, make a general statement about the location of European territories in Africa in the nineteenth century.

Africa in 1914

Instructions: Use the map to answer the questions that follow.



Questions:

1. Which European countries controlled territory in Africa?



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- 2. Which two European countries claimed the most territory?
- 3. Which African countries were independent in 1914? (Hint: Look for regions under African rule.)
- 4. Using the reading and your knowledge of history, what major world event began in 1914? How did the end of this event change the map of colonial Africa?

- 5. Compare the map of 1914 with the map of the late nineteenth century. Find two African empires or societies that were split between more than one colony by 1914. Find two African empires or societies that were contained within a single colony in 1914. (You may find it helpful to draw the boundaries of African societies onto the 1914 map.)
 - a. Empires split between colonies:
 - b. Empires contained within a single colony:
- 6. Estimate how much of the African continent Europe claimed prior to 1880 (nineteenth-century map). (For example, 10 percent, 50 percent, 90 percent, etc.)
- 7. Estimate how much of Africa fell under European rule by 1914.
- 8. Compare the map of 1914 with the map of Africa today. How do you think the boundaries of colonial territories shaped the boundaries of countries on the continent today?