

What is Imperialism?



“The sun never  
sets on the  
British Empire.”

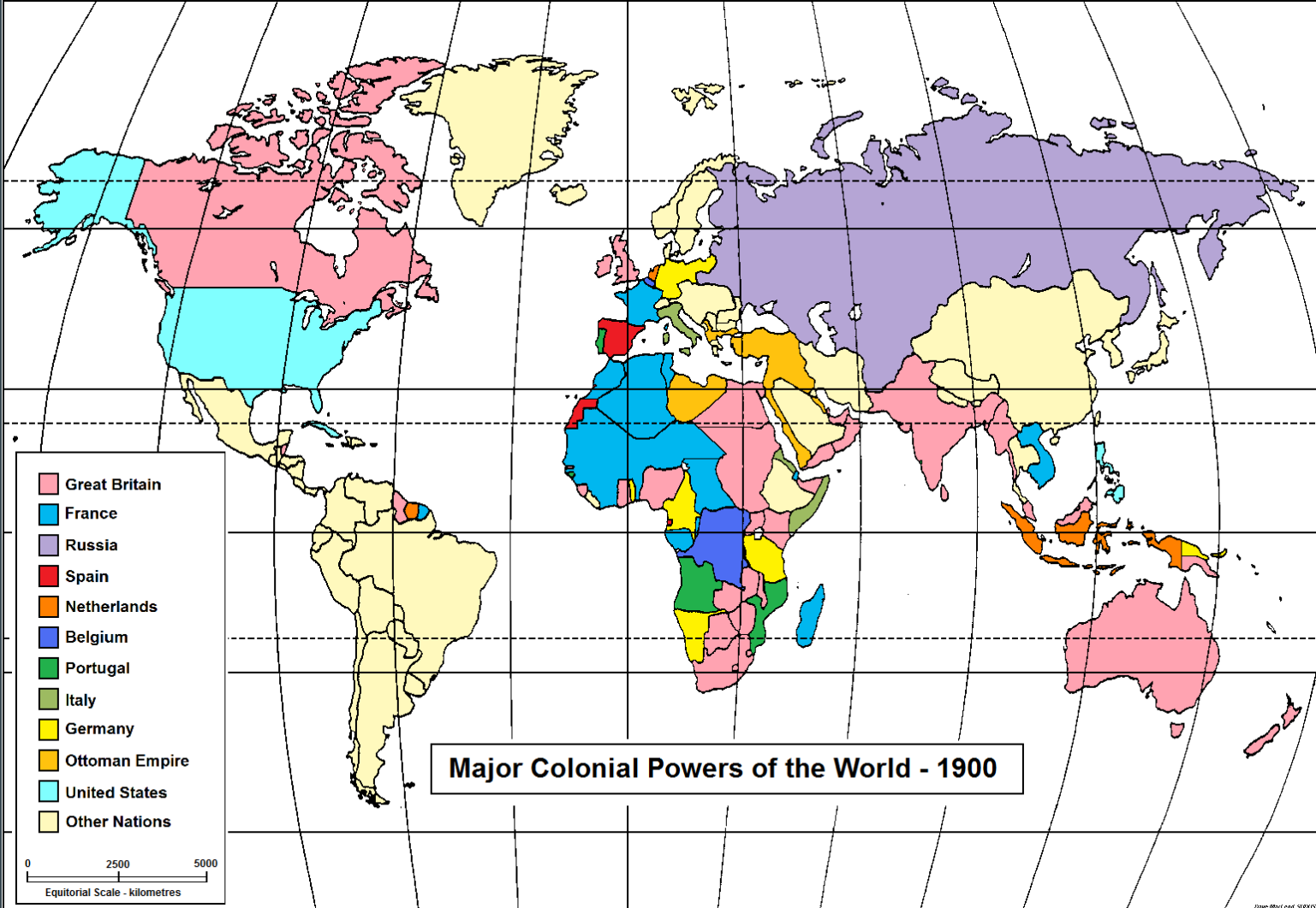


THE DEVILFISH IN EGYPTIAN WATERS.

“The period of imperialism has witnessed many wars. Most of these wars have been caused by attacks of white races upon so-called “lower races.” They have resulted in the taking of territory by force. The white rulers of the colonies live at the expense of the natives. Their most important work is to organize labor for their support. In the typical colony, the most fertile (best) lands and the mineral resources are owned by white foreigners. These holdings are worked by natives under their direction. The foreigners take wealth out of the country. All the hard work is done by natives. “

Adapted from *Imperialism* by J.A. Hobson

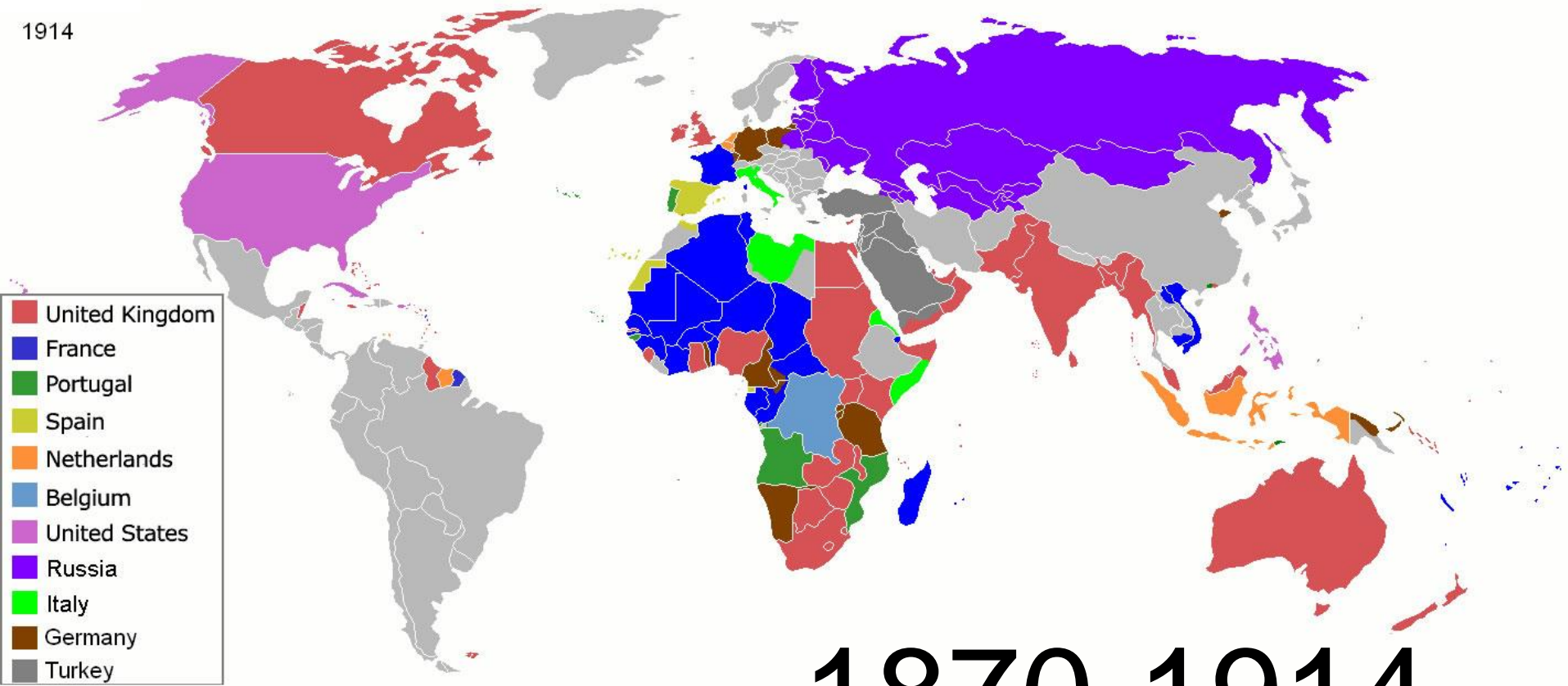
Who did the Imperializing?



When did this happen?



1914

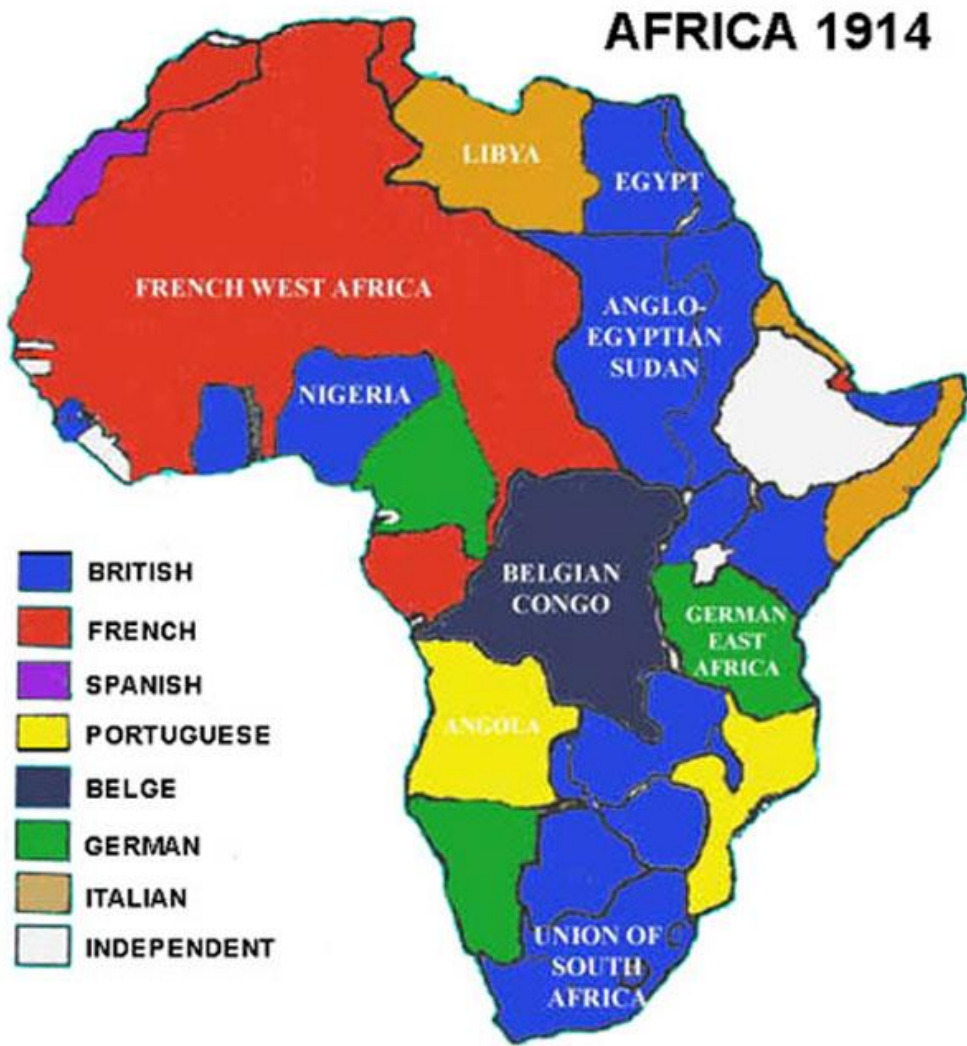


1870-1914

Where did Europe Imperialize?



# AFRIC



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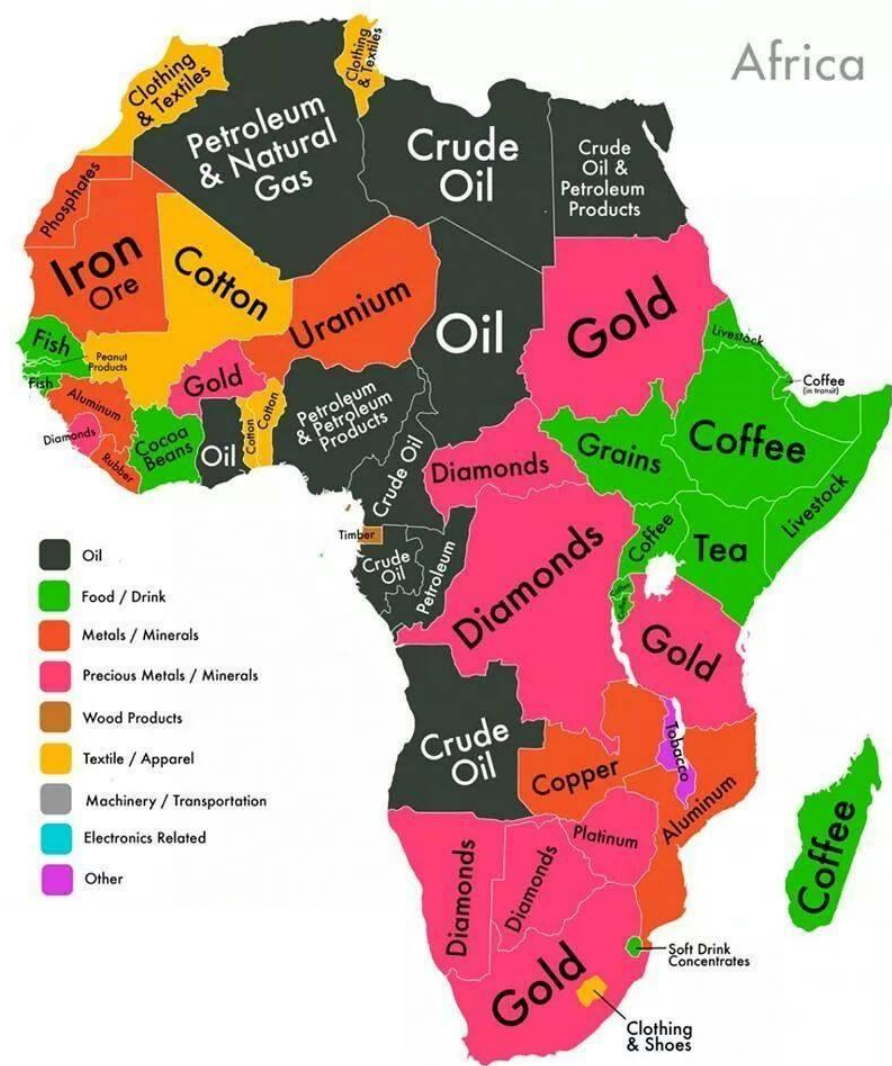
# IMPERIALISM IN ASIA 1914

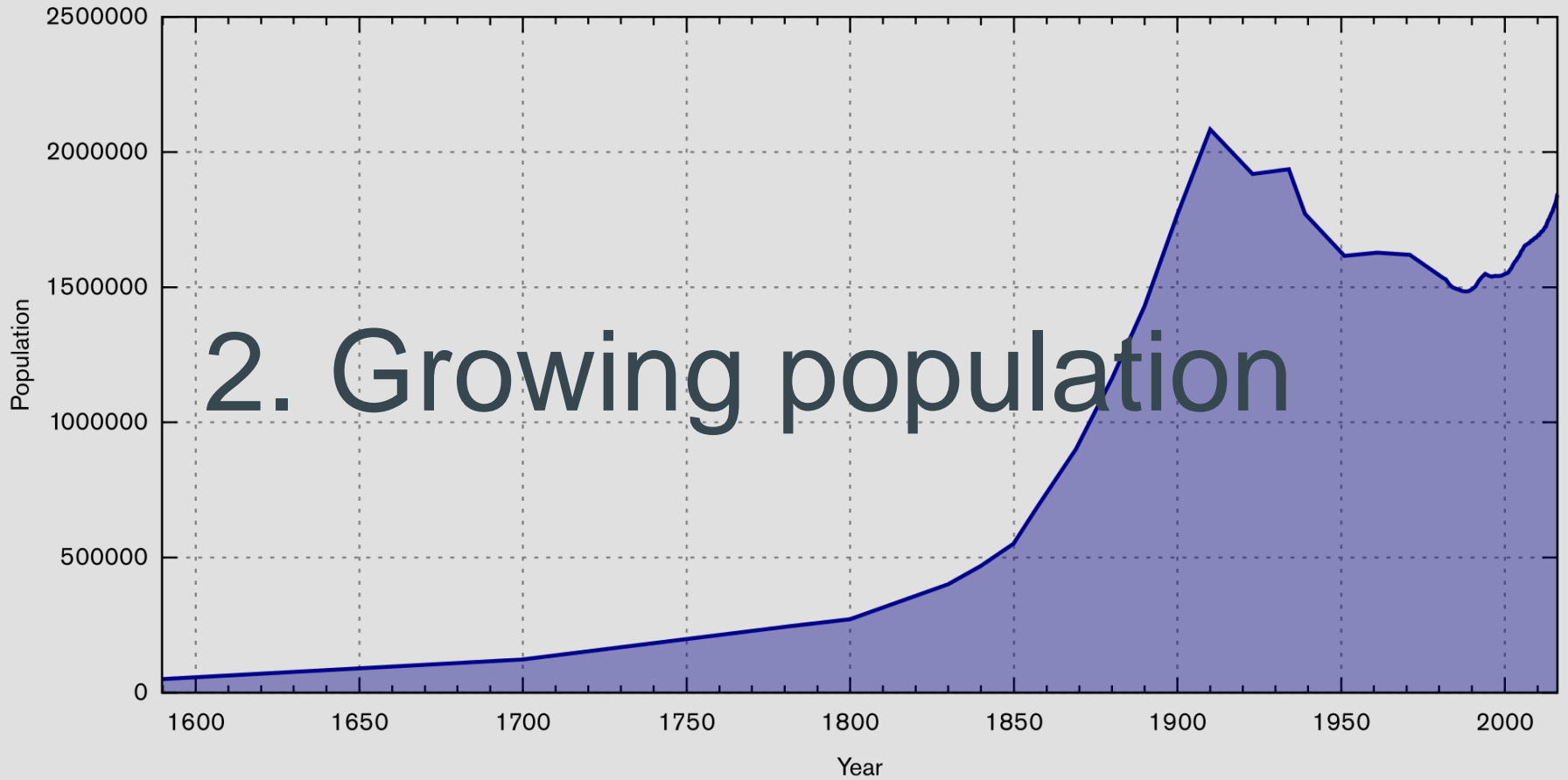


# ASIA

Why did European nations imperialize?

# 1. Need for natural resources





# 3. Spread of Christianity

“When the whites came to our country, we had the land and they had the Bible; now we have the Bible and they have the land.”

African Proverb

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“Take up the white man’s burden... to serve your captives’ need.”

-Rudyard Kipling

**B**, **b**.



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**B** stands for Battles  
 By which England's name  
 has ever been covered  
 in glory and fame.

## 4. Share Western Civilization

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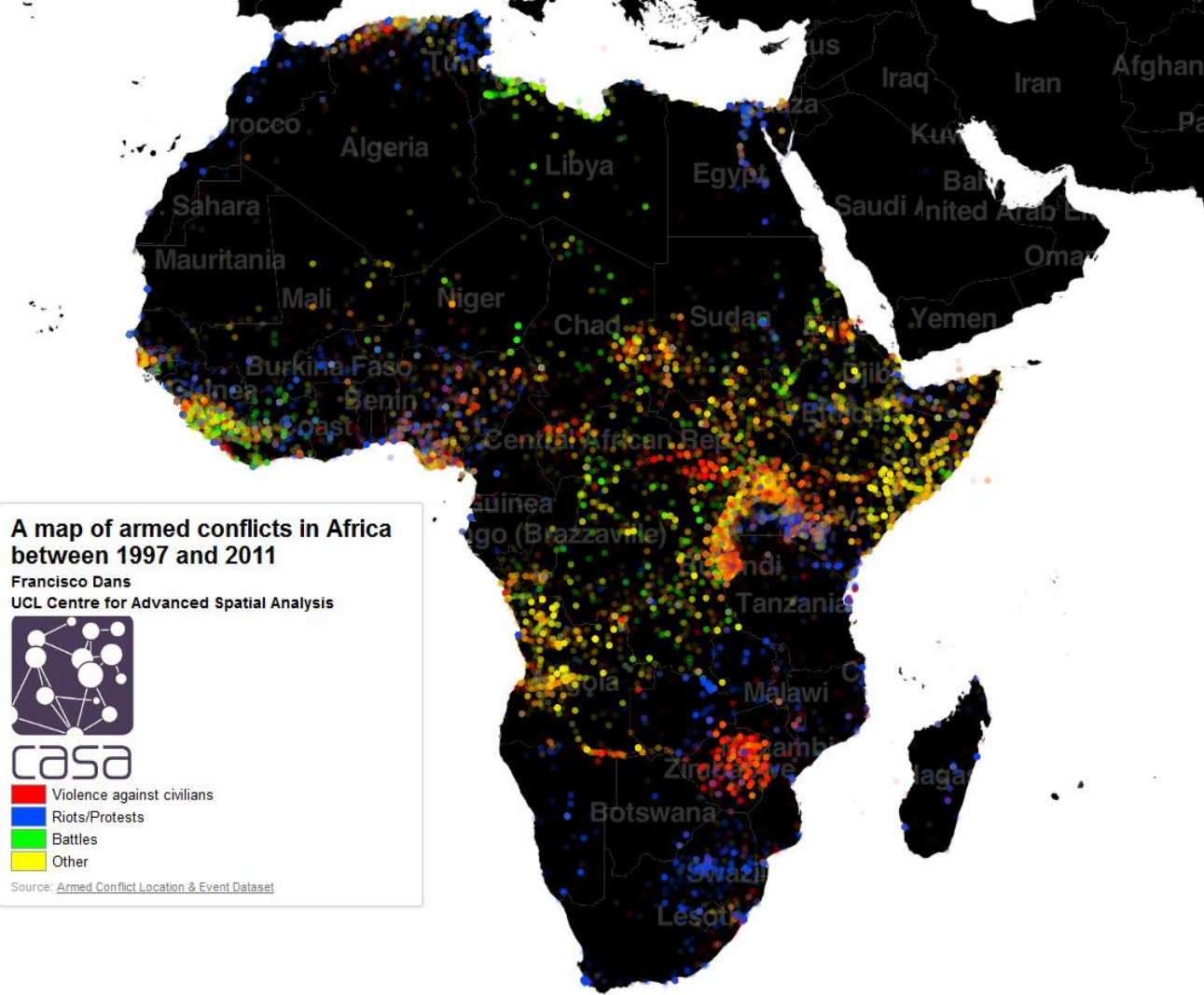
Colonies.

Rightly we boast,  
 That of all the great nations  
 Great Britain has most.

How does the Imperialism that happened over 100 years ago, still impact the world today?



# 1. Racial violence among whites and blacks



2. New land borders created by whites changed ethnic borders of tribes. This causes tribal wars and disputes



Figure 1a

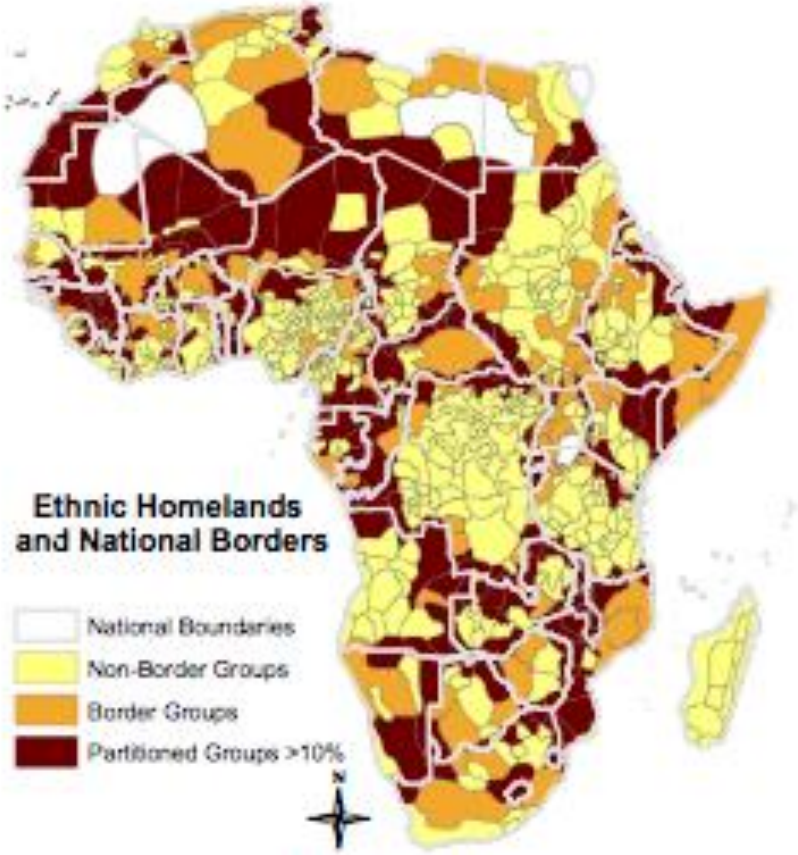


Figure 1b





3. Still strong “western” culture influence over native culture. This still makes native Africans feel inferior and less confident

