

## **Chapter 14-A** Europe & World New Encounters



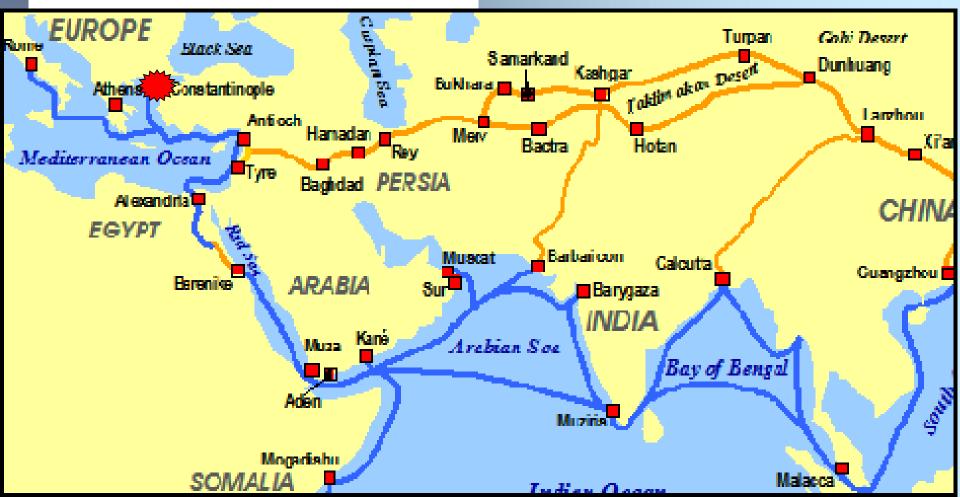
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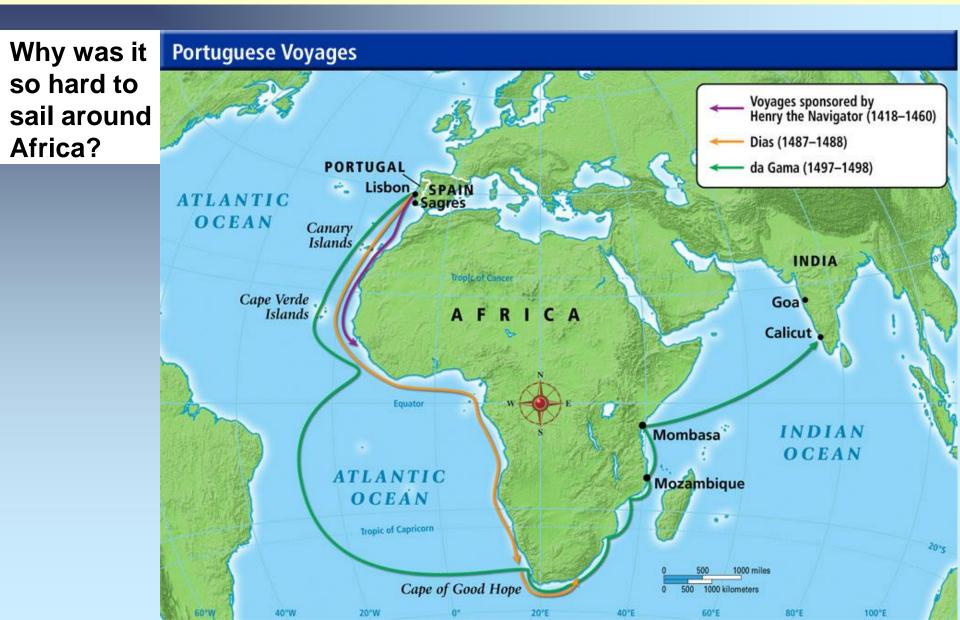
## HI-101 Western Civilization I

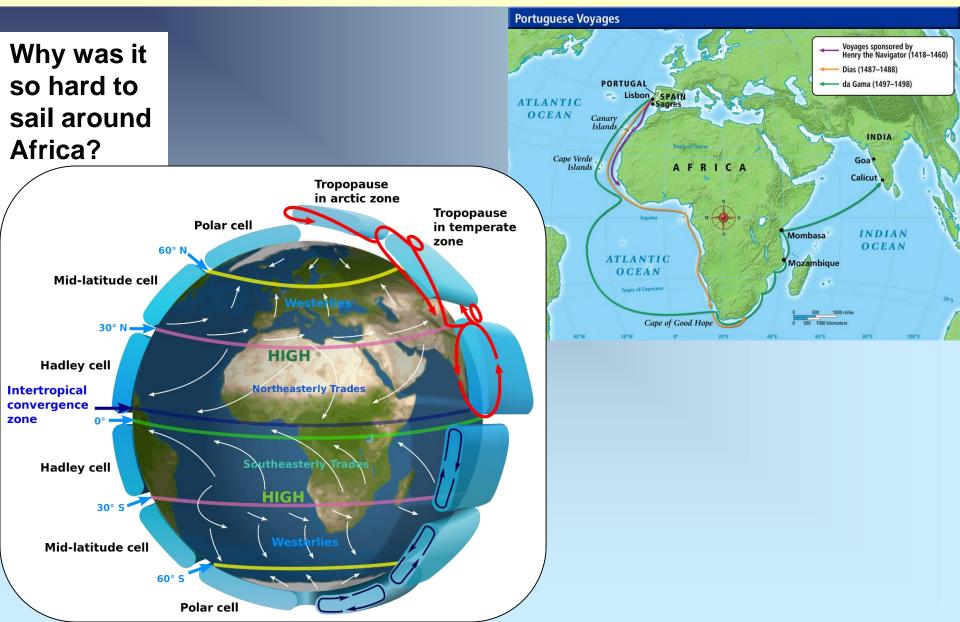
- Nov. 30 Article Review Four (if needed) DUE
- Dec 1 On-Line Quiz (Ch. 14)
- Dec 6 Review Session TBD
- **Dec. 7 Final Exam (Ch. 13-14)**

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# Why the push for a sea route to the Far East?







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## **Advances in Technology**

## **Firearms Manufacture**

Not a factor at first,

- Cannon impressed natives
- but give it 100 years

## Shipbuilding

Galleys out, Caravel in

## Navigation

- Compass, Astrolabe
- (a clock would have been nice)



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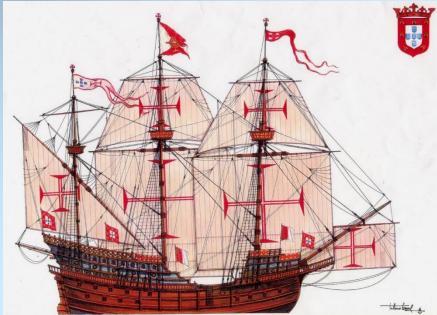
## Shipbuilding

CARAVEL – latten and square rigged sails





#### CARRACK- larger, more cargo and sails



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## Shipbuilding

Niña – caravel – 50 ft long, 7 ft draft, 16 ft beam crew of 24

Pinta – caravel – 56 ft long, 8 ft draft, 18 ft beam crew of 26

Santa María – carrack - 62 ft long, 10 ft draft 18 ft beam, crew of 40







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Niña caravel – 50 ft long, 7 ft draft, 16 ft beam crew of 24





Hunter 50 AC 49.92 ft long, 7.00 ft draft, 14.75 ft. beam

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## Navigation

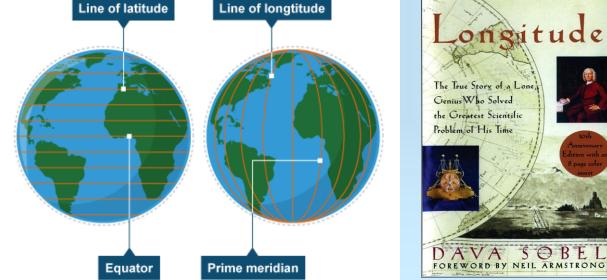
**Compass – direction** 

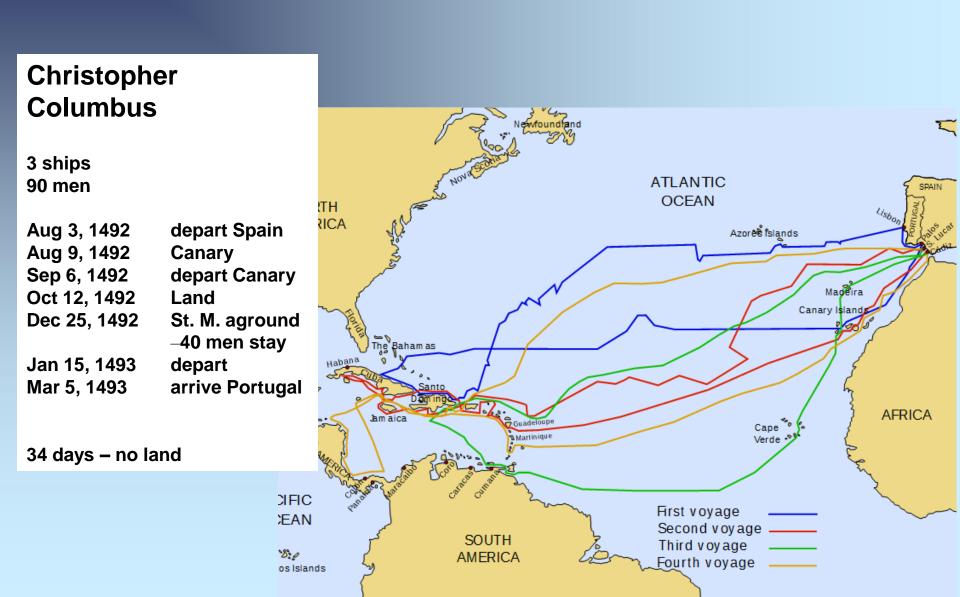
Astrolabe – position - latitude only

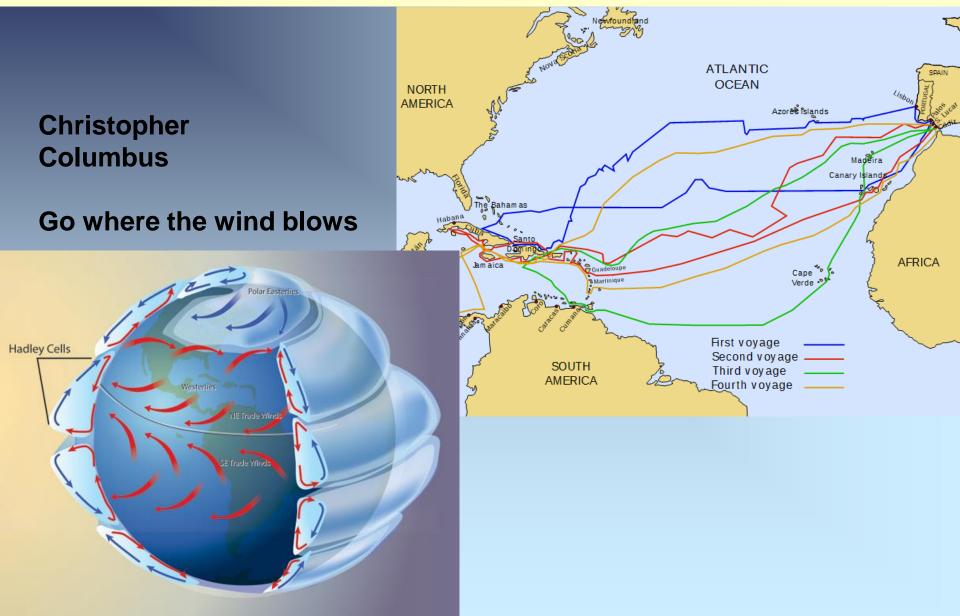
Dead Reckoning – guess speed & distance

Marine Chronometer – not until 1761



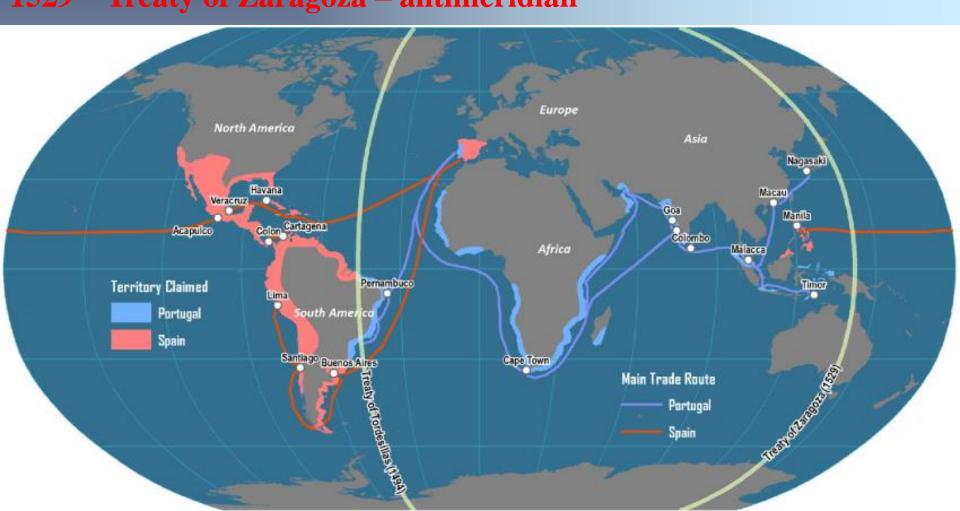






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 1494 Treaty of Tordesillas - 370 leagues/1,184 n.mi west of Cape Verde Islands
1529 Treaty of Zaragoza – antimeridian



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First the Portuguese *Trading Posts* 

Then the Spanish *Conquistadors* 

Different attitudes towards intermarriage and establishment of settlements





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Motives

The 3 G's + God religious fervor + convert natives + Gold +expand trade - esp. spices & precious metals profit + Glory + adventure power +national pride

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Mostly Silver 1503 – 1650 (17,500 tons Ag vs 200 tons Au) (98% by weight, 85% by value)

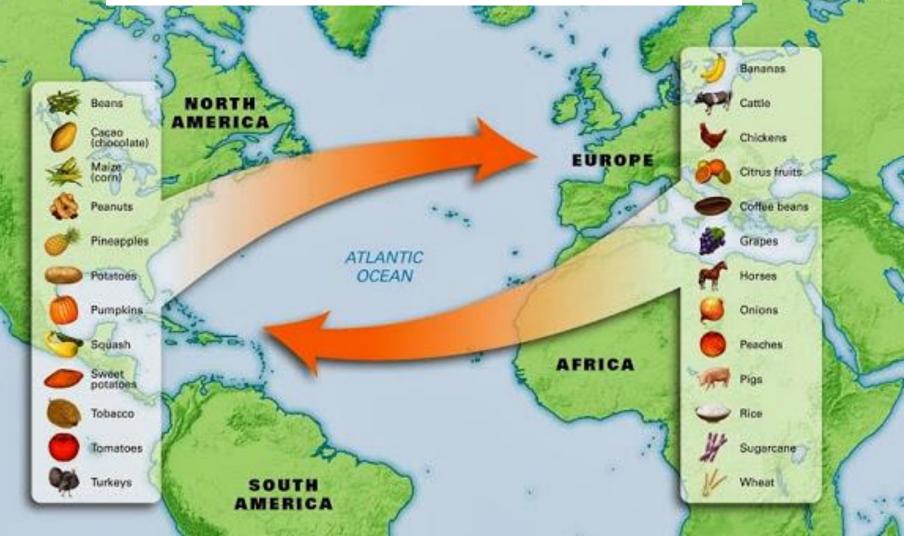




### Spanish Treasure Ships and the Manila Galleons

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## The Columbian Exchange



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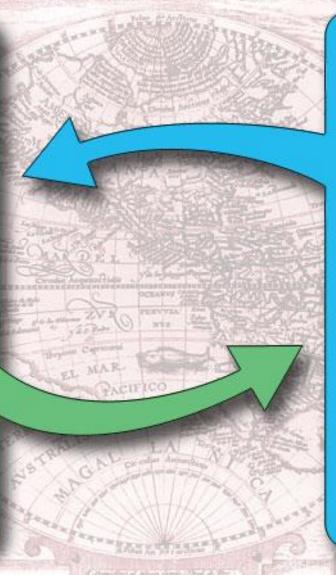
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#### New World

Precious metals: Gold Silver

#### Agriculture: Tobacco Corn Potatoes Pineapples Tomatoes Vanilla Chocolate

Disease: Syphilis



Old World Agriculture: Wheat Sugar Rice Coffee

Livestock: Horses Cows Pigs

Disease: Smallpox Diphtheria Bubonic plague Measles Influenza Typhus Scarlet Fever

## Columbian Exchange part 2

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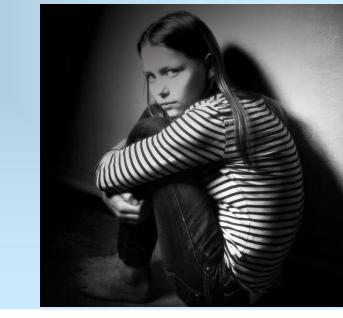
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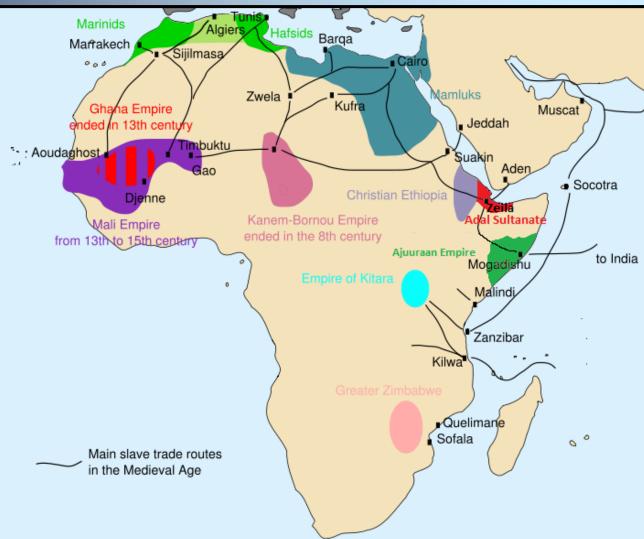
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## West Africa before 1492

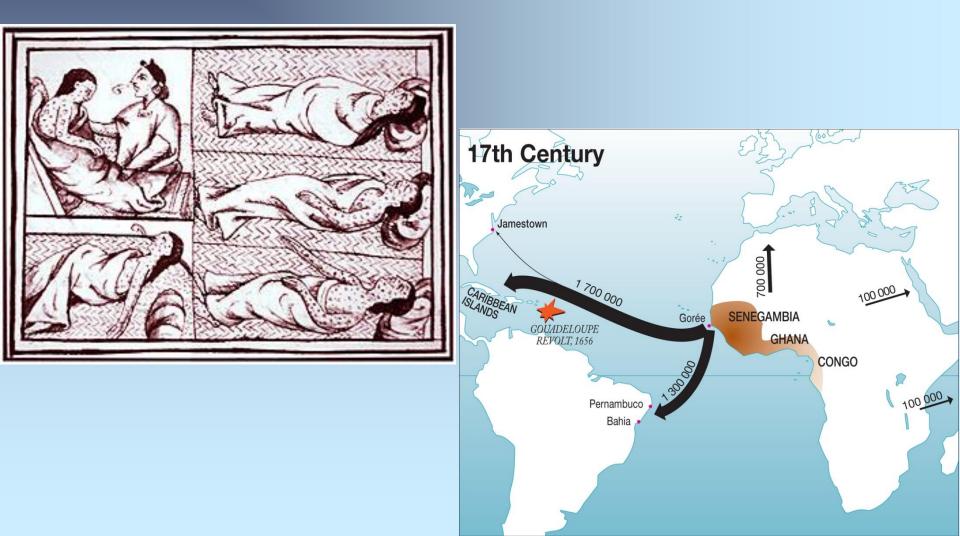
Trans-Saharan 9<sup>th</sup> century AD From "few thousand" to 50,000 each year

~ 6.2 million



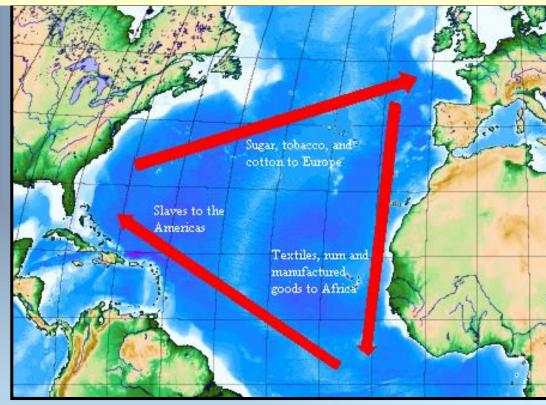
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## Portuguese: disease & African slaves

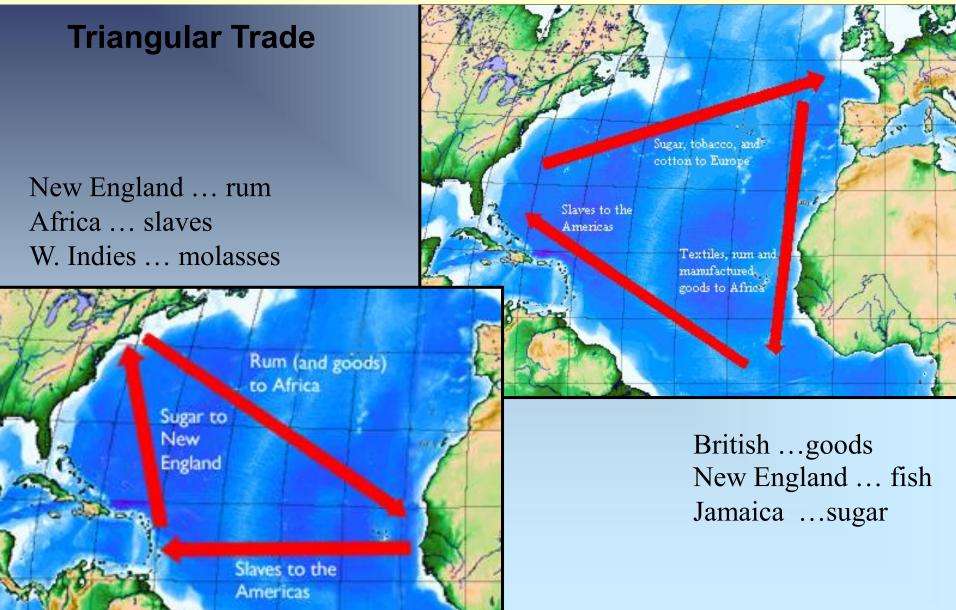


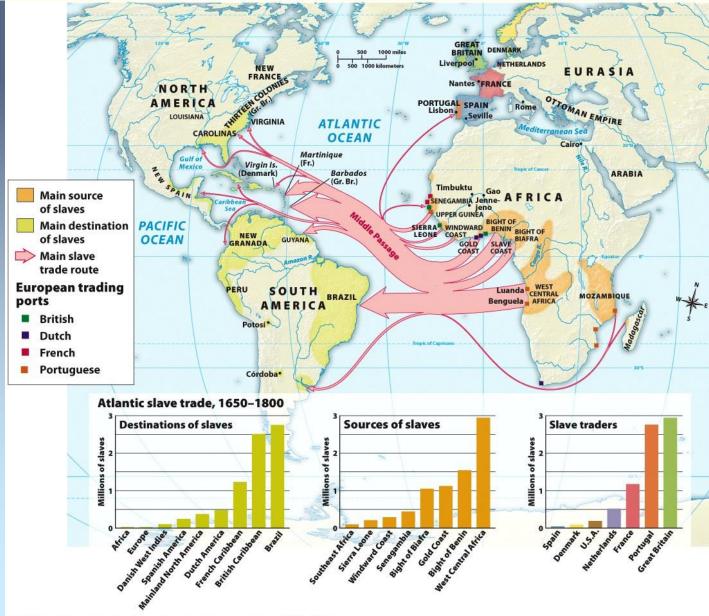
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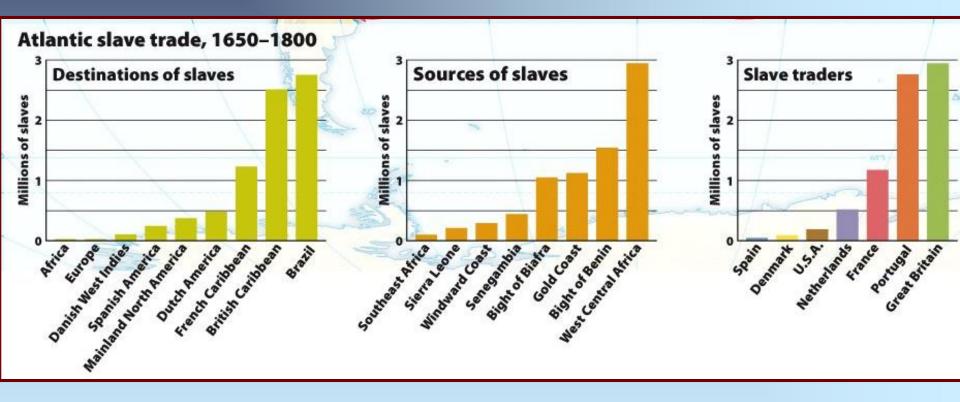
**Triangular Trade** 



British ...goods New England ... fish Jamaica ...sugar





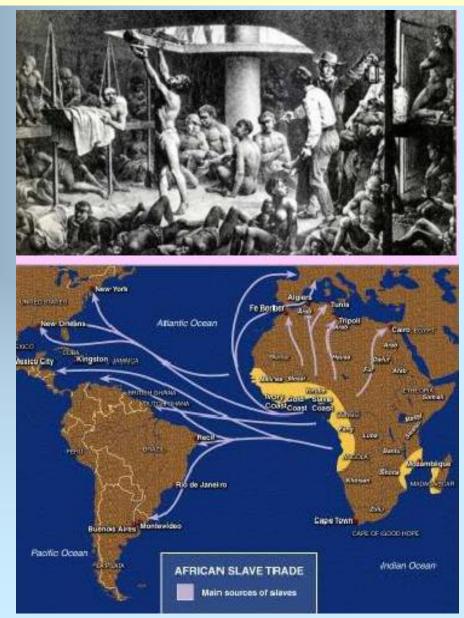


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Slavery: the Foundation of the Empire

275,000
124,000
1,665,000
1,600,000
500,000
(3,765,000)
1,552,000
3.646,000

Most of Africa maintained or increased in population due to improved diet – American food (maze) and greater demand for male slaves





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## John Newton

**1748** – violent storm and a cry for mercy

1755 – ended slave trade

1764 – ordained

1773 – hymn or chant

**1779** – Olney Hymns **1 Chronicles 17-16-17** 

1835 – set to tune "New Britain"

1847 – published in *Southern* harmony

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