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Course: US History/Ms. Brown

Homeroom:



7th Grade US History

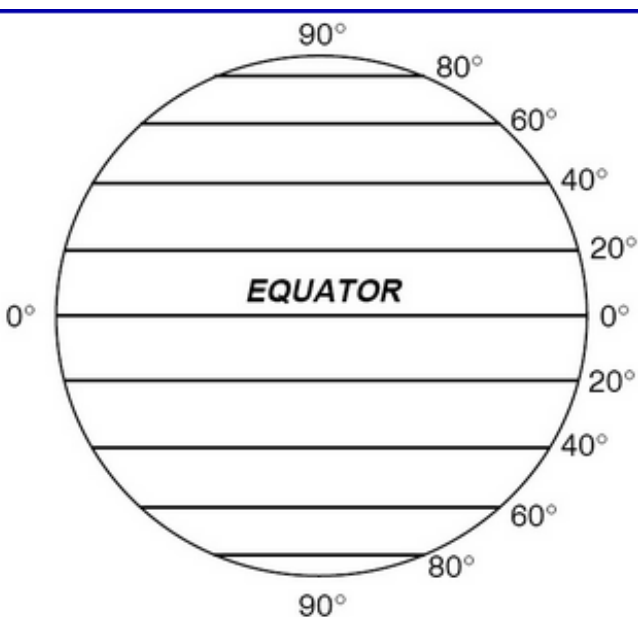
Standard # – Do Now – Day #13

Aims: SWBAT perform a variety of geographical tasks in order to demonstrate mastery of unit one concepts in preparation for the unit exam

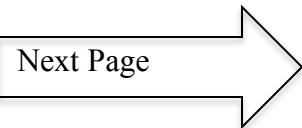
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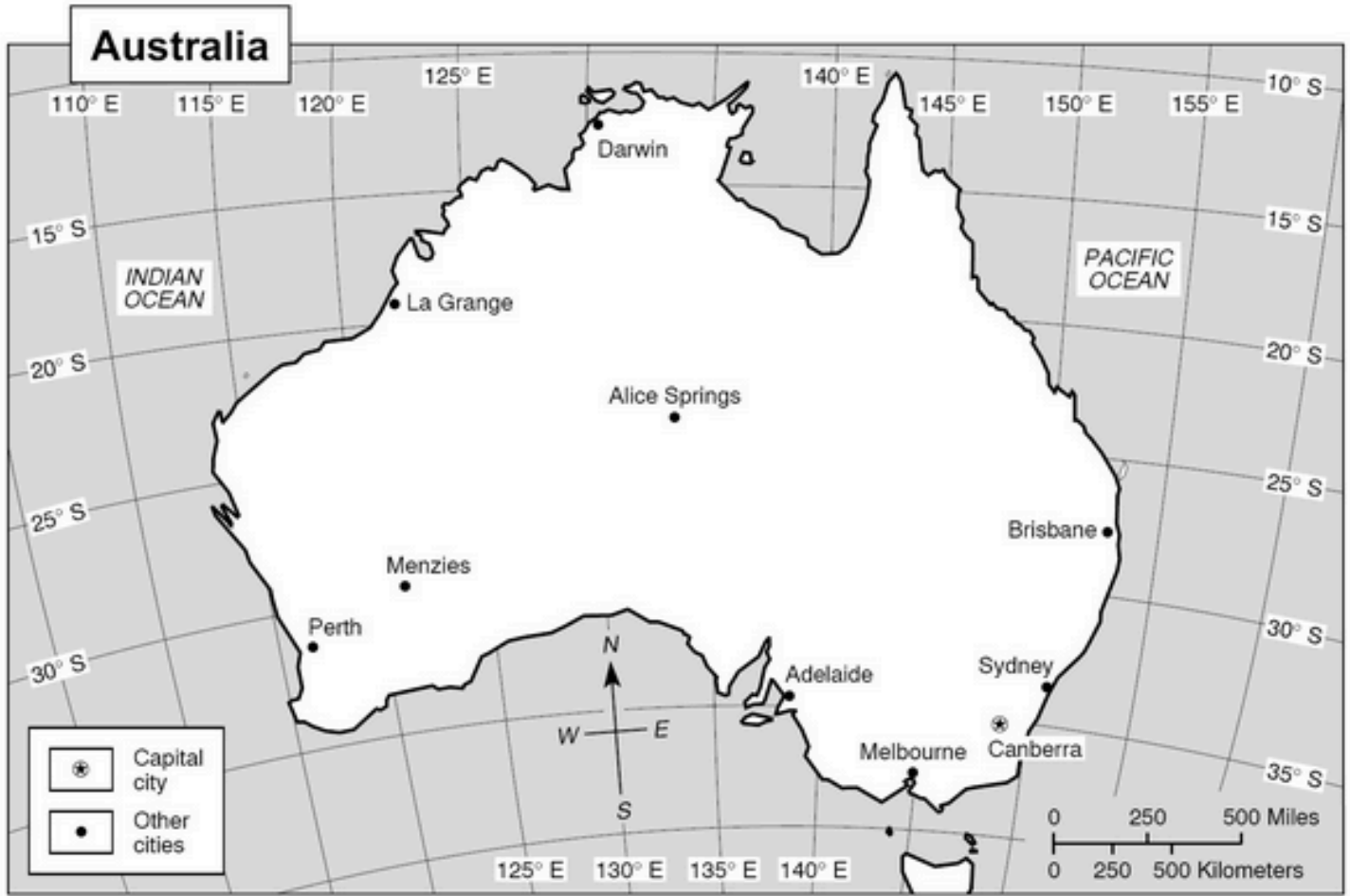
Directions: Answer the following questions in complete and historically accurate sentences. You must attempt each question, there should be absolutely no blank spaces. Be sure to provide examples and evidence to support your answers.

1. Which hemisphere is shown in the diagram above?



2. What is depicted in the diagram above?
- a. lines of longitude
 - b. lines of latitude
 - c. lines of distance
 - d. lines of time





3. According to the map what is the approximate latitude and longitude of the city of Canberra? _____

4. Use DOGTAILS B to label the map



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Teammates: _____



DIRECTIONS:

1. As a team, you will race around the world using your knowledge of maps and geography as your guide.
2. The race begins in London, England and will terminate at an unknown location. The first team there wins!
3. You must figure out your way by following the longitude and latitude coordinates given.
4. In the LOCATION box, write the city and country you have arrived in.
5. Then, you must complete the challenges by using your knowledge of geography. You **MUST** complete all of the challenges before moving to the next location.
6. In order to win, you must work as a team. Ms. Brown will be moving around the world with you asking your team questions about how you found your answers. I can ask ANY person on the team. If your teammate answers incorrectly, you will be frozen in that location until everyone on your teams can explain your answers. To win, make sure ALL of your teammates understand what you are doing!
7. The first team to the finish will be champions of **THE AMAZING RACE!**
8. **Champions are entitled to a secret and excellent prize to be announced on the exam day Tuesday September 25!**

LOCATION 1 (city and country)	London, England
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CHALLENGES	
What is the latitude and longitude of London?	
What continent is London on? (use the very upper left part of the map for help).	
How far is London from Paris, France in miles?	
What bodies of water surround the United Kingdom (in addition to the Ocean)	

NOW TRAVEL TO: 41°N Latitude, 28°E Longitude

LOCATION 2 (city and country)	
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CHALLENGES	
What sea is Northeast of the city?	
Which African country is located Southwest of the country?	
What is the capital of this country?	
What is the relative location of Rome, Italy to the capital city?	



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NOW TRAVEL TO: **34°S Latitude, 18°E Longitude**

LOCATION 3 (city and country) _____

CHALLENGES

What continent is this city on?	
If you were to travel 500 miles directly North, what country would you be in?	
Where is/are the heaviest locations of oil found on the continent?	
How many people live in this city?	

NOW TRAVEL TO: **34°S Latitude, 18°E Longitude**

LOCATION 3 (city and country) _____

CHALLENGES

What continent is this city on?	
If you were to travel 500 miles directly North, what country would you be in?	
What is most of the land used for in this country? (look at the smaller maps on the right)	
How many people live in this city?	

NOW TRAVEL TO: **33°N Latitude, 44°E Longitude**

LOCATION 4 (city and country) _____

CHALLENGES

What river is this city located on?	
This river runs into what body of water?	
What is the distance from this country and Mount Everest?	
What is the average gross domestic product (GDP) i.e. income	



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NOW TRAVEL TO: **14°N Latitude, 93°W Longitude**

LOCATION 5 (city and country) _____

CHALLENGES

This city borders what other country?	
What is the name of the highest peak in the country?	
What is the distance from this city to the capital city in miles?	
Baja California is _____ from this city	

NOW TRAVEL TO: **17°S Latitude, 57°W Longitude**

LOCATION 6 (city and country) _____

CHALLENGES

What desert is directly west of this city?	
This city is _____ from Rio de Janeiro	
What important waterway connects this city with Buenos Aires?	
How many cities in this country have a population of over 1 million people?	

YOU'RE DONE!



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HOMEWORK

_____/10 Mastered/Passing/Not Mastered

Congratulations for completing the Amazing Race, your first project grade of the year. Tomorrow you will have your first unit exam on the geography skills we have acquired thus far. For homework complete the following pages and write your answers in complete sentences to obtain full credit. Please only turn in this homework page and not the following pages. Be sure to go through your notes and remember that practice makes perfect! Good Luck!

- 1. _____

- 2. _____

- 3. _____

- 4. _____

- 5. _____

- 6. _____

- 7. _____

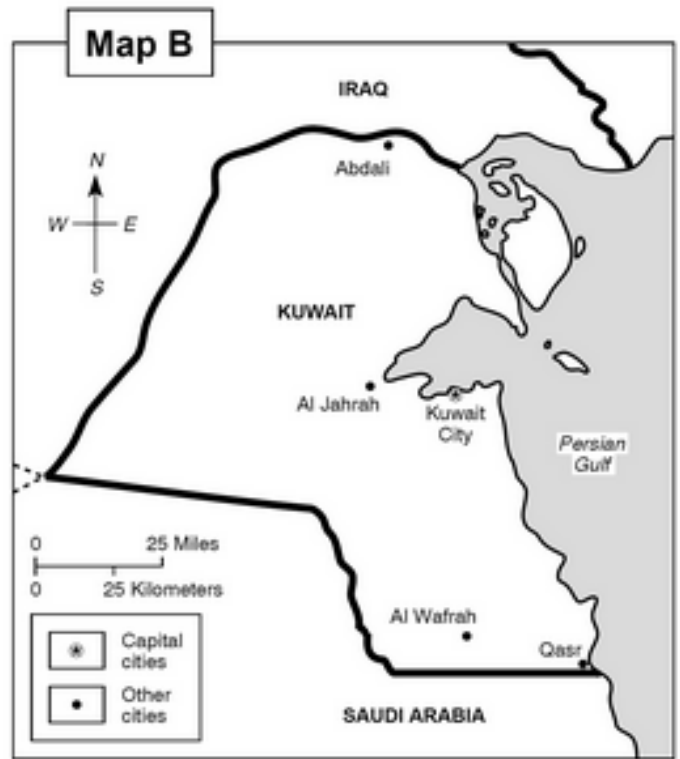
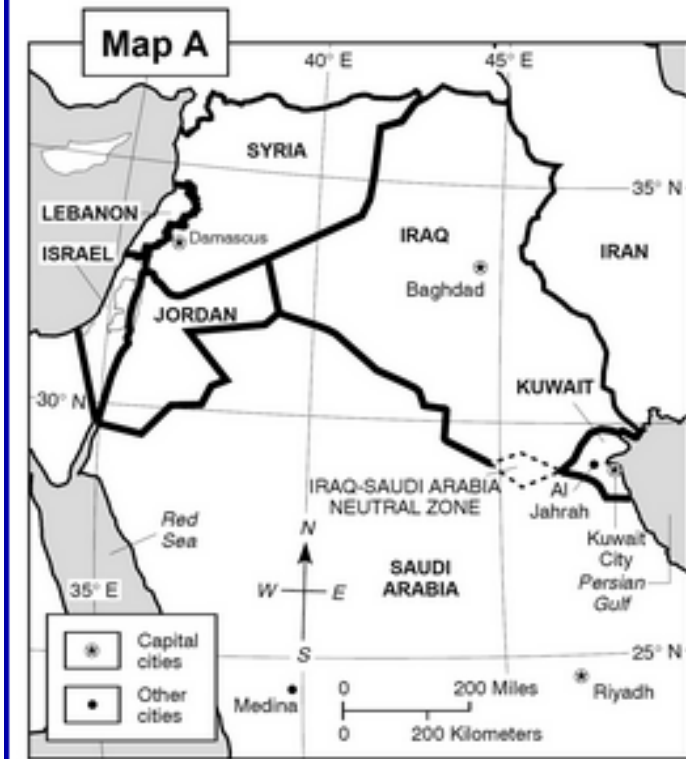
- 8. _____

- 9. _____

- 10. _____

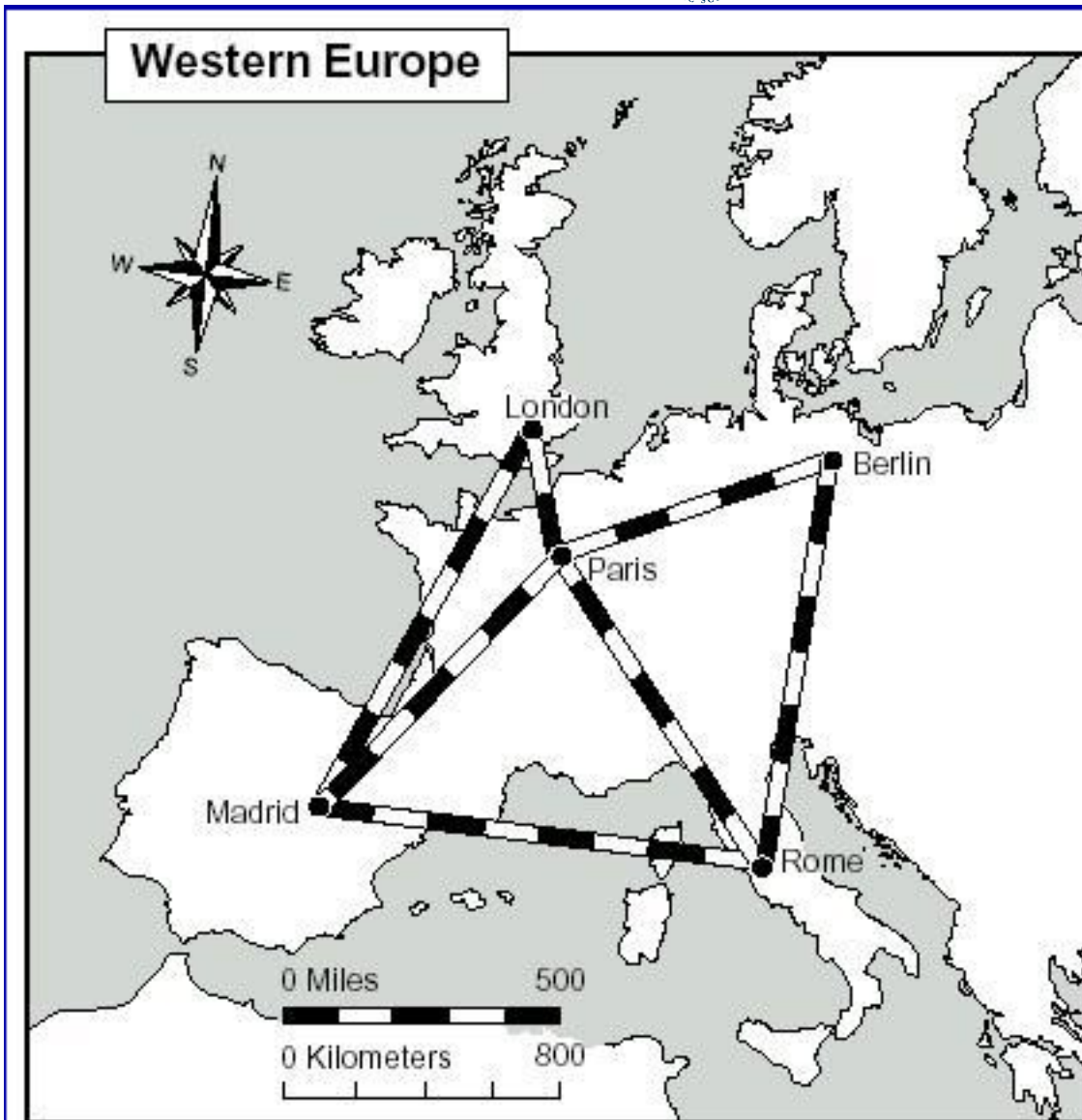


11. _____

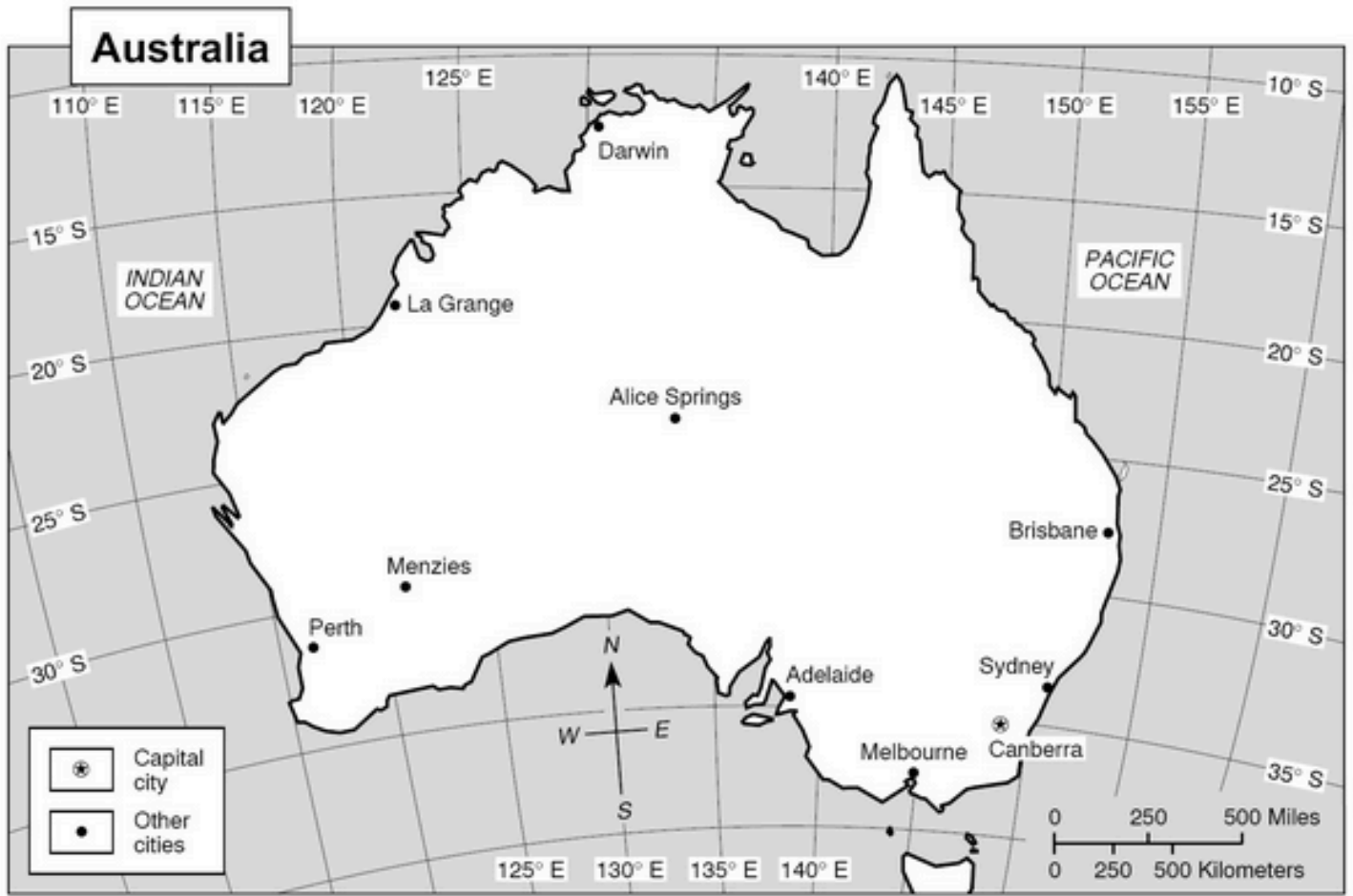


1. Which map would you use if you wanted to know more detail about Kuwait? What is this type of map called?
2. Which map would you use to determine the distance between Kuwait City to Al Wafrah? What is this type of map called?
3. Which hemisphere is pictured above?

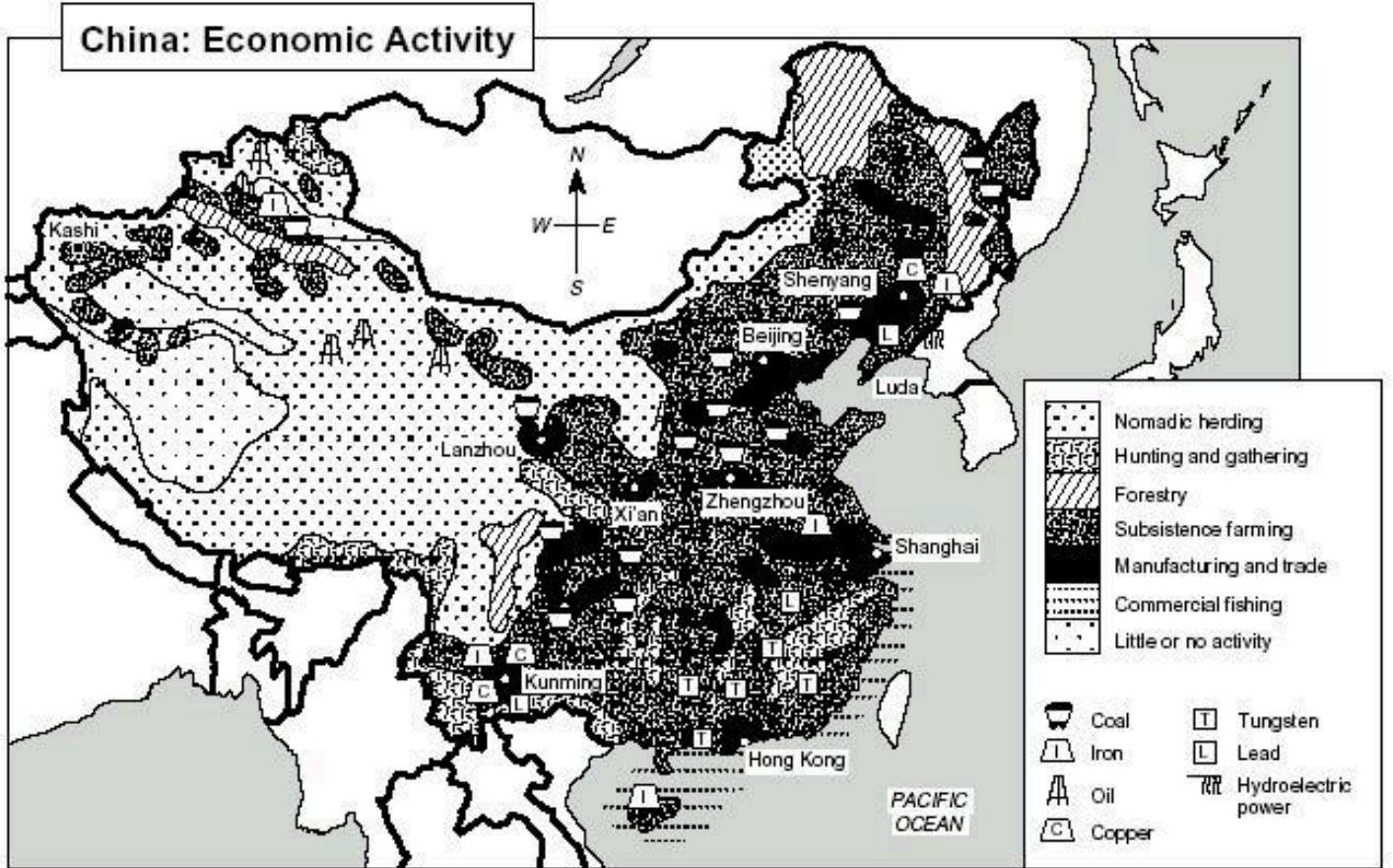




3. What is the distance in miles from Paris to Berlin? What map element would you need to use to find this information?
4. What direction would you be traveling if you went from Madrid to Rome?

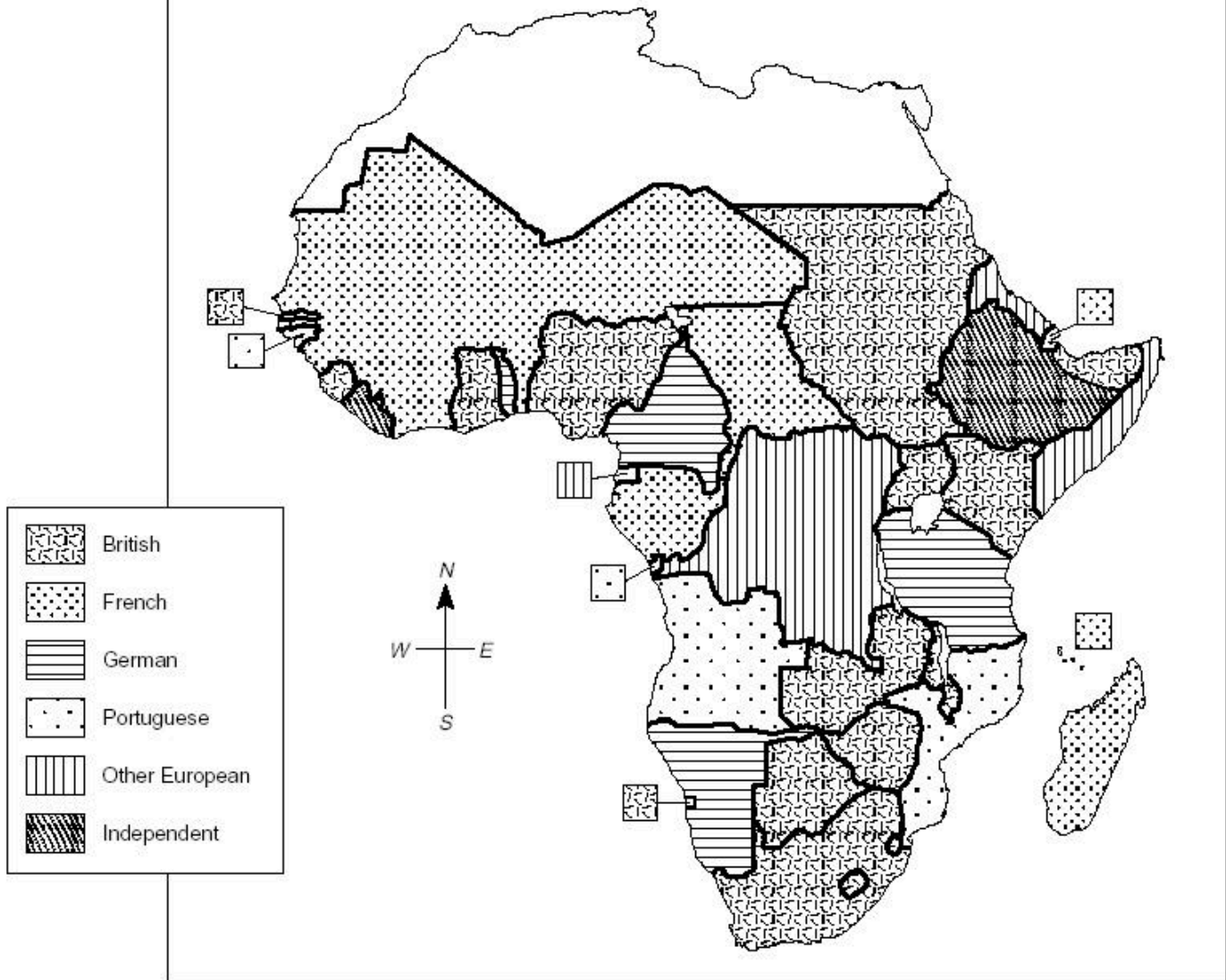


6. What is the capital city of Australia according to the map?
7. According to the map, what is the approximate longitude of the city of Melbourne?
8. Which type of location would the direction 1492 Columbus Avenue be? How do you know?



9. What does the solid black represent in the legend?

Africa South of the Sahara, 1914



10. What European country controlled much of the southern part of the selected region in 1914?



11. If I was traveling from eastern Staten Island and needed to get to the southwestern Bronx using **three** bridges, how would I get there? Explain your answer using cardinal directions and using the names of the five boroughs.

SAMPLE (you may not use the second two bridges in your answer)

Beginning in eastern Staten Island I would take the Verrazano Bridge east to Brooklyn. I would then travel north through Brooklyn. I would continue until I reached northwestern Queens where I would take the Triborough Bridge west to Manhattan. I would then travel northwest through Manhattan until I reached the Broadway Bridge.