

## Colonialization Map Activity

### Map #1 – Imperialism in Africa, 1800 to 1914

1) Locate and shade in ALL the colonial possession of the following states.

- a) Britain
- b) Belgium
- c) France
- d) Germany
- e) Italy
- f) Portugal
- e) Spain

2) Locate and shade in the two (2) independent countries

### Map #2 – Africa | Countries

1) Using the map you just created of Africa in 1914, shade in those same areas on the modern map of Africa. \*Make sure the modern borders are still visible after shading in the map!

2) Response (answer the following question based on the two maps of Africa): *Based on the two maps, describe how the borders have evolved as colonial powers gave up control of their African colonies.*

### Map #3 – The Former Soviet Union

1) Shade in the new nations formed after the collapse of communism in 1991. \*Make sure new nations that share a border are shaded in using different colors!

2) Response (answer the following question based on the two maps of Africa): *Based on the two maps, describe why the location of the splintering states of the former Soviet Union is important?*

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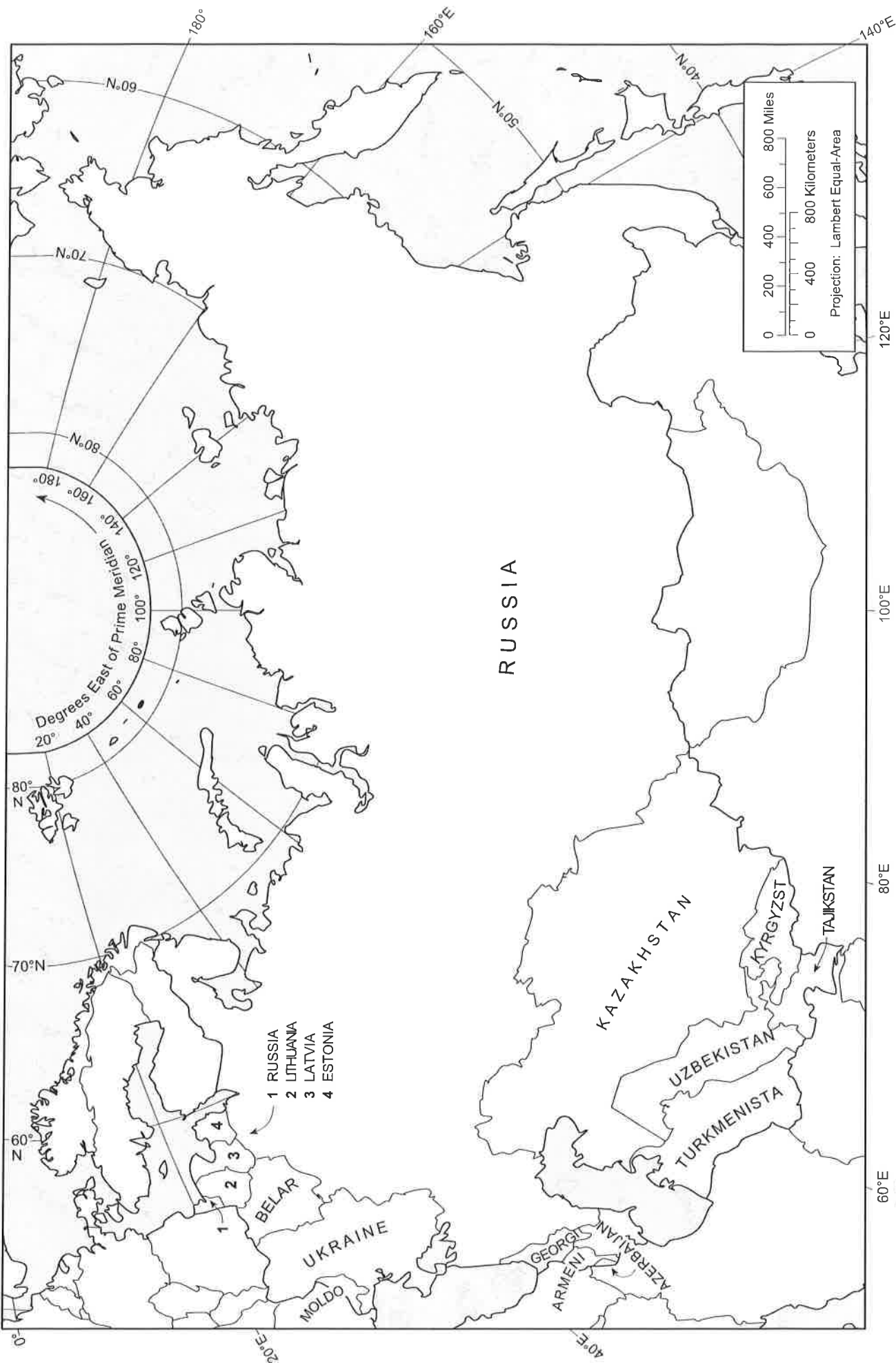


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# The Former Soviet Union



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