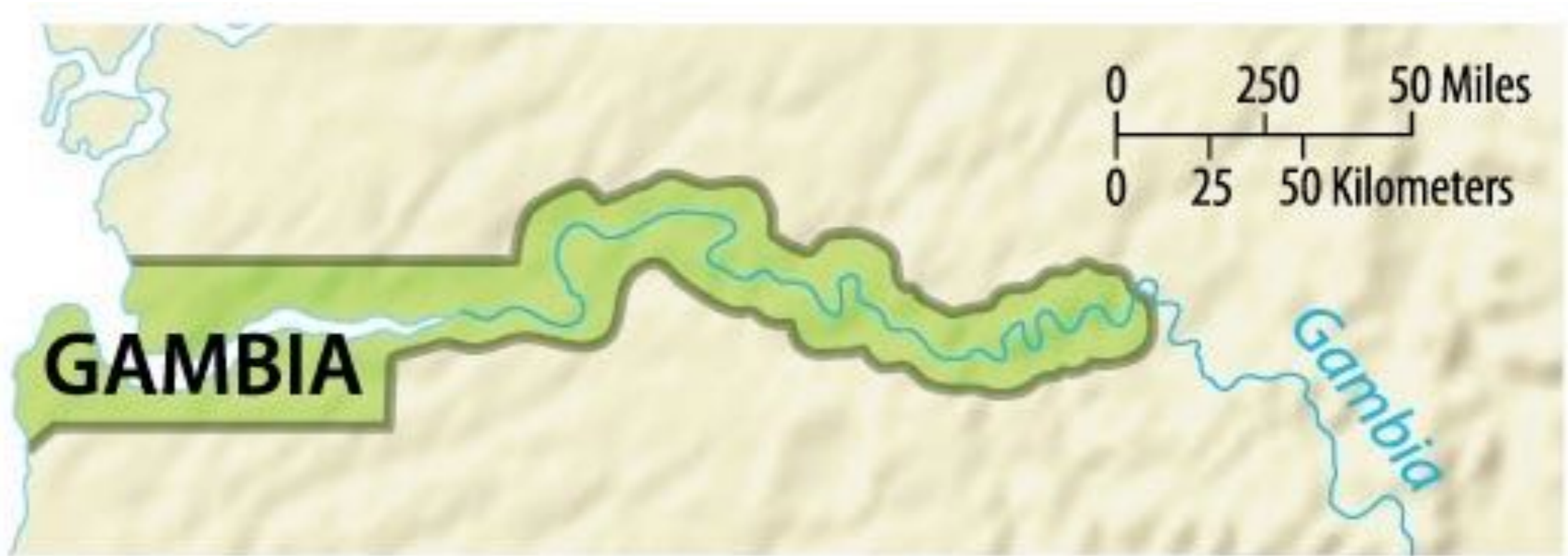


I. Shapes of States

- A. Elongated states: potential isolation
 - 1. States that have long narrow shapes
 - a. Malawi
 - b. Gambia

8.6 Shapes of States



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GAMBIA: AN ELONGATED STATE

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- B. Fragmented states: problematic
 - 1. States that include several discontinuous pieces of territory
 - a. Tanzania
 - b. Angola

8.6 Shapes of States



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ANGOLA: A FRAGMENTED STATE

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- C. Prorupted states: access or disruption
 - 1. States with large projecting extensions
 - 2. Created because:
 - a. Access to resources
 - Congo
 - b. To separate two states
 - Namibia
 - » Caprivi Strip

8.6 Shapes of States



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CONGO AND NAMIBIA: PRORUPTED STATES

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- D. Compact states: efficient
 - 1. Distance from center to boundary in any direction does not vary by much
 - a. Burundi
 - b. Rwanda
 - c. Uganda
 - d. Kenya

8.6 Shapes of States



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SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA: SEVERAL COMPACT STATES

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- E. Landlocked states
 - 1. No direct outlet to the sea
 - a. Zambia
 - b. Botswana
 - c. Zimbabwe

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SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA: SEVERAL LANDLOCKED STATES

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- F. Perforated states: completely surrounded
 - 1. A state that completely surrounds another state
 - a. South Africa and Lesotho

8.6 Shapes of States



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SOUTH AFRICA: A PERFORATED STATE

8.7 Boundaries

- A. Boundary
 - 1. An invisible line marking the extent of a state's territory

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- **B. Physical boundaries**
 - 1. Desert boundaries
 - 2. Mountain boundaries
 - 3. Water boundaries

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PHYSICAL BOUNDARIES

8.7 Boundaries

- C. Cultural boundaries
 - 1. Geometric boundaries
 - 2. Ethnic boundaries

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GEOMETRIC BOUNDARY: UNITED STATES AND CANADA

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ETHNIC BOUNDARY: GREEK AND TURKISH CYPRUS

8.7 Boundaries

- D. Frontiers

- 1. A zone where no state exercises complete political control
- 2. Historically, frontiers separated states.

8.7 Boundaries



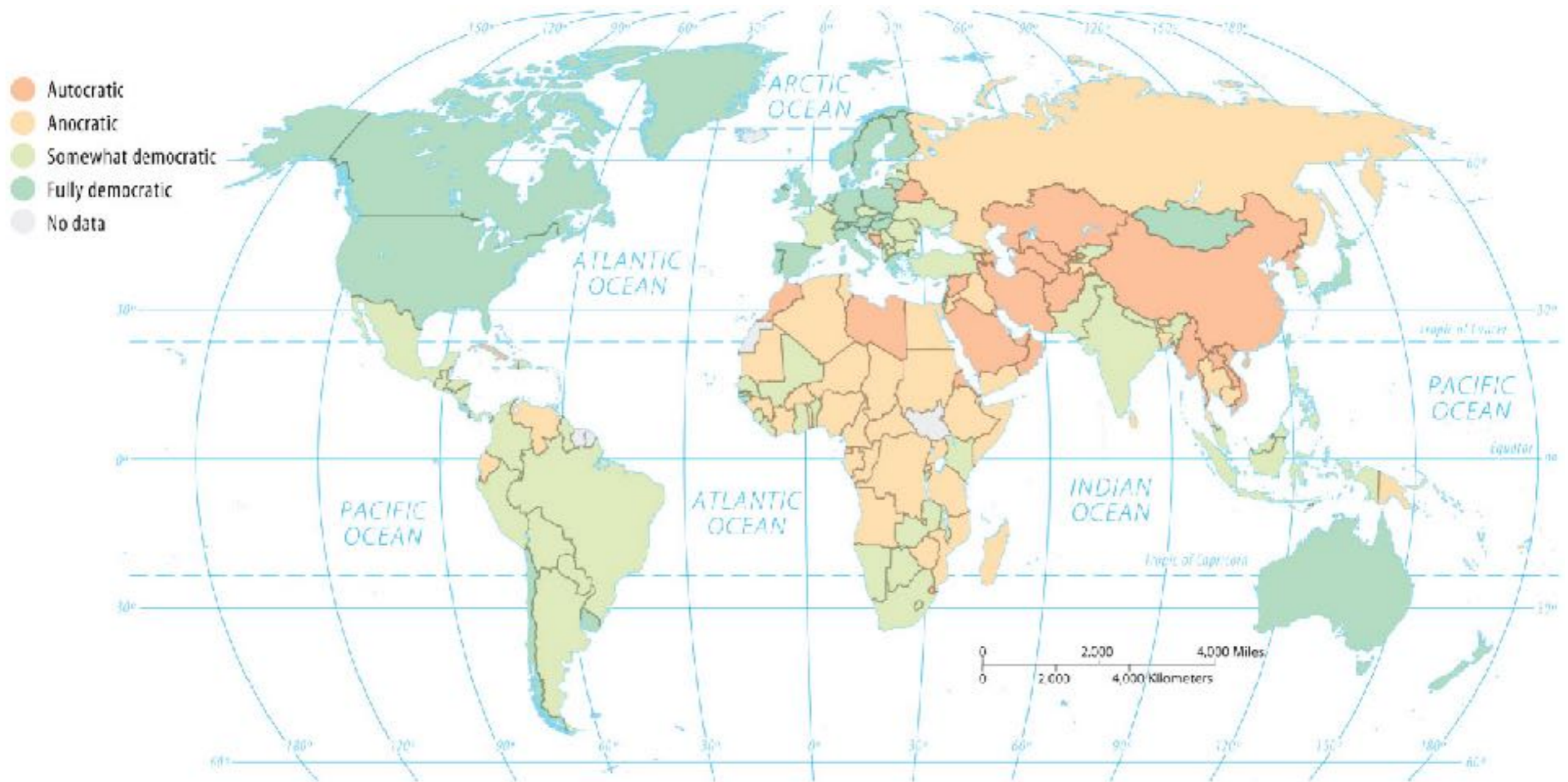
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FRONTIERS: ARABIAN PENINSULA

8.8 Governing States

- A. National government
 - 1. Autocracy
 - a. A country that is run according to the interests of the ruler rather than the people
 - 2. Anocracy
 - b. A country that is not fully democratic nor fully autocratic
 - a. Displays a mix of the two types of government
 - 3. Democracy
 - c. A country that is run according to the interests of the people

8.8 Governing States



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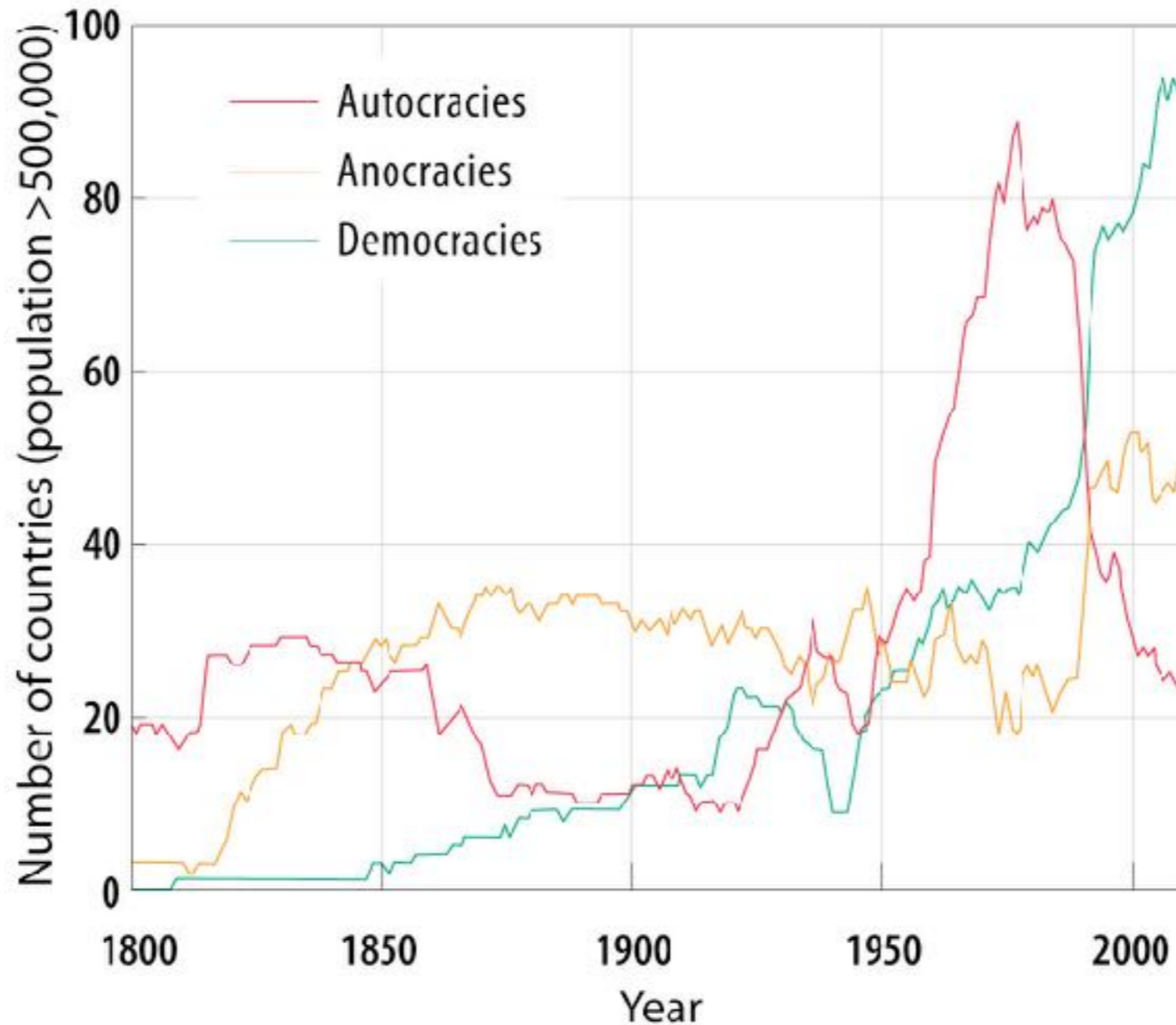
Element	Democracy	Autocracy
Selection of leaders	Institutions and procedures through which citizens can express effective preferences about alternative policies and leaders.	Leaders are selected according to clearly defined (usually hereditary) rules of succession from within the established political elite.
Citizen participation	Institutionalized constraints on the exercise of power by the executive.	Citizens' participation is sharply restricted or suppressed.
Checks and balances	Guarantee of civil liberties to all citizens in their daily lives and in acts of political participation.	Leaders exercise power with no meaningful checks from legislative, judicial, or civil society institutions.

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DIFFERENCES BETWEEN DEMOCRACY AND AUTOCRACY

8.8 Governing States

- Trend towards democracy



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DEMOCRACY TREND

8.8 Governing States

- B. Local government
 - 1. Unitary state
 - a. Allocates most power to the federal government
 - b. Local governments have relatively little power
 - 2. Federal state
 - a. Strong powers are allocated to units of local government

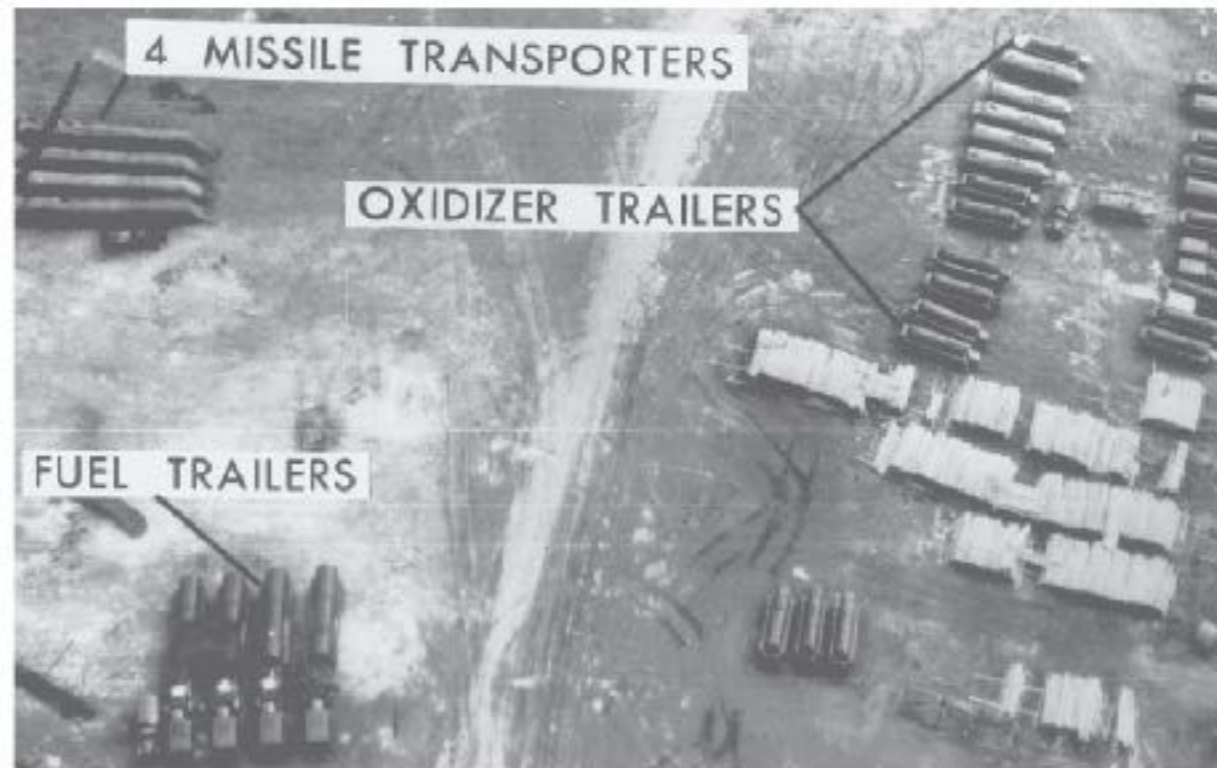
8.10 Cooperation Among States

- A. Military alliances
 - 1. North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO)
 - 2. Warsaw Pact
- B. Economic cooperation
 - 1. European Union
 - 2. COMECON

8.10 Cooperation Among States

- C. Superpowers
 - 1. Balance of power
 - a. A condition of roughly equal strength between opposing forces

8.10 Cooperation Among States



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COLD WAR: CUBAN MISSILE CRISIS

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U. S. MILITARY VEHICLES AND AIRCRAFT LINED UP ON THE TAXIWAY AT CAMP SPEICHER , IRAQ

8.11 Terrorism by Individuals and Organizations

- A. Terrorism

- 1. The systematic use of violence by a group in order to intimidate a population or coerce a government into granting its demands

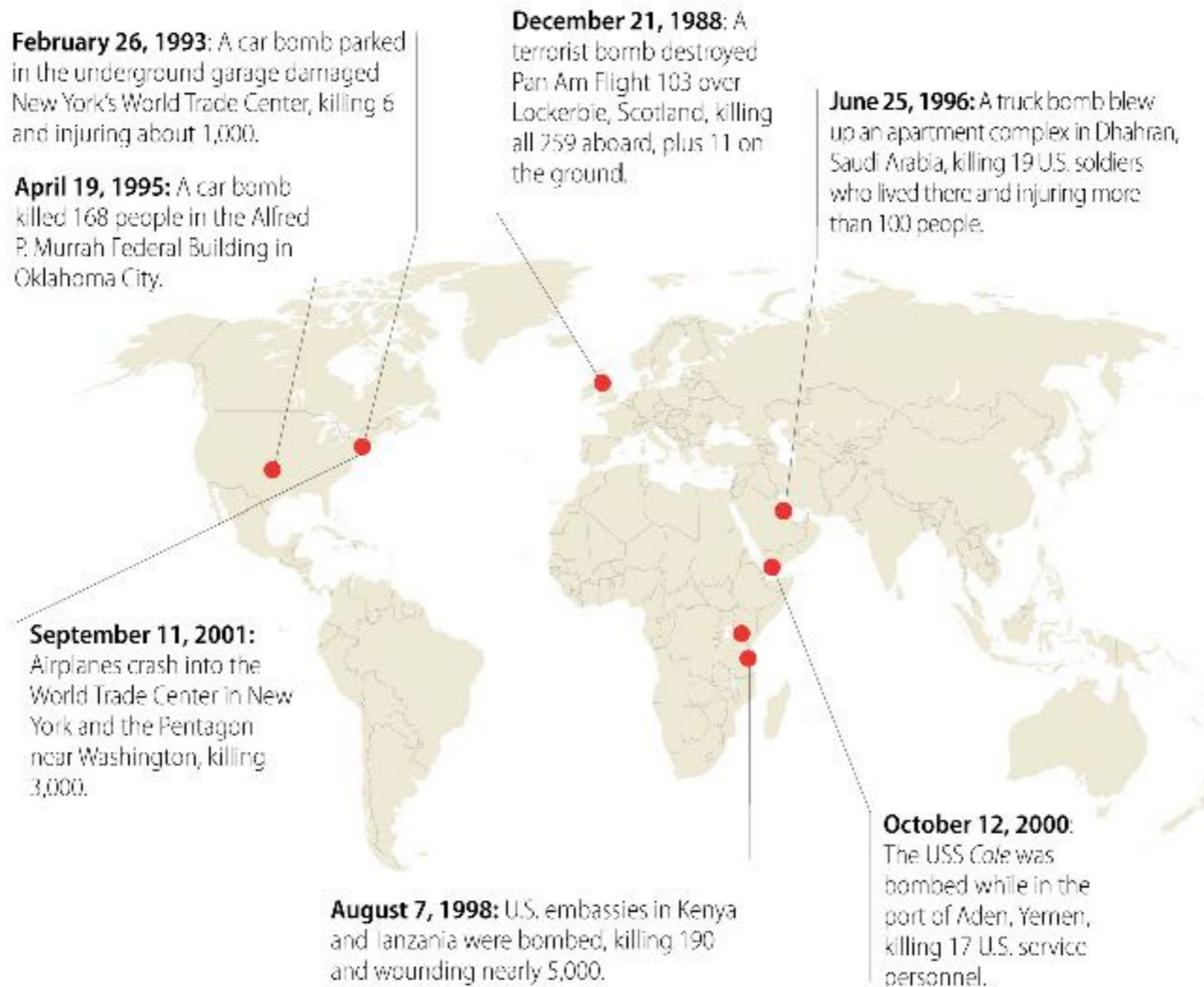
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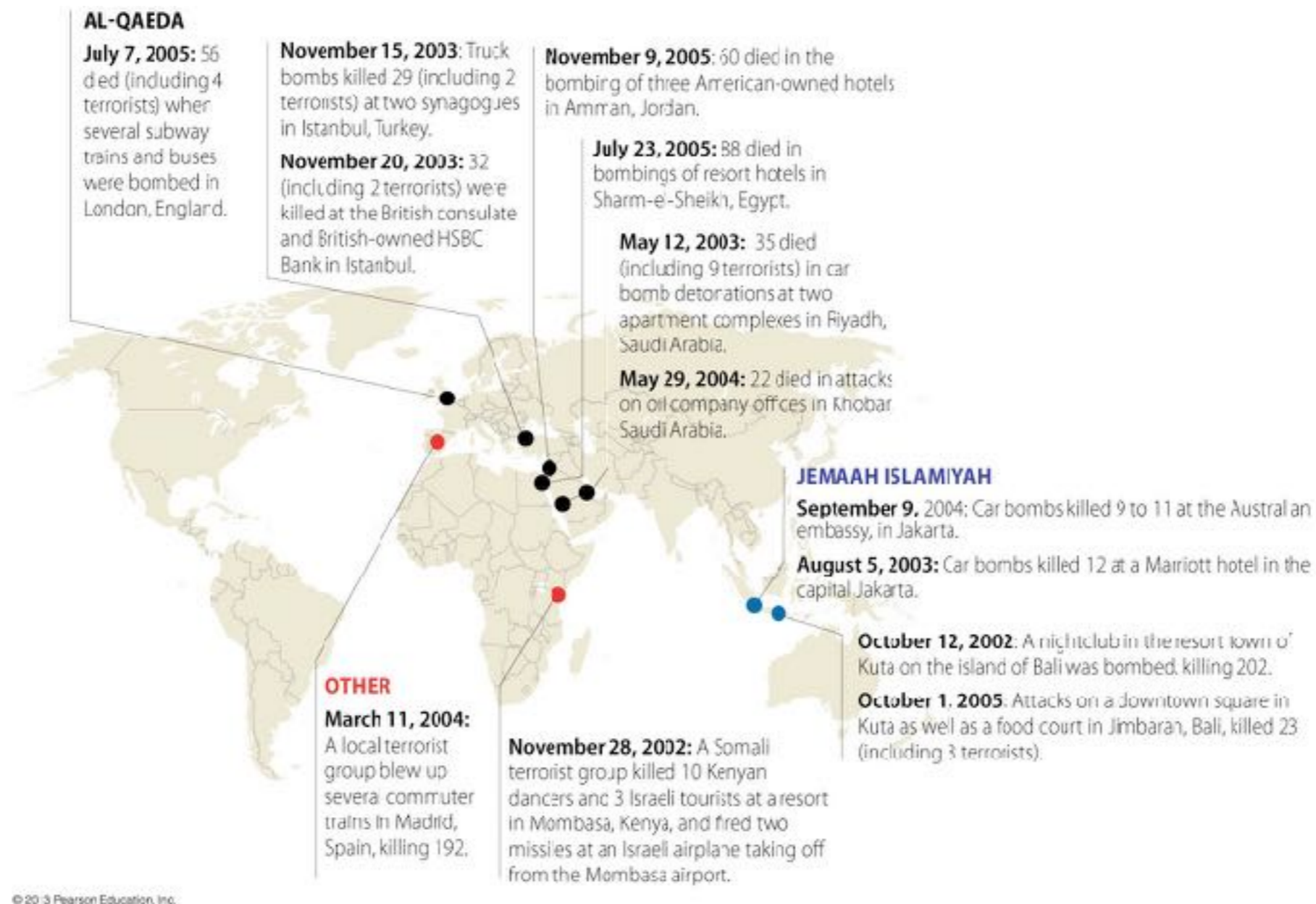


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TERRORISM AGAINST AMERICANS

8.11 Terrorism by Individuals and Organizations

- Al-Qaeda
 - Arabic for “the foundation” or “the base”



AL-QAEDA ATTACKS