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European Exploration

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Influences

- Exposure to goods in during the
- Trade goods from Asia were expensive to obtain through
- encouraged people to investigate the world
- account of China & Renaissance ideas made people curious as to what else was out there

Henry the Navigator

- Prince of who funded exploration
- Saw economic gains by trading directly with
- Advances made by Henry:
 - Improved by hiring makers) to sail with explorers
 - new ship that was lighter, faster, and could sail

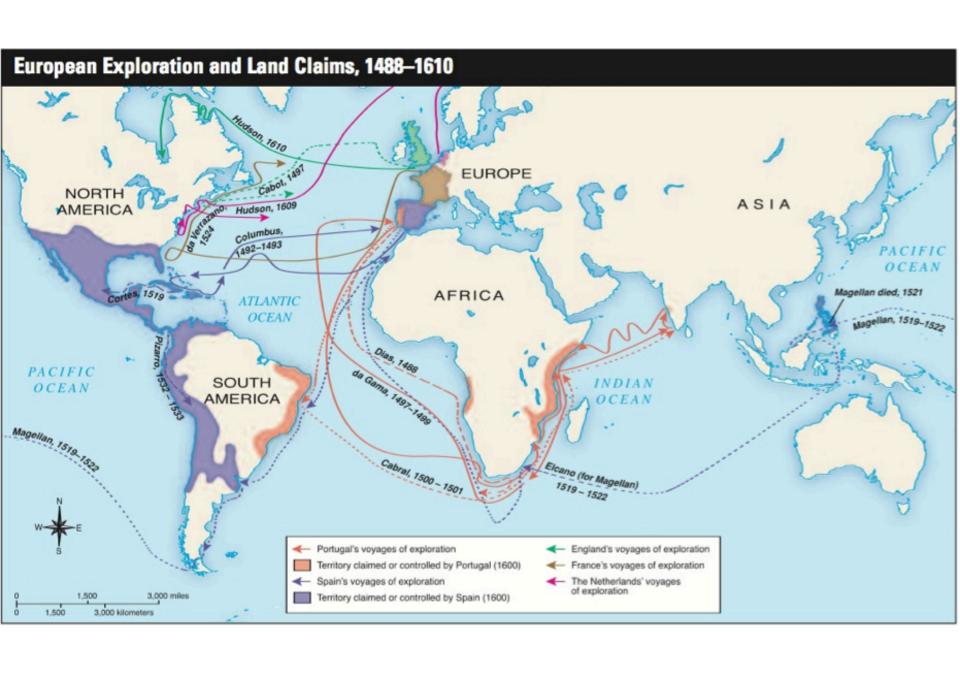


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Explorers

Explorer (nationality)	Country Sailing For	Achievement
Bartholomeu Dias ()		
Vasco de Gama ()		
Christopher Columbus ()		
Vasco de Balboa ()		
Ferdinand Magellan ()		



Impacts of Columbus

- Many countries explored America seeking a
 " to China by boat
- America named after
 - Italian captain
 - Left detailed description of cartographers to make 1st

that allowed

 To avoid conflict between new land was split in this

- Line set by
- East of line was for , west was for
- Was a gamble for both sides because nobody knew