Mapping

"Maps are not copies; they are projections"

"Projections are not neutral, natural or 'given'; they are constructed, configured, underpinned by various - and quite arbitrary - conventions."



What does the Mercator mode of projection privilege?

#zenithal
#gnomonic
#stereographic
#orthographic
#globular
#conical
#cylindrical
#sinusoidal

Geography:

First coined by Eratosthenes (c. 276 BCE to c. 195 BCE), in Greek it literally means "writing about the earth."

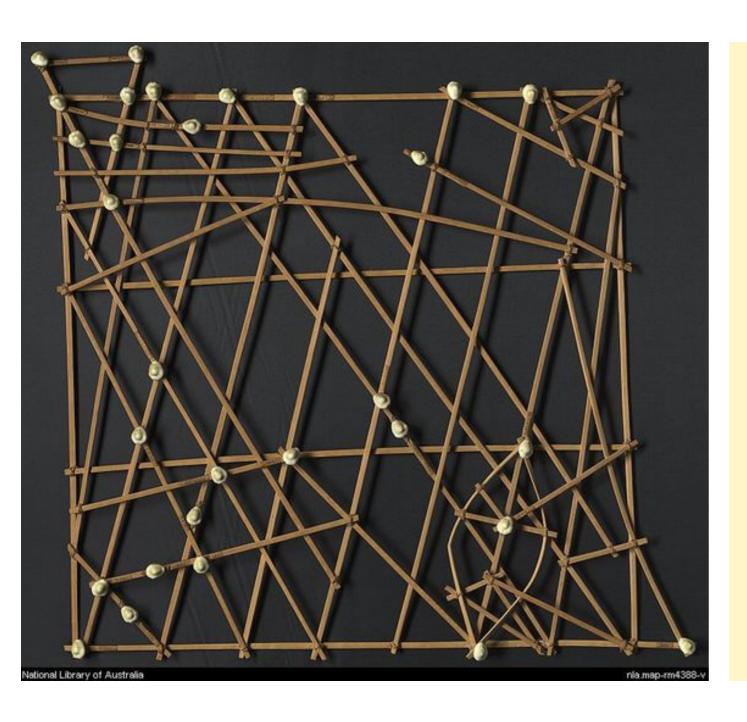


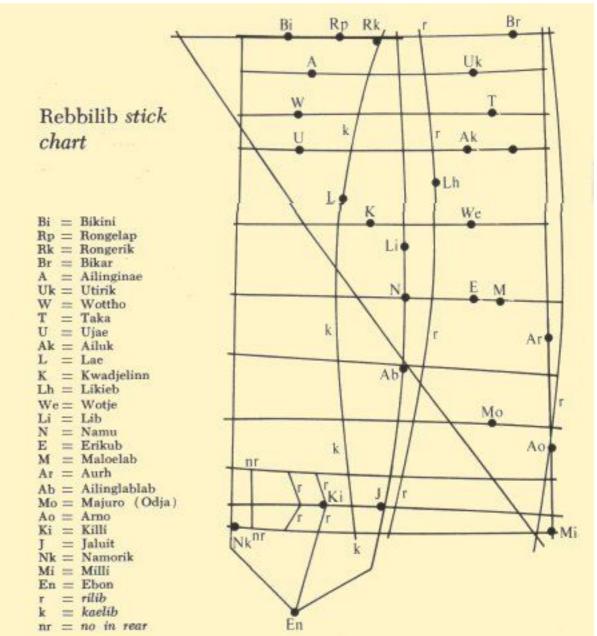
A stone tablet found in a cave in Abauntz in the Navarra region of northern Spain is believed to contain the earliest known representation of a landscape.

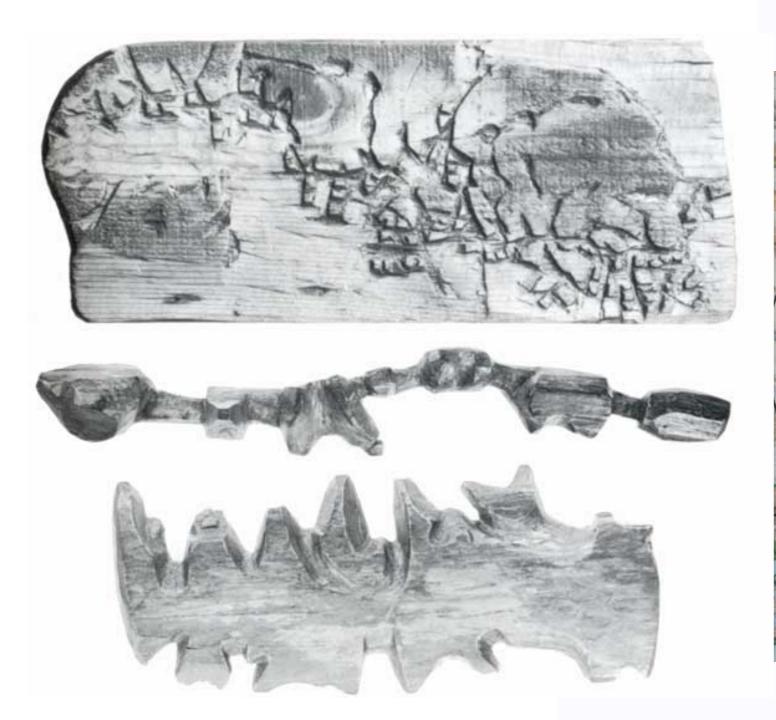


Ptolemy's world map, reconstituted in the 15th century from Ptolemy's Geography (~150AD), indicating "Sinae" (China) at the extreme right, beyond the island of "Sri Lanka" (Ceylon, oversized) and the "Aurea Chersonesus" (Southeast Asian peninsula).



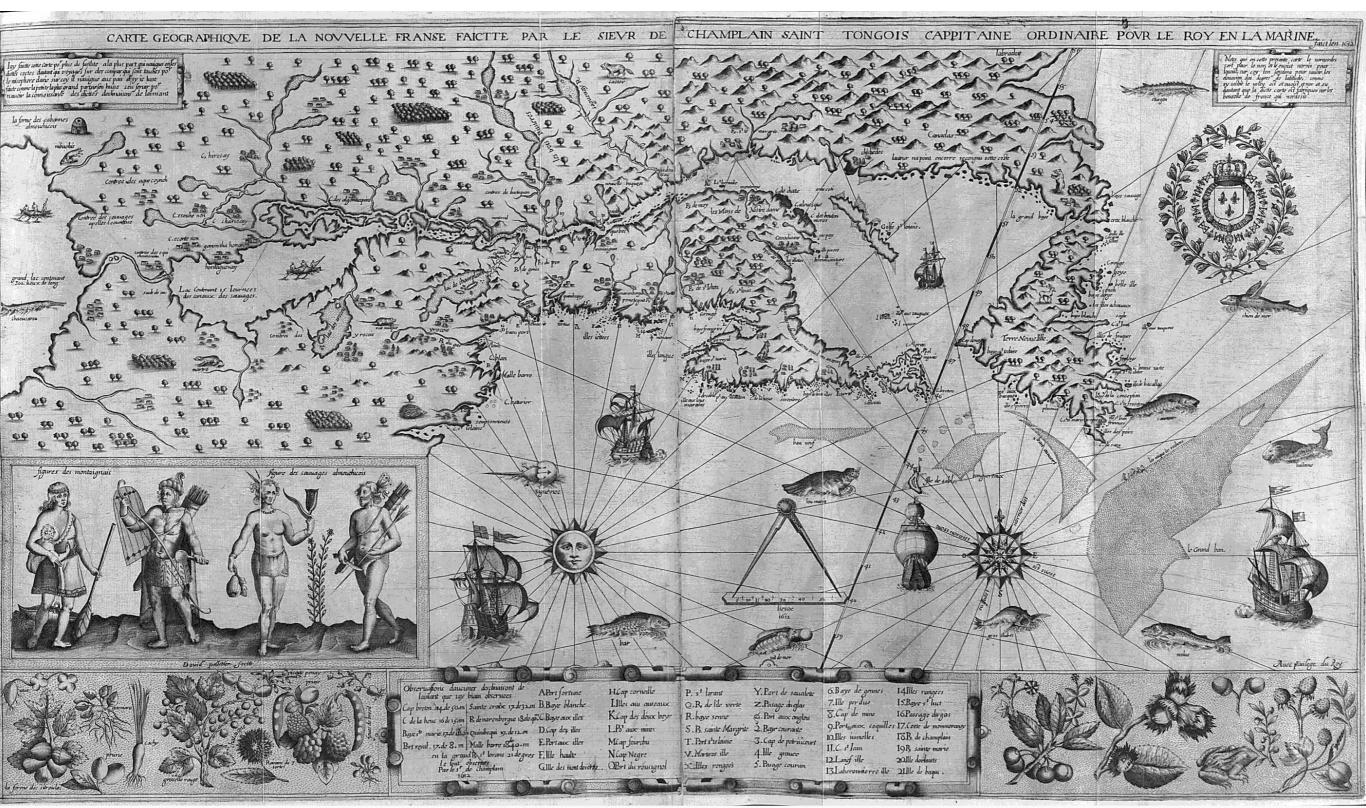


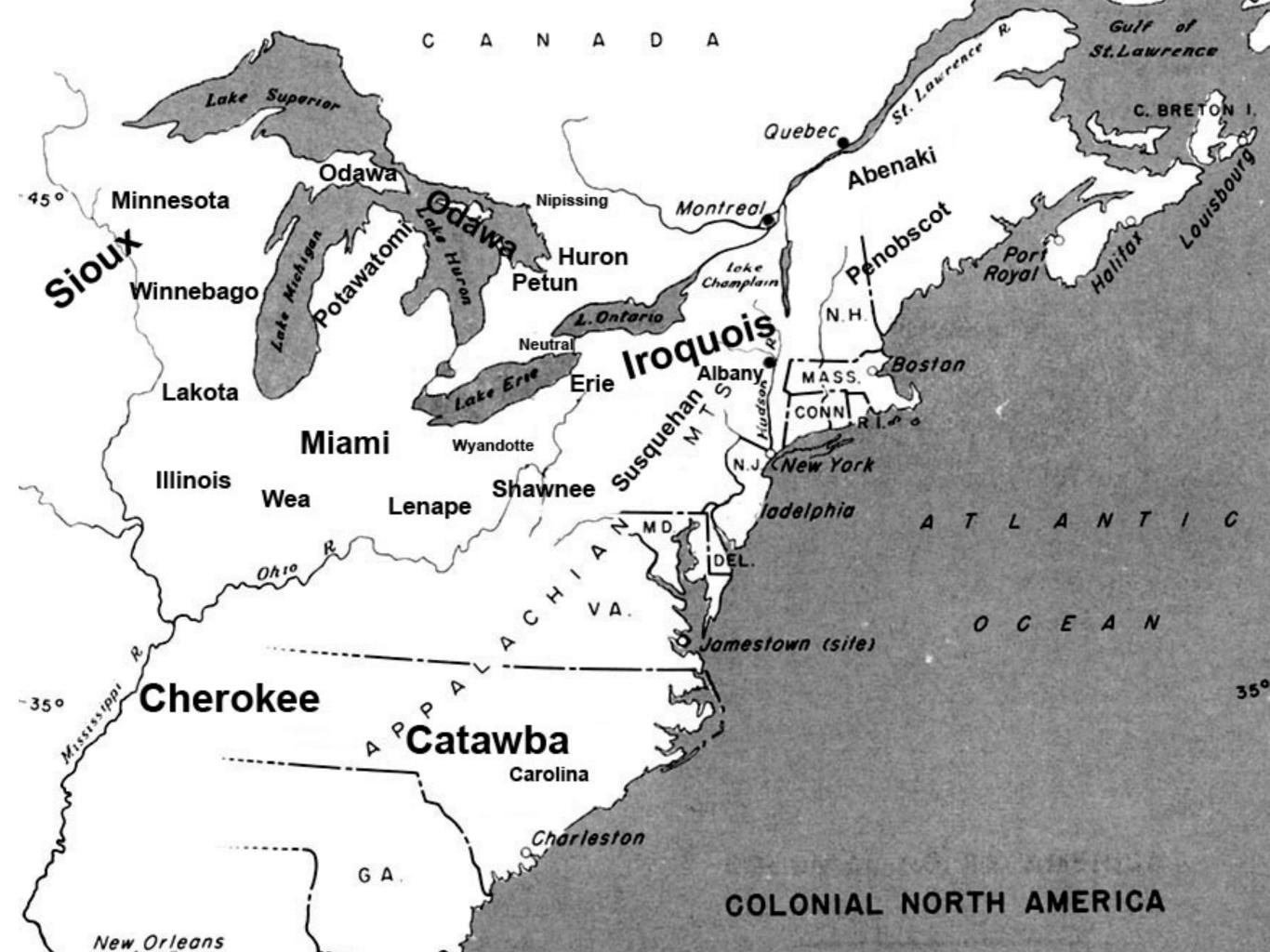






Colonisation, War, And Tourism

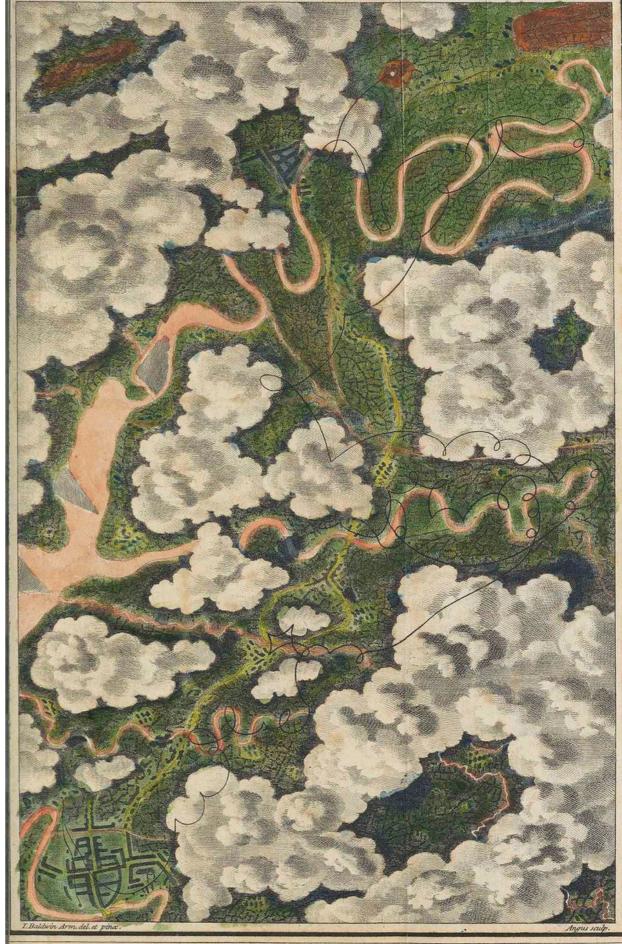






Map of Scandinavia, in Lucas Janszoon Waghenaer, 'Den Nieuwen Spieghel der Zeevaert' (Amsterdam, 2015)



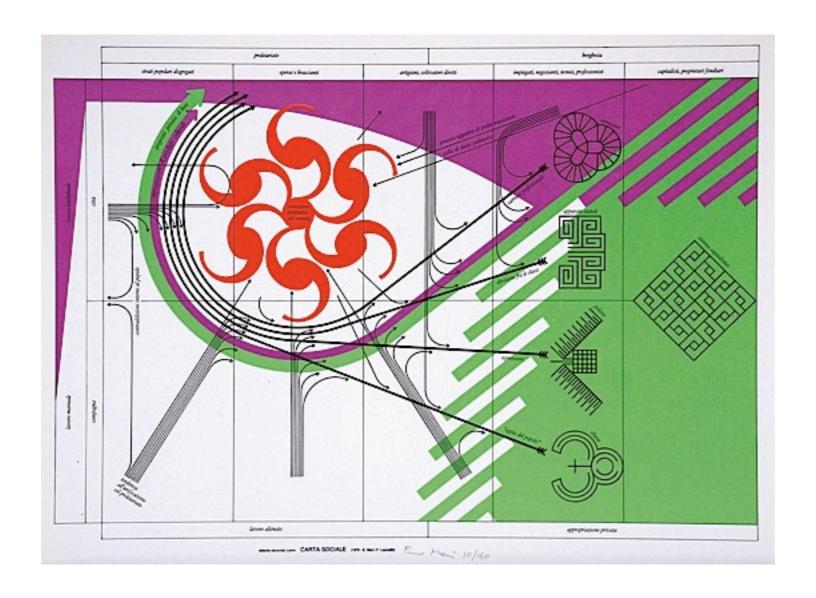


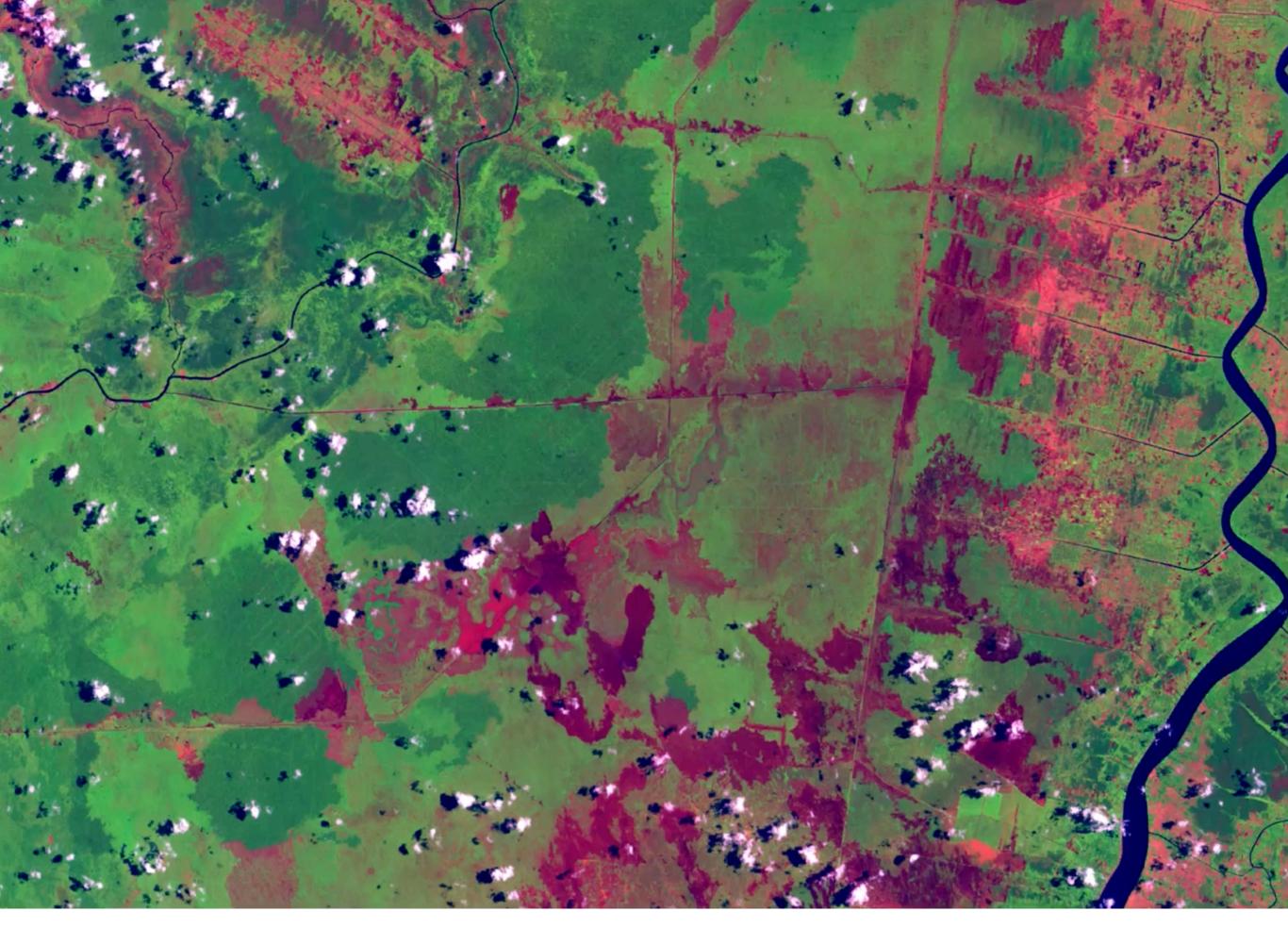
"A Balloon Prospect from Above the Clouds" from Thomas Baldwin's "Airopaidia." (https://archive.org/details/Airopaidia00Bald)

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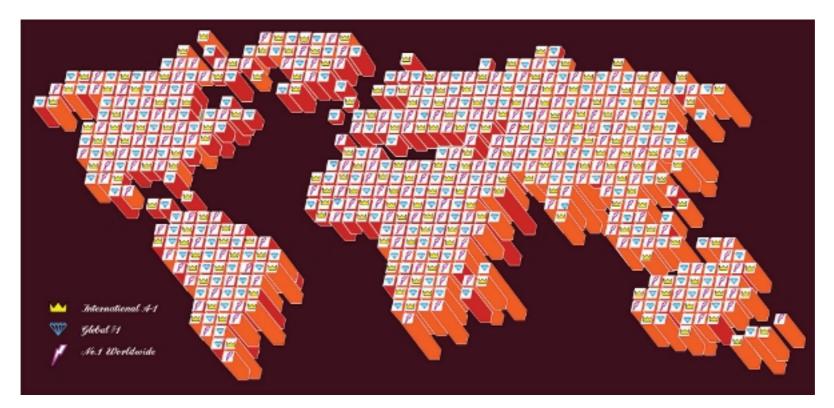
What is the purpose of a map?

Some mapping project examples



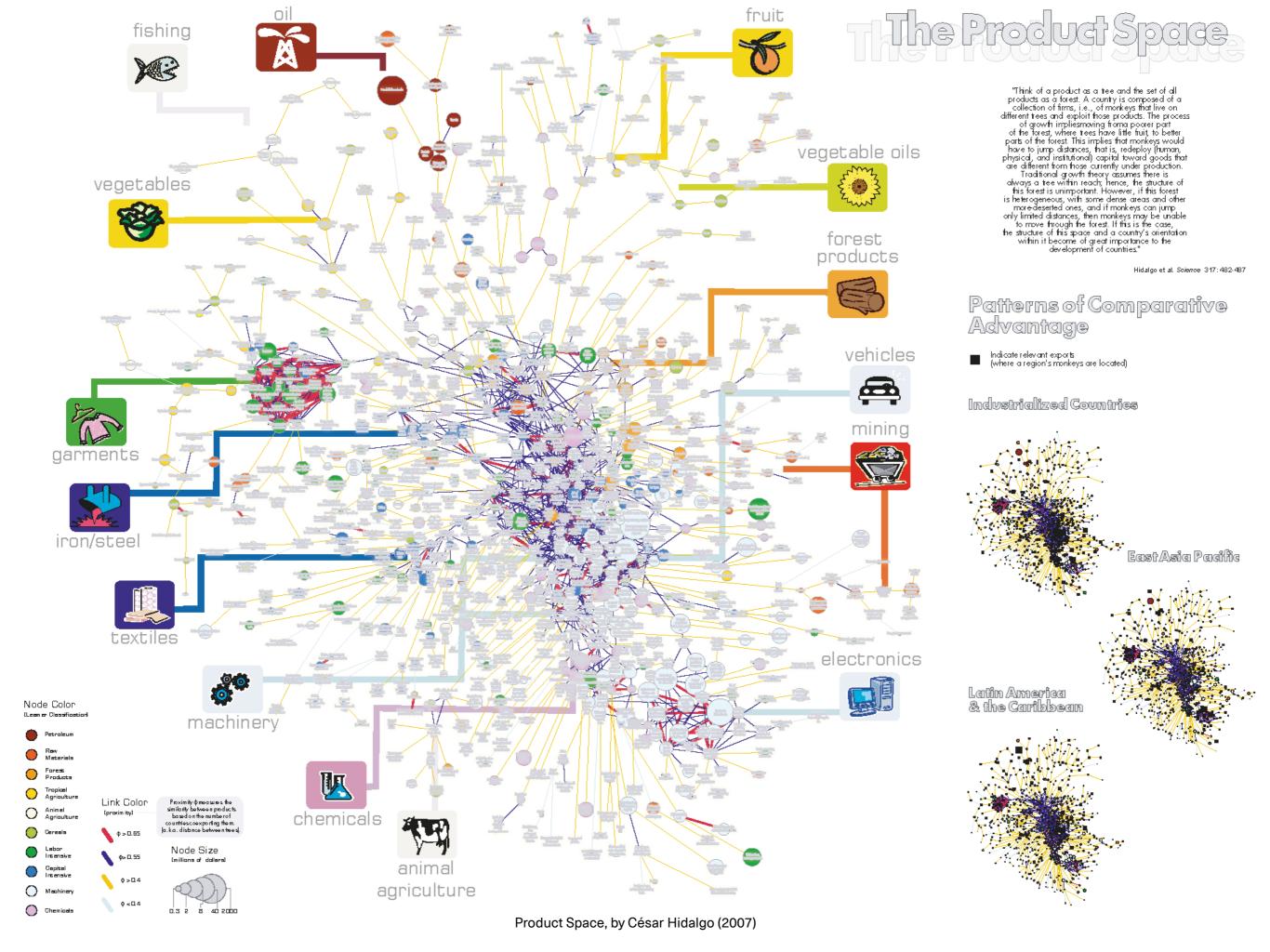


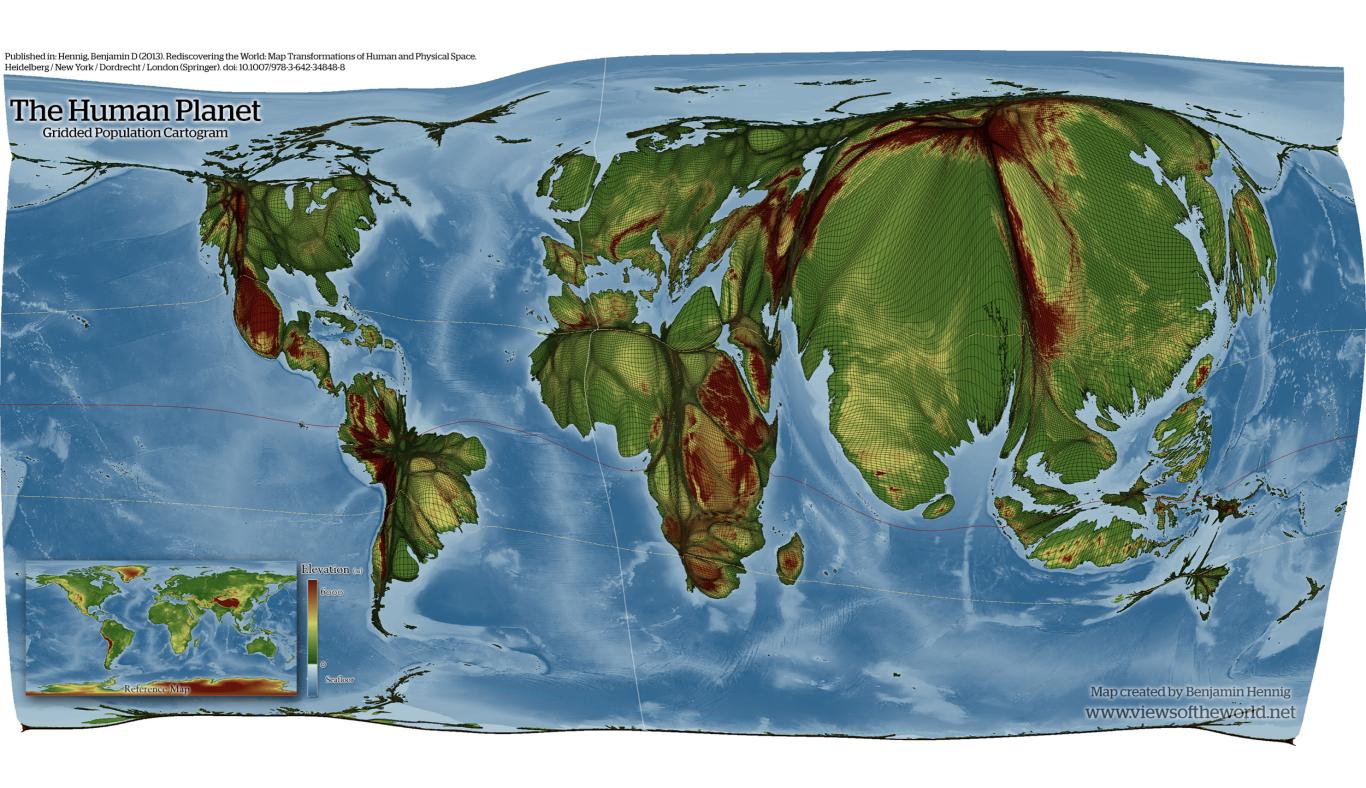
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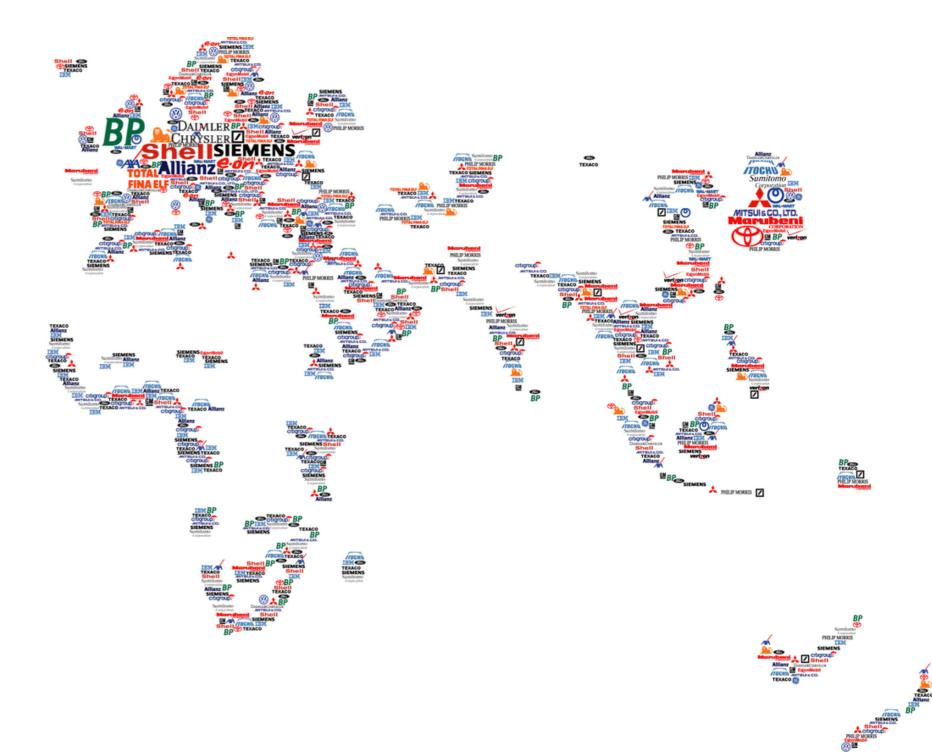
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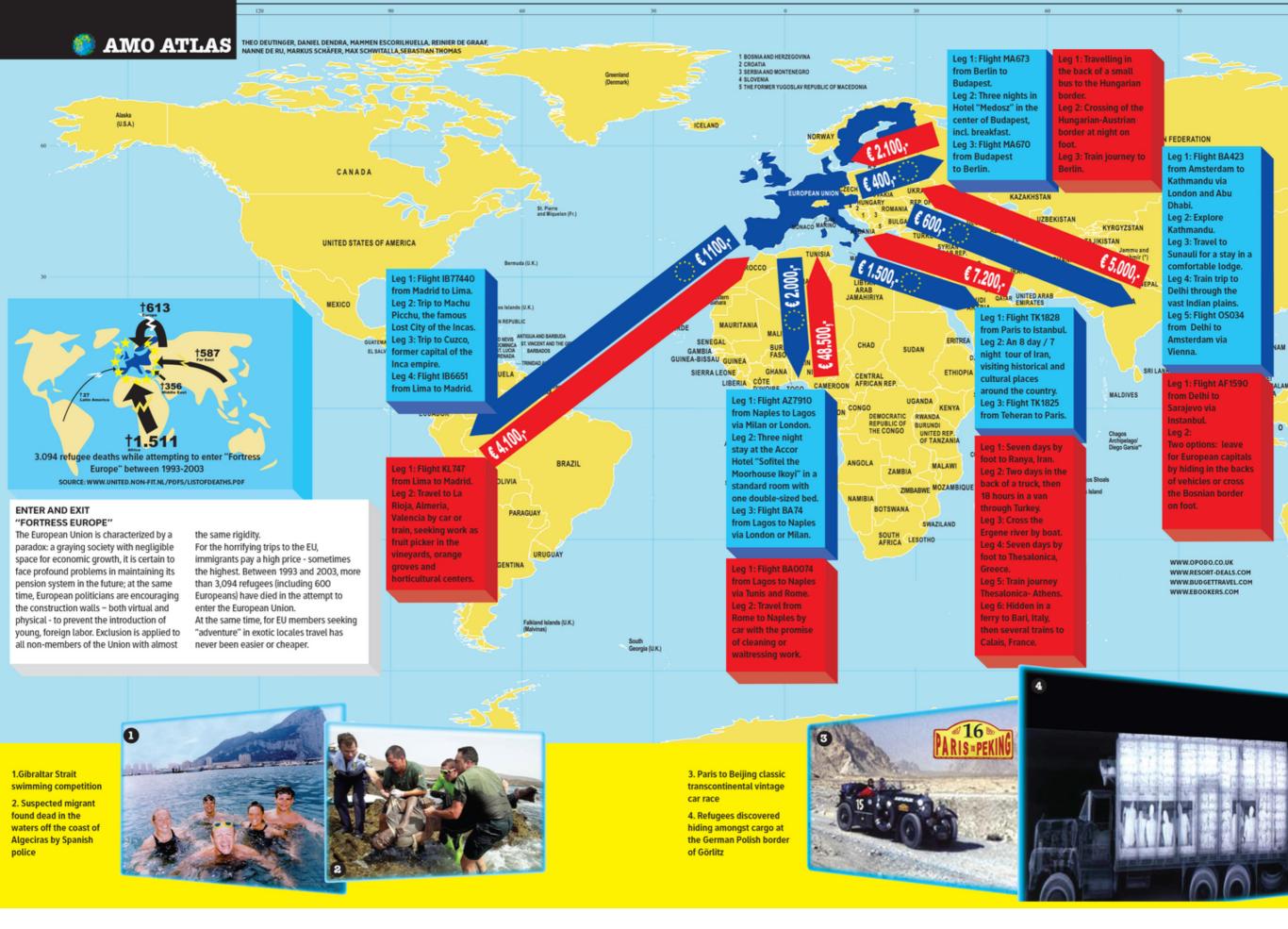


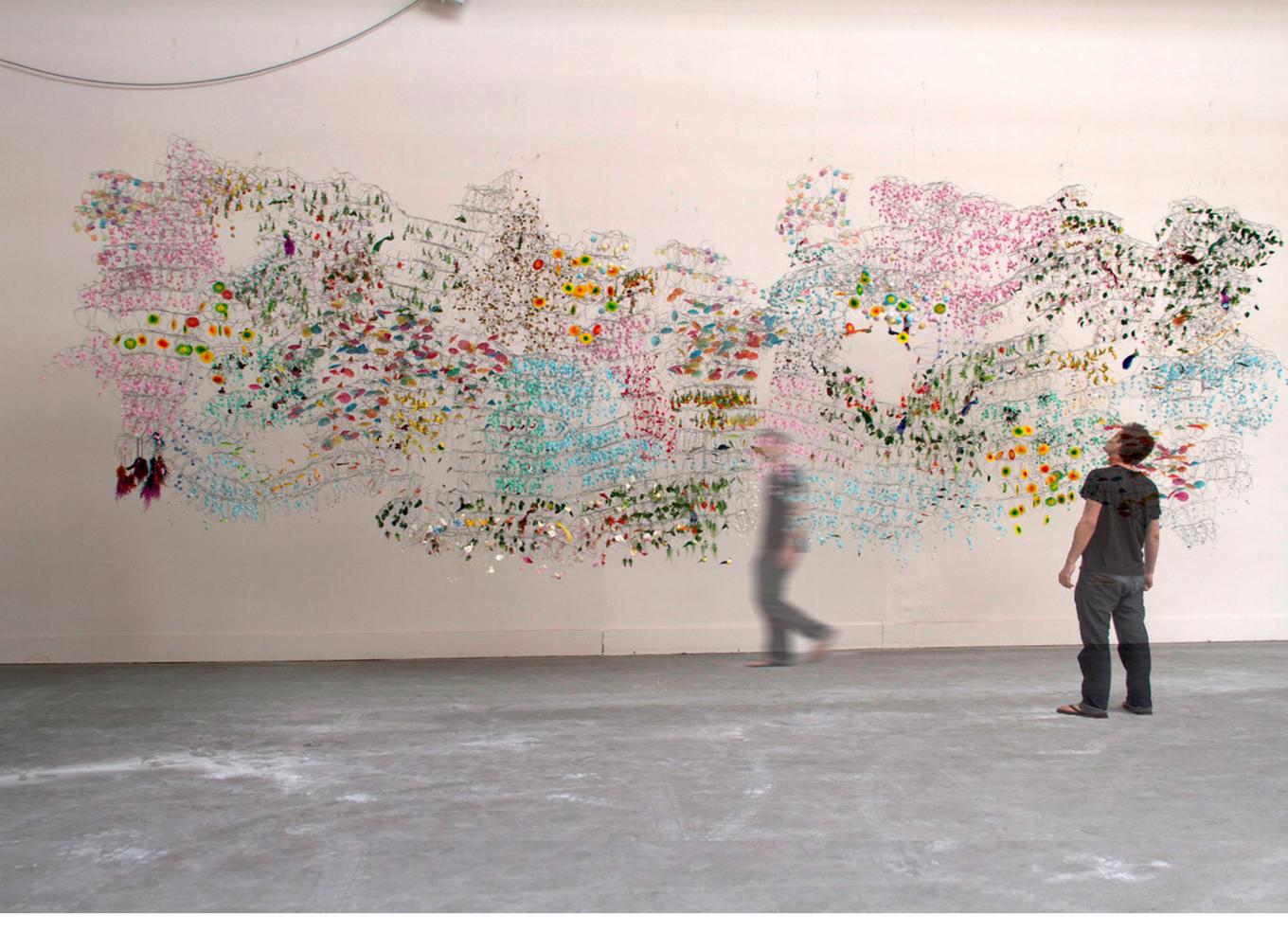






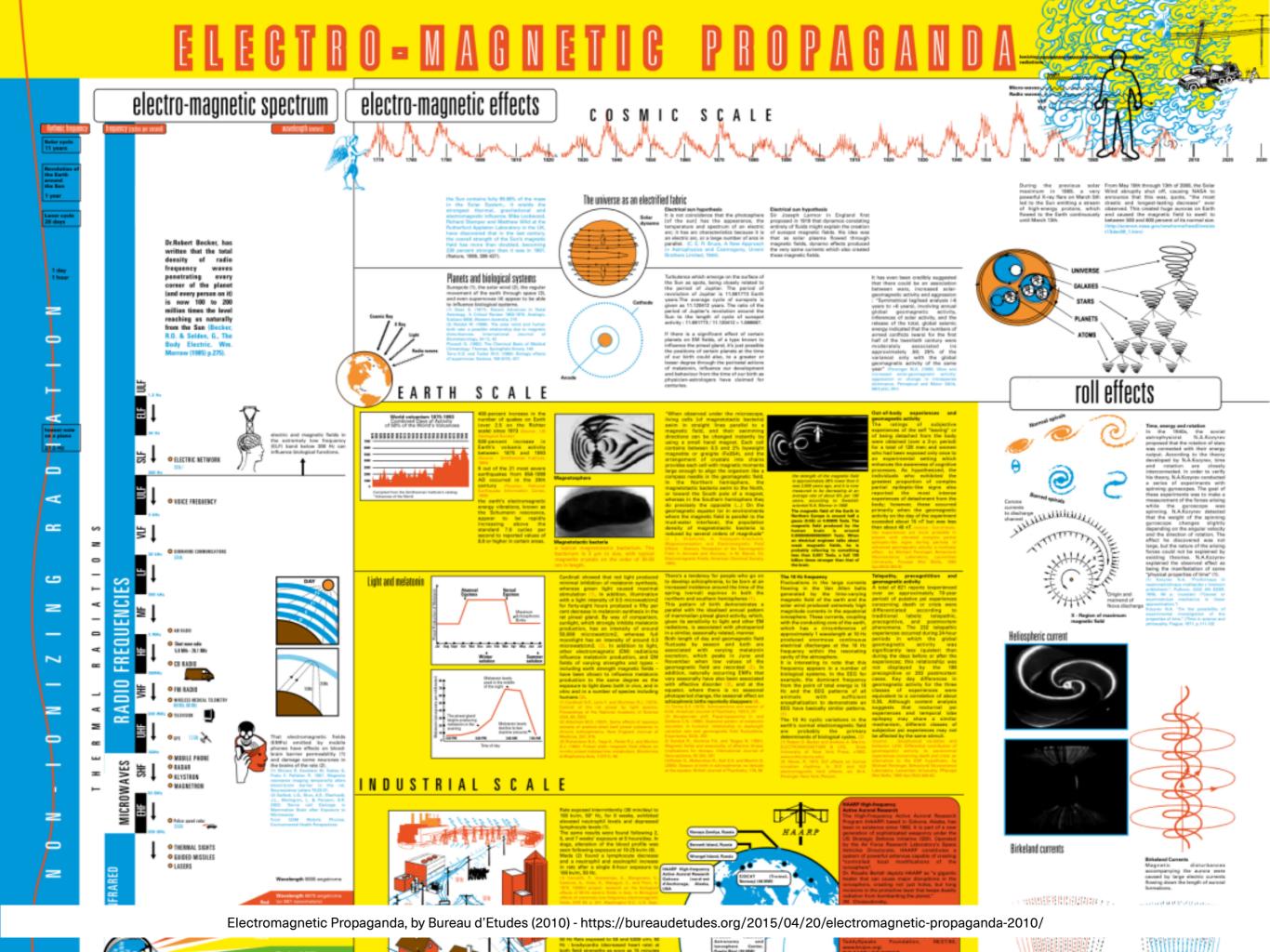






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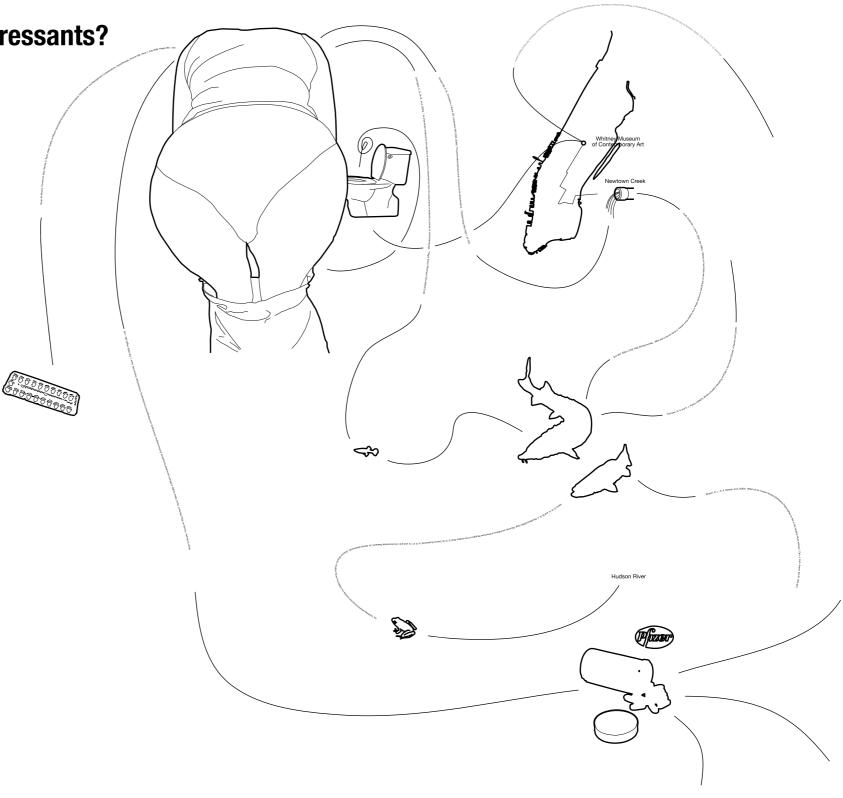
Other Nutrition FAQs #7

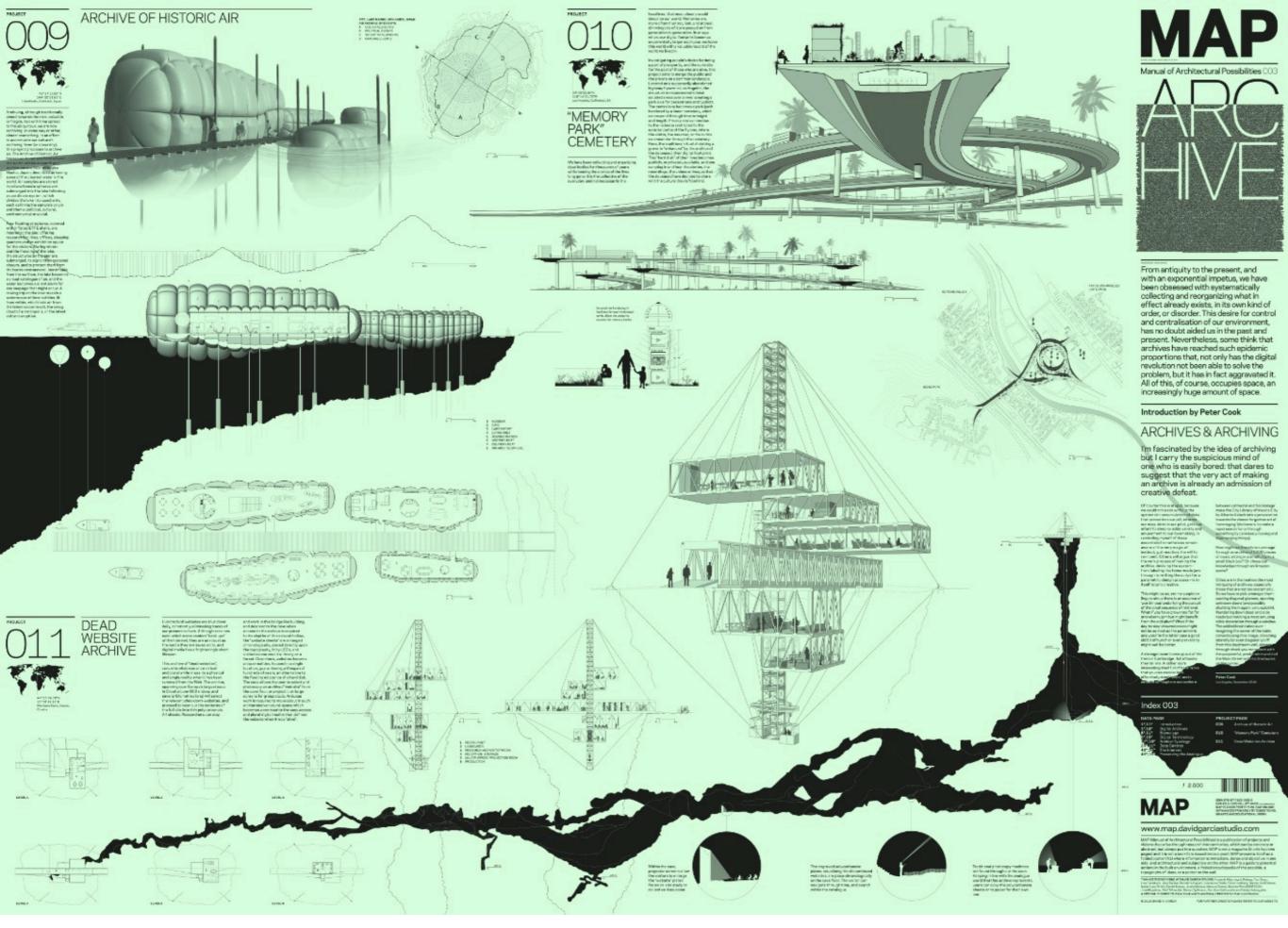
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Nutrition FAQ's

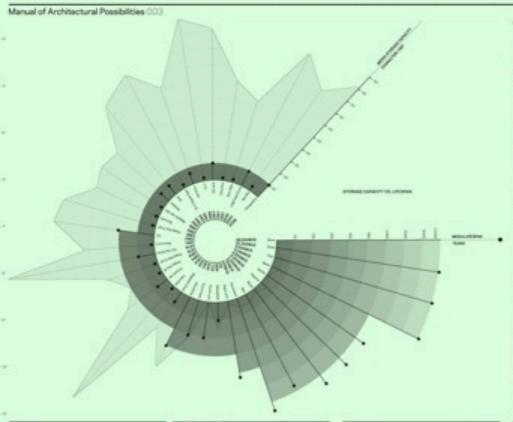
Nutrition FAQ diagrams summarize the scientific literature, nutrient cycles, and relationships discussed in the Cookbook, enabling a citation-free text while at the same time maintaining high standards of evidence and pointing to the research directly.

Nutrition FAQs diagrams are complemented by real-time versions published online and are updated daily with any new publications and real-time data (using a combination of RSS feeds, sphiders, and hard coded in Scriptographer). Further, the Nutrition FAQ visual provides an ongoing aggregator akin to a Dow Jones/ NASDAQ of x-species ecological performance. Though nutrition FAQs are not reducible to a single metric, they are comparable to financial indicators in that they are most interesting when readers are invested in the system, whether what's at stake is their own pension fund, water quality, or endocrine disruptor levels.









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Archives consist of information that has been systematically organised and employs the basic principles of archival science. Society's need for archives was troubling." born from the gathering of knowledge.

"One great obstacle is the creeping plague known as 'digital decay.' Awareness is spreading...that information stored digitally is much more vulnerable to corruption than people who are rushing to mbrace that alternative have assumed.

"Nothing is less reliable, nothing is less clear today than the word archive... Nothing is more troubled and more

captured or replicated exceeded storage for the first time in 2007. By 2011 almost half of the digital universe will not have a permanent home.

"The amount of information created.

"According to a 2007 BBC report, the Vatican library (1.5 million books on 37 miles of shelving) was literally sinking under its printed burden."

Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory. From 2000 to 2005, the aggregate electricity use by data centers doubled. The cloud, he calculates, consumes 1 to 2 percent of the world's electricity."

more energy annually than Sweden. And the amount of energy required is growing, says Jonathan Koomey, a scientist at

While there are many different kinds of archives, the most recent census of archivists in the United States identified five major types: academic, business (for profit), government, non-profit, and other. In archival science there are also four main areas of inquiry material technologies, organizing principles and geographic locations. These areas help to further categorize what kind of archive is being created.

"The standard burial plot occupies 35 square feet, which means that burying every

American alive today would take a piece of land larger than New York City's five boroughs—or, roughly six times the size of the District of Columbia."

"It took two-centuries for the Library of Congress to acquire its 29 million books and 105 million other items ... today it takes only 15 minutes for the world to produce an equal amount of information in digital form."

"Twitter's gift to the Library of Congress of its entire archive of public tweets, announced two weeks ago today, sure has stoked the public's interest. Twitter is part of the historical record of communication, news reporting, and social trends - all of which complement the Library's existing cultural heritage collections."

"From the days of Sumerian clay tablets till now, humans have "published" at least 32 million books, 750 million articles and essays, 25 million songs, 500,000 million in mages, 500,000 moles, 3 million videos, TV shows and short films and 3.00 billion public. Web pages. When fully digitized, the whole lot could be compressed (at current technological rates) on to 50 petabyte hard disks. Today you need a building about the size of a small library to house 50 petabytes."

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Links:

- * The 'Balloon Maps' That Aided Exploration, War, And Tourism: https://www.atlasobscura.com/articles/the-balloon-maps-that-aided-exploration-war-and-tourism
- * 12 Maps That Changed the World: https://www.theatlantic.com/international/archive/2013/12/12-maps-that-changed-the-world/282666/
- * Indigenous mapping: http://archive.li/kOwAH#selection-437.0-439.36
- * Rediscovering the World' by Benjamin D Hennig: https://link.springer.com/book/10.1007%2F978-3-642-34848-8#about

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