

## The Scramble for Africa Section One Questions

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What is imperialism?

Why was Africa chosen by European powers to be colonized?

Why was it originally hard for European powers to navigate the interior of Africa? What technology changed this?

Who is Dr. Livingstone?

King Leopold II of Belgium commissioned Henry Stanley to travel to the Congo. What did he want him to do?

How does Social Darwinism help justify, in the European opinion, colonialism?

What made it easier for European powers to quickly gain control?

What happened at the Berlin Conference that “sealed Africa’s fate?”

## The Scramble for Africa Section Two Questions

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What forms of control are used to govern colonies?

What did the Royal Niger Company gain control over, and what gave them the right to this product in this area?

Why did indirect rule work better for the Hausa-Fulani people, but not the Igbo or Yoruba peoples?

What were the two examples of unsuccessful rebellions? Give specific examples of why they were unsuccessful.

How did the European division of Africa negatively impact the people?

What were some of the positive effects that the Europeans brought to their colonies?

Copy the definitions of the forms of Imperialism from the chart

Colony	
Protectorate	
Sphere of Influence	
Economic Imperialism	