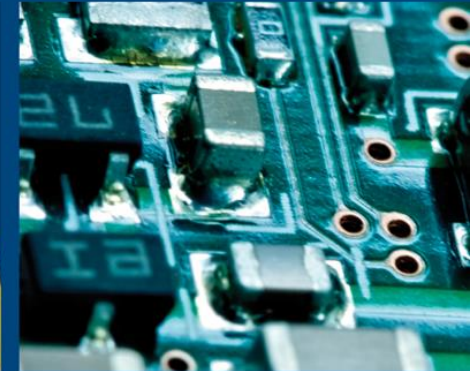
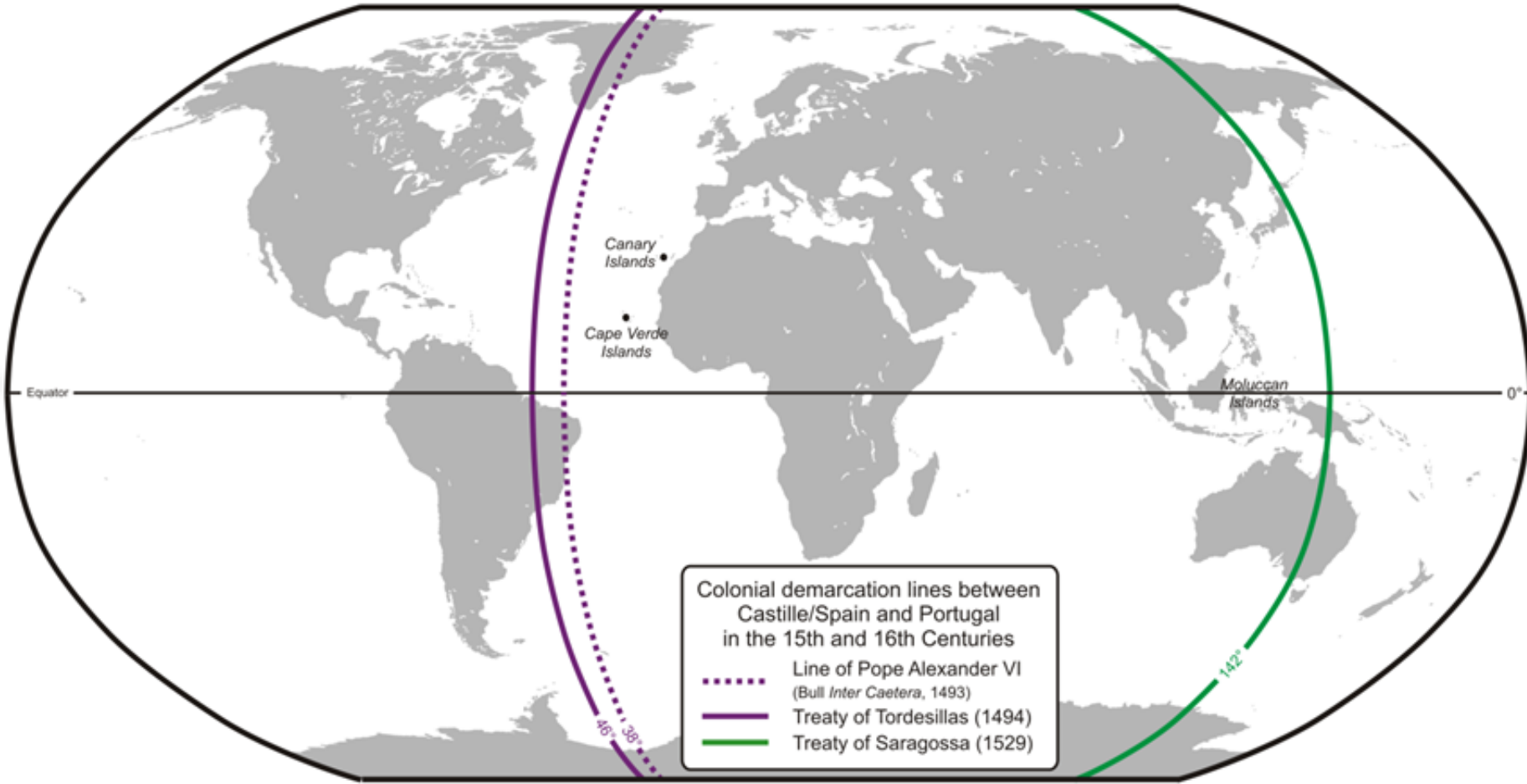


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**Arctic Ocean**

**Atlantic Ocean**

**Pacific Ocean**

**Pacific Ocean**

**Indian Ocean**

**Southern Ocean**





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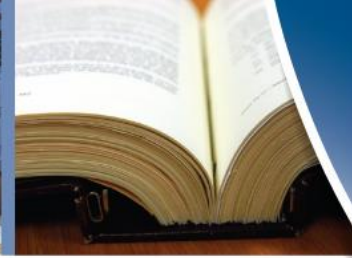
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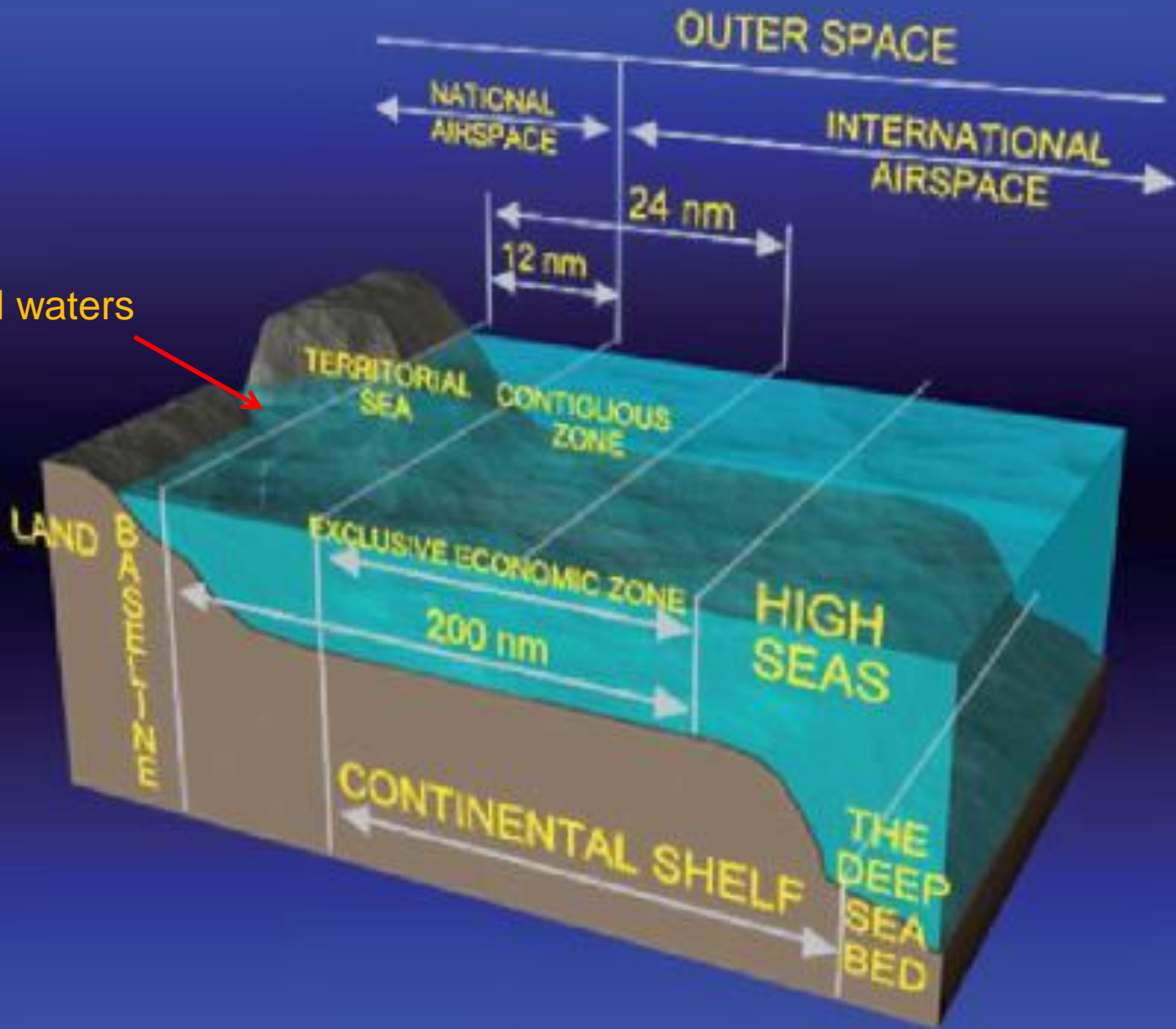


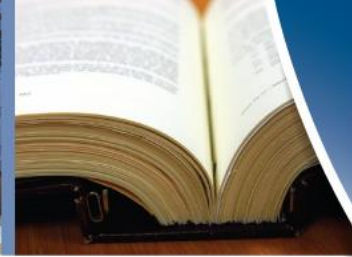
## Section 9 (SA Constitution)

- “(1) Everyone is equal before the law and has the right to equal protection and benefit of the law.
- (2) Equality includes the full and equal enjoyment of all rights and freedoms. To promote the achievement of equality, legislative and other measures designed to protect or advance persons, or categories of persons, disadvantaged by unfair discrimination may be taken. ...”



Internal waters





## **Combined Exclusive Maritime Zone of Africa (CEMZA)**

“CEMZA is expected to grant Africa enormous cross-cutting geo-strategic, economic, political, social and security benefits, as it will engender collective efforts and reduce the risks of all transnational threats, environmental mismanagement, smuggling and arms trafficking” [29]

“[It] should allow for the convergence of existing and future monitoring and tracking systems used for maritime safety and security, protection of the marine environment, fisheries control, trade and economic interests, border control and other law enforcement and defence activities” [30]

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