

Continents

Any of the world's main continuous expanses of land (Africa, Antarctica, Asia, Australia, Europe, North America, South America).



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Europe

Europe Ear-rupts

- Westernmost peninsula of Eurasia
- Bordered by the Atlantic Ocean to the West and Arctic Ocean to the North
- World's second smallest continent by surface area
- Contain approximately 50 countries

Asia

Asia Aces

- The world's largest and most populous continent
- A population nearing 4.3 billion
- 60% of the world's population
- population quadrupled in size during the 20th century

Australia

Australia Aus-stroid

- Situated between the Indian Ocean and Pacific Ocean

-The smallest continent

-population of 23 million is mostly concentrated in the eastern states

-6th largest country, with the commonwealth of Australia occupying entire continent

Antartica

[Antarctica Ant-arc-tick](#)

-The southernmost continent

-The fifth largest continent

-asymmetrically centered on South Pole

-Surrounded by the Southern Ocean

-Roughly 95% is covered by an ice cap

-On average, the coldest and driest continent on Earth

Africa

[African Afro-cat](#)

-Located between the Atlantic Ocean and Indian Ocean

-The second largest continent

-Hosts the second largest population

-population of approximately 1 billion

-The hottest continent on Earth

South America

[South America South A-Maracas](#)

-Bordered by Pacific Ocean to West and Atlantic Ocean to East

-Fourth largest continent

-Most biodiverse continent on planet

-Hosts world's largest rainforest, the Amazon Rainforest

North America

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-Contains approximately 529 million people

-Third largest continent

-Most of the land area is dominated by Canada, United States, and Mexico