



The EU and the Current Global Security Challenges

– Energy, Migration and Geopolitics

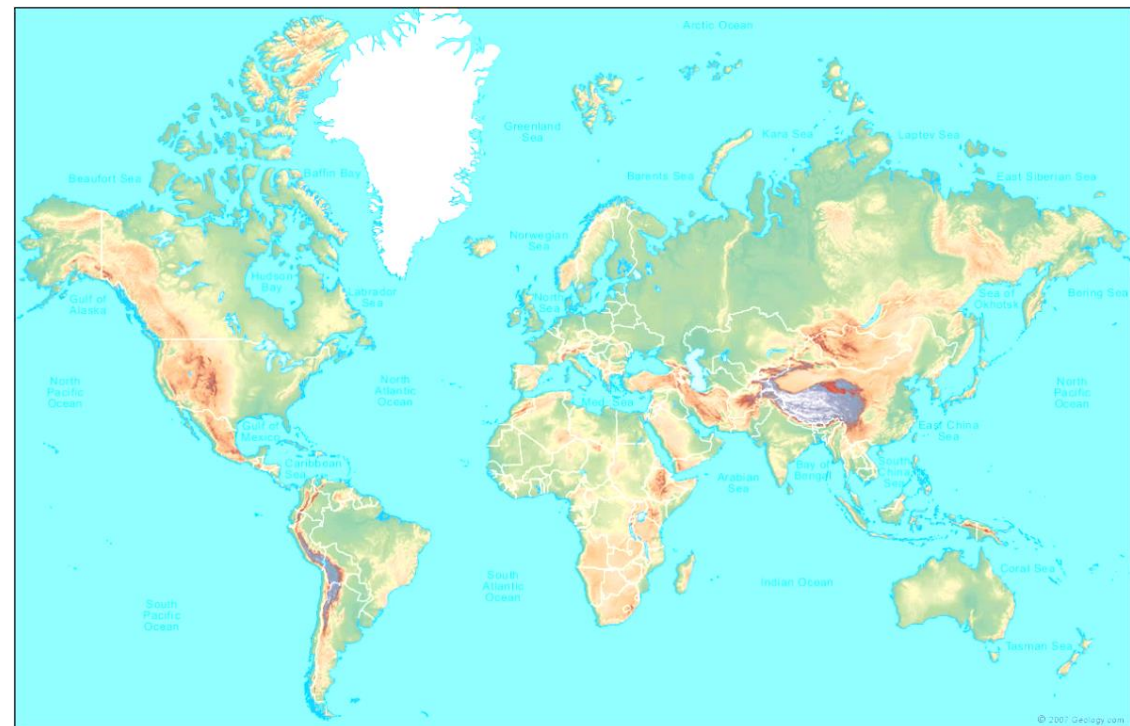
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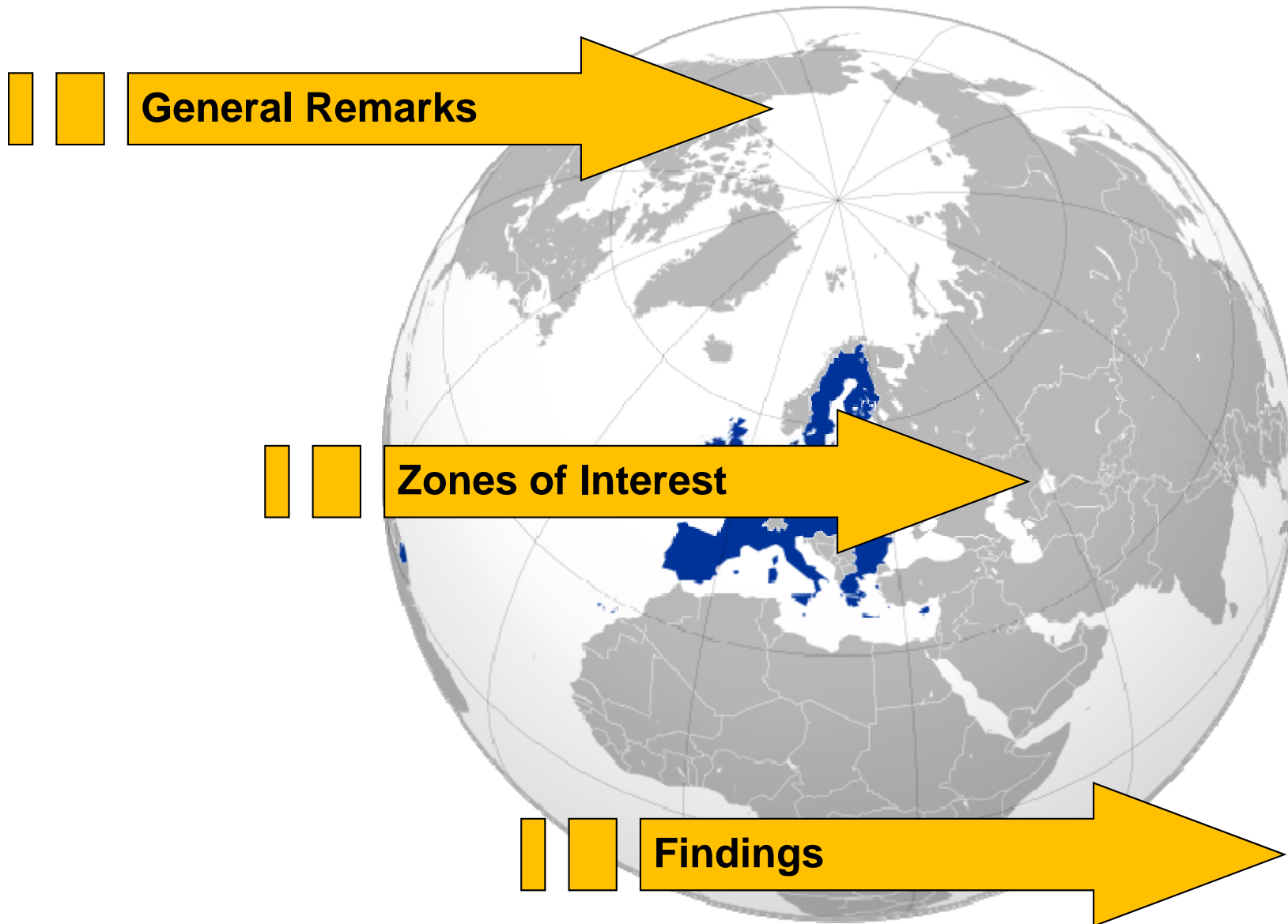
EU Asylum and Migration Policies

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Current Global Security Challenges – A Tour d’Horizon



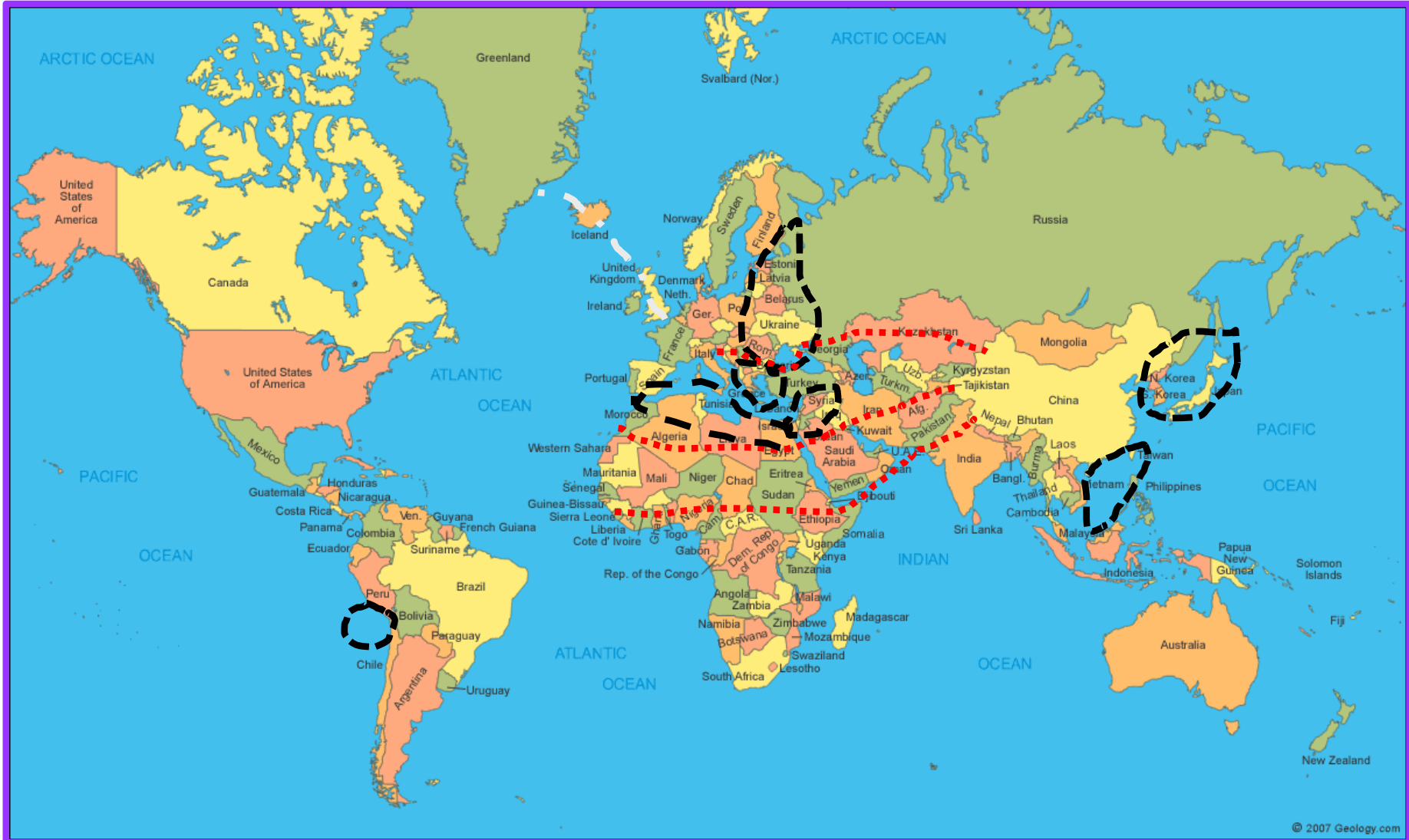
Foreign Policy – A Question of Perspective



Contemporary geopolitics identifies the sources, practices, and representations that allow for the control of territory and the extraction of resources.

Colin Flint: Introduction to Geopolitics, 2nd Edition, New York-London 2012, 35

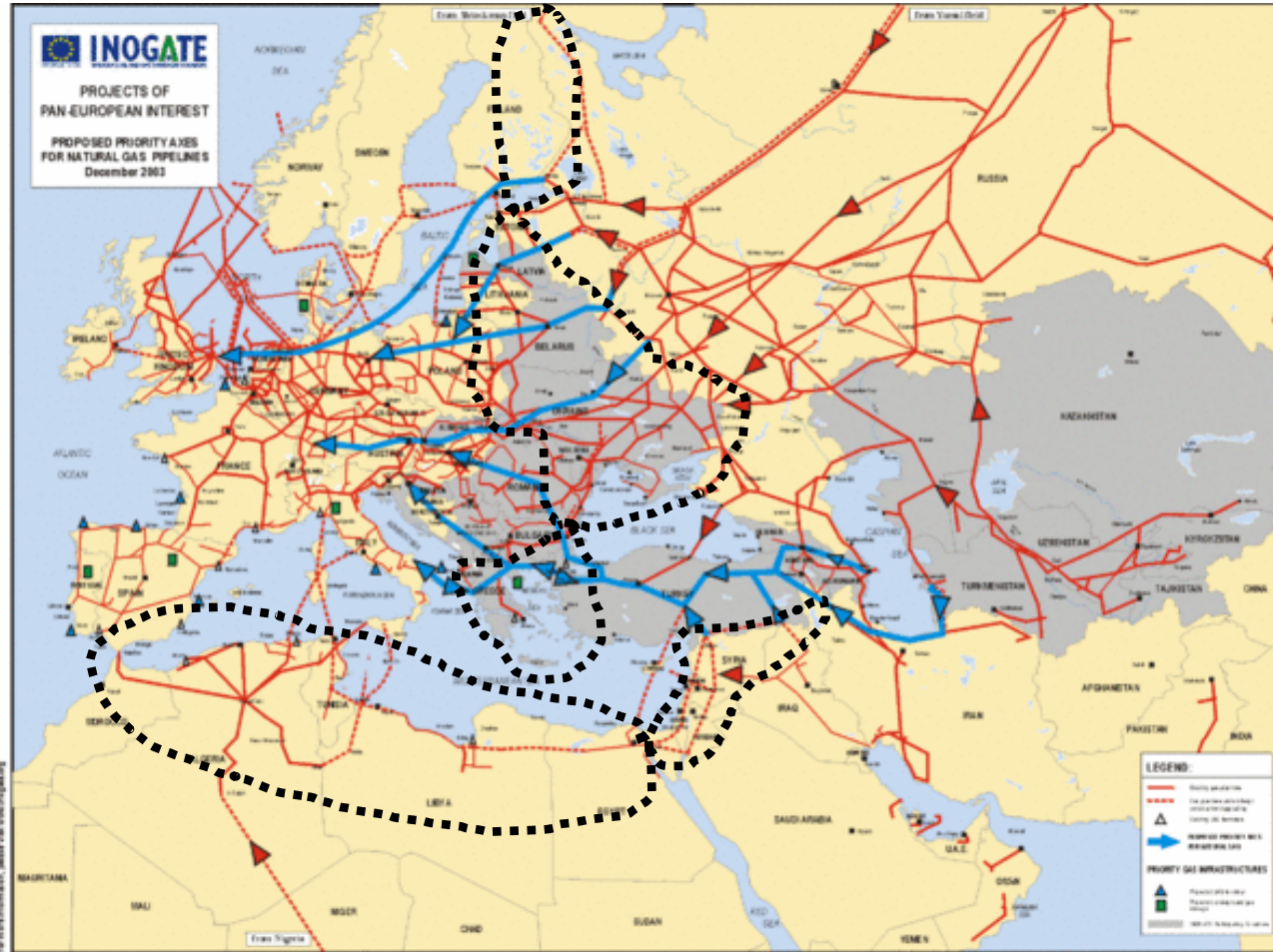
Zones of Crises – The Global Perspective



Zones of Crises – The European–Eurasian–MENA-Perspective



Energy Security – The European–Eurasian–MENA–Perspective

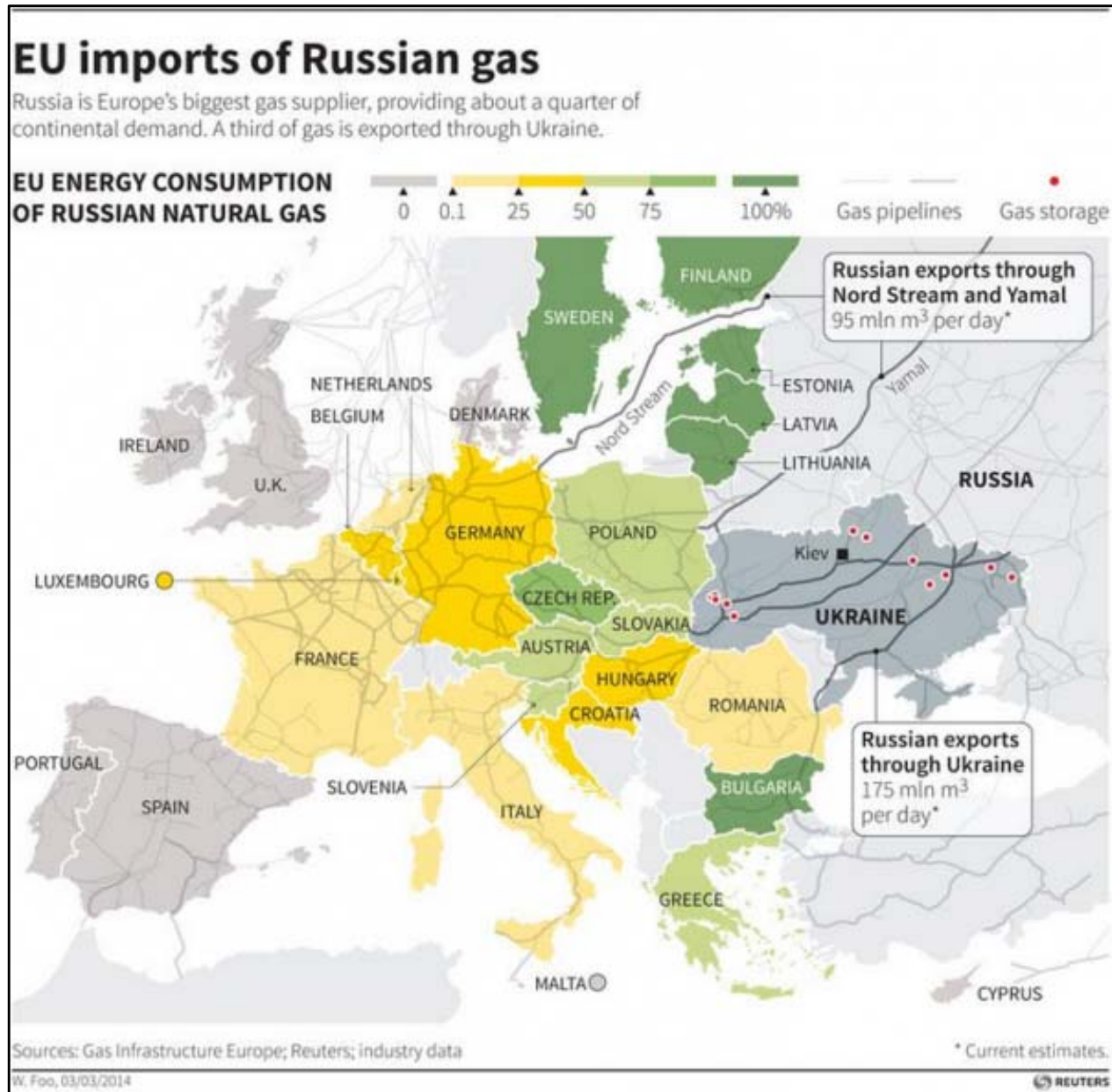


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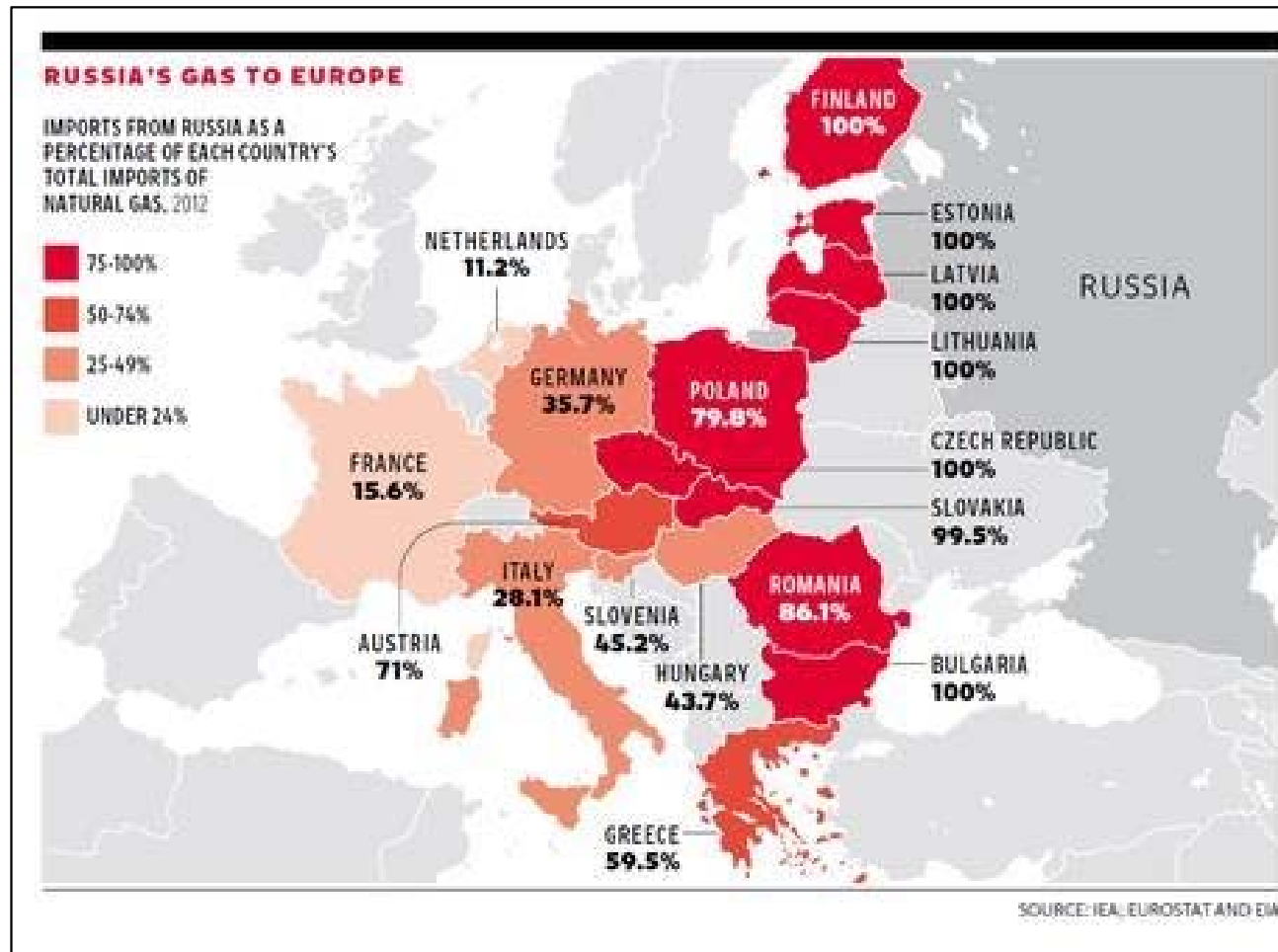


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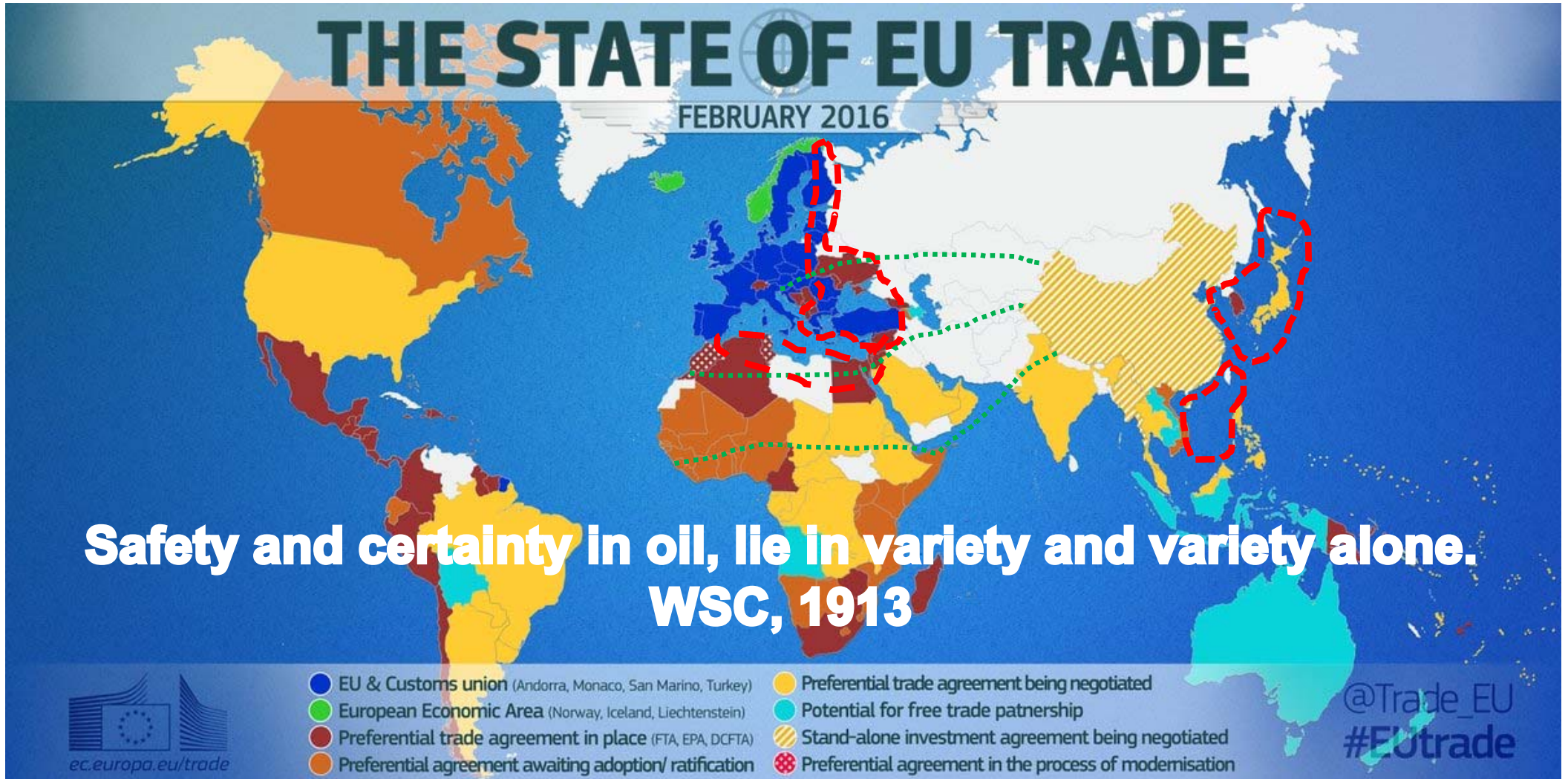
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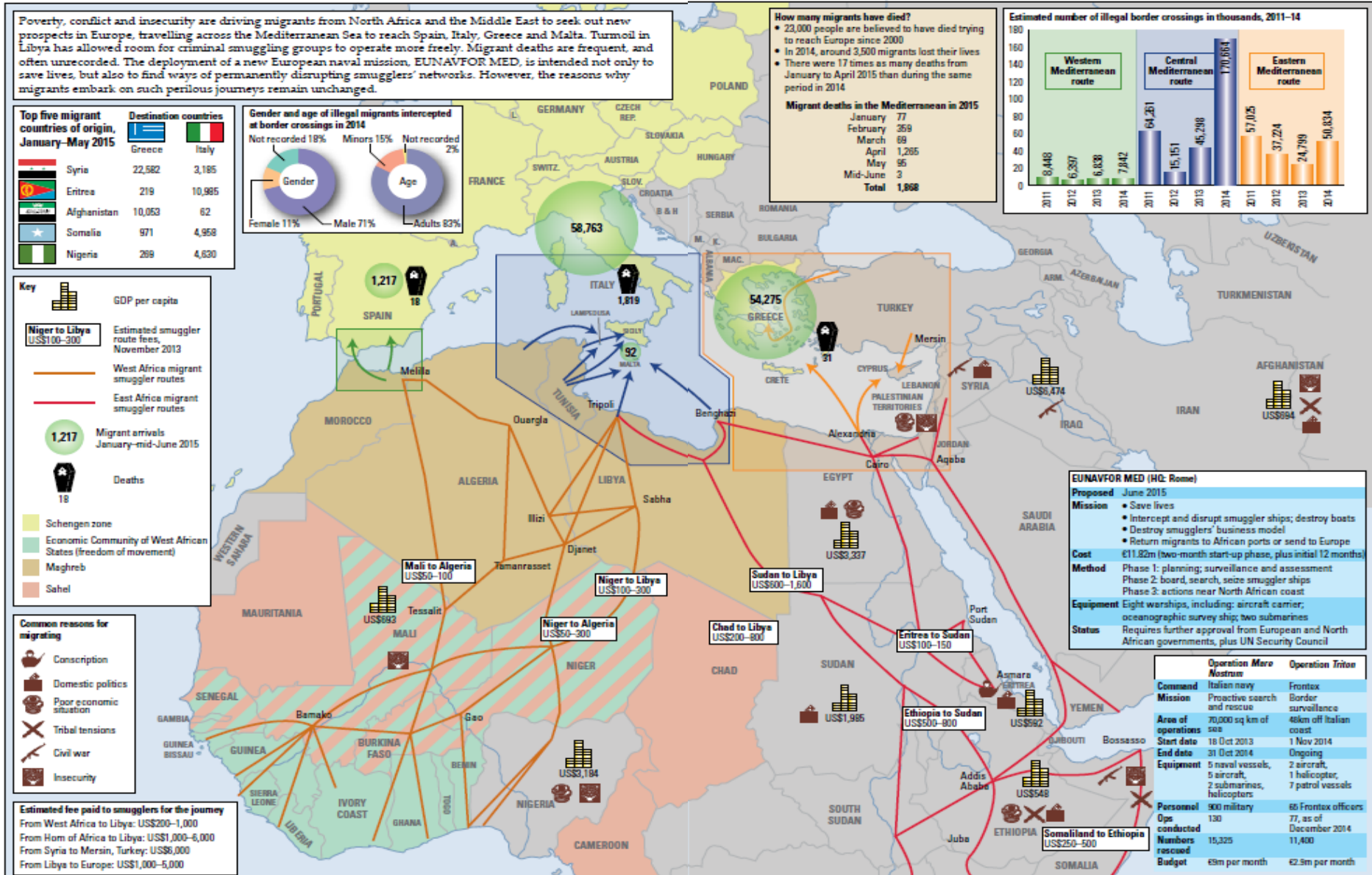
Energy Security – The East-West Divide



Trade – A Question of Secure Lines



The Migration Crisis – Building a Fortress?

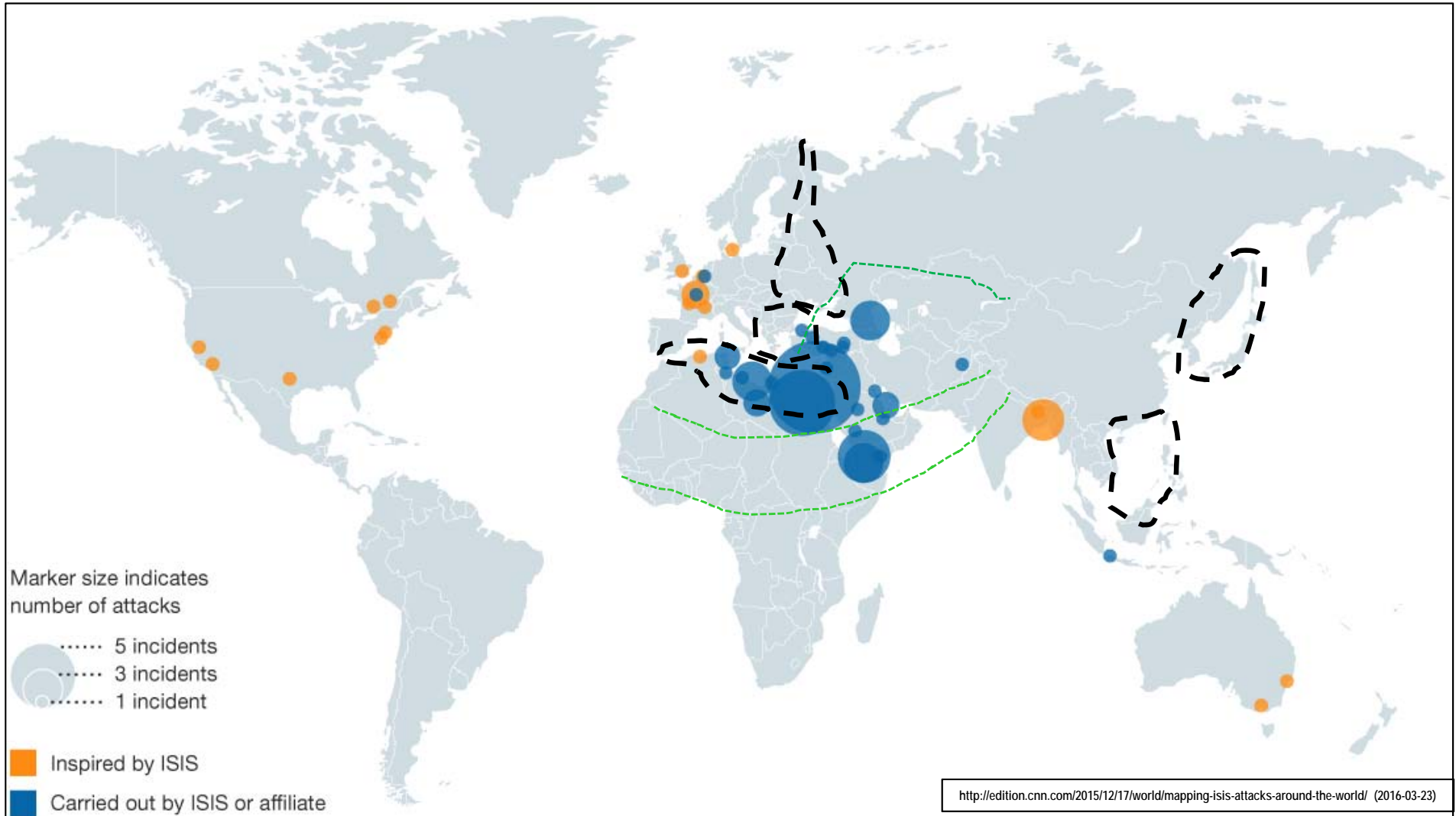


Sources: IHS; Alia Consulting; Atlantic; BBC; Council of the European Union; Economist; European Commission; EURPOL; FRONTEX; Global Initiative Against Transnational Organized Crime; Guardian; International Organization for Migration; International Maritime Organization; Independent; International Business Times; New York Times; UNHCR; UNODC

Security – Lines of Approach



► Terror – There is no Safe Place



The **geopolitical challenge** for the European Union

lies in providing **sustainable energy** supply

with **military deployment** as last resort

to **secure** the current **social and economic level** in the long run

Perspectives



BREXIT



Migration



Ukraine



Financial Crisis



Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership (TTIP)



Enlargement

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