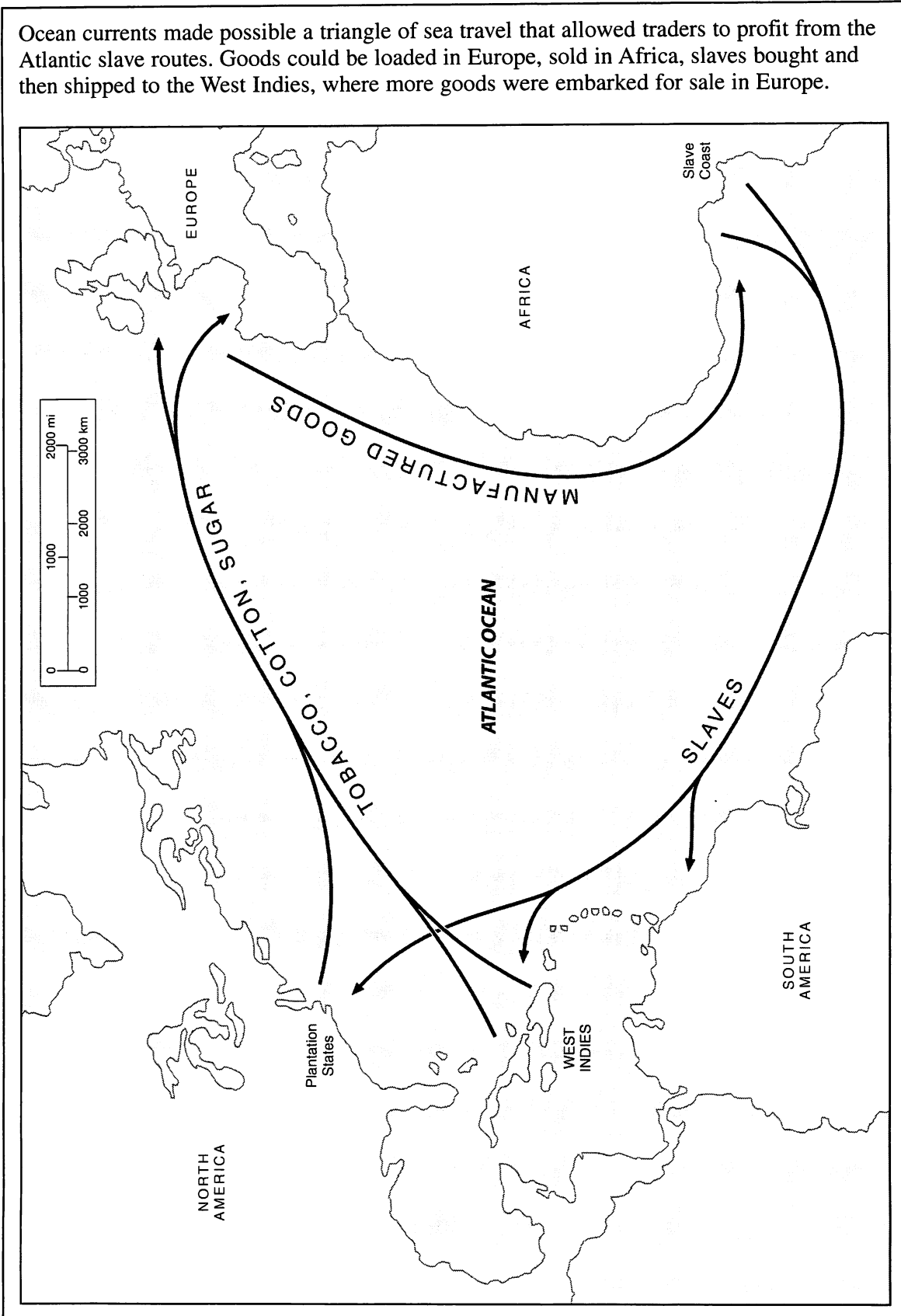


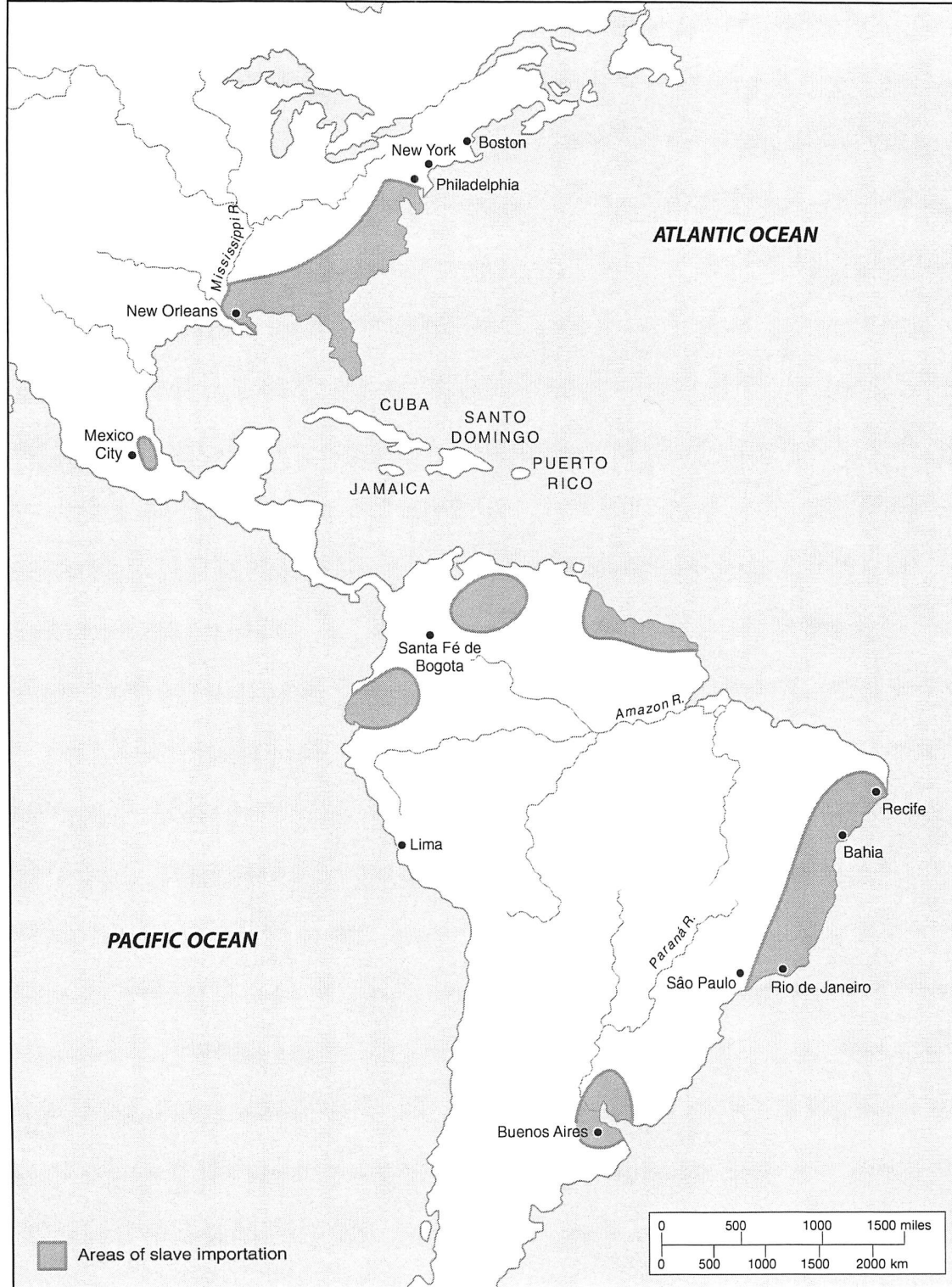
### Triangular Trade Route late 1700's

Ocean currents made possible a triangle of sea travel that allowed traders to profit from the Atlantic slave routes. Goods could be loaded in Europe, sold in Africa, slaves bought and then shipped to the West Indies, where more goods were embarked for sale in Europe.



### Areas of Slave Importation in the Americas c. 1800

The peak of the Atlantic slave trade was reached by the end of the 1700s. The British, French, Dutch, and Portuguese all competed with one another for control of West African slaves destined to be sold for work on plantations in North and South America.



### Emancipation of Slaves in Latin America 1793–1888

