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## *The Middle East and the Modern World System*

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### *Crisis of the 17th Century*

==First truly world-wide crisis==

We saw it in the ottomans!

What makes a core region core?

- where most of the people live
- lots of agricultural wealth
- places with “excess”

(casually doing doing ml homework)

- Maps
  - Spanish | territory over trade
  - Dutch | trade over territory
  - Portuguese | middle ground
  - French | similar to dutch
  - British | farthest reaching, controls dispersed territory

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All trying to get sugar

Export of goods (mostly drugs) caused railroads to be built by the Europeans

This allowed a larger market economy, as opposed to the old local economy system.

==Protestant reformation led to the forming of the modern systems==

Mercantilist states: wanted to export more than they imported in order to accumulate gold

Ottomans: wanted to maintain stocks of vital resource supplies