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- ending of 19th century, European powers
 - engaged in a competitive struggle to extend their influence around the world.
- Large inequality in land ownership
- scramble for africa occurred

1.1 | EUROPEAN EXPANSIONISM BEFORE THE NINETEENTH CENTURY

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 - the process by which one state, with superior military strength and more advanced technology, imposes its control over the land, resources, and population of a less developed region.”
- other stuff

1.2 | THE MOTIVATIONS FOR IMPERIALISM

- primary motive for imperialist expansion was economic
- Industrial Rev stimulated the market and such
- economic depression in Europe from 1873 to mid 1890s
- tried to do protectionism and put taxes on foreign trade, sending them deeper into a depression
- European states formed “sheltered markets” free from the restrictions
- Imperialism was very expensive, large investments, led to formation of armys and soldiers
- imperialism was the final stage of capitalism, according to lenin, and thus it would lead to the downfall of capitalism
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