

# CHARACTERISTICS OF THE

(1948-1989)



N.A.T.O. v. Warsaw Pact Cold War Alliances



Korean Conflict

Communist North v. Democratic South



Vietnam Conflict

Communist North v. Democratic South



Berlin & the Berlin Wall

The symbolic focal point of the Cold War



Cuban Missile Crisis

Nuclear missiles aimed at USA... 90 miles away



Nukes & Deterrence

American policy to deter a catastrophic event

# CONFEREN FREE ENTERPRISE COMMUNISM

PRESIDENT TRUMAN & CONTAINMENT SATELLITE NATIONS/IRON CURTAIN

FRENCH /US ROLE INFLUENCE OF CONTAINMENT REUNIFICATION TODAY

SOVIET ECONOMIC COLLAPSE (COMM=FAIL) TEARING DOWN THE BERLIN WALL NATIONALISM IN WARSAW PACT COUNTRIES



CHIANG TRUMAN KAI-SHEK



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INDIRA MARGARET GANDHI THATCHER GORBACHEV





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Use the following formula to trace how our relationship with the USSR went from BFF to WFF



- THE YALTA CONFERENCE
  Meeting at the end of WWII USSR gets Eastern Europe
- Germany/Berlin divided
- USSR never gives it back



#### THE MARSHALL PLAN

- Europe destroyed by WWII \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$ to rebuild!
- US Sec. of State Marshall... Soviet Satellites refused...



#### CURTAIN

- THE IRON CURTAIN

  Europe divided after WWII• West=Democracy/Capitalist
- Ideological Division
- East=Dictatorship/Commun.



#### THE TRUMAN DOCTRINE/CONTAINN

- Formerly Monroe Doctrine
   GOAL: Keep Communism
- Pearl Harbor changed USA within its current borders



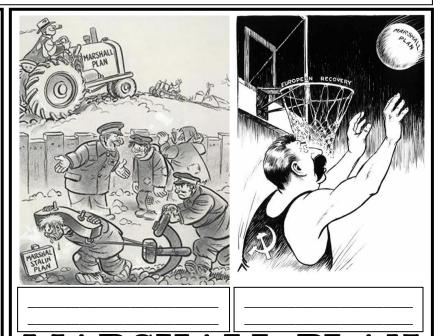
THE DOMINO THEORY
If one nation falls to • Therefore, the USA will 

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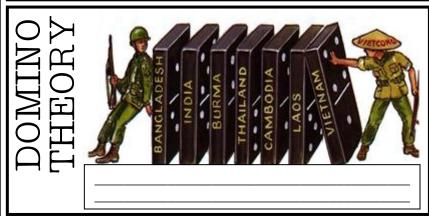






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# DETERRENCE



WASHINGTON MOCKBa

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3.79 M Sq. Miles 250 M People 50 States



8.7 M Sq. Miles 290 M People 15 Republics



LEADER

ECONOMY

PRESIDENT
ELECTED BY PEOPLE



PREMIER
APPOINTED BY
COMMUNIST PARTY



Supply and demand determine Investment, etc.



COMMUNIST
Government control th

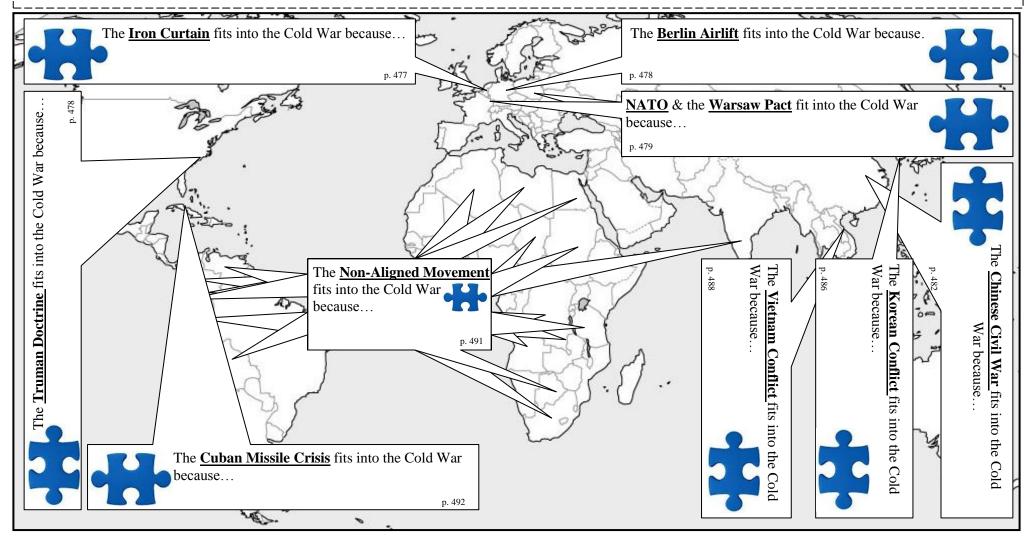
Means of Production

# WAR OVER! 50 YEARS OF NUCLEAR PARANOIA BEGIN TODAY

Using the generic definition of the Cold War below (and your textbook pp.472-499), describe how the following events <u>fit</u> into the Cold War Puzzle.

Wednesday, August 15, 1945

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- CHINESE CIVIL WAR
- KOREAN CONFLICT
- BERLIN WALL
- CUBAN MISSILE CRISIS
- VIETNAM WAR
- DÉTENTE
- FALL OF THE BERLIN WALL
- COLLAPSE OF THE USSR















#### FALL OF THE QING DYNASTY

- DYNASTIES RULED CHINA FOR 4000 YEARS
- LAST ONE (QING) OVERTHROWN IN 1911

CHIANG

KAI-SHEK

- LED TO YEARS OF RULE BY WARLORDS
- EVENTUALLY RULED BY NATIONALIST CHIANG KAI-SHEK



#### AFTER WWII

- KOREA IS DIVIDED:
- AT THE 38<sup>th</sup> PARALLEL
- **NORTH: USSR SUPPORTED**
- **SOUTH**: USA SUPPORTED



#### SEPTEMBER 1950

- UN PUSHES BACK
- LED BY MacArthur
- PUSHES N. KOREA BACK INTO CHINA



## NESE CIVIL WAR

#### NATIONALISTS

- ← LED BY
- CONTROLLED SOUTH
- SUPPORTED BY USA

#### COMMUNISTS

- LED BY→ CONTROLLED
- NORTH
- SUPPORTED BY USSR

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- MAINLAND IS CONTROLLED BY COMMUNISTS SINCE 1950
- CONTINUED CONFLICT TO THIS DAY

## & KOREAN CONFLICT

#### OCTOBER 1950

- CHINA SENDS 300,000 TROOPS
- PUSHES UN TROOPS BACK TO ORIGINAL BORDERS
- 38<sup>th</sup> PARALLEL
- CEASEFIRE

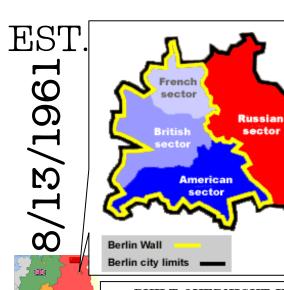
#### OUTCOMES

- 6 MILLION DEAD
- NO PEACE TREATY
- DMZ=Demilitarized Zone









- BUILT OVERNIGHT IN 1961

  o BY THE COMMUNISTS
- DIVIDED **East** & **West** BERLIN







## $\S BERLIN WALL \S$

- LARGE TOWERS/CONCRETE WALLS
- ACCORDING TO THE COMMUNISTS:
- o BUILT TO PROTECT FROM FASCISTS
- ACCORDING TO **REALITY**:
  - BUILT TO STOP ALL OF THE EAST BERLINERS FROM EMIGRATING (or FLEEING TO WEST BERLIN)
  - O BUILT TO STOP THE "BRAIN DRAIN"

#### ULTIMATE SYMBOL OF THE COLD WAR



# gCUBAN MISSILE/CRISIS

#### CUBA BECOMES COMMUNIST IN 1959

- OCTOBER 14, 1962: PHOTO TAKEN
- JFK WARNS THIS IS UNACCEPTABLE
- CHOICES:
  - o NAVAL BLOCKADE
  - o ATTACK THE MISSILES
- DEAL BROKERED
  - o USSR removes their missiles
- USA removes our missiles (Turkey)
   CLOSEST THE WORLD CAME TO NUCLEAR WAR





President Kennedy and his advisors debating how to handle the Cuban Missile Crisis

#### VIETNAM WAS A FRENCH COLONY

o Since the 1800s

#### CONQUERED BY JAPAN IN WWII

o Japan loses WWII

#### FRENCH RETURN TO THEIR COLONY

o Vietnam Declares Independence

#### FR v. VIETNAM

Vietnam wins with aid of CHINA

#### PEACE CONFERENCE DIVIDES VIET

At the 17<sup>th</sup> PARALLEL

#### HO CHI MINH FIGHTS FOR UNIFICATION

- o Starts revolution in S. Vietnam
- o Helps Vietcong VC=Victor Charlie

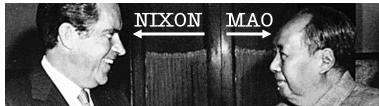
#### US SHIPS "ATTACKED" in GULF

- o America gets involved (500k)
- o Two problems for America...



## RELAXATION







## SVIETNAM WAR S

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CHI-MINH



"You can kill <u>ten</u> of our men for every <u>one</u> we kill of yours. But even at those odds, you will lose <u>and we will win</u>."



#### DÉTENTE=RELAXATION OF TENSIONS

- World almost ended several times...
- o Both USA & USSR agreed to back off

#### MARKED BY TREATIES

- o USSR to grant free elections in Europe
- o Installation of a direct line to Moscow
- o Ended with USSR invasion of Afghan.
- US boycotted 1980 Moscow Olympics

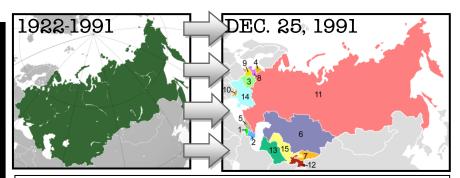




"Mr. Gorbachev, Tear down this wall!" -US President Ronald Reagan June 1987

#### NEIGHBORING COUNTRIES BEGAN OPENING THEIR BORDERS

- o East Germans began to flee into Hungary, Austria, Czec
- o Led to Protests in East Germany to bring end the wall
- East Berliners began gathering at the Wall's Checkpoints
- "Wir wollen raus!" (We Want Out!)



#### SOVIET COMMUNIST ECONOMY WAS STAGNANT

- Mikhail Gorbachev instituted two new policies:
- PERESTROIKA (Restructuring)
  - Transition from Communism to Socialism
  - Some small-scale Capitalism allowed
  - **GLASNOST** (Openness)
    - Freedoms of Press, Speech, Assembly

## FALL of the BERLIN WALL FCOLLAPSE of the USSR

"This is a historic day. East Germany has announced that, starting immediately, its borders are open to everyone. E. Germany is opening its borders ... the gates in the Berlin Wall stand open..."

-West German News Broadcast, Nov. 9, 1989

- o People outnumbered the guards
- 10:45 E. German Guards allowed free access...
- Celebrations ensued



"Irgendwann fällt jede Mauer"="Eventually every wall falls"

#### SOVIET ALLIES HAD BEEN OUSTED IN E. EUROPE

- Led to Gorbachev instituting reforms
- Open Churches that were closed for decades
- Freed political prisoners
- Published Banned books
- These actions upset the Communist Party
- Attempted a Coup to overthrow Gorbachev
- Failed; Stopped by Mass Protests

#### COLD WAR=OVER

- Leader of protests elected President
- Boris Yeltsin
- USSR lost **HALF** of its population
- o Economic Calamity
- Standard of Living fell
- Worse than G. Depr



# following world leaders shaped the Cold War during the end of the Cold War era (1945-1991).

policies guided the world's most powerful nations into their current state today in the 21st Century.









INDIRA

(1966-1977; 1980-1984)

**BORN IN 1917** 

3<sup>rd</sup> Prime Minister of India

#### **MAJOR POLICIES**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Female leader of the World's largest Democracy
- Father was the 1<sup>st</sup> Prime Min.
- Leaned on USSR for support
- Operation Smiling Buddha
- 1967: Successful Nuclear test
- Ruled under 'State of Emergen.'
- Absolute rule from 75-77
- **Increased Grain Production**
- Assassinated in 1984

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MIKHAIL GORBACHEV THATCHER XIAOPING

(1985 - 1991)

**BORN IN 1931** 

8<sup>th</sup> and Final Premier of USSR

#### **MAJOR POLICIES**

- Represented Younger Generation of Russians
- Worked with President Reagan
- PERESTROIKA (Reconstruction)
- Change to Democracy, Socialism, Initiative, Creativity
- GLASNOST (Openness)
  - Freedom of Speech, Press
- Public Criticism of Gov't
- Oversaw Collapse of USSR
- Independence of former states
- 1990= Nobel Peace Prize

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(1979 - 1990)**BORN IN 1925** 

71<sup>st</sup> Prime Minister of Britain

#### **MAJOR POLICIES**

- "Iron Lady"
- Strict opponent of Communism
- Conservative
- **Economic Restructuring**
- Less Regulation
- Less Government
- Pro-Free Market/Laissez Faire
- Close ties to the United States
- Tripled UK's Nuclear Forces
- Led war in the Falklands
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Longest reigning PM ever!

- DENG
- (1978 1992)**BORN IN 1904**
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Paramount Leader of China

#### **MAJOR POLICIES**

- Veteran of Chinese Civil War
- Reformed after Mao Zedong
- Changed from/to:
- Communist Economy
- Free Market Economy
- Opened China to foreign investment
- Raised the standard of living of hundreds of millions of Chinese
- Communist Party remains in control
- Resigned after Tiananmen Sq.

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### AFTER THE

The COLD WAR dominated most of the planet for nearly 50 So, with the fall of the Berlin Wall and the years. dissolution of the Soviet Union, what political blueprint would come to dominate the 21st Century?

 $^{\prime\prime}$ We are witnessing most profound social change. Whether in the East or the South, the West or the North, hundreds of millions of people, new nations and states, new public movements and ideologies have moved to the forefront of history. The idea of democratizing the entire world order has become a powerful socio-political force. At the same time, the scientific and technological revolution has turned many economic, food, energy, environmental, information and population problems, which only recently we treated as national or regional ones, into global problems...

For a new type of progress throughout the world to become a reality, everyone must change.

### Tolerance is the alpha and omega of a *new world order*...





Large group of European states that share a common currency,



Trade agreement that opens up trade between the North American nations.



Group that organizes trade agreements between nations.



TERRORISM



Internet & Web 2.0



Population Growth



Goal: Stabilize exchange rates and provide loans for its 188 members.



Corporations



Technology



Climate Change



**News Feed** 

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Find Friends

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Music Notes

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Apps and Games

APPS

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🗐 Update Status 📵 Add Photo / Video 🛮 🗮 Ask Question

What role have **YOU** played in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century?





Your next test will be on the Cold War. This will be your <u>next</u> major grade of the year. Use this sheet as a guide to help you study. The information on this sheet will be on the test. *However*, not everything that is on the test is on this sheet. Therefore, look back over the information in your notebook.









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TERMINOLOGY
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