

# India's Spice Routes

## Pearls of the Indian Ocean

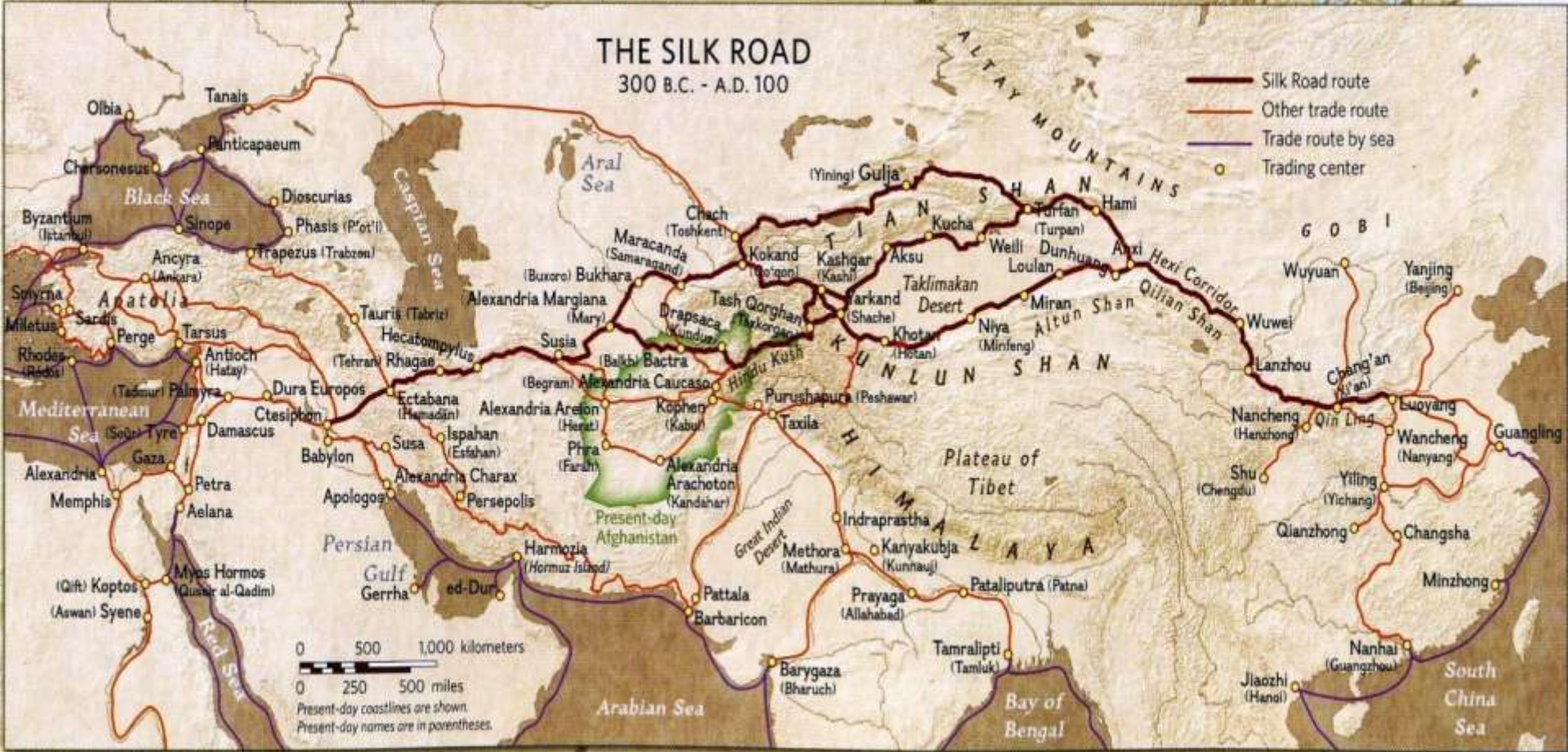
Windstar Cruises  
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# **Pearls of the Indian Ocean Lectures**

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# THE SILK ROAD

300 B.C. - A.D. 100

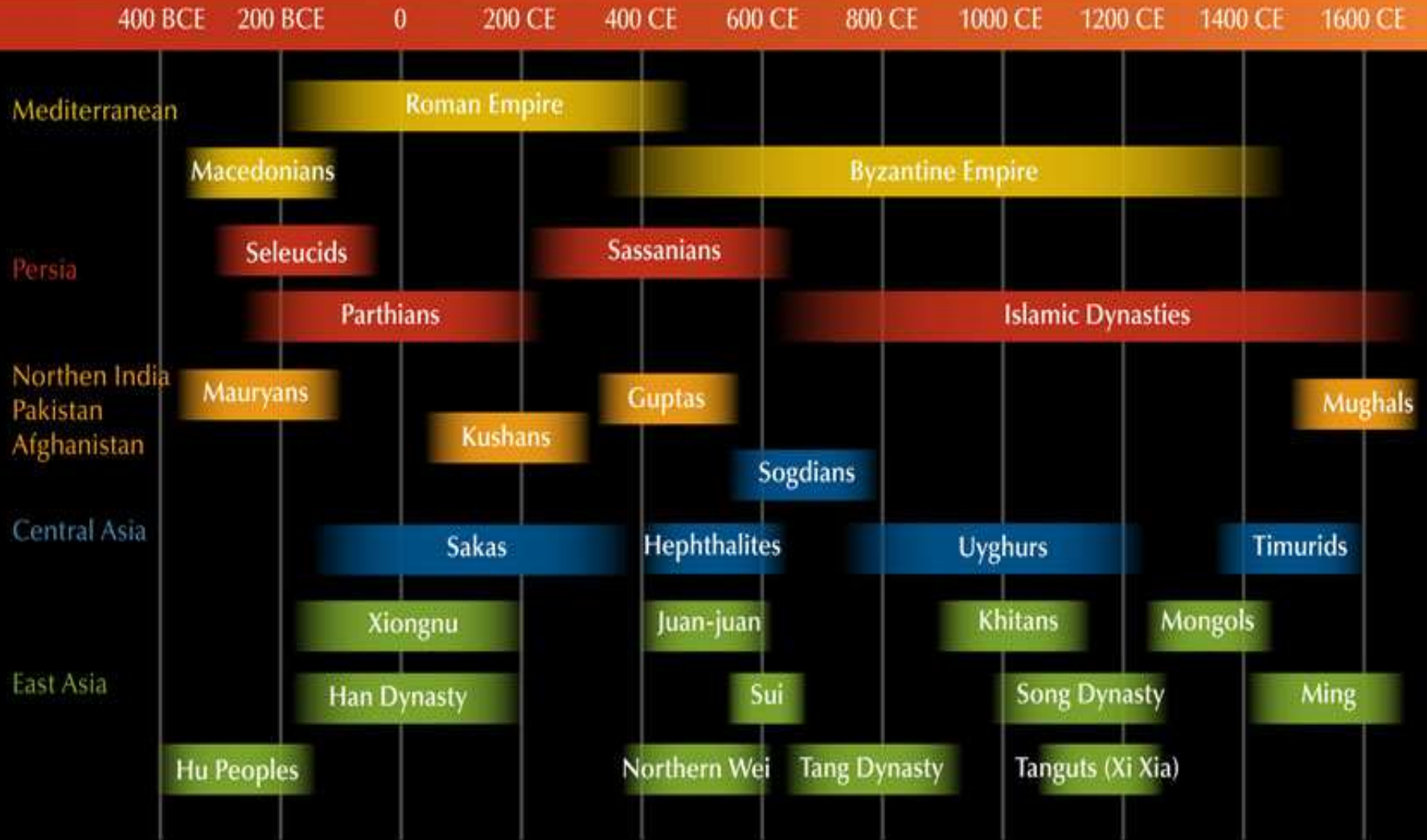


# The Silk Road

## 250 BC - 1450 AD

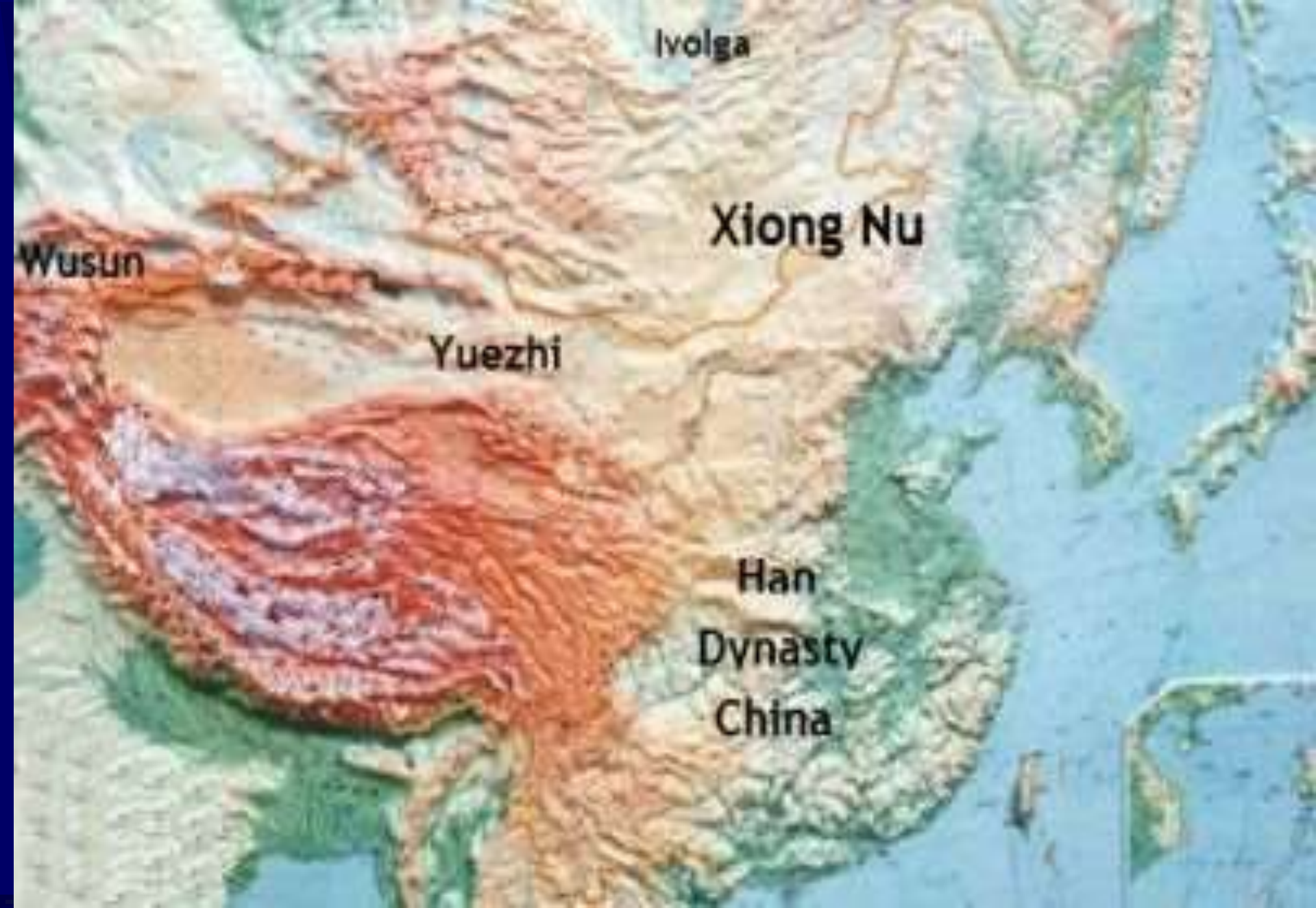


# SILK ROAD TIMELINE





Han Dynasty China versus mounted Xiongnu nomads



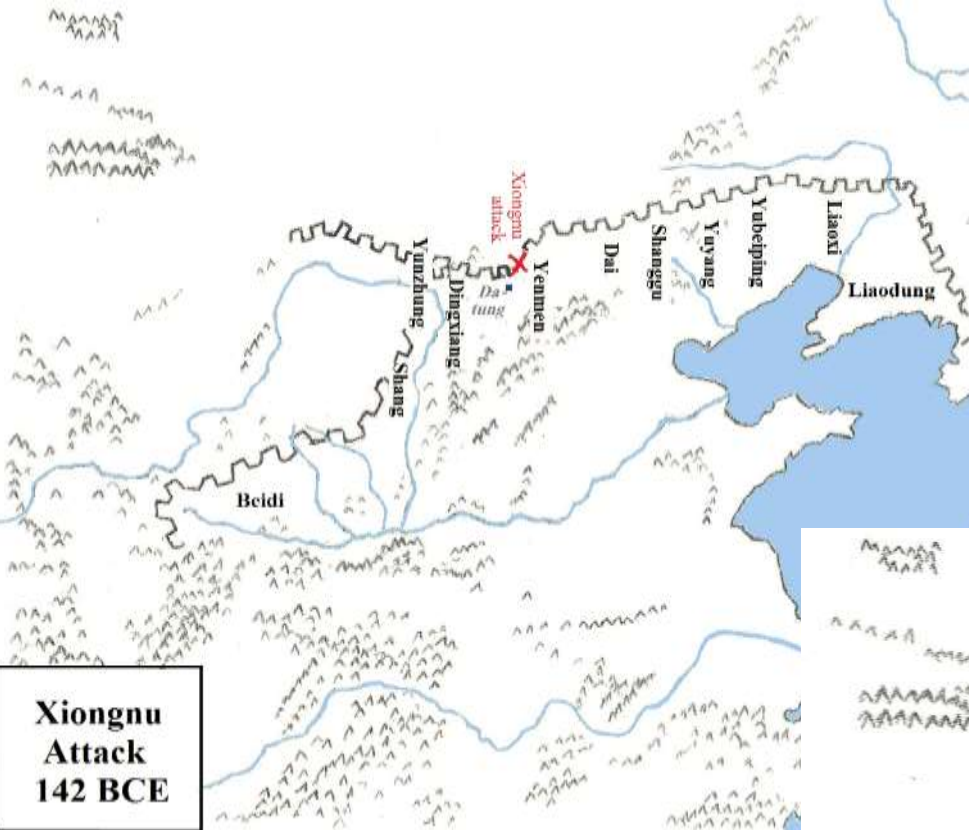
Ivolga

Xiong Nu

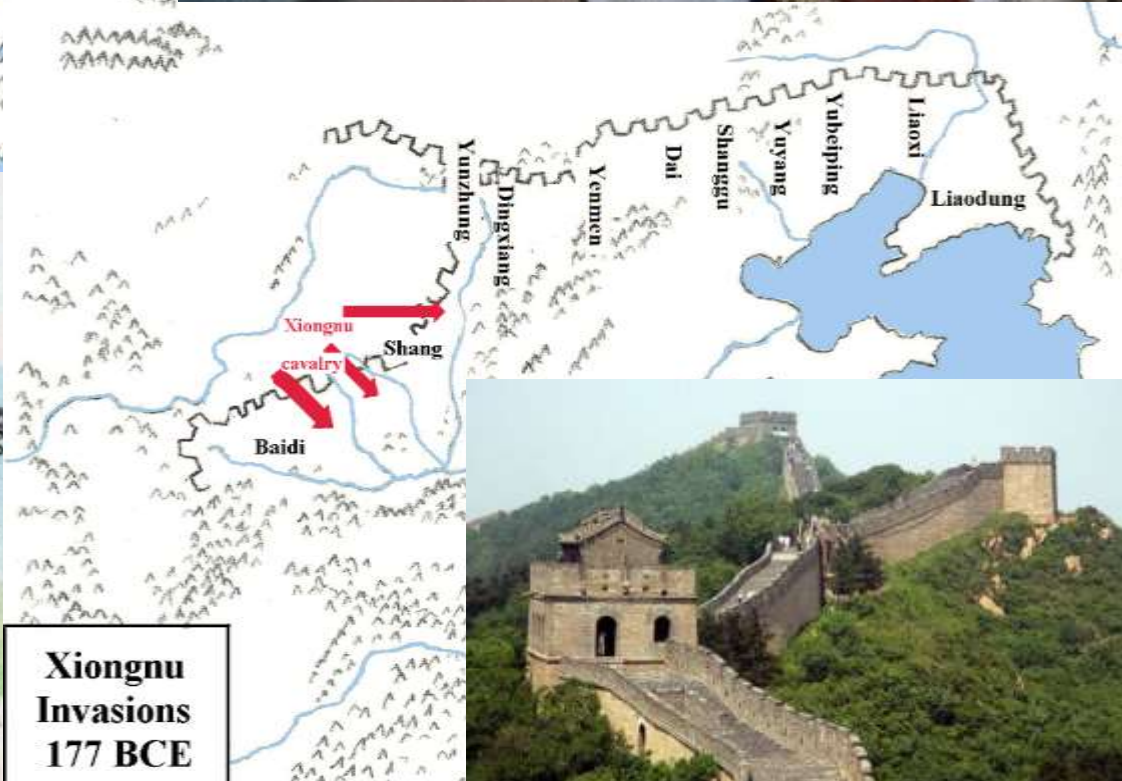
Wusun

Yuezhi

Han  
Dynasty  
China



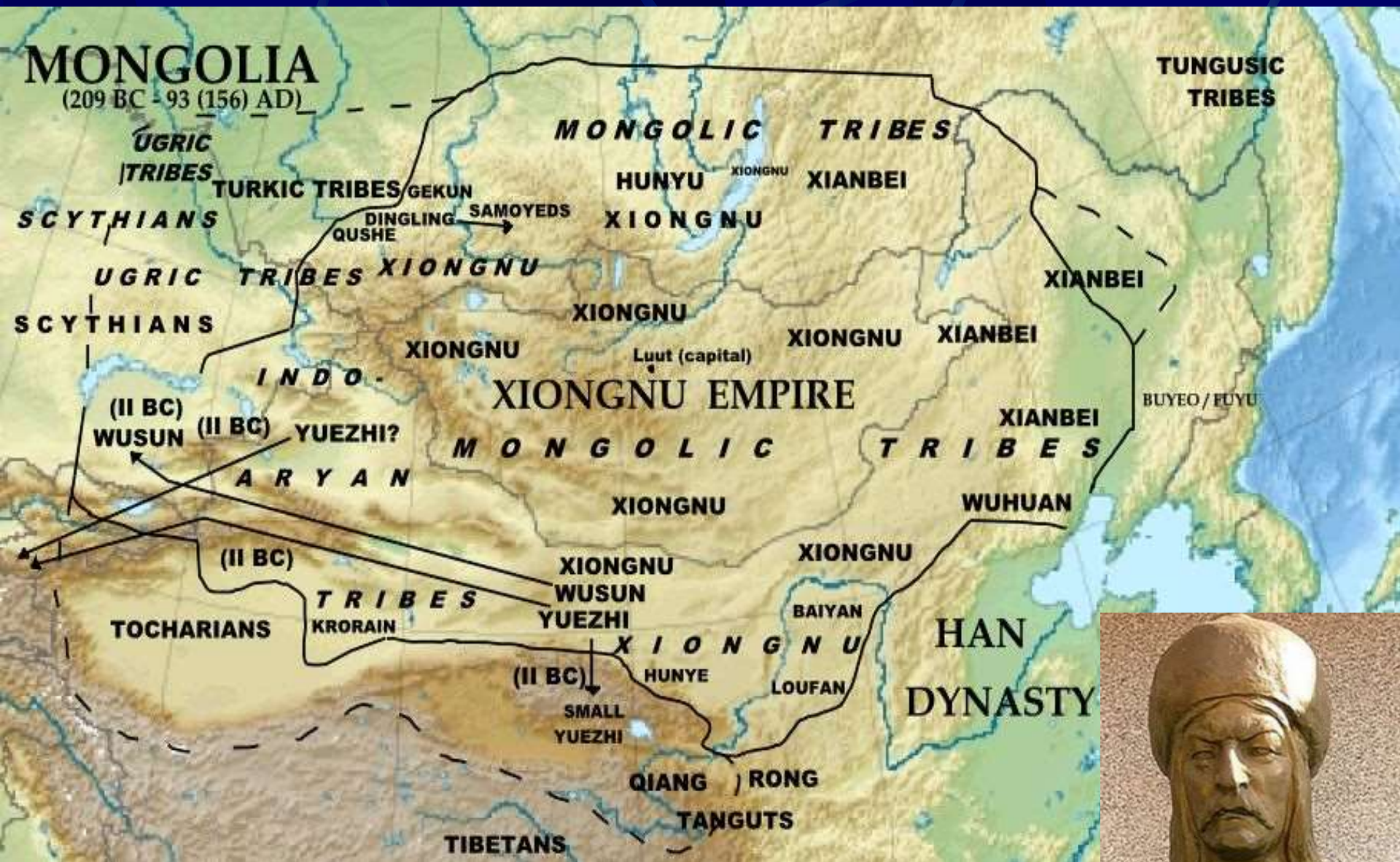
**Xiongnu  
Attack  
142 BCE**



**Xiongnu  
Invasions  
177 BCE**





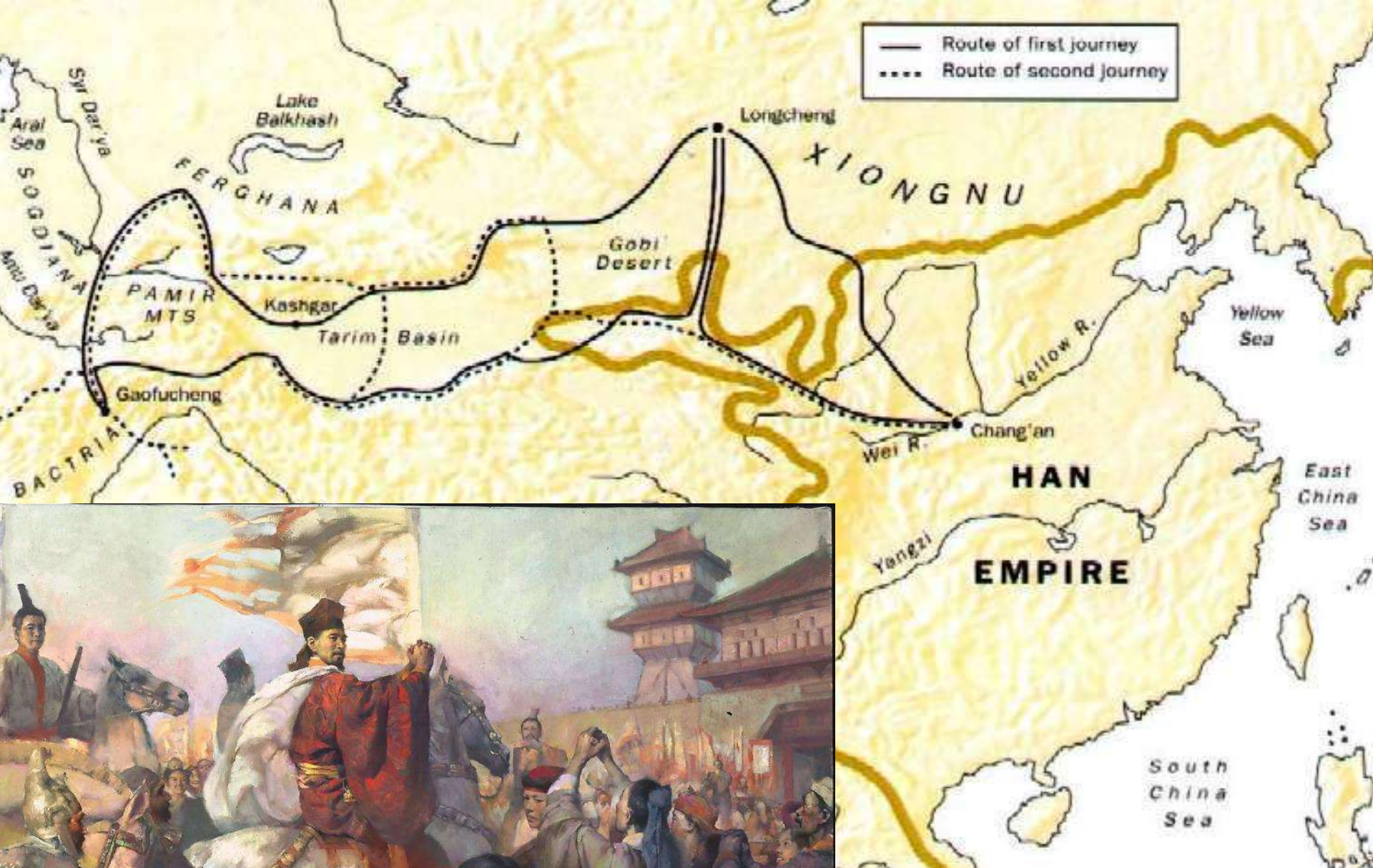


**Changyu Modu unites Xiongnu tribes driving the Yuezhi and Wusun peoples west.**

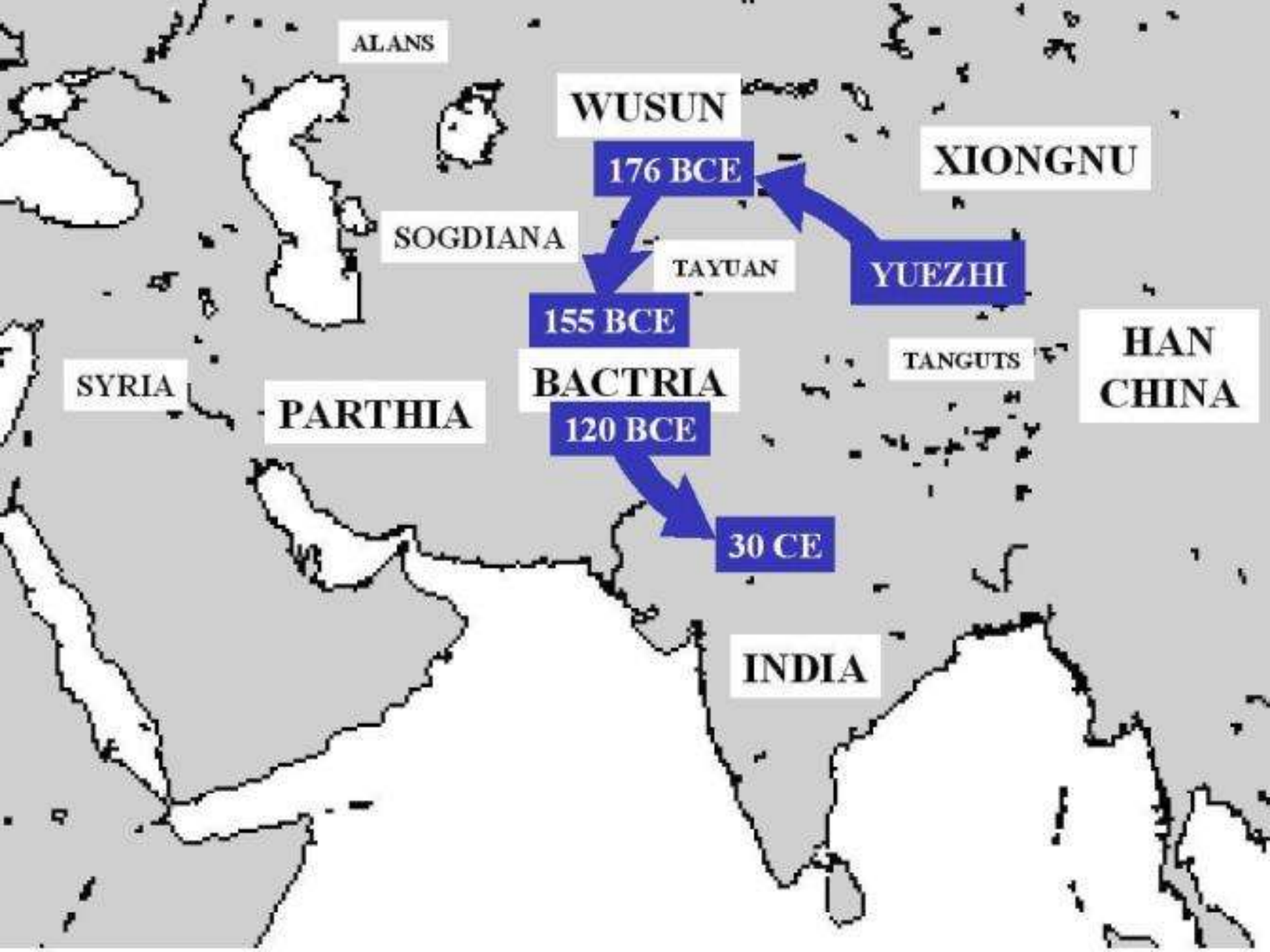


**Attila**

**One theory is that the Xiongnu later became the Huns that raided into Western Europe.**



**Zhang Qian Opens the West for Han China  
138-125 BC**





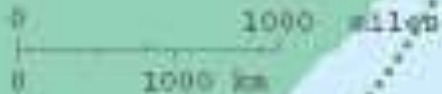


**ROMAN EMPIRE**

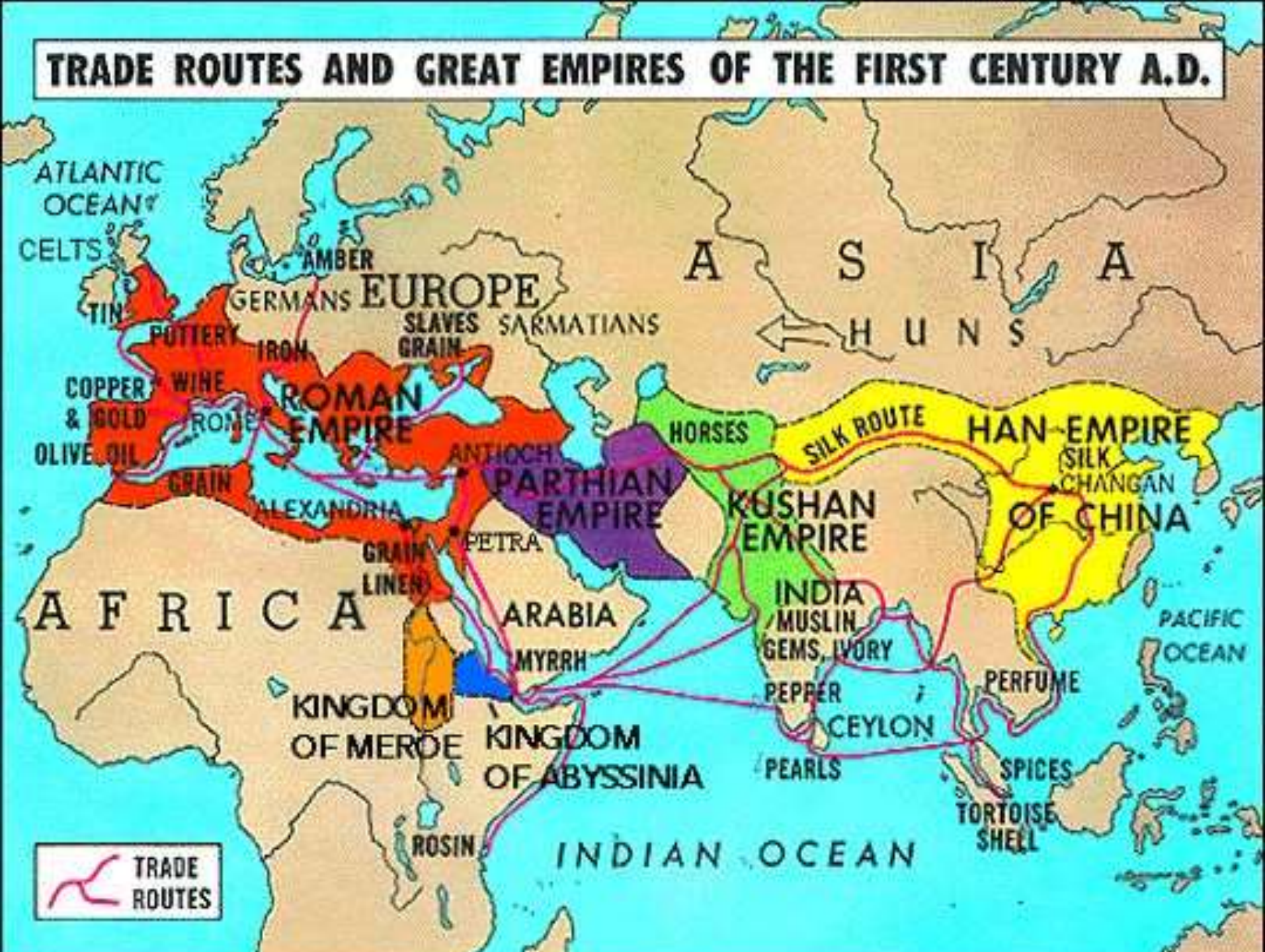
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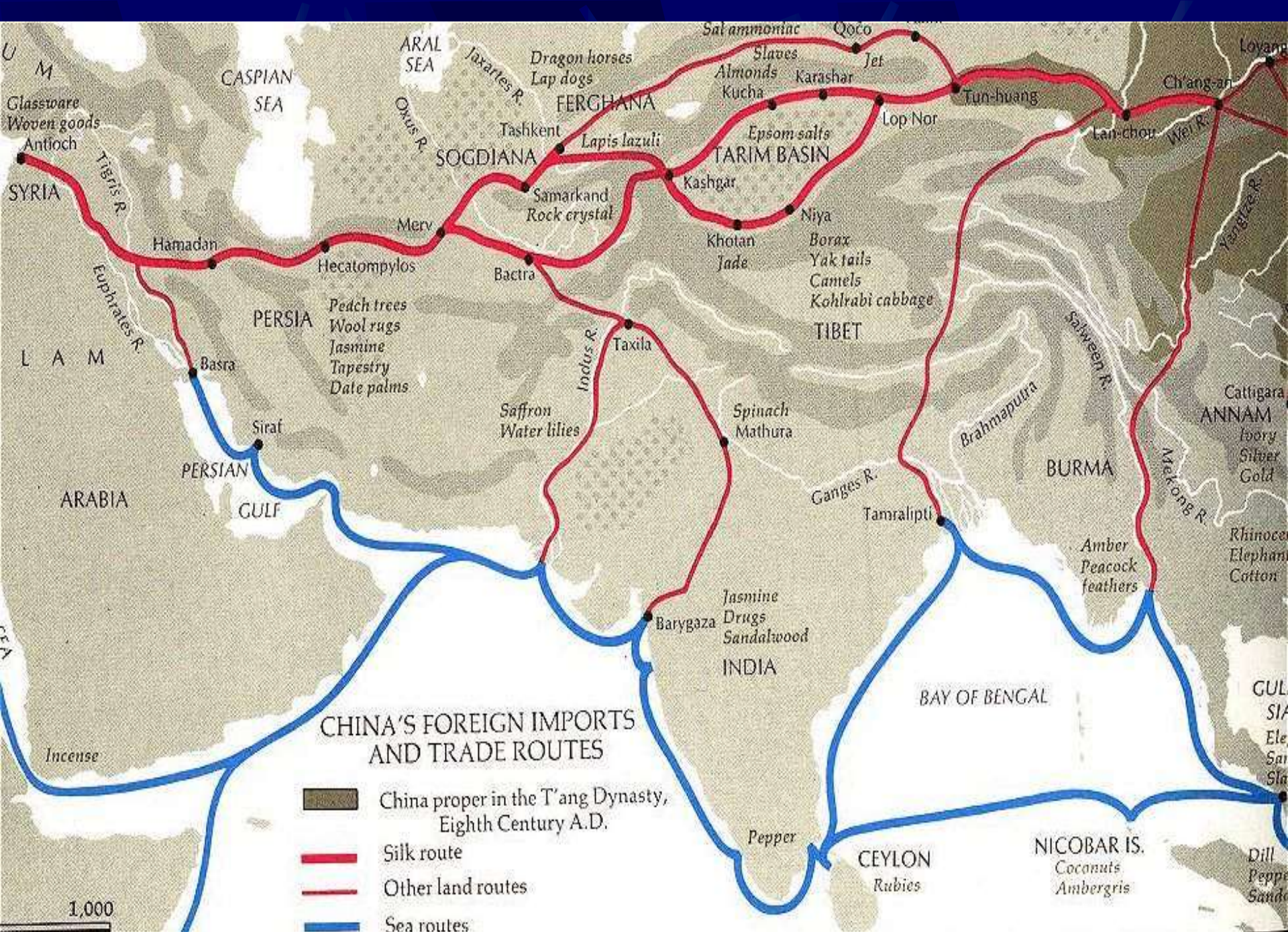
**KUSHAN EMPIRE**

**HAN EMPIRE**



# TRADE ROUTES AND GREAT EMPIRES OF THE FIRST CENTURY A.D.



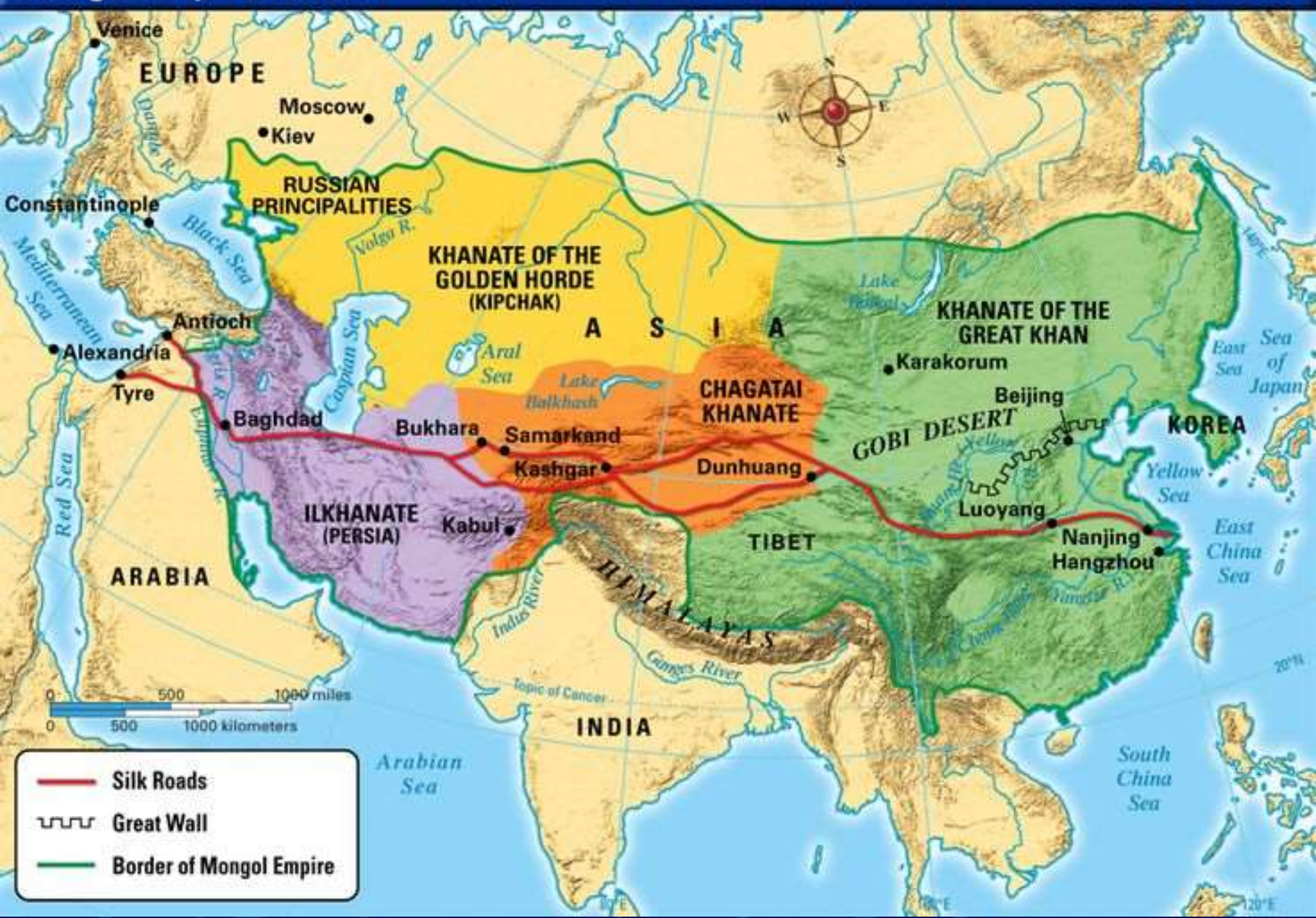


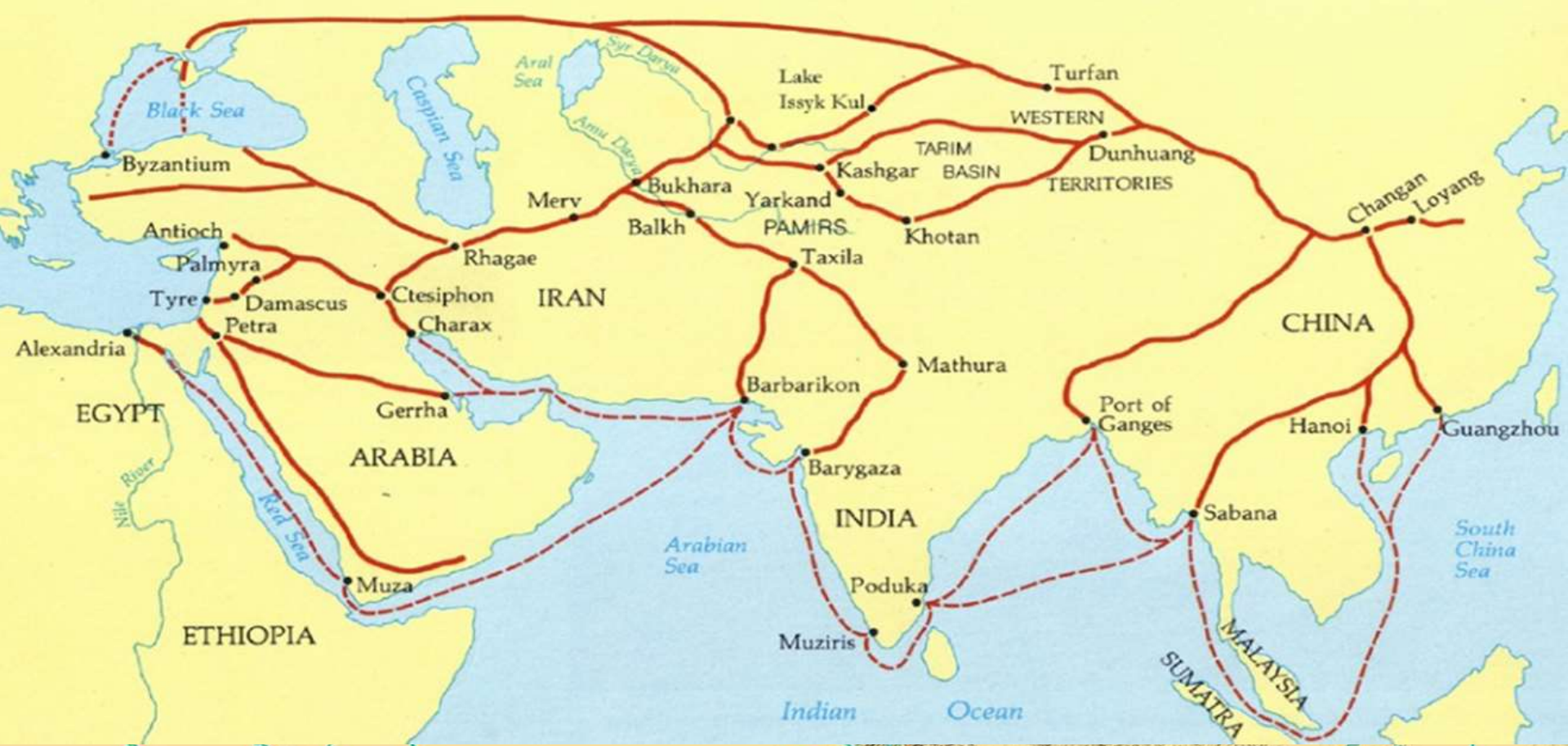




**Genghis Khan**; sons Jochi, Chaghatai, Ogedei & Tolui  
grandsons Hulegu and Kublai Khan.

# Mongol Empire, A.D. 1294







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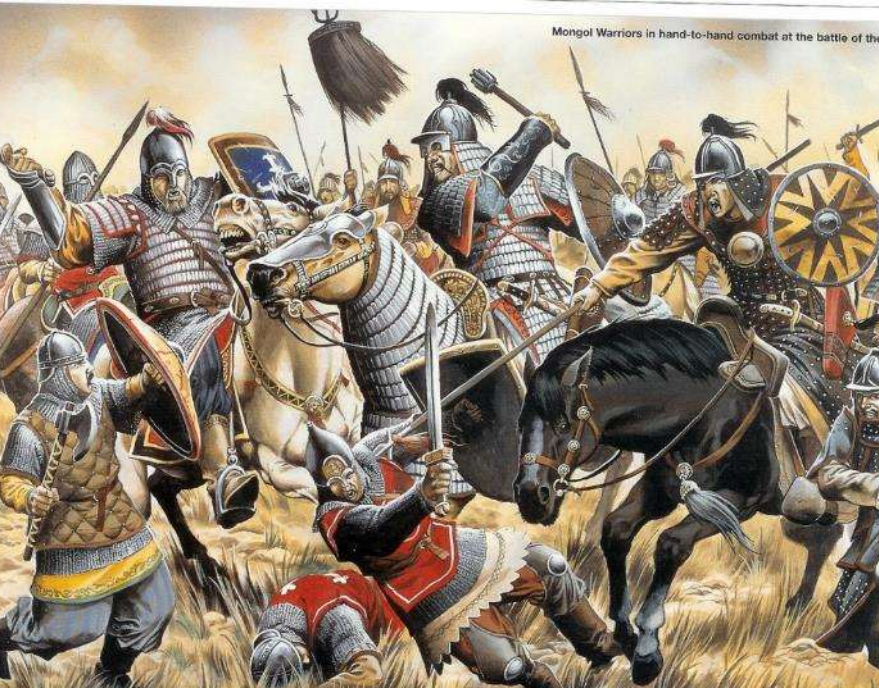
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**Rise of the Mongols – 13<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> centuries**

Mongol Warriors in hand-to-hand combat at the battle of the

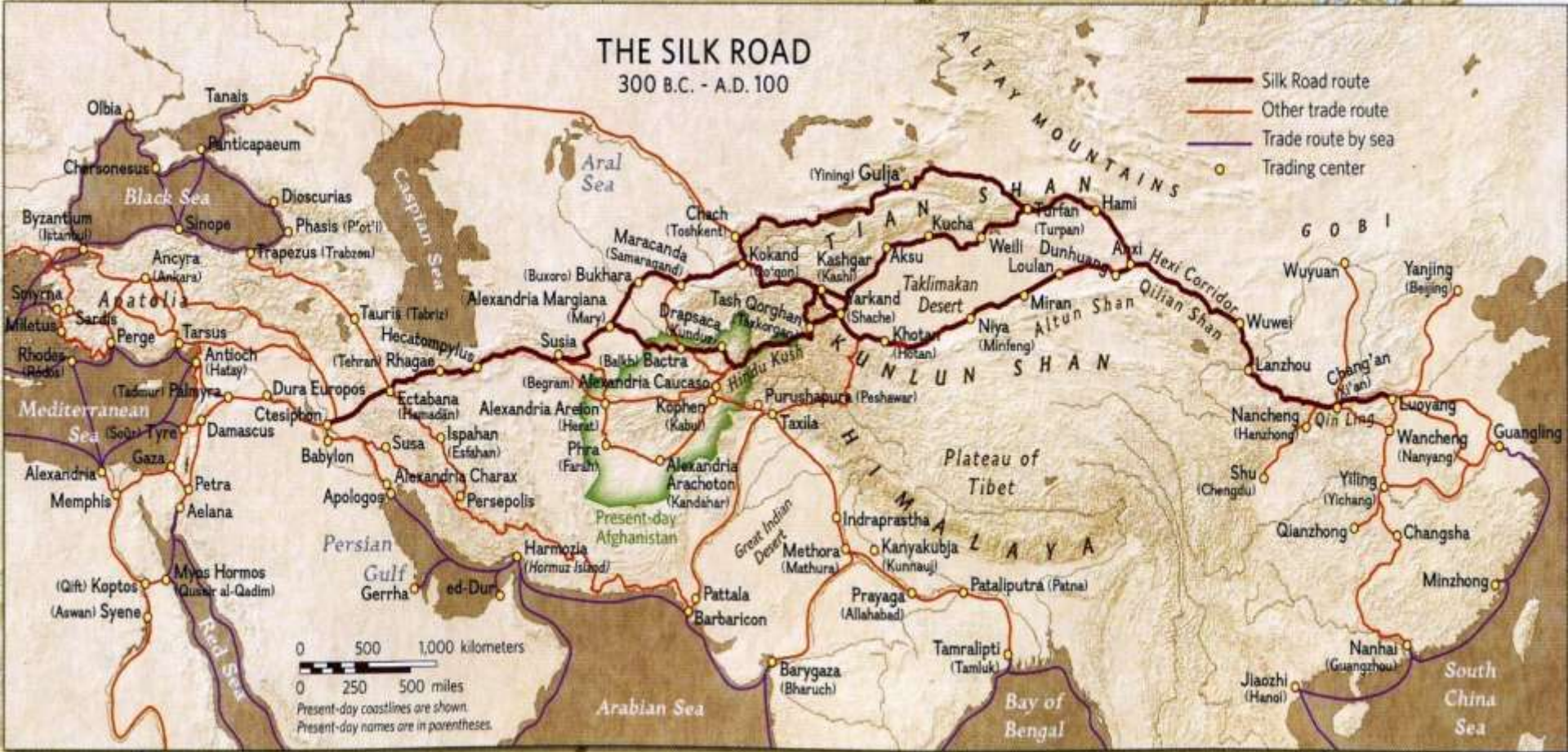






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## 300 BC - 1450 AD



**The reason for  
established trade routes  
that became the  
Silk Road...**



## The Han Dynasty Great Wall Map

