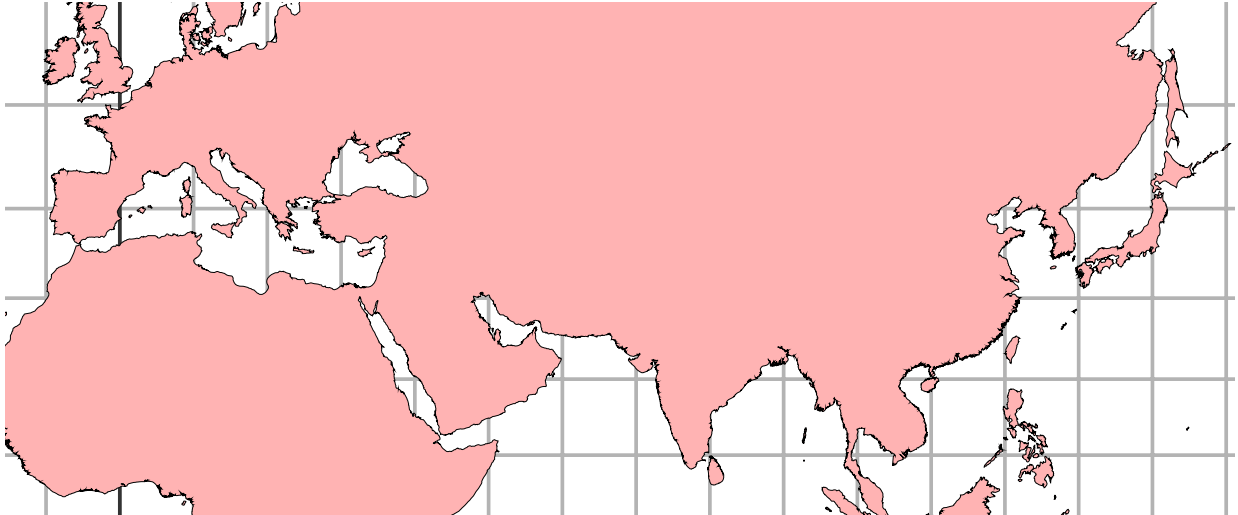


First homework

This is due next Monday, January 10.

1. Redo the 'diagnostic quiz'. You can get a fresh copy from the course home page. While doing it, ask yourself what variations I might ask about.
2. For each of the following people, write three sentences characterizing him; the dates during which he lived, and indicate neatly on this map (or a copy of it) the places where he lived and worked—if possible the cities, but if not the countries.



Thales, Pythagoras, Eudoxus, Euclid, Archimedes, Ptolemy, Nicomachus, Pappus, Brahmagupta, Proclus, Boethius, Al-Khwarizmi, Al-Kashi, Simon Stevin, Descartes, Pascal, Newton, Dedekind. ■