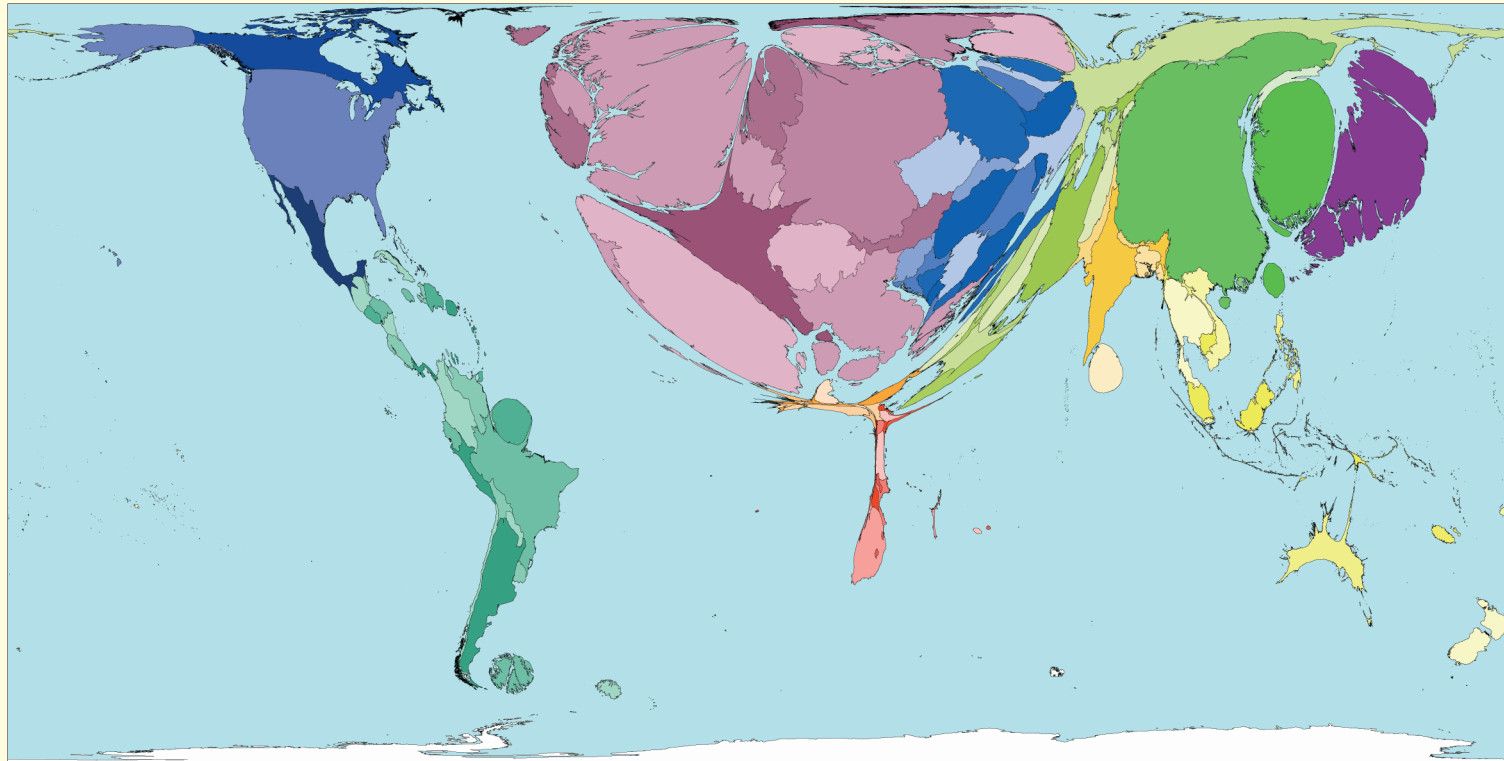


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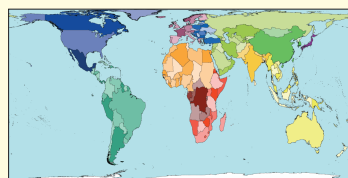


This map shows the distribution of book and pamphlet titles published, not the number of copies sold. Western Europe dominates this map due to the high number of new books and pamphlets published in 1999. A book is defined as having at least 50 pages, a pamphlet has 5 to 49 pages.

In 1999 there were a million new book titles worldwide. The most new titles were produced in the United Kingdom, China and Germany.

The highest rate of new titles being written per person living there was in the Holy See, where there were 2 new titles produced for every 10 people in one year. The world rate of new titles is 167 being published per million people per year.

Territory size shows the proportion of new book titles published, that were published there.



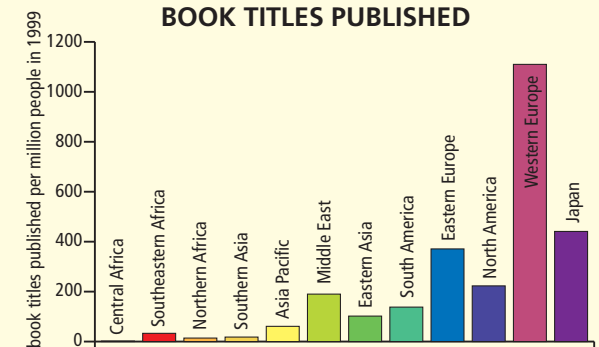
Land area

HIGHEST AND LOW NUMBERS OF BOOK TITLES PUBLISHED

Rank	Territory	Value	Rank	Territory	Value
1	Holy See	228000	183	Algeria	4.2
2	Iceland	5987	184	Kenya	3.8
3	Denmark	2677	185	Mali	2.6
4	Switzerland	2538	186	Democratic Republic of Congo	2.2
5	Finland	2533	195	Angola	1.7
6	Estonia	2512	196	Benin	1.4
7	Andorra	2507	197	Togo	1.0
8	Luxembourg	2195	198	Indonesia	0.6
9	Ireland	2135	199	Burkina Faso	0.4
10	Monaco	2118	200	Ghana	0.3

book titles published per million people in 1999*

BOOK TITLES PUBLISHED



- Technical notes**
- Data are from the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation's on-line statistics, 2005.
 - *Territories for which data have been estimated are not shown in the table.
 - New books and pamphlets are shown, not periodicals.
 - See website for further information.

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 Liu Changle, 2001