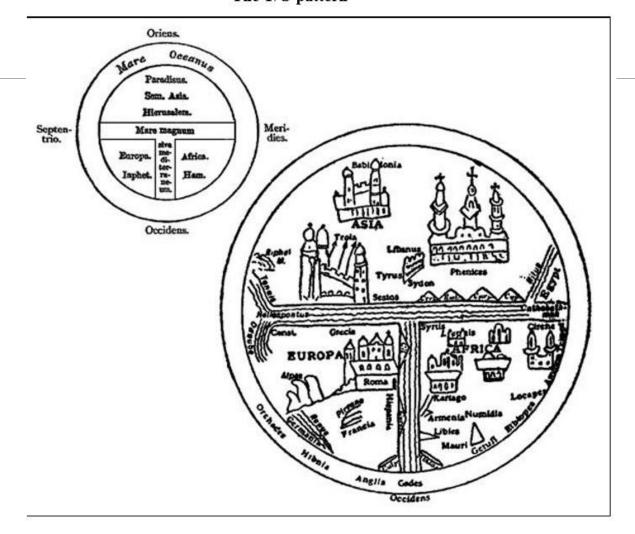
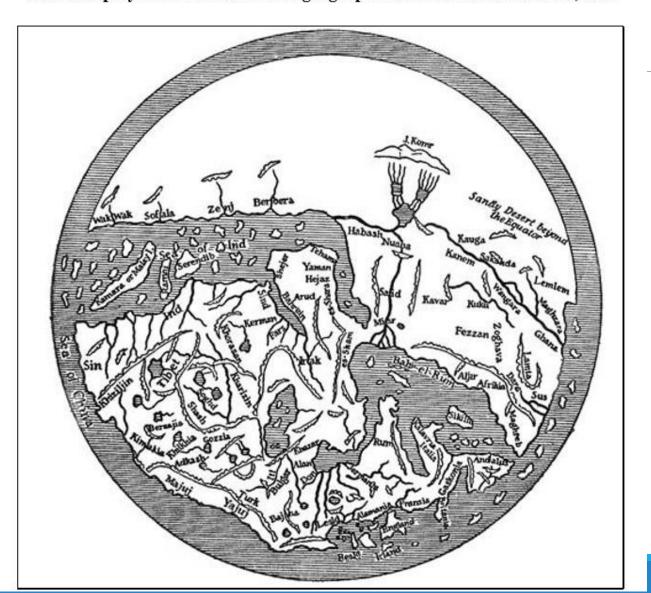
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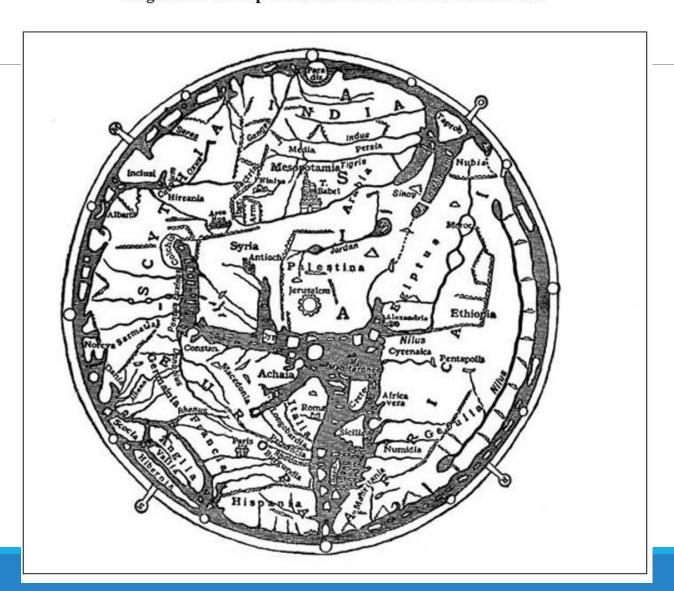
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The T/O pattern



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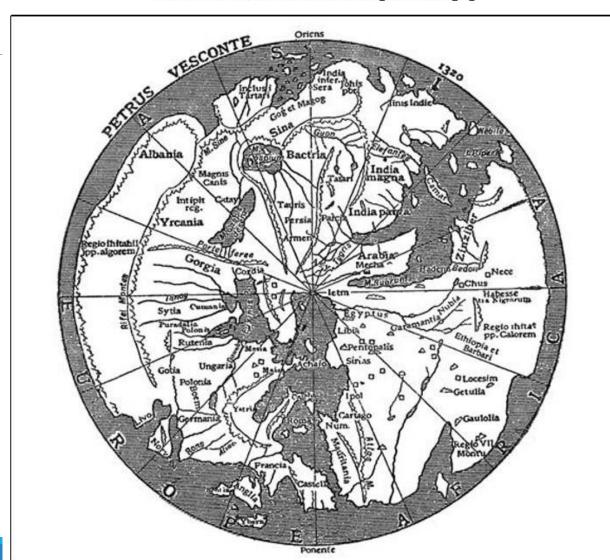
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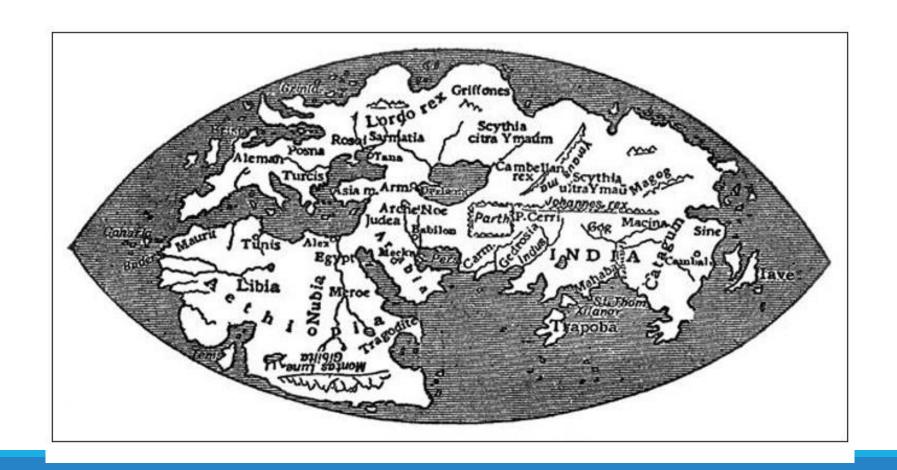
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World map of 1320

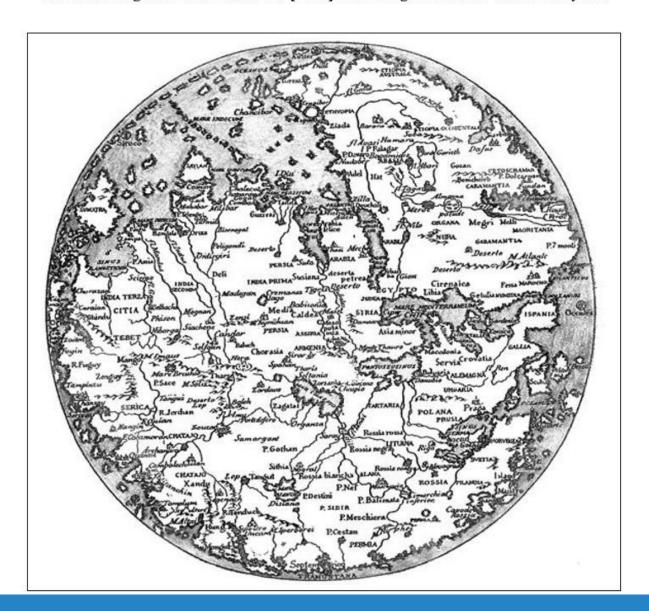
Rhumb lines, Prester John, Gog, and Magog



Document E
"The frivolous tales have been rejected,"
claimed the creator of this 1457 Italian world map



"Our knowledge of the world is now [1457] so much greater than was Ptolemy's..."



Document H

The proposed western route to the East pictured

Reconstruction of Toscanelli's 1474 map showing the Atlantic Ocean

