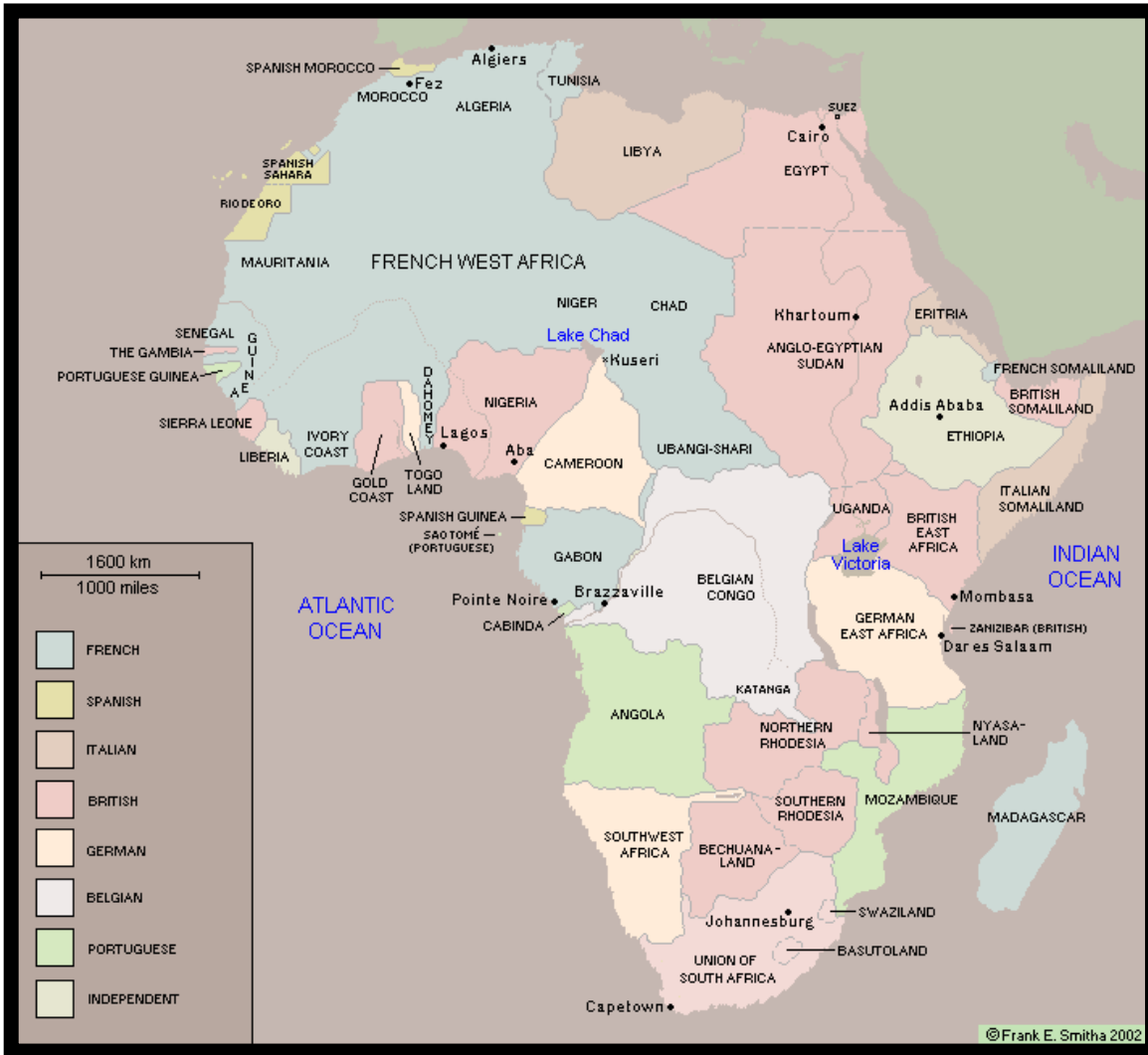


Map of Colonial Africa c.1914



The historic range, suggested by scholars, for the Basenji is basically where tropical forest or woodland savannah exists.

This would be roughly the rain-forest of the western coast and eastward through what was French Equatorial Africa (Gabon, parts of Cameroon and Ubangi-Shari) into the southernmost part of and south to include the Ituri forest westward to the west coast.

All but the Kivu region and eastern mountains of the Belgian Congo would be included in this range.

Some of the earliest, native-bred dogs have come from fairly widespread territories in the Belgian Congo, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, and Uganda; from near the Angolan border on the southwest to the centre of the Congo up to the Ugandan and Anglo-Egyptian Sudanese borders

Fula, the celebrated Basenji bitch of Veronica Tudor-Williams, was found in the area bordering Anglo-Egyptian Sudan and the Belgian Congo