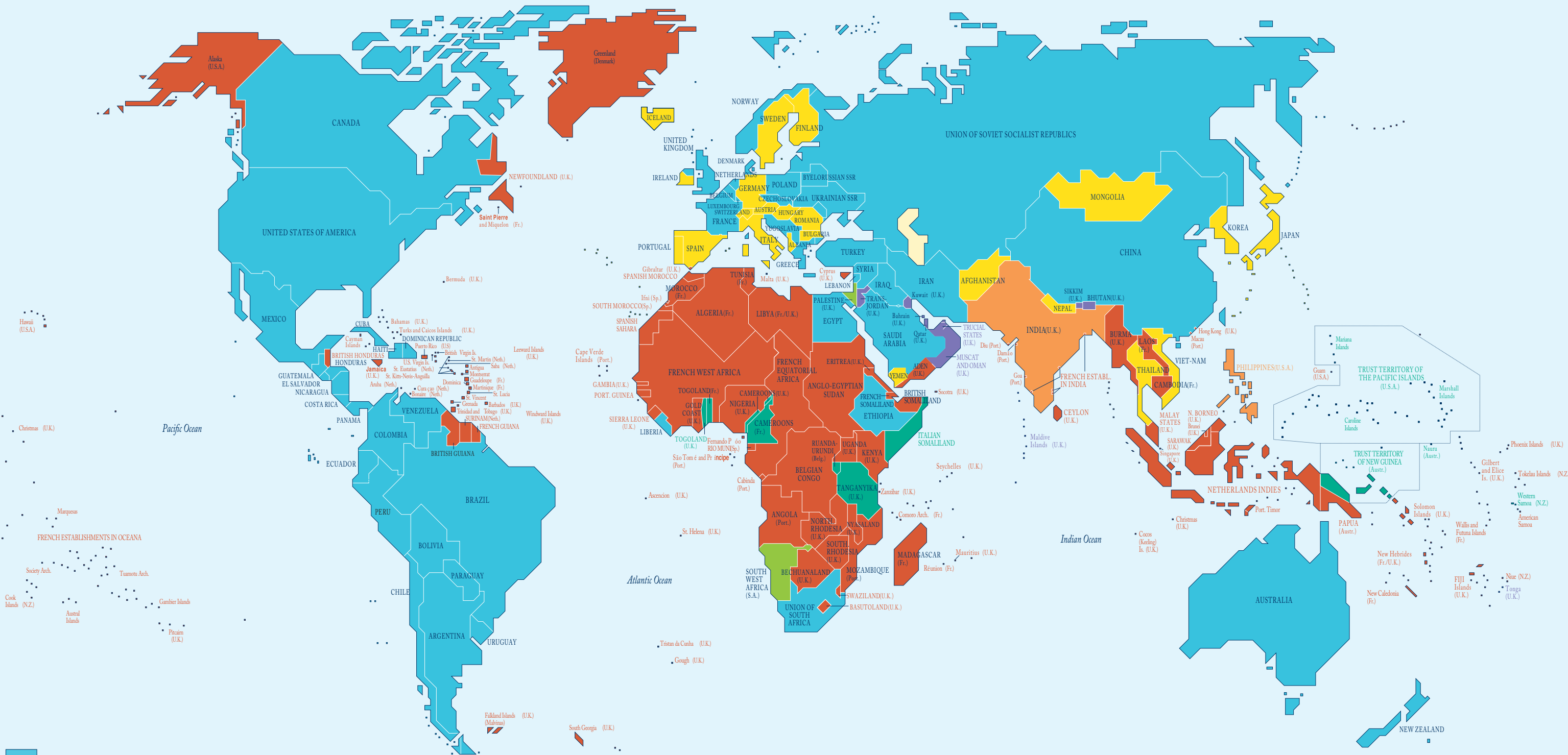


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- The founding Member States of the United Nations
 - United Nations founding Members which celebrated their independence after the creation of the United Nations
 - Territories administered under a League of Nations Mandate
 - States with a special treaty relationship with a United Nations Member State
 - Non-Member States of the United Nations
 - Territories which by 1949 were under the United Nations Trusteeship System
 - Other dependent territories
- The initials in parentheses refer to the administering Power or the Power involved in a special treaty relationship