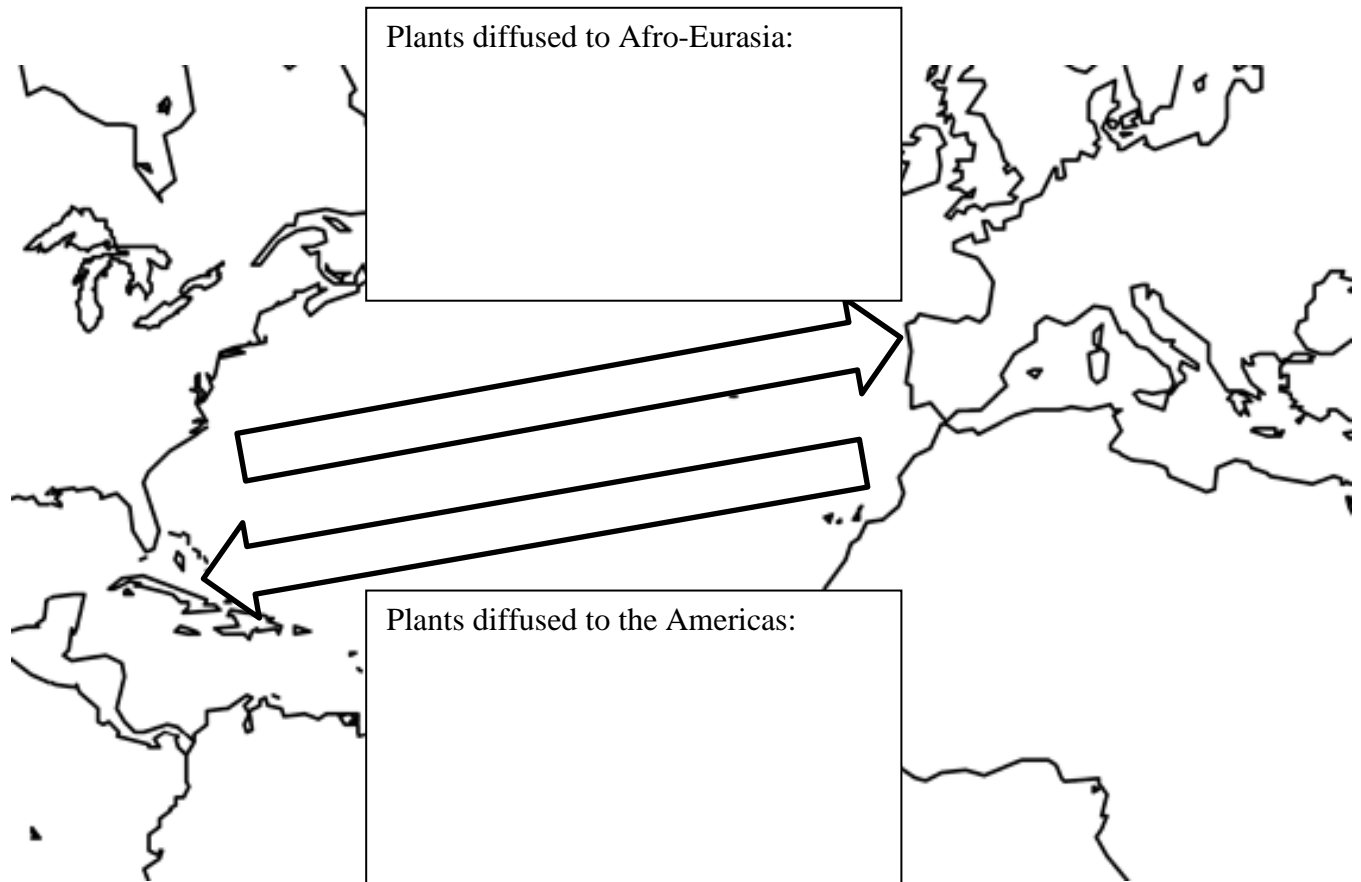


Columbian Exchange

Name: _____

You will fill out 2 maps: each recording a class of organism traded between Afro-Eurasia and The Americas during the Columbian Exchange.

PLANTS

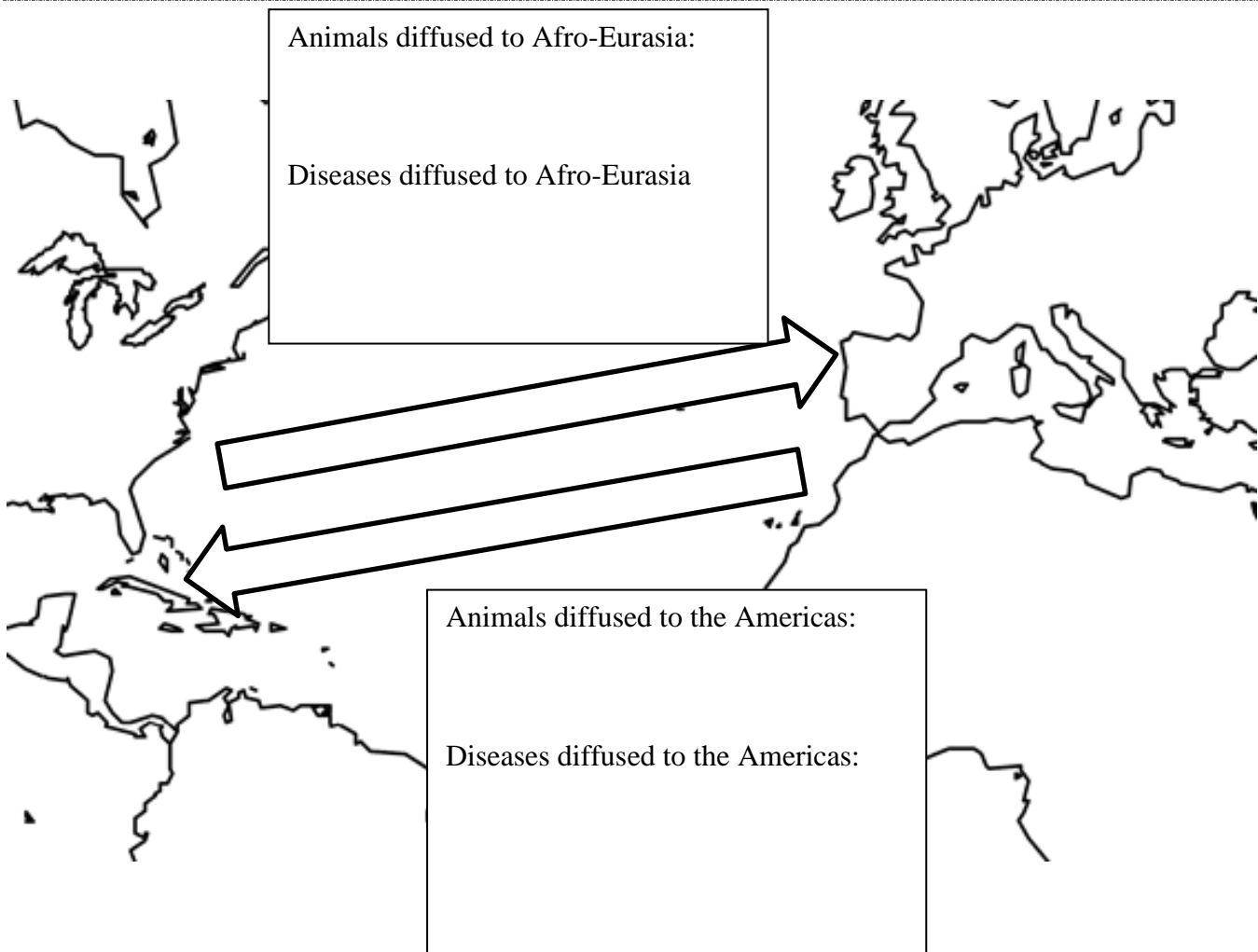


Choose 2 plants you think are particularly important that were traded from Afro-Eurasia and 2 plants from the Americas and list the ways those plants are used.

Americas to Afro-Eurasia		Afro-Eurasia to Americas	
Plant:	Plant:	Plant:	Plant:
How it's used	How it's used	How it's used	How it's used

Who do you think benefitted more from the exchange of plants? Why?

ANIMALS AND DISEASES



How helpful are the animals traded from the Americas to Afro-Eurasia?

How helpful are the animals traded from Afro-Eurasia to the Americas?

[think back to Guns, Germs, Steel] Why are there so many more deadly diseases in Afro-Eurasia than the Americas?

CONCLUSION

Was the Columbian Exchange good for the Americas? Why?

Was the Columbian Exchange good for Afro-Eurasia? Why?