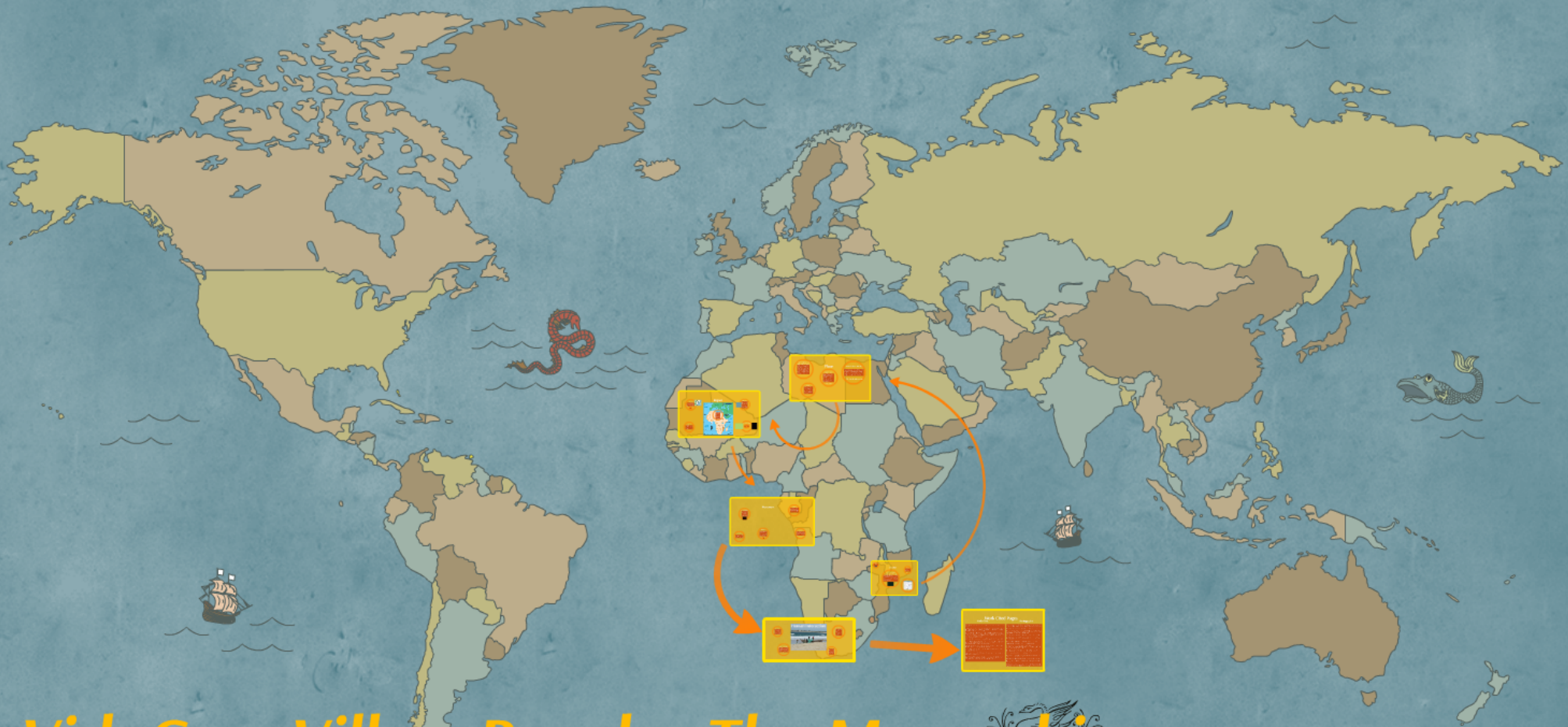




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Venture



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Initial Thoughts

Mozambique , Maputo I know is in the South East, below the equator. I also know that it is in the continent of Africa by other countries including Zimbabwe, Madagascar, Zambia and Tanzania as far as I know.

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Absolute and Relative Location

Mozambique, Maputo is placed at the absolute location of 25.9667 South and 32.5833 West. Relatively, Maputo is just south of the equator along the edge of Africa. Limited in Northern by Province of Gaza, to the south by South Africa, Swaziland and the West by the East, Indian Ocean. Maputo Province capital of the country offer to visitors urban tourism in the city of Maputo, the magnificent beaches of the Indian Ocean coast, and mountain tourism with visits inside the Maputo Special Reserve, the dam of the small idyllic village of Namaacha. Border countries are Malawi, South Africa, Swaziland, Tanzania, Zambia, and Zimbabwe, it shares maritime borders with the Comoros, Madagascar and Mayotte Island (France).



Map



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Reflection

After researching about the Location of Maputo, I learned that it is actually a great place for tourism. It is a beautiful place with great Environmental reserves, beaches and mountains. There its in a great place if you like the heat as well. Mozambique is a great place, I would recommend traveling there if you like the heat and nature. I would like to go there myself!



Initial Thoughts

Since Mozambique is in Africa, I'd assume that it is hot and dry. Most likely in the desert. The people there must wear things that keep them cool in the kind of weather they have. Maputo is the Capital of the of Mozambique. So I would expect it to be crowded with people. Other than that, I think the Maputo would be a great place to live or travel to.

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Human Characteristics

Mozambique is undergoing a dramatic transformation in its economic structure. The country has sustained growth of on average 8% over the 10 years to 2011. Economic growth is set to remain above 7.5% in the period 2012 to 2017. Mozambique's population is growing, (23 million presently), and urbanizing (around 4 million now) of which a part is becoming increasingly affluent. On-going activities in the natural resources sector (coal and gas in particular) will underpin a structural improvement in Mozambique's external sector, growing and diversifying export revenues, while attracting considerable amounts of foreign direct investments. In the first 10 months of 2012 Brazil, as the major foreign investor in Mozambique, invested € 650 million, Portugal € 121 million and South-Africa € 79 million.



Natural Characteristics

The climate of the Maputo River Basin is for the most part sub-tropical, but varies considerably from west to east. In the west, the climate of the interior plateau is temperate and sub-humid, the Lowveld is semi-arid and warm, and the Coastal Plain is warm to hot and humid. Along the south eastern coast of Africa, warm, moisture laden air of the subtropical eastern maritime system moves in from the sea in response to the movement of the ITCZ. Mean annual rainfall over the Maputo River Basin vary from about 500 mm/year in the Makhathini Flats on the Coastal Plain, to about 1400 mm/year in the vicinity of Mbabane on the Escarpment.

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