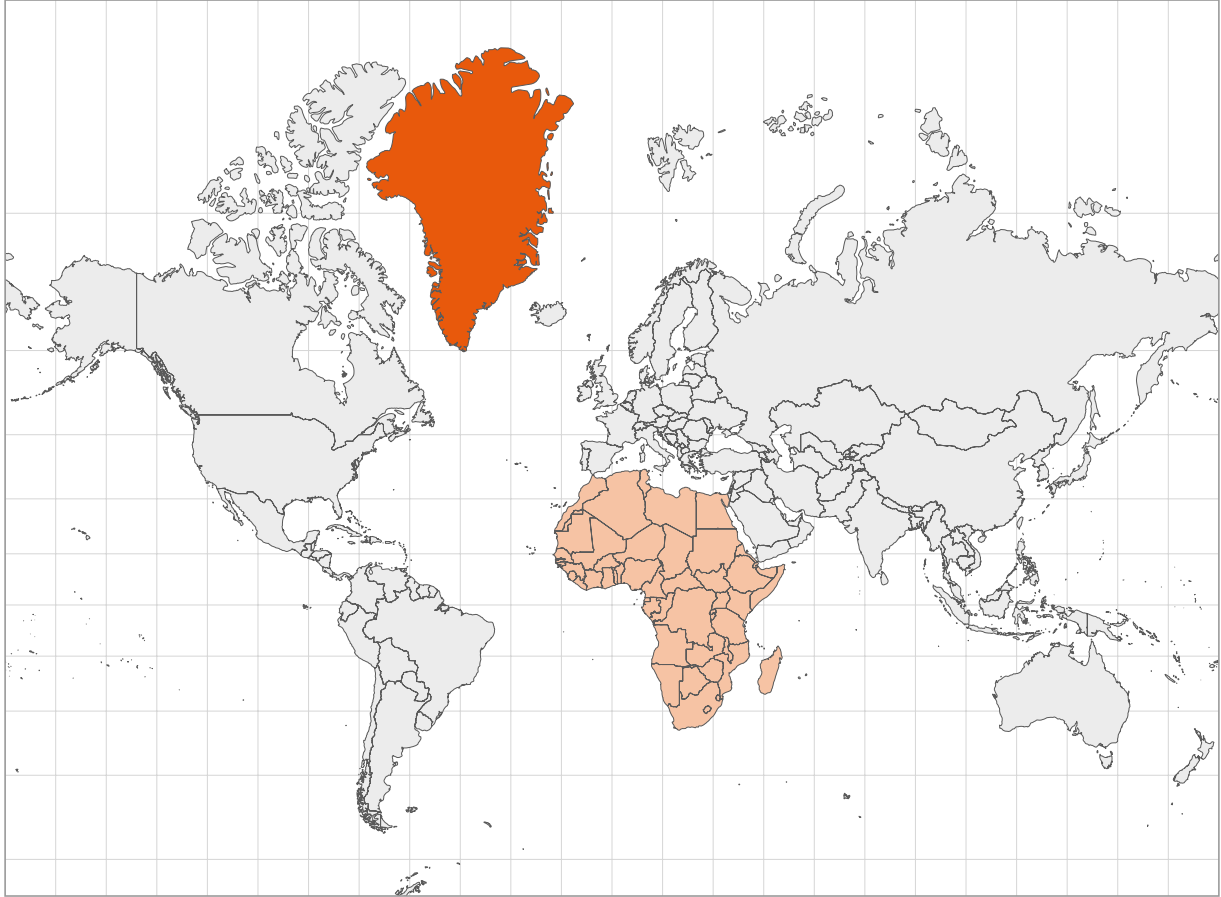


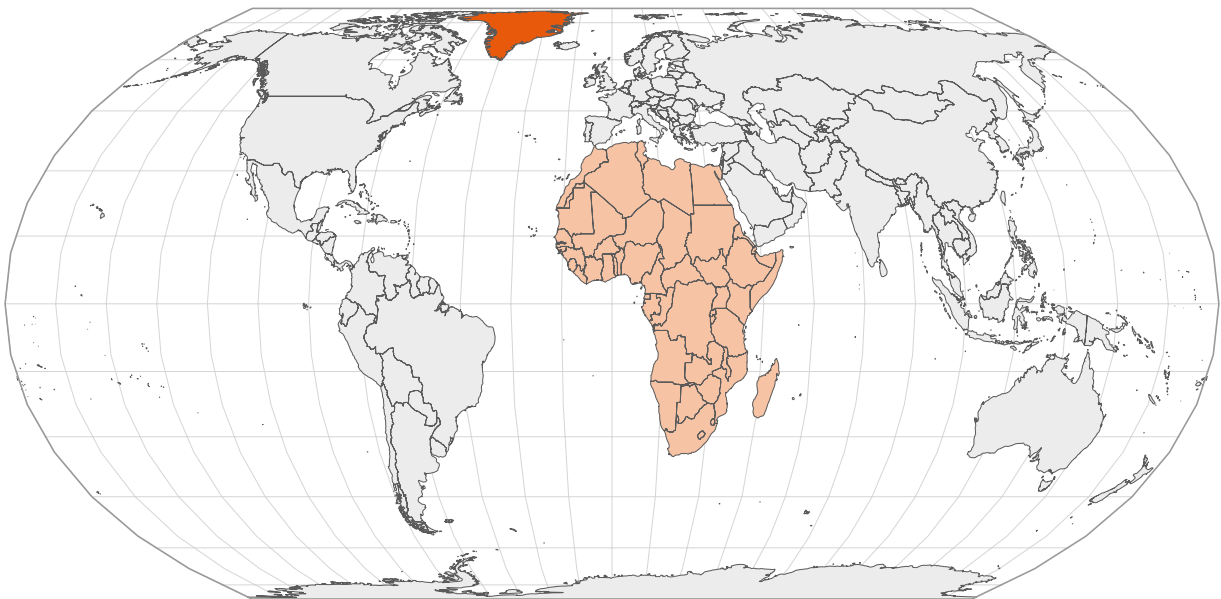
Mercator vs Equal Earth

The same world in two projections

Mercator Conformal: angles are true, areas grow toward the poles.



Equal Earth Equal-area: sizes are true, shapes are compressed at the edges.



Greenland Africa

On Mercator, Greenland looks about as big as Africa. In reality, Africa is 14 times larger.