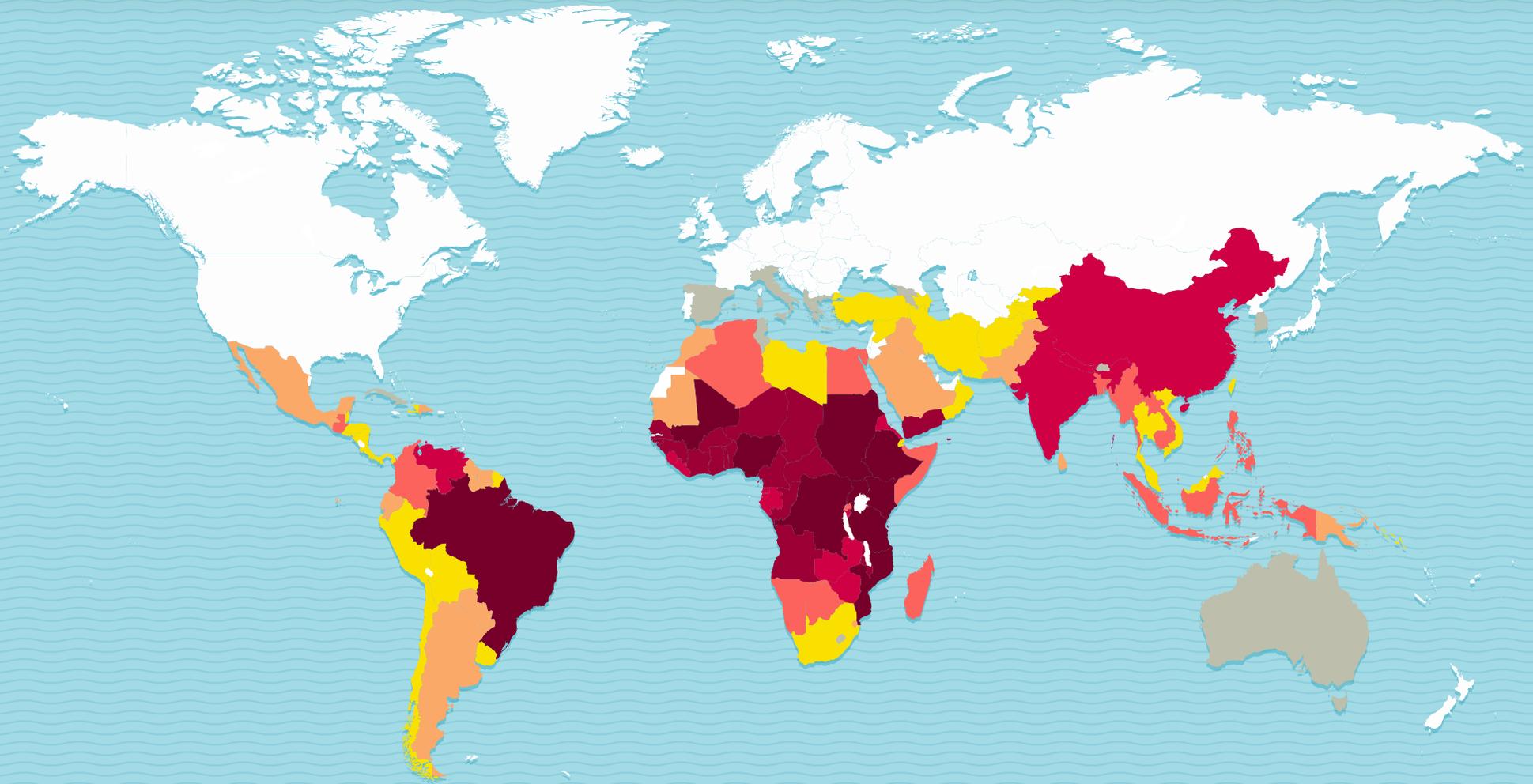


Burden of Neglected Tropical Diseases

▶ On 30 January 2012, leading pharmaceutical companies, the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, donor organizations, NTD-endemic country representatives and non-governmental organizations gathered in London to announce a series of coordinated commitments to help reach WHO goals to control or eliminate ten Neglected Tropical Diseases (NTDs) by 2020. These infectious diseases afflict 1.4 billion of the world's poorest.

This map displays countries endemic for each of these diseases based on 2009-2010 data and international borders.

- Blinding Trachoma
- Chagas Disease
- Guinea Worm
- Sleeping Sickness
- Lymphatic Filariasis
- Leprosy
- River Blindness
- Soil-Transmitted Helminthes
- Schistosomiasis
- Visceral Leishmaniasis



Number of NTDs
Endemic per Country

1	2	3	4	5	6	7+
Light Yellow	Yellow	Orange	Red-Orange	Red	Dark Red	Dark Purple