

Solutions

Each answer shows the steps, then the **result**.

2.1

- to expand and control their economies and to claim overseas territories

2.2

- silver flowed globally, especially from Spanish colonies in the Americas, buying Asian goods for Atlantic markets and satisfying Chinese demand

2.3

(a)

- goods, wealth and labour, including enslaved persons

(b)

- African, American and European cultures and peoples mixed, with all parties contributing to the synthesis

3.1 B

- state rivalry through commerce

3.2 A

- the CED specifies them

3.3

(a)

- a single global circuit of exchange

(b)

- the silver had a buyer only because of Chinese demand, and the Asian goods had a market only because of Atlantic demand