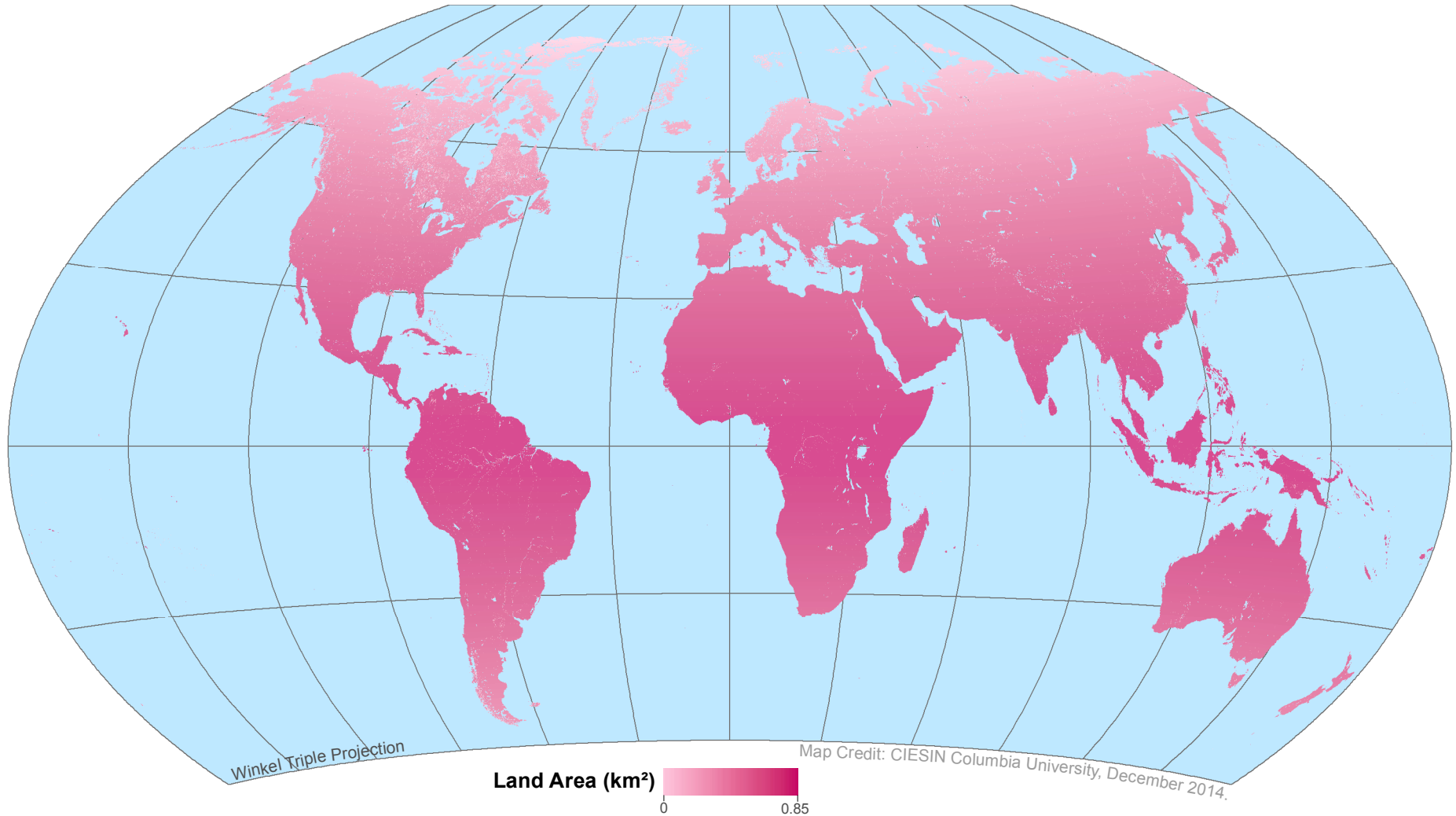


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Gridded Population of the World, Version 4



Gridded Population of the World, Version 4 (GPWv4) consists of estimates of human population for the years 2000, 2005, 2010, 2015, and 2020 by 30 arc-second grid cells (1 km²) and associated data sets circa 2010. A proportional allocation gridding algorithm, utilizing approximately 12.5 million national and sub-national administrative units, is used to assign population values to grid cells. The land area grid measures land area in square kilometers. It permits the summation of land area (i.e. area without permanent ice and water) at the same resolution as the population density and count grids.

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