

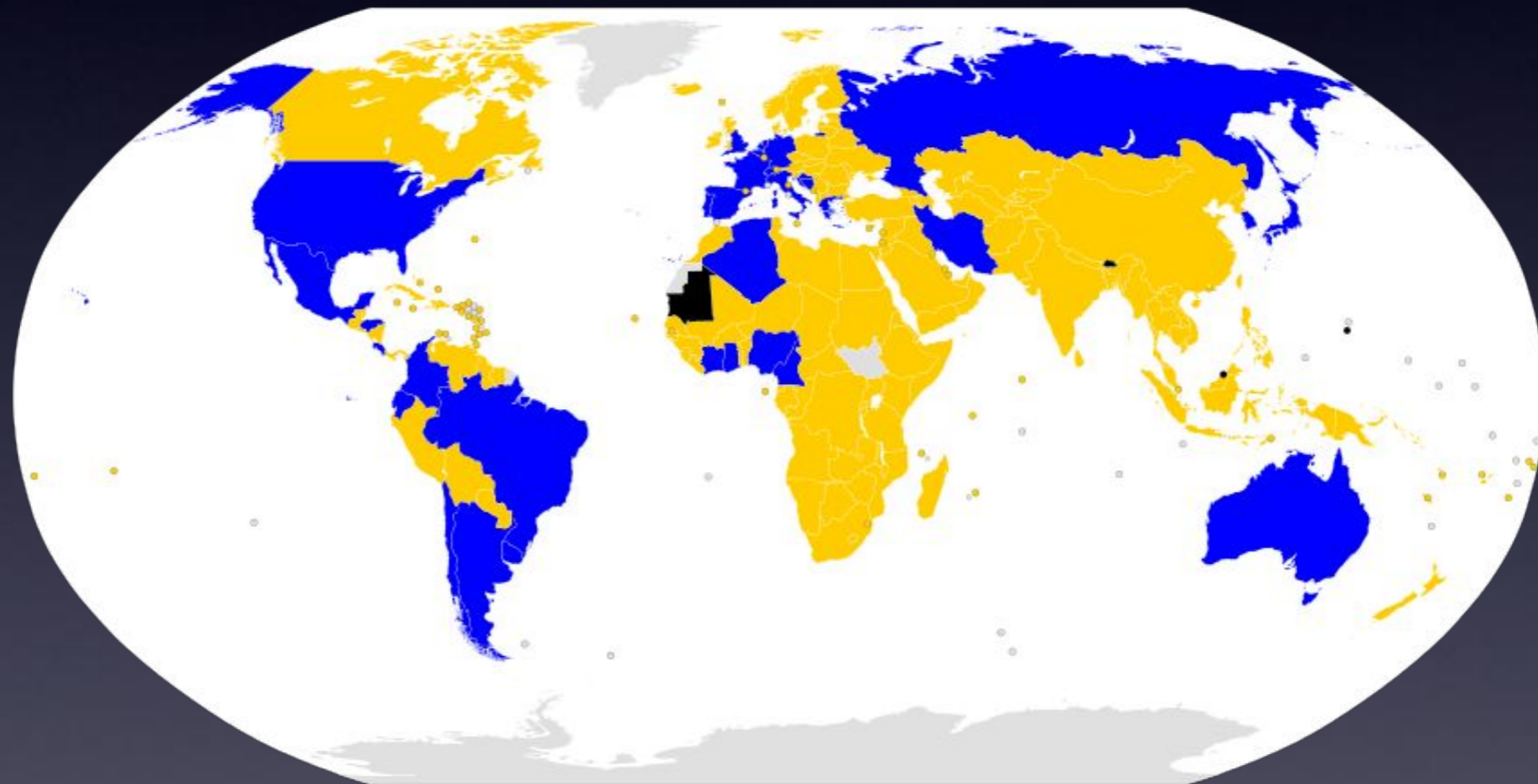
2014 FIFA World Cup

Brazil



- The 20th FIFA World Cup took place in Brazil from 12 June to 13 July 2014.
- It was the second time that Brazil staged the competition (the first was in 1950), and the fifth time that it was held in South America.

At the beginning 209 teams took part, but only 32 national teams advanced through qualification competitions to join the host nation in the final tournament. As the winners, Germany qualified for the [2017 FIFA Confederations Cup](#) in Russia.

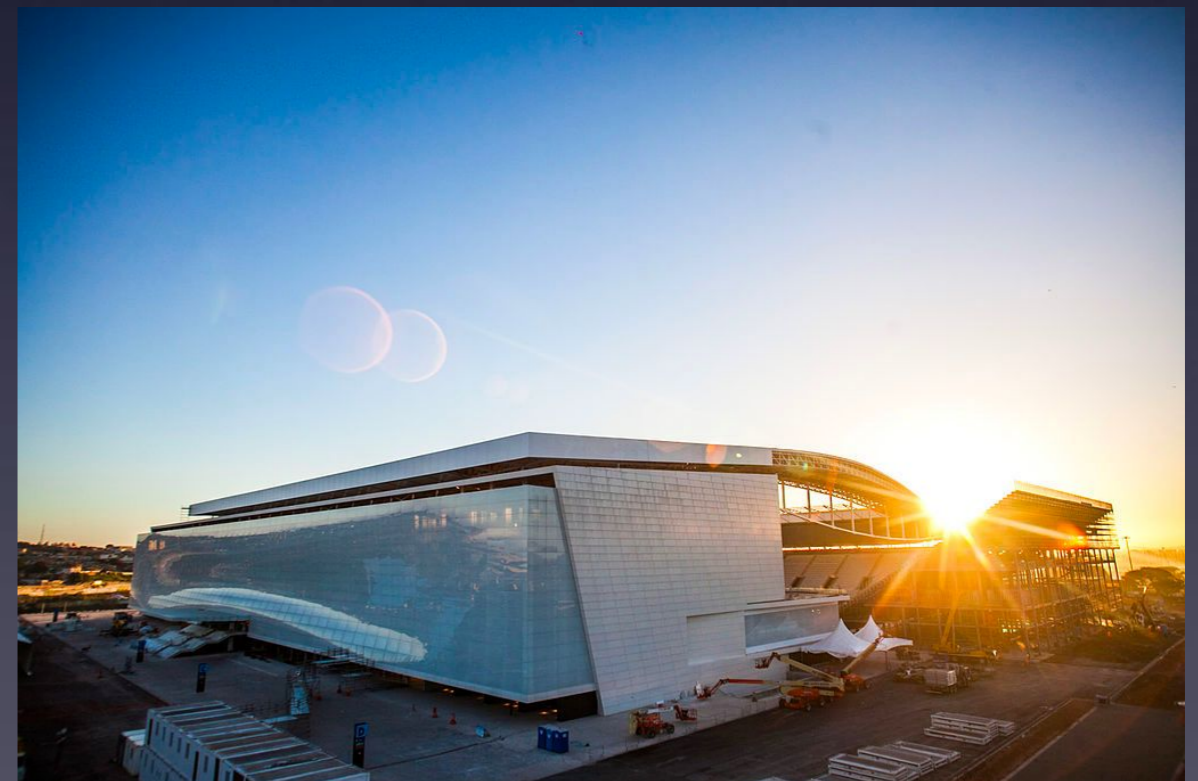


World Cup 2014 venues



- 12 venues (seven new and five renovated) in twelve cities were selected for the tournament.

- My favorite one is this one which called Arena de São Paulo.





- The World Cup mascot was armadillo.

- The most famous player from this World Cup was Manuel Peter Neuer. Neuer won the Golden Glove award for the tournament's best goalkeeper.





- I think, that Brazil is also famous for tennis, car race, horseracing.



- Thank you for your attention

