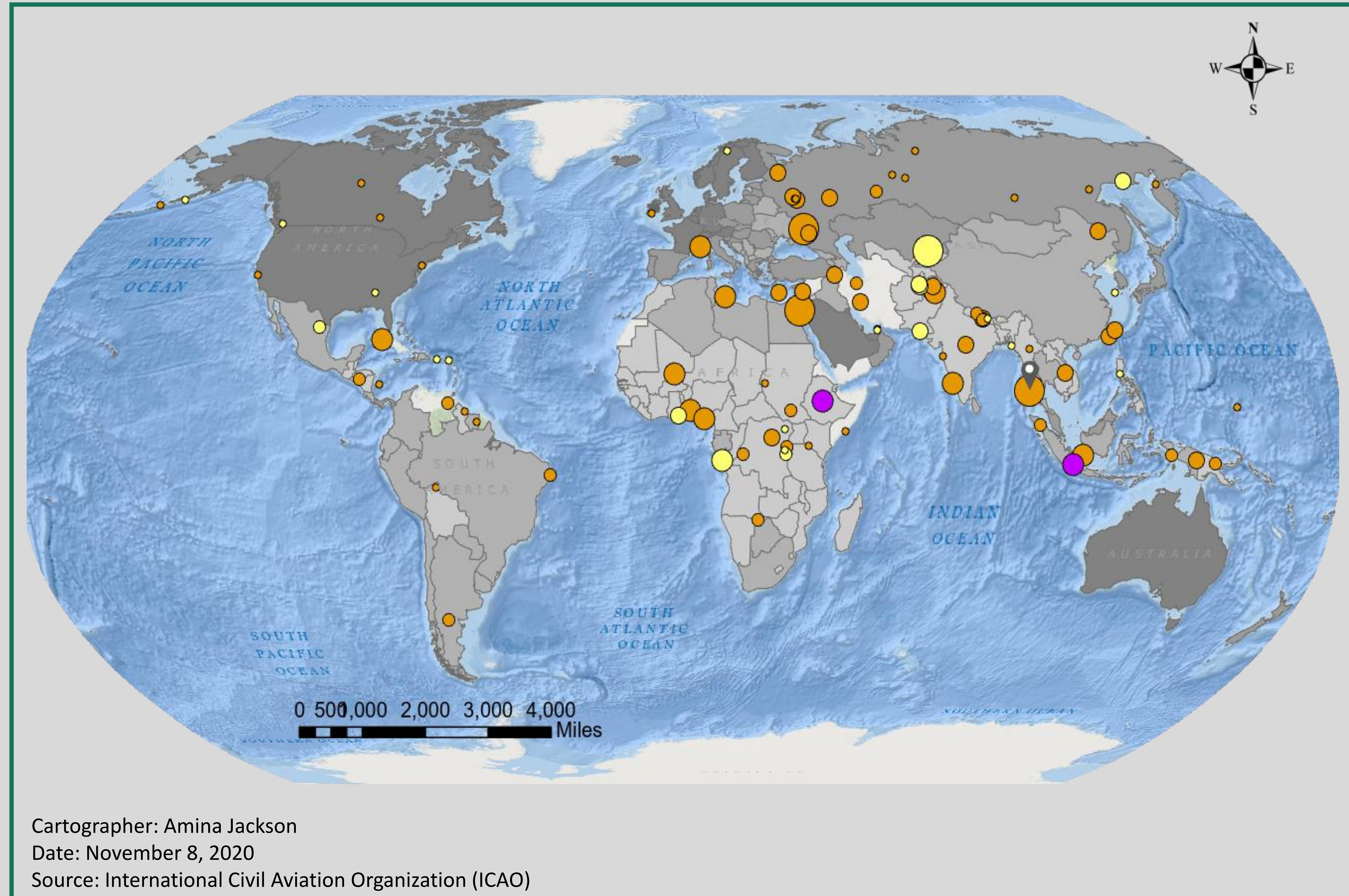


# 2010-2019 Fatal Aircraft Accidents



## BACKGROUND

Before the devastating impact of COVID-19, more than eight million people traveled by air every single day. According to the International Air Transport Association (IATA), the number of air travelers is expected to increase to 7.2 billion passengers by 2035 from just 3.8 billion in 2016. The rapid growth of air travel inevitably led to increased comprehensive safety measures and rigorous pilot training. In doing so, traveling by air is now considered the safest method of transportation. However, aircraft accidents still occur due to a range of causes from pilot error, design flaws (Boeing 737 Max), weather, ill-equipped airports, or a grave combination. This map displays fatal aircraft accident crash sites around the world between 2010 and 2019.

