

## Partial List of Countries “Colored” by the Western Ruling Class

Country	Resources	Status	Colored	Invaded	Outcome
Afghanistan	opium, gold, platinum, silver, copper, iron, cobalt, chromite, lithium, rare earths, uranium, aluminum, zinc, mercury	Independence 1919. Dominated by UK, then USSR, then US		2001	Top opium producer since 2001. US occupied.
Azerbaijan	<b>oil, gas, <a href="#">geostrategic location</a></b> , gold, silver, iron, copper, titanium, chromium, manganese, cobalt +	Soviet. Independence 1991.	2005 green, orange		Colors failed. US <a href="#">still trying</a>
Bolivia	<b>oil, gas, <a href="#">lithium</a></b> , gold, silver, tungsten, zinc, lead, tin	Socialist, pluralist 2005- <a href="#">2019</a>	<a href="#">2019</a>		<a href="#">Christian Fascist</a> Nations resources sold.
Brazil	<b>oil</b> , bauxite, gold, iron, manganese, nickel, phosphates, platinum, tin, clay, rare earths	Socialist 2002-2016	2016		US puppet state with <a href="#">Far Right</a> leader
Ecuador	<b>oil</b> , gold, silver	Socialist 2006-2017	2017		US puppet, <a href="#">Neoliberal leader</a>
Iran (7)	<b>gas, oil</b> ,	1943 Independence; Islamic Republic 1979	2009 green unsuccessful	1953	US/UK imposed Shah; Thefts, sanctions, attacks, invasions; Republic stands.
Iraq (1)	<b>oil, gas</b> , phosphates, sulphur	Fought over since WWI		2003	<a href="#">Ordered</a> US out 2020. US remains.
Libya (4)	<b>oil, gas</b> , iron, gypsum, silica, phosphate, limestone.	<a href="#">Top African literacy</a> , <a href="#">GDP, health, housing</a> Led unity, <a href="#">gold dinar</a>		2011	US attacked. Leader brutally murdered. Failed state, chaos, war.
Somalia (3)	<b>gas</b> , uranium, iron ore, tin, gypsum, bauxite, copper, salt	coup 1969; SRSP 1976; allied w/ West 1986	1969 coup 1986		War since 1986. <a href="#">US troops in Somalia.</a>
Sudan (5)	<b>oil</b> , iron, copper, chromium, zinc, tungsten, mica, silver, gold	Major African state Ties to <a href="#">Russia, China</a>	2011 2019 blue		Largest African state split <a href="#">5 ways</a> <a href="#">aids only US</a> , West.
Syria (2)	<b>oil</b> , phosphate, iron, chrome, manganese, marble, gypsum, asphalt, salt	Modern, Arab leader	2011	2011	Defeated ISIS [sic] twice. US, Turkey, Israel extend war
Ukraine	<b>gas, <a href="#">geostrategic location</a></b> , grain	USSR, independence 1991	2014 orange		Chaos, debt. Crimea leaves. Donbass revolts.
Venezuela	<b>oil, gas</b> , gold, nickel, iron ore, steel, diamond, coal, bauxite, asphalt	1999-5 <sup>th</sup> Republic - Socialist	2018-19 failed tries	2002, 2018--	Thefts, sanctions, attacks, invasions; Republic stands.
Yemen (6)	<b>oil, gas</b> , coal, gold, lead, nickel, copper, <a href="#">strategic location</a> at chokepoint of Bab el-Mandeb Strait between Red Sea, Gulf of Aden	Communists (South), Houthis (North) fight colonialist countries.	<a href="#">Rebellions</a> in 2004, 2011 <a href="#">“coffee”</a>	2015 Saudi invasion	Saudi Arabia - US attacks. World’s worst humanitarian crisis. <a href="#">Still fighting.</a>

**GREEN** indicates countries still resisting. Numbers (1),(2)... are the seven countries [slated by the US to be overthrown](#) “within five years”.