1. Using the notes from the PowerPoint and Pg. 252 and 254 of your textbook, fill in both sides of the t-chart – the positive effects of Portuguese exploration and the negative effects of Portuguese exploration

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1. Review the feature on Machiavelli on page 223 (Remember he’s the one from the Renaissance that said “it’s better to be feared than loved”). Machiavelli wrote this right about the same time as Da Gama conducted his voyages.
2. What similarities can you see between Machiavelli’s advice and Da Gama’s methods?
3. What do their thoughts and actions tell us about moral/ethical principles of civilization during the Age of Exploration?
4. What do YOU think of this statement: “Vasco Da Gama was a good leader because he was ruthless”. Explain your answer.