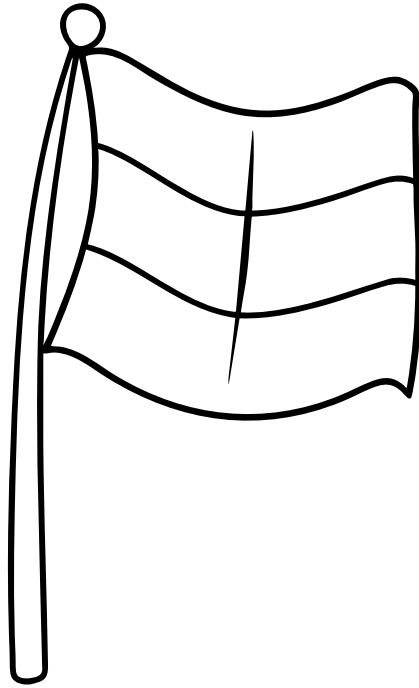


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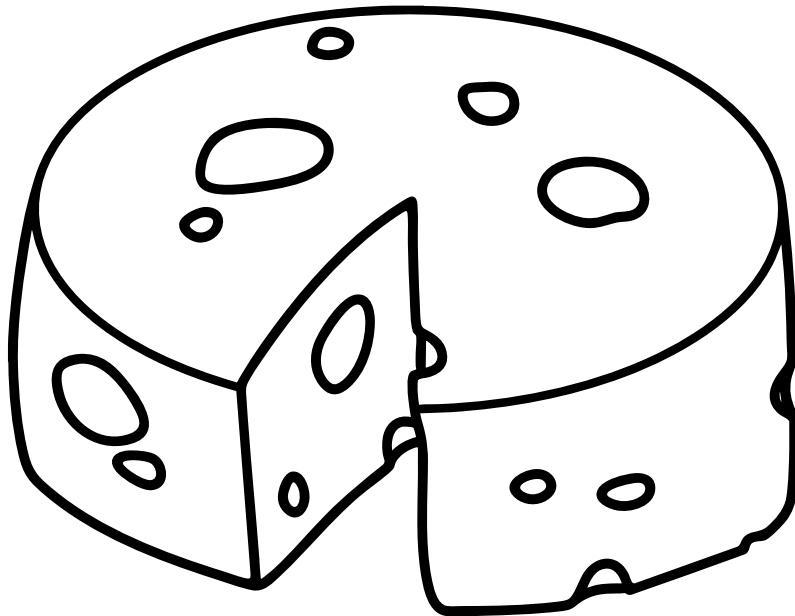
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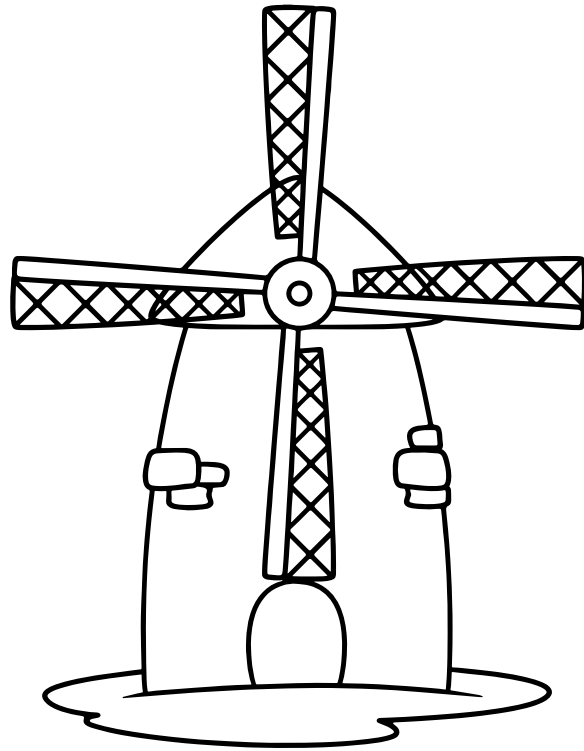
Italy is located in southern Europe. It looks like a boot and is surrounded by the Mediterranean Sea.



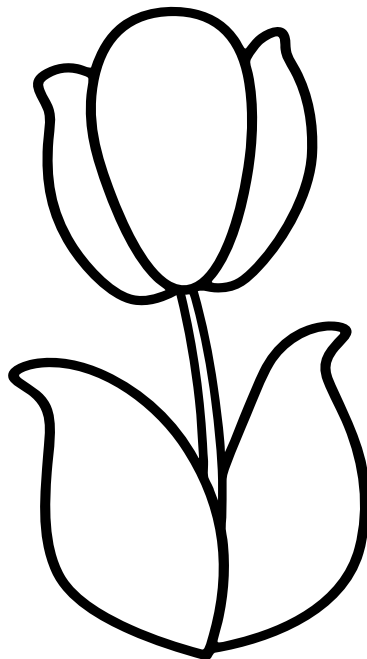
The flag of the Netherlands has three horizontal stripes of red, white, and blue. It is one of the oldest tricolors still in use today.



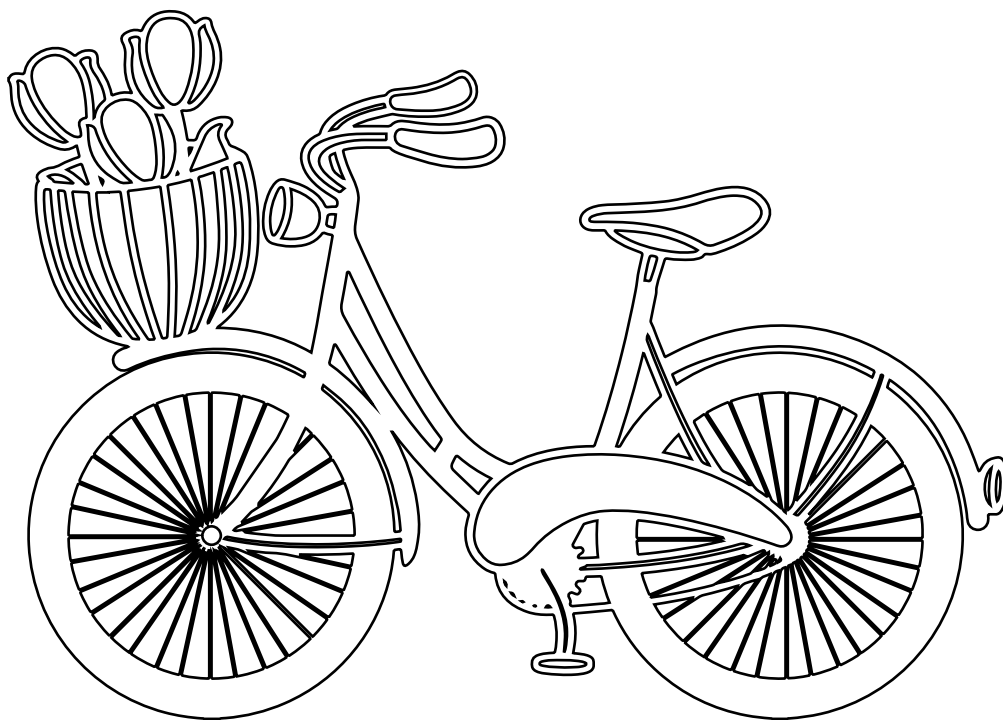
The Netherlands is famous for cheese, especially Gouda and Edam. Dutch people also love pancakes and stroopwafels (sweet caramel waffles).



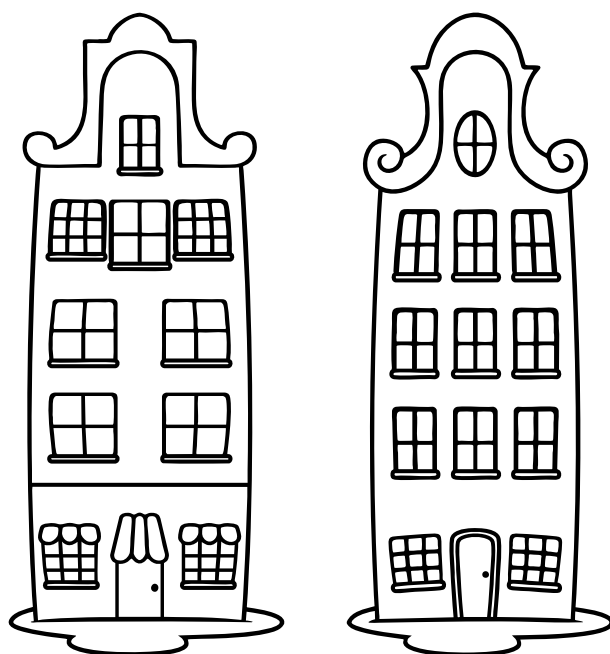
The Netherlands is famous for its windmills, which have been used for centuries to pump water and grind grain.



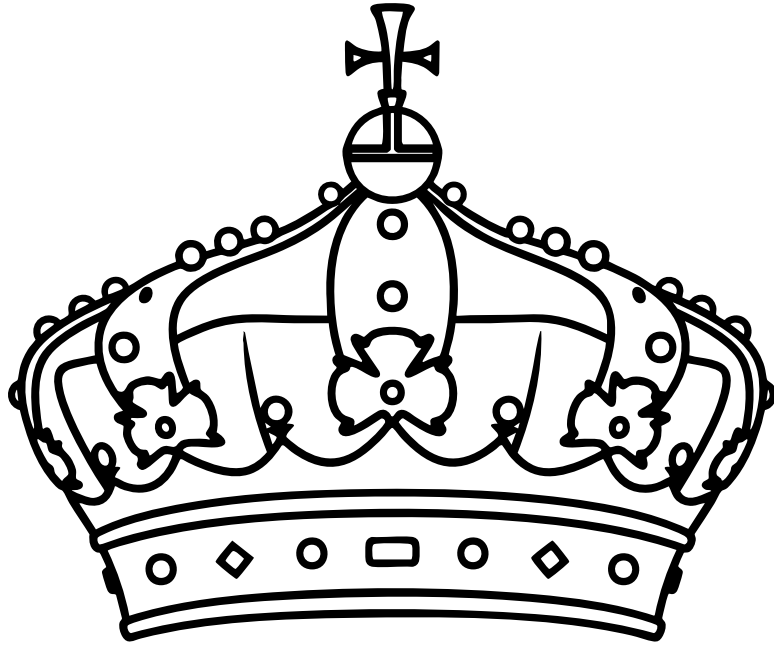
Tulips are a symbol of the Netherlands. Every spring, colorful tulip fields bloom and attract visitors from around the world.



Bicycles are everywhere in the Netherlands. It is known as one of the most bike-friendly countries in the world.



Amsterdam, the capital city, is known for its canals, narrow houses, and many museums. It is sometimes called the “Venice of the North.”



The Royal Palace in Amsterdam is an important landmark. It is one of three palaces in the country that is at the king's disposal.