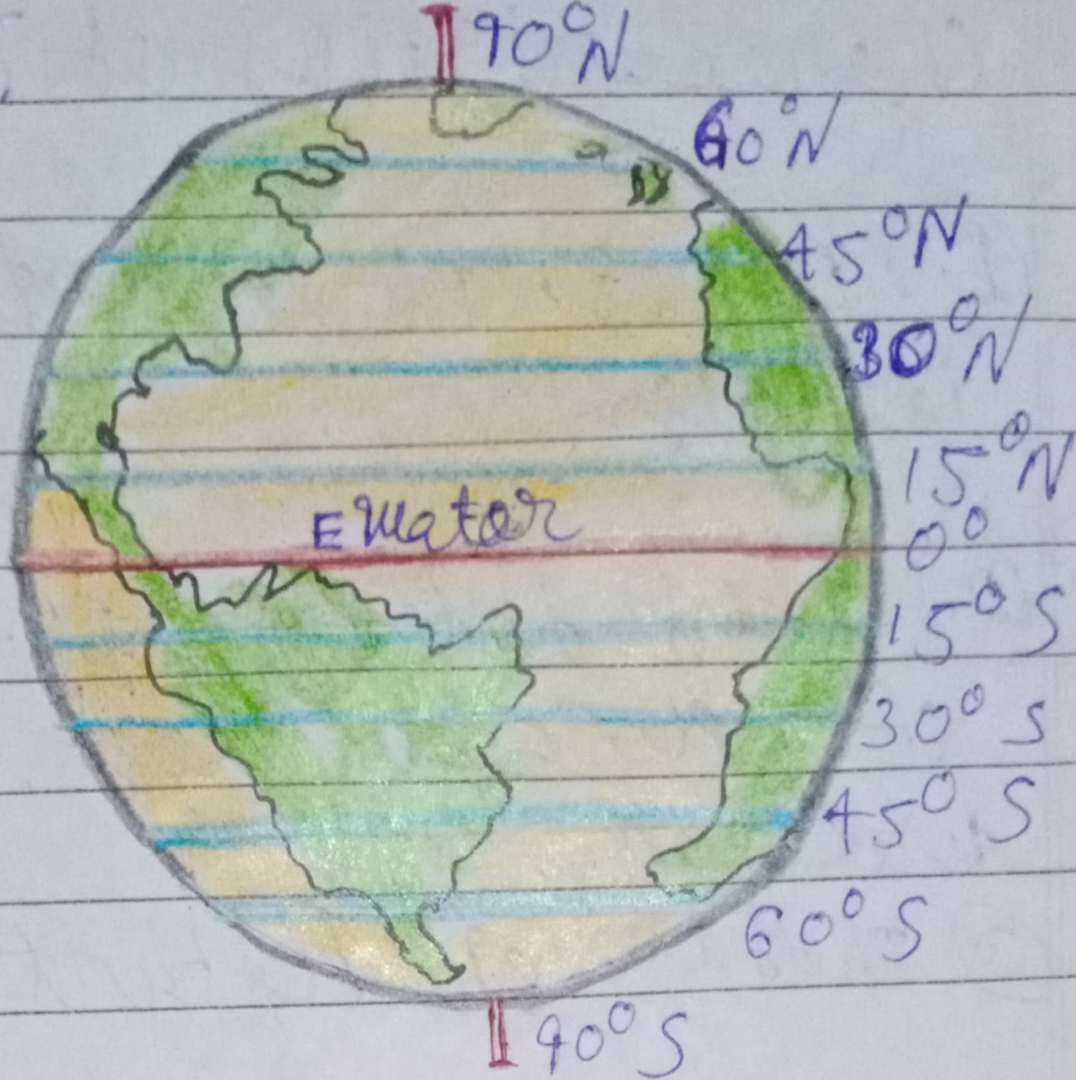


equal halves.

Lines of  
Latitude or  
Parallels →



1. Besides the equator ( $0^\circ$ ), the North Pole ( $90^\circ N$ ) and the South Pole ( $90^\circ S$ ), there are four important parallels at latitudes —

1. Tropic of Cancer ( $23\frac{1}{2}^\circ N$ ) in the Northern Hemisphere.

2. Tropic of Capricorn ( $23\frac{1}{2}^\circ S$ )

3. Arctic Circle at  $66\frac{1}{2}^\circ$  north of the equator.

4. Antarctic Circle at  $66\frac{1}{2}^\circ$  south of the equator.