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***Formation of the North Central Atlantic Ocean by
Sea Floor Spreading***

 Shows the growth of the North Central Atlantic Ocean between Africa and North America from 170 million years ago to the present.

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