

Period Name

ancient = 1
pre-medieval = 2
medieval = 3
early medieval = 4
high medieval = 5
late medieval = 6
early modern = 7
industrial = 8

Topography

coastal = 1
major river flood plain = 2
valley of major river = 3
plains = 4
rolling (low hills) = 5
mountains = 6

Elevation

sea level -100 meters = 1
100-300 m = 2
300-1000 m = 3
1000-3000m = 4
3000+m = 5

Settlement Size

Mobile = 1
rural = 2
village (n=<1000 people) = 3
town (n=1000-10,000) = 4
small city (n=10,000-25,000) = 5
major city (n=25,000-100,000) = 6
mega city (n=100,000+) = 7

Socioeconomic Structure

hunter-gatherers = 1
farming community = 2
craft or artisan workers = 3
factory workers = 4
mining = 5
fishing = 6
forestry = 7
military = 8
religious order = 9
hospital population = 10
prison population = 11
other = 12