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RIVERS OF THE WORLD

Amazon

Caño Cristales

Congo

Euphrates

Ganges

Mekong

Nile

Puerto Princesa

Yangtze

Yarlung Tsangpo

1. one of the rivers that gave rise to the ancient Mesopotamian civilization, along with the Tigris
2. a river that flows from the Tibetan mountains to Myanmar, Laos, Cambodia, Thailand, and Vietnam
3. a river considered sacred by the Hindus
4. an underground river that flows 8 km underground, through a cave, and empties into the West Philippine Sea
5. the third longest river in the world
6. a river in South America that is considered one of the two longest rivers in the world, along with the Nile
7. a river in South America whose colorful appearance at certain months is in part due to *Macarenia clavigera*
8. a river that overflowed its banks annually, leaving a fertile plain that enabled the rise of the Egyptian civilization
9. a river that, along with its tributaries, forms the largest network of navigable waterways in Africa
10. a river sometimes referred to as "the Everest of rivers"