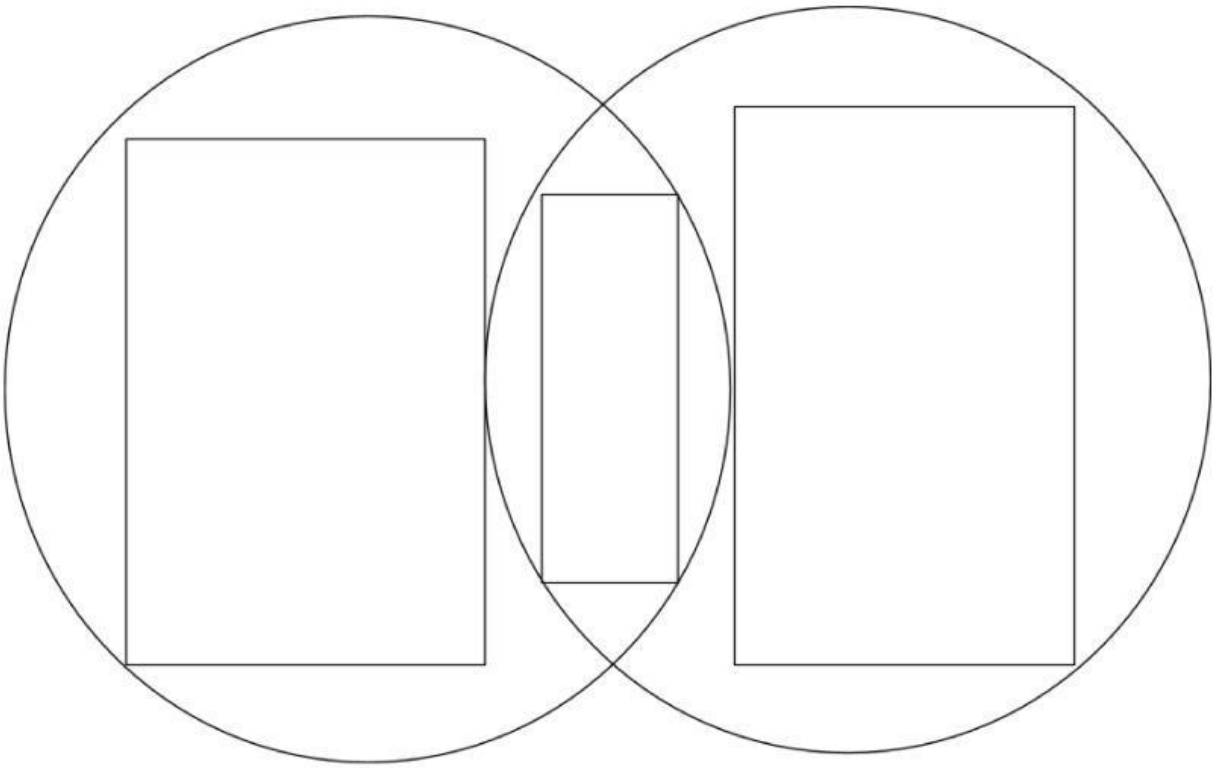


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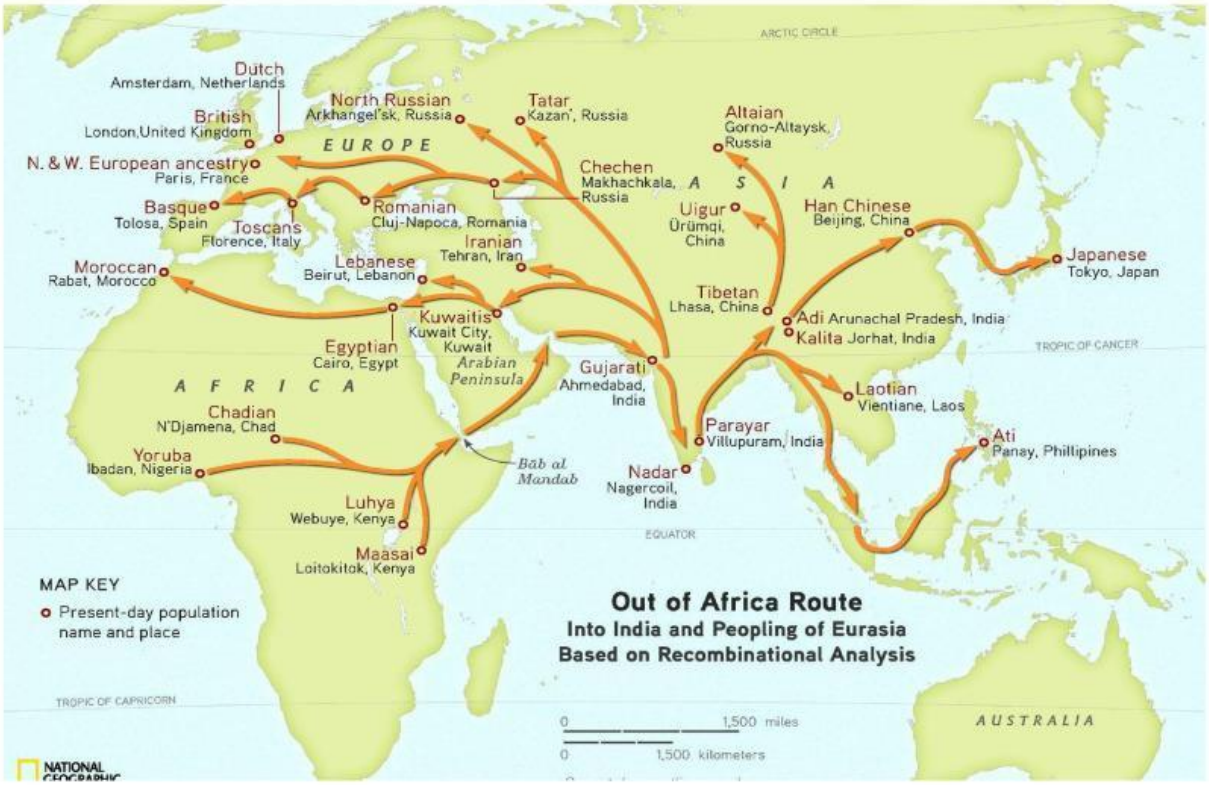
Hunter and Gatherers

Hunter/gatherer → group of people who get their food

hunt and fish

find it growing wild – edible fruits and nuts, seeds and roots

They do not grow any food. Also called NOMAD



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Fishing was done using spears, bow and arrow, nets, and even fish hooks. As time went on, some early humans build canoes and rafts to go out into deeper water to catch larger fish.

What did early humans use to fish?

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Match the pictures with the correct meaning.

	Spear
	Bow and arrow
	Hook and line
	Nets

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They became good hunters. Hunters mostly went after herd beasts such as deer, woolly mammoth, and saber-toothed tigers!

		
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❓ Why did early humans have to hunt and gather food?

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They had bows and stone tipped arrows, stone spears, stone knives and axes, and they built snares and pits to catch animals.

❓ What tools did early humans use to hunt for food?

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Over time, early man learned how to make smoke and preserve meat to help feed themselves during the long cold winters.

❓ Why did early humans preserve food?

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During the summer months, they would follow the herds and hunt. During the winter they returned to their winter camps.

It took a long time for man to settle down and learn how to plant and harvest crops. For millions of years, man was a hunter and gatherer.

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Herd beasts	
snares	
pits	
preserve	

https://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/listen-watch/short-stories/dinosaur-dig

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