

Development & Inequity

CIVGAME: Capital city site selection

Task: Research + record geographic data

Name _____

Directions

Below are two sets of data. One set gives a list of *high-yield crops* (foods that can be grown in abundance to generate a surplus). The other data set lists the world's most productive species of *domesticable animals* (animals that have been tamed for human use relative to farming and food production).

Research each subject's *indigenous or natural origin* (where in the world the plant or animal *first* emerged).

1. For plants: Use www.google.com. (Type "origin of ____"),
2. For animals: Use www.wikipedia.com. (Type "list of domesticated animals").

Write the site or region of origin in the box provided.

PLANT SPECIES	Indigenous Origins
Wheat	
Corn / Maize	
Yams	
Plantains	
Sorghum	
Sweet potatoes	
Soybeans	
Potatoes	
Rice	
Cassava	

ANIMAL SPECIES	Indigenous Origins
Goats	
Sheep	
Pigs	
Cows/Cattle	
Horses	
Donkeys	
Bactrian camels	
Water buffalo	
Llamas	
Yaks	
Bali cattle	
Chicken	
Turkey	

Define these vocabulary terms (use www.dictionary.com):

Indigenous (adjective):

Domesticate (verb):

Yield (verb):

Nomad (noun):

Agrarian (adjective):