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Illustrated landscape



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Schematic geography. Approximate site locations. Simplified waterways. Coastline from Natural Earth via World Atlas.

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