

LESSON-1

WHAT, WHERE, HOW AND WHEN ?

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INTRODUCTION

- ***This chapter deals with how people lived in early days, what did they do, what was their food, what did they use in early days etc. We will see these things in this chapter.***



Where did early people live?



- *In olden days people lived on the banks of rivers. There were people who lived on the banks of river Narmada. They gathered food from the nearby forests and also hunted animals. People also lived on the banks of river Indus and the river Ganga.*

About some of the earliest cities

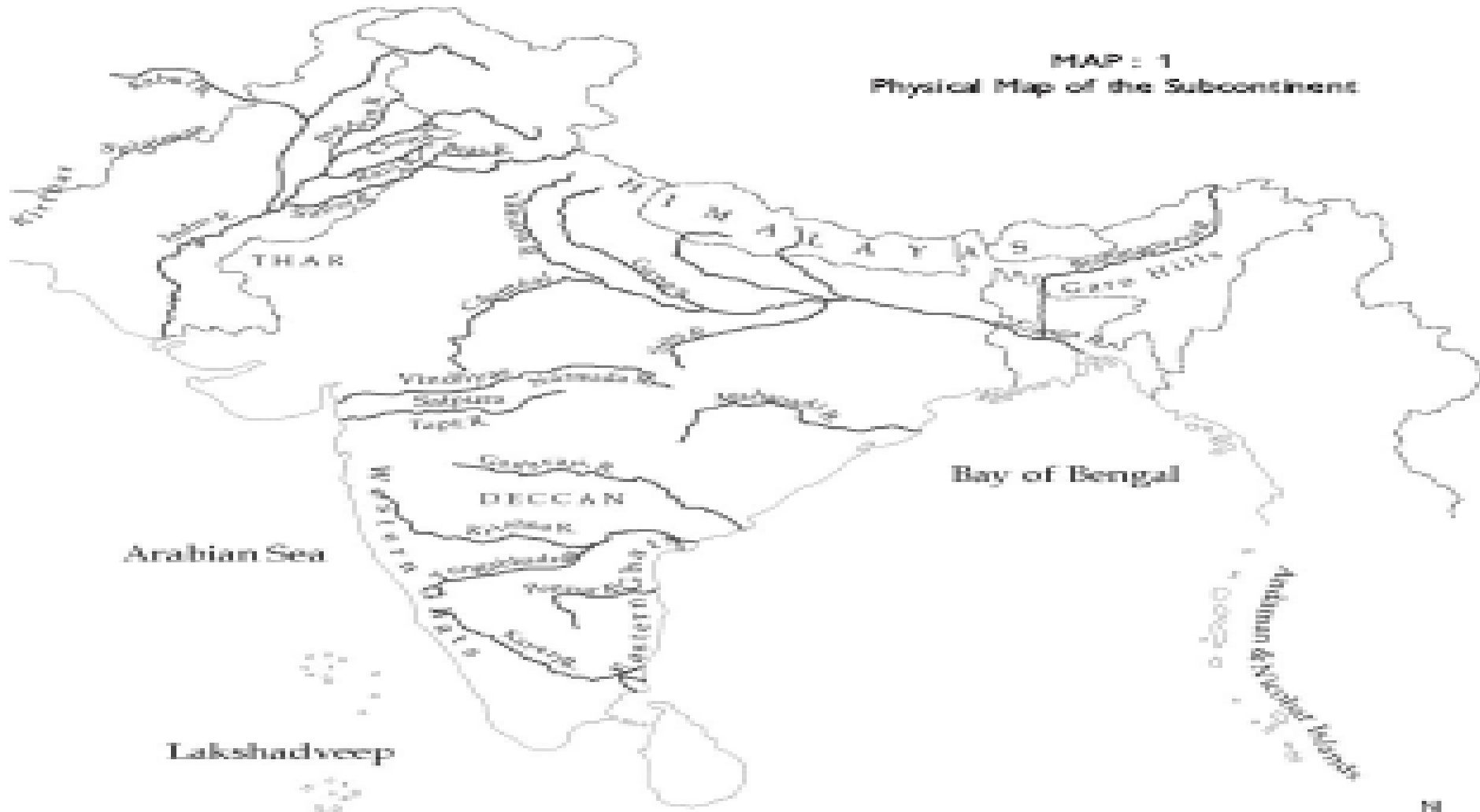
In early days the area along the south of River Ganga was known as Magadha . Its rulers were very powerful and set up large kingdoms.



Present Narmada valley



Some of the rivers and its tributaries



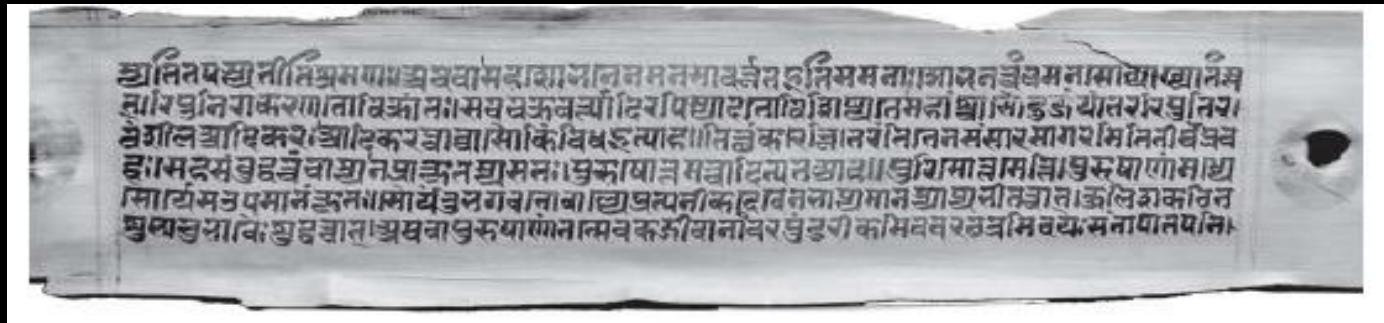
Cultivation done by the people in the olden days



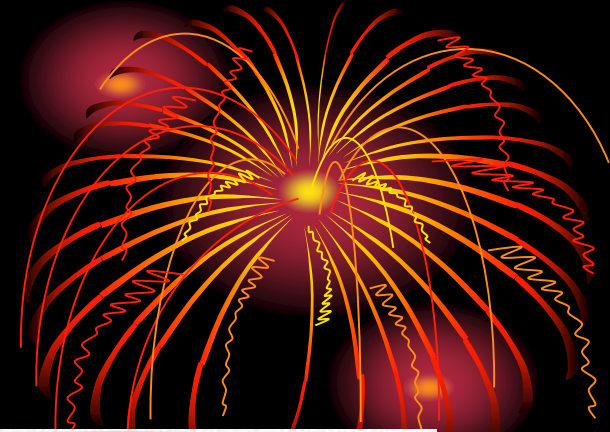
- ***About 8000 years ago people cultivated wheat and barley. It was cultivated in Sulaiman and Kirthar hills lying to the North-west of India. Agriculture also developed in the Garo hills in the north-east and Vindhya in central India.***

Manuscripts.

- ***In olden days people used bark of trees to write. These were known as manuscript .***



Inscriptions



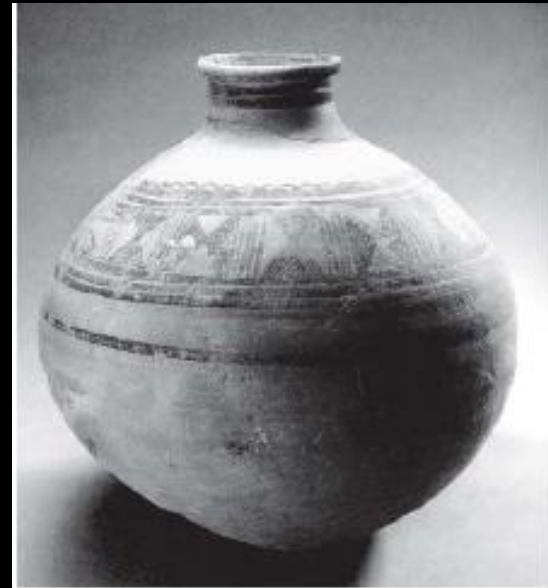
- ***Inscriptions are writings on hard surfaces such as stone or metal by early people.***



Things used by the early people.



- ***These things were used by the early people about 4700 years ago.***



Thank You

