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The mountainous islands of the Japanese archipelago form a crescent off the eastern coast of Asia. They are separated from the mainland by the Sea of Japan, which historically served as a protective barrier. The country consists of four major islands: The national territory also includes the Volcano Islands Kazan Retto such as Iwo Jima, located some 1, kilometers south of mainland Tokyo. A territorial dispute with Russia, dating from the end of World War II, over the two southernmost of the Kuril Islands, Etorofu and Kunashiri, and the smaller Shikotan Island and Habomai Islands northeast of Hokkaido remains a sensitive spot in Japanese–Russian relations as of [update]. Excluding disputed territory, the archipelago covers about , square kilometers. No point in Japan is more than kilometers from the sea. The four major islands are separated by narrow straits and form a natural entity. The distance between Japan and the Korean Peninsula, the nearest point on the Asian continent, is about kilometers at the Korea Strait. Japan has always been linked with the continent through trade routes, stretching in the north toward Siberia, in the west through the Tsushima Islands to the Korean Peninsula, and in the south to the ports on the south China coast. The Japanese islands are the summits of mountain ridges uplifted near the outer edge of the continental shelf. A long chain of mountains runs down the middle of the archipelago, dividing it into two halves, the "face", fronting on the Pacific Ocean, and the "back", toward the Sea of Japan. On the Pacific side are steep mountains 1, to 3, meters high, with deep valleys and gorges. Central Japan is marked by the convergence of the three mountain chains—the Hida, Kiso, and Akaishi mountains—that form the Japanese Alps Nihon Arupusu, several of whose peaks are higher than 3, meters. The highest point in the Japanese Alps is Mount Kita at 3, meters. On the Sea of Japan side are plateaus and low mountain districts, with altitudes of to 1, meters. The populated plains or mountain basins are not extensive in area. Many of these plains are along the coast, and their areas have been increased by land reclamation throughout recorded history. Rivers, lakes and coasts[edit] This section needs additional citations for verification. Please help improve this article by adding citations to reliable sources. October Learn how and when to remove this template message

Rivers are generally steep and swift, and few are suitable for navigation except in their lower reaches. Although most rivers are less than kilometers in length, their rapid flow from the mountains provides a valuable, renewable resource: Seasonal variations in flow have led to extensive development of flood control measures. Most of the rivers are relatively short. Extensive coastal shipping, especially around the Seto Inland Sea Seto Naikai, compensates for the lack of navigable rivers. The Pacific coastline south of Tokyo is characterized by long, narrow, gradually shallowing inlets produced by sedimentation, which has created many natural harbors. In November, Japan filed a request to expand its claimed continental shelf. It began in the 12th century. Land was reclaimed from the sea and from river deltas by building dikes and drainage and rice paddies on terraces carved into mountainsides. Big land reclamation projects with landfill were done in coastal areas for maritime and industrial factories. By, the amount of land reclaimed totaled It was the sole trading post in Japan during the Sakoku period and was originally inhabited by Portuguese and then Dutch traders. This includes the entirety of Odaiba, a series of island forts constructed to protect Tokyo from sea attacks

Composition[edit] Much reclaimed land is made up of landfill from waste materials, dredged earth, sand, sediment, sludge and soil removed from construction sites. It is used to build man-made islands in harbors and embankments in inland areas. This rubble was processed and when it had the appropriate radiation levels it was used as landfill to build new artificial islands in Tokyo Bay. For example the artificial island Toyosu was once occupied by a Tokyo Gas factory. Toxic substances were discovered in the soil and groundwater at Toyosu. The Tokyo Metropolitan Government spent an additional 3. This is a minor tectonic plate bounded to the north by the North American Plate. On the west its bounded by the Eurasian Plate, and possibly on the southwest by the Amurian Plate. The north-eastern boundary is a

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These 7 villages were selected subjectively. The special features taken into consideration include: The approximate distance from Menikhinna divisional centre to Kandy is in the range of kilometres. However, it was decided to concentrate on these 7 villages to avoid any practical difficulties pertaining to completing the research project within the scheduled period and financial and other resource limits. The selected villages were able to represent situations related to industries and the household sector primarily depending on homegarden and local supplies. Fifteen households were selected randomly from each village and the total number of household units covered in the survey was 150. The average size of a unit is about 4. One striking feature here is that the female population outnumbers the male population with females to males. The second striking feature is that in spite of the high female population, the proportion of women in employment is extremely low. The employment ratio is 32 women to men; 18 women to men in agriculture, and 34 to in non-agriculture sectoral employment. The third feature is that, only a few households have agricultural production units other than homegardens see Table 9 for details. One of the key features noted in the household survey is that the houses are composed of 3 or more units. This suggests that no households covered in this survey live in houses having extremely poor conditions. When compared with the conditions of the main house unit with kitchen, relatively poor conditions have been noted. In terms of hearth type and facilities for relieving kitchen smoke further variations have been noted. Kitchen smoke can be taken as an indication of the problems faced by women during food preparation. Enumerations revealed that the per capita consumption of fuelwood for domestic cooking in the range of 1. Although this seems to be high a substantial amount of fuelwood is needed for the preparation of 3 cooked meals, and to boil water about 6 times a day. A comparison was not done regarding the impact of hearth type on wood consumption, due to the use of 3 stone hearths when needed by all households. The most widely used hearth type is the 3 stone hearth, and mud spread hearths which have one open area to feed wood are also popular. Gathering fuelwood to meet household needs has been reported as heavy work, because women at least gather fuelwood times per week. When they carry fuelwood from outside sources they tend to carry excessively heavy headloads. Measurements show that the weight of a bundle of fuelwood is in the range of kilograms. As fuelwood is used by all the surveyed households no women are exempted from this task. While the average monthly income of households is in the range of Rs. Among the 7 villages, Pitawala, Rajawella and Gomagoda reported a high average monthly income of more than 6, rupees; the figure for Udagama, Narampanawa and Gunnepana was more than Rs. Nearly 22 households purchase a part of the amount needed for cooking. Of the total, 83 are completely dependent on free gathering. Free gathering is a complex phenomenon. It points to the practice of gathering biomass from whatever production sources are available within an accessible distance, including homegardens, fences and hedges where the end users do not pay cash for fuelwood. The faulty assumption behind this is that no labour costs and production costs are involved. The collection of branchwood for fuelwood without any cost tends to exclude the production cost. The non-engagement of paid labour avoids the labour cost. This suggests that fuelwood is only a by-product of trees grown for other purposes, including timber. In reality, even though fuelwood is reported as a freely gathered commodity, the converted labour time cost is in the range of Rs. When compared with the price paid for commercial wood, which is about Rs. The price in the urban market includes payments for production, transportation and processing. Thus the hidden costs of freely gathered wood and the extent to which these are incurred by women are significant. The average amounts spent on fuelwood in the household sector vary tremendously. The variations are due to local availability and seasonality, time and labour availability to gather etc. The average sum paid by the households during the period of the field investigation was in the range of Rs. The field data reveal that: Even in the rural areas some households rely on the commercial flow of fuelwood; ii. Although rural consumers depend solely on woodfuel, it is not composed of one single type. It includes mainly coconut leaves, fronds, and husks. The total number of households partly

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dependent on coconut palm output is 44, of which the majority reported that they regularly use coconut husk 44 , while 33 mentioned their use of fronds and leaves. In terms of biomass energy security, rural households are in a better position to withstand acute problems because they locally produce the biomass. This suggests that the woodfuel flow mechanism includes two spheres. The first comprises the flow for self-consumption, mainly for domestic cooking. This is dominated by noncommercial flow patterns involving multiple supply sources. The non-commercial woodfuel flow takes place within a narrow geographical area and all the related activities tend to take place over relatively short periods of time. In the commercial flow most of the activities prior to the market flow take place elsewhere or are under the control of different intermediaries.

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Background and Setting of 1 John 1 John itself contains no hint of the identity of the Christian community to which it was addressed, nor does it give any specific clue to the identification of the locale involved where these believers lived. The only thing that can be said for certain about the intended readers based on the content of the letter itself is that 1 they were Christians, 2 they appear to have been well-known to the author and he to them, and 3 they were facing a threat from false teaching, a threat which was both serious and which appears to have arisen from within their Christian community 1 John 2: Because of this lack of specific information in the letter itself, the attempt to understand something of the background and setting of the Johannine letters is related to two other areas which also require discussion: In other words, what we can say about the identity of the recipients of 1 John and the other two Johannine letters as well is inextricably linked to what we can say about the author of the letters and about his adversaries whom he was writing against. We have already concluded in our discussion of authorship that there are no compelling reasons for rejecting the traditional ascription of authorship to the Apostle John. Before we go on to examine the internal evidence in the letters themselves for clues concerning the opponents and their views, we need to look briefly at the external evidence relating to the background and setting of the Johannine letters. Most of the surviving firsthand evidence about the locale of the Johannine letters comes from the following sources: Justin Martyr Justin, who was at Ephesus himself ca. Irenaeus of Lyon Irenaeus writing ca. Two separate journeys of John to Ephesus are described, filled with various miraculous events such as the collapse of the Temple of Artemis one of the seven wonders of the ancient world; the temple is mentioned in Acts His statements are preserved by Eusebius. John, have shown the existence of a mausoleum dating from the third century. Braun thinks this confirms the testimony of Polycrates see above. The Syriac work known as the History of John One further ancient work, the Syriac History of John, places the arrival of John at Ephesus quite early adding that his banishment took place under Nero. He was supposedly still a youth when he came to Ephesus, and for a long interval, after the other gospels had been written, hesitated to write until he was prevailed upon by Peter and Paul, who visited him in Ephesus before going on to see James in Jerusalem. Although this account states that the Apostle John lived to the age of one hundred and twenty, it places the composition of the Fourth Gospel much earlier, before the deaths of Peter and Paul the latter of whom, it agrees with other traditions, was martyred by Nero. Unfortunately, however, this work is of very dubious historical value since it dates to the fourth century and contains fanciful accounts of miracles worked by the Apostle John at Ephesus where he purportedly worked as an assistant attendant at the public baths. The Letter of Ignatius to the Ephesians Against all this it is sometimes pointed out that Ignatius of Antioch, whose own letters are dated to ca. This commentary was written at the beginning of the fifth century a. Evidence for such a destination for 1 John is very slim, and a reason for the author of the Johannine letters to address one or more of them to a region in Mesopotamia so far removed from Ephesus, where John the Apostle traditionally lived and ministered in the latter part of the first century a. The English theologian and historian Bede, writing in the early eighth century a. It stands against the much earlier and far more widespread evidence connecting the Johannine letters with Ephesus and vicinity. This brief survey of the primary sources concerning the locale in which the Johannine letters were written leads me to conclude that the best and earliest evidence points to Ephesus. The traditional site associated with the publication of the Fourth Gospel by the Apostle John appears as the most likely location from which the letters were written as well. Whether they were composed before or after the Fourth Gospel is a complicated and difficult question that I will discuss at a later point. This designation probably resulted originally from the fact that no specific destination was given in any of the three Johannine letters e. In the popular imagination, however, the effect has been to create the impression that 1, 2, and 3 John were written to the church at large rather than a specific congregation or group of congregations with specific issues

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and problems. This in turn has had a significant effect on the interpretation of the letters themselves. What we can say about the setting which produced these letters thus becomes vitally important for their accurate interpretation, but also for our understanding of how their teaching can be applied to situations in which we find ourselves today. What can be said about the setting of 1 John and the two shorter Johannine Epistles must be gleaned from hints in the text itself. No explicit statements are made within the Epistles themselves concerning the life-situation to which these writings were addressed, but there are some important clues: He obviously felt no need either to identify himself or invoke his position in the early church in order to strengthen his authority. In passing, it is worth noting that this reticence on the part of the author to mention his name or position is also a characteristic of the Gospel of John. He evidently expects his opinions to carry weight with the readers. It is likely that this comes from personal contact the author has had with the recipients, and it cannot be ruled out that he himself is in fact a member of the Christian community to which he is writing. The first person plural pronouns which characterize the prologue 1 John 1: If taken at face value, however, they make a significant contribution to the authority with which the author speaks. I will have more to say about the purpose of 1 John later. Thus 1 John alternates between pastoral encouragement and exhortation on the one hand, and polemic directed against the opponents on the other hand. Thus the author is addressing a community which has undergone a schism or split in which a substantial part of the community "maybe even a numerical majority" has withdrawn from fellowship. This is a key point which affects the interpretation of almost every part of 1, 2, and 3 John. The prologue 1 John 1: Presumably those who have departed from the apostolic teaching about Jesus 2: However, some of the recipients of 1 John may be under pressure to side with the opponents, and one major reason for the letter would be to convince them not to do so. Just as in 1 John 2: This strongly suggests that the same situation produced both letters. Whether the loss of reward refers to the one who embraces the teaching of the opponents as opposed to merely permitting their teaching to promulgate [v. This is serious business indeed. What we can discern about the setting of the Johannine Epistles from the letters themselves is limited and fragmentary, but it appears that 1 and 2 John, at least, are rooted in controversy. He attempts to reassure those to whom he writes, because their Christian community has undergone a serious split whereby a substantial part of the community has withdrawn from fellowship over doctrinal issues. This group which has split off and withdrawn from fellowship with the community to which the author writes is continuing to propagate its own beliefs. The secessionists are seeking to win converts for their own views, even from among the community to which they formerly belonged. In light of this threat, the author of 1 John is writing both to reassure and strengthen the faithful members of that community, and to warn them to continue to resist the proselytizing efforts of the false teachers who have gone out from among them. In 2 John the author is writing to a particular congregation to warn the believers there against giving aid or shelter to the false teachers in their ongoing missionary efforts. Sin, Christology and the Limits of Johannine Community. Michaelis, Einleitung in das Neue Testament, 3rd ed. Haller Verlag, Brown states his indebtedness to both K. Metzger for their assistance with this information. Thus it is written against the opponents, but not directly to the opponents. Cambridge University Press,], Even further removed from the existence of a schism is T. Nevertheless, most NT scholars seem prepared to acknowledge that 1 John 2: In my opinion, however, the same situation described in 1 and 2 John lies behind 3 John as well.

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