

A campfire with bright orange and yellow flames is burning on a rocky beach. The fire is built on a pile of dark logs. In the background, there is a calm body of water reflecting the sunset sky, which is filled with soft, colorful clouds. Distant mountains are visible on the horizon. The foreground is covered with smooth, grey and white stones.

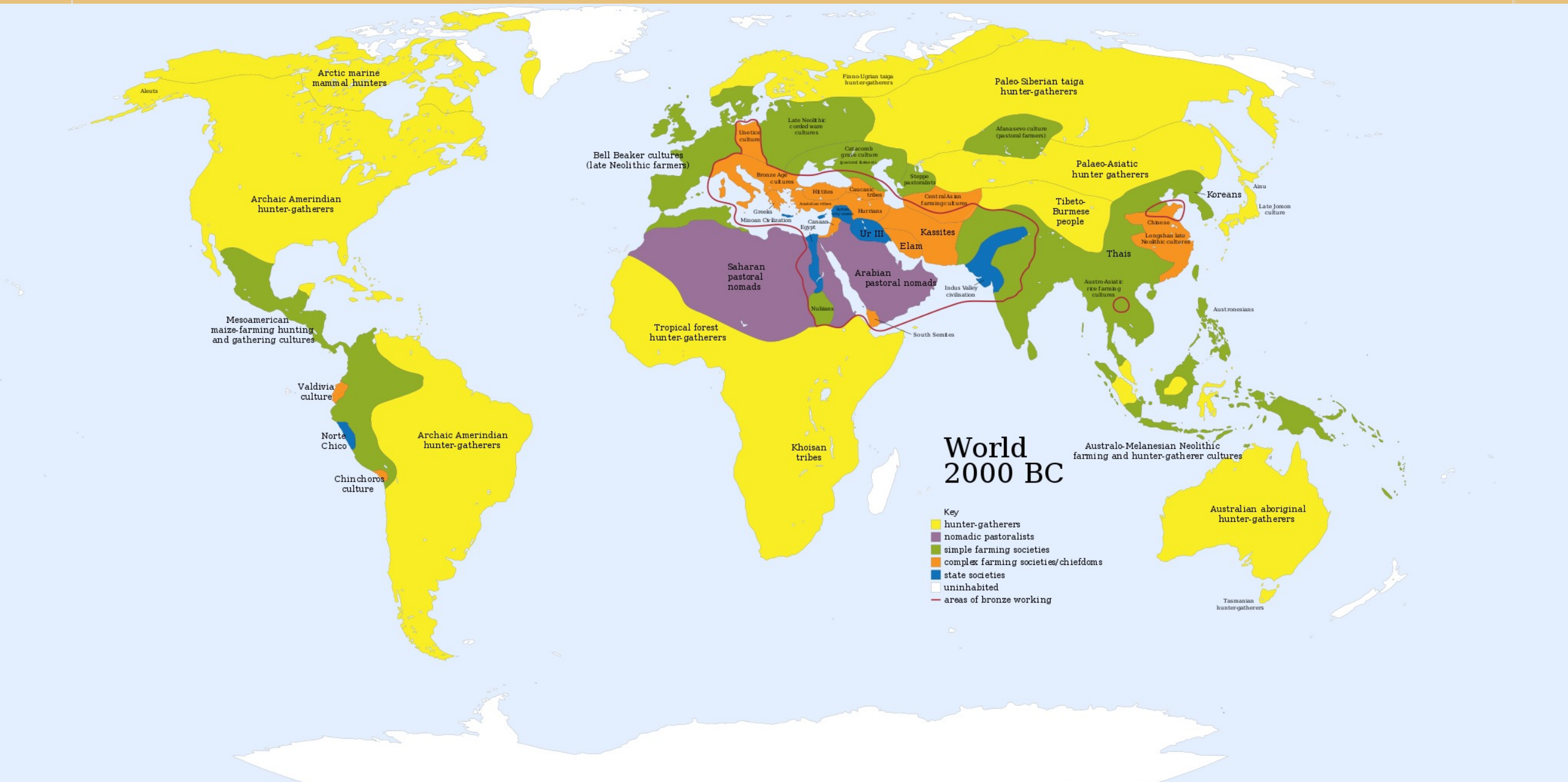
**Hunter –
Gatherers?
Gatherer –
Hunters?
Foragers?**

Are they a category?

A photograph of three indigenous people in a savanna setting. Two individuals stand in the background holding bows, while a third person is kneeling in the foreground. The scene is set in a field of dry, yellowish grass under bright sunlight. A solid orange horizontal bar is located in the top left corner of the image.

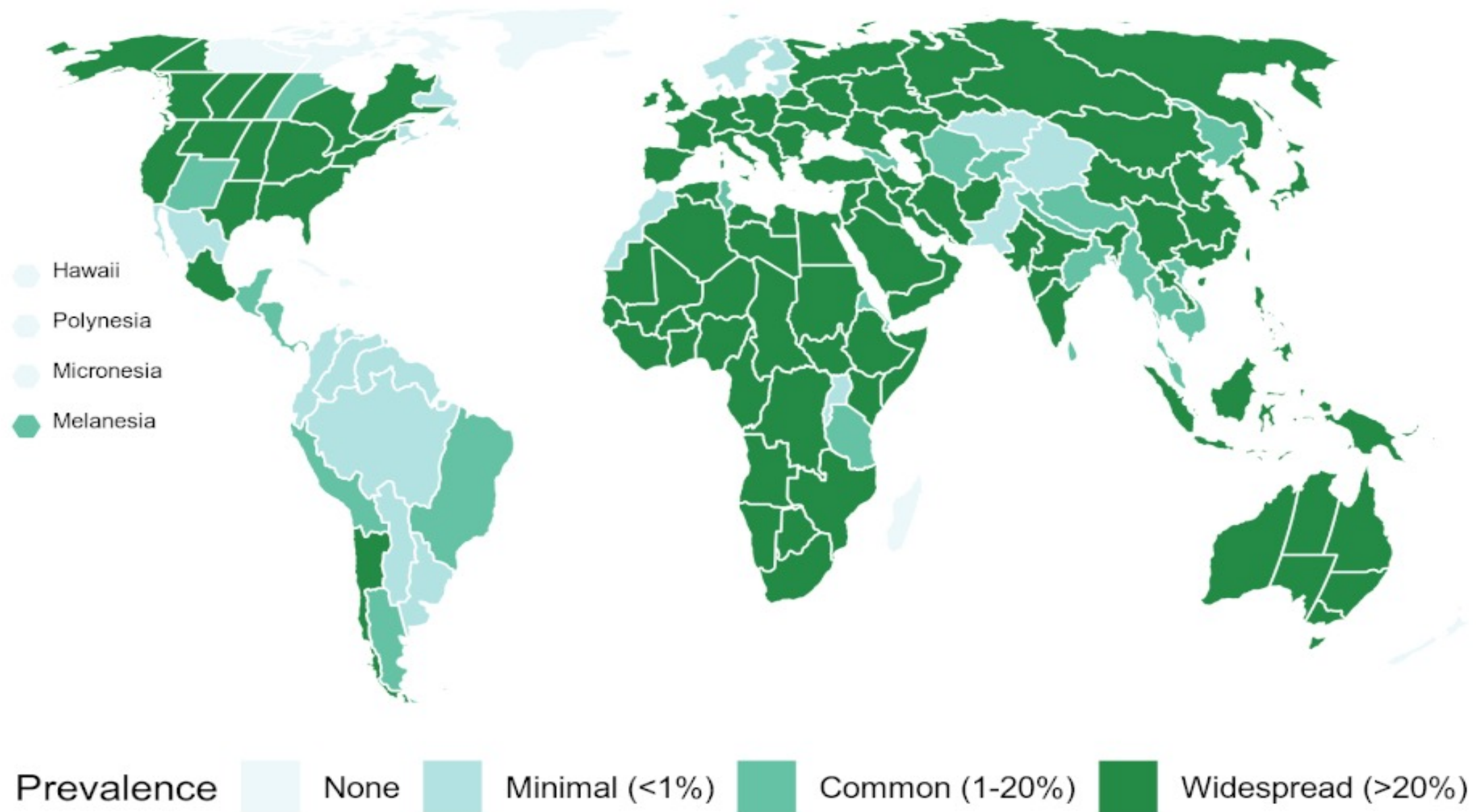
Hunting and gathering is a lifestyle

A method of subsistence



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Foraging/Hunting/Gathering 10000 years ago





Hunting? Gathering? Or Foraging?

Which one?

The Perception of the Environment

Ingold (2000) Chapter 3.





Further notes

Lee and Daly, 1999:3

- **‘Subsistence is one part of a multi-faceted definition of hunter-gatherers: social organisation forms a second major area of convergence, and cosmology and world-view a third. All three sets of criteria have to be taken into account in understanding hunting and gathering peoples today’**



Common features

- Nomadic
- Little property
- Form temporary settlements
- Bands of 50-ish
- Egalitarian
- Ethos of sharing
- Animated landscape/shamanism