

**COMPARATIVE TABLE OF PREHISTORIC TIMES IN EUROPE.**

GEOLOGICAL.				ARCHÆOLOGICAL.					
Time Divisions.			Characteristic Animals and Plants.	Time Divisions.		Sources of Evidence.	Human Works.		
AGES.	PERIODS.	EPOCHS.		AGES.	EPOCHS.				
QUATERNARY.	RECENT OR TERRACE.	MODERN.	Beech of Danish bogs.	HISTORIC.	IRON.	(LATER.)	IRON.	Lakes: Bienne, Neuchâtel. Terramars: Parma, Modena. Bogs: Upper part of Danish and Irish.	Implements of Iron. Ornaments of Bronze, Silver, Gold.
			Oaks (mostly) of Danish bogs.		BRONZE.		BRONZE.	Lake-dwellings: Newer (of Western Switzerland). Bogs: Middle portion of Danish. Tumuli.	Implements and Ornaments of Bronze.
			Existing Quadrupeds. Domestic Animals: Goat, sheep, ox, horse, dog. Scotch firs of Danish bogs. Domestic Plants: Wheat, barley. Short Mongoloid Men in Northern Europe.	PREHISTORIC.	AUROCHS.	STONE.	REINDEER.	NEOLITHIC OR POLISHED STONE.	Lake-dwellings: Oldest (of Eastern Switzerland). Bogs: Lowest portion of Danish. Tumuli: Borreby; Dolmens. Crannoges: Kitchen-middens. Few Caverns: Massat, Lourdes, St. Jean d'Aicas.
	Existing Quadrupeds. Northern or Migrated Animals: Reindeer, marmot, ibex, chamois, grouse, snowy owl. Domestic Animals: Horse, dog. Tall Men in Southern Europe.	REINDEER OR 2D GLACIAL.	REINDEER.						REINDEER.
	CHAMPLAIN.	ALLUVIAN. DILUVIAN.	Pleistocene (Lyell).	Latest Extinct Quadrupeds: Hairy Elephant, cave-bear, cave-hyena, cave-lion, two-horned rhinoceros, hippopotamus, Irish elk.	MAMMOTH.	PALÆOLITHIC OR RUDE STONE.	Palæolithic (Lubbock).	Caverns: Most in England—Kent's Hole, Brixham; Wokey Hole, Kirkdale. Wales—Gower Caves. Most in Belgium—Naulette (part), Engis, Engihoul, Chokier. Oldest of France—Solutré, Moustier, Mentone.	Implements: Flints—the oldest rudely made, almond-shaped—hatchets, knives, spear-heads, scrapers. Pottery: Traces of unbaked; urn of rough clay at Furfooz. Ornaments: Beads of shells and of fossil foraminifera. Art: Doubtful etchings (Magrite); rude carvings on reindeer's bone (Naulette); outline of bear (Massat). Religion: Symbolic articles (?).
Wild boar, horse, goat, stag, marmot, squirrel, hare, water-rat, wolf, brown bear, fox, weasel, beaver, rabbit, hedgehog, etc., etc. Short Mongoloid Men in Northern Europe.				CAYE-BEAR.				CAYE-BEAR.	
GLACIAL OR DRIFT.			All animals and men (if any) living in this period had migrated southward.	No human relics recognised as of Glacial age—unless those of Schüssenried near Lake Constance are such.					
TERTIARY.	PLIOCENE, MIOCENE, EOCENE.		Certain flints and markings on fossil bones of Tertiary age, once regarded as human relics, are not so regarded at present. Certain human relics once supposed Tertiary are now proven to be Post-glacial.						