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**EQ: What were the causes and effects of the growth of networks of exchange after 1200?**

Context:

**Causes**

New Empires

Improvements in Transportation Technologies

Magnetic compass

Rudder

Chinese junk

**Effects**

Cities and Oases

Caravanserai

Commercial Innovations

Money economy

Flying cash

Paper money

Banking houses

Bills of exchange

Hanseatic League

Increase in Demand