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1 Introduction

Oabc is an acronym for "0 A.D. is Actually Before Christ". Of the twelve civilizations and factions included in the default distribution, three (Britons, Gauls, Iberians) cover the whole period (c. 500–1 B.C.), three (Athenians, Persians, Spartans) the Classical period (c. 500–300 B.C.), and six (Carthaginians, Macedonians, Mauryans, Ptolemies, Romans, Seleucids) the Hellenistic period (c. 350–150 B.C.); civilizations (Armenia, Numidia, Parthia, Pontus) peaking in the last two centuries (c. 200–1 B.C.) are noticeably lacking.

This mod, however, does not include any new factions, nor icons, sounds, visual actors, etc. It merely tweaks, rebalances, and improves upon what already exists in the game. Amongst other things, it contains a moderate bonus attack counter and penalty system.

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1.1 Instructions

- Use git clone https://github.com/Oabc/Oabc-unified.git to get the repository directly or download it as a zip via https://github.com/Oabc/Oabc-unified/archive/master.zip
- Place it in your /Oad/mods/ folder:

GNU/Linux (e.g. Fedora) typically: ~/.local/share/Oad/mods/ Macintosh/Apple OS X typically: ~/Library/Application\Support/Oad/mods/ Microsoft Windows typically: ~\Documents\My Games\Oad\mods\

- Launch 0 A.D., click "Tools & Options" and "Mod Selection"
- Select Oabc, click "Enable" and "Save Configuration"
- Add, remove, or move up or down any other mods, click "Save Configuration" and "Start Mods"
- Click "Learn To Play" and "Structure Tree" to see the mod(s) implemented.

1.2 More factions (not implemented)

Add more factions to cover the 8th, 7th, 6h and the 2nd and 1st centuries B.C. (existing factions are indicated with an asterisk (*)):

Armenians (Greater Armenia, 331 BC–428 AD, peaked first half 1st C. BC) Assyrians (Neo-Assyrian Empire, 911–612), Attalids (Pergamon, 282–133), Britons*, Carthaginians* (814–146), Chaldeans (Neo-Babylonian Empire, 626–539), Epirus (330–167), Etruscans (768–264), Gauls*, Greeks (c.800–146; subdivided into four factions: Athenians/Athens*, Boeotians/Thebes, Lacedaemonians/Sparta*, and Syracusae)¹, Iberians*, Illyrians, Lydians (unclear–546), Macedonians* (Macedon, 808–168, peaked 323), Mauryans* (India, 326–180), Nubians (Kush (Napata, Meroe), 1070 BC–350 AD, peaked c.700 BC), Numidia (202–40), Parthians (Arsacid Empire, 247 BC–224 AD, peaked middle 2nd C. BC), Persians* (Achaemenid Empire, c.550–330), Phrygians (c.800–c.600), Pontus (281 BC–66 BC/62 AD, peaked first half 1st C. BC), Ptolemies* (Egypt, 305–30), Romans* (Roman Republic, 509–27), Scythians, Seleucids* (Syria, 312–63), Thracians, Urartu (Armenia, 860–590).

1.3 Further information

People interested in Antiquity are lucky to live nowadays. Thanks to widespread digitization, availability of sources is no longer a problem; the choice of sources is. Wikipedia is a mixed blessing which has to be used with care: some articles are much better than corresponding lemmas of paper encyclopaedias, others contain outright rubbish and dangerous nonsense. The Cambridge History of Greek and Roman Warfare (2007) is a decent starting point. Those without access to a university library and looking for something specific can contact me.²

¹Other important local powers included Milete and Samos peaking in the Archaic period, the Acarnanians and Aetolians, Achaeans, and Rhodians peaking in the Hellenistic period, and Argos, Corinth, and Tarentum covering all periods.

²https://wildfiregames.com/forum/index.php?/profile/21417-nescio/

2 Units

2.1 General overview

- All soldiers (except for war dogs) require at least some metal, to encourage feminization.
- All soldiers (citizen, mercenary, and champion) can promote up to twelve times; each rank grants +5% health, attack damage, and capture attack, melee units also receive +1% movement speed and ranged units -1% spread. Healers receive +5% health, -5% healing time, and +1 m healing range every promotion.
- Loot is standardized to 10% of costs, experience is equal to the sum of the total costs.

2.1.1 Soldier types

	infantry	camel	cavalry	biga	quadriga	war elephant
mercenary metal cost	+20.0	+25.0	+30.0	+50.0	+60.0	+75.0
champion metal cost	+100.0	+100.0	+100.0	+100.0	+100.0	+100.0
hero metal cost	+400%	+400%	+400%	+400%	+400%	+400%
mercenary wood cost	+0.0	+0.0	+0.0	+0.0	+0.0	+0.0
champion wood cost	+50.0	+50.0	+50.0	+50.0	+50.0	+50.0
hero wood cost	+400%	+400%	+400%	+400%	+400%	+400%
mercenary training time	-20%	-20%	-20%	-20%	-20%	-20%
champion training time	+150%	+150%	+150%	+150%	+150%	+150%
hero resource cost	+400%	+400%	+400%	+400%	+400%	+400%
mercenary health	+0%	+0%	+0%	+0%	+0%	+0%
champion health	+50%	+50%	+50%	+50%	+50%	+50%
hero health	+900%	+900%	+900%	+900%	+900%	+900%
mercenary armour (h, c, p)	+1.0	+1.0	+1.0	+1.0	+1.0	+1.0
champion armour (h, c, p)	+3.0	+3.0	+3.0	+3.0	+3.0	+3.0
hero armour (h, c, p)	+5.0	+5.0	+5.0	+5.0	+5.0	+5.0
mercenary attack damage	+15%	+15%	+15%	+15%	+15%	+15%
champion attack damage	+100%	+100%	+100%	+100%	+100%	+100%
hero attack damage	+400%	+400%	+400%	+400%	+400%	+400%
mercenary capture strength	+0%	+0%	+0%	+0%	+0%	+0%
champion capture strength	+100%	+100%	+100%	+100%	+100%	+100%
hero capture strength	+400%	+400%	+400%	+400%	+400%	+400%

NB: Citizen soldiers are 100%. Champions also require twice as much experience to advance in rank. (Heroes can not promote.) Other unit statistic bonuses are removed.

2.1.2 Worker rates

	female	slave	citizen	mercenary	champion	hero
food.grain (farm)	0.50	0.35	0.25	_	_	_
metal.ore (mine)	0.35	1.00	0.50	_	_	_
stone.rock (quarry)	0.35	1.00	0.50	_	_	_
wood.tree (lumber)	0.70	1.00	0.75	0.75	_	_
food.fruit (forage)	1.00	0.50	0.50	0.50	_	_
food.meat (hunt)	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	_
build (construct)	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	_	_
promote	no	no	yes	yes	yes	no
local aura	yes	no	no	no	no	yes
global aura	no	no	no	no	no	sometimes

2.1.3 Unit categories

	population slots	$rac{ ext{standard}}{ ext{food}}$	food carry	food.meat gather	vision range	promotion experience
	occupied	\mathbf{cost}	capacity	${f rate}$	(metres)	${f requirement}$
War dogs	0	75	_	_	60	75
Infantry	1	50	10	1.0	75	100
Camels	2	90	40	1.8	85	125
Cavalry	2	100	30	2.0	80	150
Bigae (two-horse chariots)	4	200	60	3.6	80	200
Three-man bigae	5	250	60	3.6	80	220
Quadrigae (four-horse chariots)	6	300	60	3.6	80	240
War elephants	6	300	75	3.0	90	300

2.2 Unit statistics comparison tables

NB: The new values are displayed normally, the default "0 A.D. Alpha XXII: Venustas" values are displayed for comparison between brackets ().

2.2.1 Infantry units

class	pop.	training costs	loot	vision	\mathbf{speed}	health	armour	damage	range	rate	counters/
	size	(f, w, m, s; time)	(f, w, m, s; exp)	range			(h, p, c)	(h, p, c)	(m)	(ms)	penalties
crossbow	1	50, 25, 25, 0; 10	5, 2, 3, 0; 100	75	8+8	50	1, 3, 5	0, 5, 1	48	1000	1.5× vs Archer Cavalry
$archer infantry^2$	(1)	(50, 50, 0, 0; 10)	(5, 5, 0, 0; 100)	(80)	(8+10)	(50)	(1, 1, 10)	(0, 6, 0)	(72)	(1000)	$0.5 \times \text{vs Elephantry}$
composite bow	1	50, 35, 15, 0; 10	5, 4, 1, 0; 100	75	10+8	50	2, 2, 2	0, 6, 0	60	1000	1.5× vs Archer Cavalry
archer infantry	(1)	(50, 50, 0, 0; 10)	(5, 5, 0, 0; 100)	(80)	(8+10)	(50)	(1, 1, 10)	(0, 6, 0)	(72)	(1000)	$0.5 \times \text{vs Elephantry}$
longbow	1	50, 40, 10, 0; 10	5, 4, 1, 0; 100	75	10+8	50	2, 2, 2	0, 5, 0	60	1000	1.5× vs Archer Cavalry
$archer infantry^1$	(1)	(50, 50, 0, 0; 10)	(5, 5, 0, 0; 100)	(80)	(8+10)	(50)	(1, 1, 10)	(0, 6, 0)	(72)	(1000)	$0.5 \times \text{vs Elephantry}$
lead bullet	1	50, 30, 20, 0; 10	5, 3, 2, 0; 100	75	12+8	55	1, 2, 3	0, 4, 1	72	1000	$1.5 \times$ vs Archer Infantry
sling infantry	(1)	(50, 20, 0, 30; 10)	(5, 0, 0, 5; 100)	(80)	(11+13)	(50)	(1, 1, 10)	(0, 9.5, 1)	(48)	(1000)	$0.125 \times \text{ vs Structures}$
sling stone	1	50, 40, 10, 0; 10	5, 4, 1, 0; 100	75	12+8	55	1, 2, 3	0, 0, 6	48	1000	1.5× vs Archer Infantry
sling $infantry^1$	(1)	(50, 20, 0, 30; 10)	(5, 0, 0, 5; 100)	(80)	(11+13)	(50)	(1, 1, 10)	(0, 9.5, 1)	(48)	(1000)	$0.125 \times \text{ vs Structures}$
javelin	1	50, 45, 5, 0; 10	5, 5, 0, 0; 100	75	14+8	60	2, 3, 4	0, 10, 0	24	1000	$1.25 \times$ vs Archer units
infantry	(1)	(50, 50, 0, 0; 10)	(5, 5, 0, 0; 100)	(80)	(13.5+10.5)	(50)	(1, 1, 10)	(0, 16, 0)	(24)	(1250)	
throwing axe	1	50, 30, 20, 0; 10	5, 3, 2, 0; 100	75	13+5	65	3, 4, 5	9, 0, 0	18	1000	$1.5 \times$ vs Spear Infantry
$infantry^{2}$	(1)	(50, 50, 0, 0; 10)	(5, 5, 0, 0; 100)	(80)	(13.5+10.5)	(50)	(1, 1, 10)	(0, 16, 0)	(24)	(1250)	
pike	1	50, 45, 5, 0; 10	5, 5, 0, 0; 100	75	9+3	80	4, 5, 6	0, 5, 0	6	1000	$1.25 \times$ vs Chariotry, $1.5 \times$ vs Cavalry,
infantry	(1)	(50, 50, 0, 0; 10)	(5, 5, 0, 0; 100)	(80)	(7+2)	(100)	(10, 10, 15)	(1, 3, 0)	(8)	(2000)	$1.75 \times$ vs Camelry, $2.0 \times$ vs Elephantry
hoplite	1	50, 20, 30, 0; 10	5, 2, 3, 0; 100	75	8+6	100	7, 8, 9	2, 5, 0	4	1000	$2.0 \times$ vs Camelry
$infantry^1$	(1)	(50, 50, 0, 0; 10)	(5, 5, 0, 0; 100)	(80)	(8.5+6.5)	(100)	(5, 5, 15)	(3, 2.5, 0)	(4)	(1000)	
spear	1	50, 40, 10, 0; 10	5, 4, 1, 0; 100	75	10+5	90	5, 6, 7	0, 6, 0	4	1000	$1.25 \times$ vs Javelin units
infantry	(1)	(50, 50, 0, 0; 10)	(5, 5, 0, 0; 100)	(80)	(8.5+6.5)	(100)	(5, 5, 15)	(3, 2.5, 0)	(4)	(1000)	
halberd	1	50, 35, 15, 0; 10	5, 3, 2, 0; 100	75	11+4	85	5, 5, 5	3, 3, 0	3	1000	$2.0 \times$ vs Cavalry
$infantry^2$	(1)	(50, 50, 0, 0; 10)	(5, 5, 0, 0; 100)	(80)	(7+2)	(100)	(10, 10, 15)	(1, 3, 0)	(8)	(2000)	
axe	1	50, 35, 15, 0; 10	5, 4, 1, 0; 100	75	12+3	85	5, 5, 5	5, 0, 1	2	1000	$1.5 \times$ vs Siege weapons,
$infantry^1$	(1)	(50, 40, 10, 0; 10)	(5, 5, 0, 0; 100)	(80)	(9.5+6.5)	(100)	(5, 5, 15)	(5.5, 0, 0)	(2)	(750)	$2.0 \times \text{ vs Elephantry}$
mace	1	50, 30, 20, 0; 10	5, 3, 2, 0; 100	75	11+4	90	4, 6, 8	0, 0, 8	2	1000	1.5× vs Cataphract Cavalry
$infantry^1$	(1)	(50, 40, 10, 0; 10)	(5, 0, 5, 0; 100)	(80)	(9.5+6.5)	(100)	(5, 5, 15)	(0, 0, 5.5)	(2)	(750)	$0.125 \times \text{ vs Structures}$
curved (sabre)	1	50, 25, 25, 0; 10	5, 2, 3, 0; 100	75	10+5	95	5, 6, 7	7, 0, 0	2	1000	_
sword infantry ¹	(1)	(50, 40, 10, 0; 10)	(5, 0, 5, 0; 100)	(80)	(9.5+6.5)	(100)	(5, 5, 15)	(5.5, 0, 0)	(2)	(750)	
two-handed	1	50, 25, 25, 0; 10	5, 2, 3, 0; 100	75	10+5	95	6, 6, 6	6, 2, 0	3	1000	_
sword infantry 1	(1)	(50, 40, 10, 0; 10)	(5, 0, 5, 0; 100)	(80)	(9.5+6.5)	(100)	(5, 5, 15)	(5.5, 0, 0)	(2)	(750)	
short (broad)	1	50, 25, 25, 0; 10	5, 2, 3, 0; 100	75	10+5	95	6, 7, 8	4, 4, 0	2	1000	_
sword infantry	(1)	(50, 40, 10, 0; 10)	(5, 0, 5, 0; 100)	(80)	(9.5+6.5)	(100)	(5, 5, 15)	(5.5, 0, 0)	(2)	(750)	

word infantry | (1) (50, 40, 10, 0; 10) (5, 0, 5, 0; 100) | (80) (9.5+6.5) (100) (5, 5, 15) | (5.5, 0, 0) (2) (750) | **NB**: 1: A new class to which existing units are reassigned; 2: A new class which currently remains unused

2.2.2 Mounted units

class	pop.	training costs	loot	vision	\mathbf{speed}	health	armour	damage	range	rate	counters/
	size	(f, w, m, s; time)	(f, w, m, s; exp)	range			(h, p, c)	(h, p, c)	(m)	(ms)	penalties
war dog	0	75, 0, 0, 0; 10	8, 0, 0, 0; 75	60	15+15	75	1, 2, 1	4, 4, 0	3	1000	0.75× vs Camelry, Cavalry
	(0)	(100, 0, 0, 0; 15)	(10, 0, 0, 0; 100)	(30)	(14.5+11.5)	(90)	(1, 2, 1)	(7, 2, 0)	(3)	(1000)	Chariotry, $0.5 \times$ vs Elepha
archer	2	90, 40, 10, 0; 12	9, 4, 1, 0; 150	85	27+8	108	1, 1, 5	0, 6, 0	69	1000	$1.5 \times$ vs Support units
camel^1	(1)	(100, 40, 0, 0; 12)	(10, 0, 5, 0; 130)	(92)	(17.5+10.5)	(120)	(3, 1, 15)	(0, 7, 0)	(72)	(1000)	$0.5 \times$ vs Elephantry
spear	2	90, 40, 10, 0; 12	9, 4, 1, 0; 150	85	28 + 7	144	2, 3, 5	0, 7, 0	5	1000	$1.5 \times \text{vs Cavalry}$
$camel^2$	(1)	(80, 55, 0, 0; 12)	(10, 0, 5, 0; 130)	(92)	(22+18)	(160)	(1, 1, 10)	(6, 13, 0)	(6)	(3500)	$0.5 \times$ vs Elephantry
archer	2	100, 35, 15, 0; 14	10, 4, 1, 0; 150	80	22+8	120	1, 1, 7	0, 7, 0	66	1000	1.5× vs Sword Cavalry
cavalry	(1)	(100, 40, 0, 0; 12)	(10, 0, 5, 0; 130)	(92)	(17.5+10.5)	(120)	(3, 1, 15)	(0, 7, 0)	(72)	(1000)	$0.5 \times \text{vs Elephantry}$
javelin	2	100, 40, 10, 0; 14	10, 4, 1, 0; 150	80	21+9	130	1, 2, 7	0, 12, 0	27	1000	1.5× vs Chariotry
cavalry	(1)	(100, 40, 0, 0; 12)	(10, 0, 5, 0; 130)	(92)	(17.5+10.5)	(120)	(3, 1, 15)	(0, 18, 0)	(28)	(1250)	_
axe	2	100, 35, 15, 0; 14	10, 3, 2, 0; 150	80	20+10	140	2, 2, 7	6, 0, 2	4	1000	$2.0 \times$ vs Siege weapons
$cavalry^1$	(1)	(80, 35, 20, 0; 12)	(10, 0, 5, 0; 130)	(92)	(20+8.75)	(160)	(4, 2, 15)	(6.5, 0, 0)	(6)	(750)	$0.5 \times \text{vs Elephantry}^0$
sword	2	100, 25, 25, 0; 14	10, 2, 3, 0; 150	80	19+11	150	3, 3, 7	8, 0, 0	4	1000	$1.5 \times$ vs Siege weapons, Sl
cavalry	(1)	(80, 35, 20, 0; 12)	(10, 0, 5, 0; 130)	(92)	(20+8.75)	(160)	(4, 2, 15)	(6.5, 0, 0)	(6)	(750)	$0.5 \times \text{vs Elephantry}^0$
spear	2	100, 30, 20, 0; 14	10, 3, 2, 0; 150	80	18+12	160	5, 5, 7	0, 8, 0	4	1000	$1.5 \times$ vs Ranged Infantry
cavalry	(1)	(80, 55, 0, 0; 12)	(10, 0, 5, 0; 130)	(92)	(22+18)	(160)	(4, 3, 15)	(6, 13, 0)	(6)	(3500)	$0.5 \times \text{vs Elephantry}^0$
lance	2	100, 20, 30, 0; 14	10, 2, 3, 0; 150	80	17+13	170	4, 4, 7	0, 8, 2	4	1000	1.5× vs Javelin Cavalry
$cavalry^1$	(1)	(80, 55, 0, 0; 12)	(10, 0, 5, 0; 130)	(92)	(22+18)	(160)	(4, 3, 15)	(6, 13, 0)	(6)	(3500)	$0.5 \times \text{vs Elephantry}^0$
cataphract	2	100, 10, 40, 0; 14	10, 1, 4, 0; 150	80	15+15	180	7, 7, 7	0, 8, 4	4	1000	1.5× vs Archer Cavalry
$cavalry^1$	(1)	(80, 55, 0, 0; 12)	(10, 0, 5, 0; 130)	(92)	(22+18)	(160)	(4, 3, 15)	(6, 13, 0)	(6)	(3500)	$0.5 \times \text{vs Elephantry}^0$
archer	4	200, 75, 25, 0; 16	20, 7, 3, 0; 300	80	16+9	200	5, 3, 9	0, 8, 0	63	1000	_
biga chariot ^{1,3}	(1)	(250, 100, 100, 0; 40)	(10, 10, 20, 0; 150)	(96)	(20.5+7.5)	(270)	(7, 5, 20)	(0, 14, 0)	(76)	(1000)	$0.5 \times$ vs Elephantry
javelin	4	200, 80, 20, 0; 16	20, 8, 2, 0; 300	80	16+9	214	5, 3, 9	0, 16, 0	30	1000	_
biga chariot ^{1,3}	(1)	(250, 100, 100, 0; 40)	(10, 10, 20, 0; 150)	(96)	(20.5+7.5)	(270)	(7, 5, 20)	(0, 36, 0)	(32)	(1250)	$0.5 \times \text{vs Elephantry}$
three-man	5	250, 100, 50, 0; 16	25, 10, 5, 0; 300	80	16+9	240	5, 3, 9	0, 12, 0	63	1000	_
biga chariot 2	(1)	(250, 100, 100, 0; 40)	(10, 10, 20, 0; 150)	(96)	(20.5+7.5)	(270)	(7, 5, 20)	(0, 14, 0)	(76)	(1000)	$0.5 \times \text{vs Elephantry}$
scythed	6	300, 100, 50, 0; 18	30, 10, 5, 0; 450	80	18+9	280	6, 3, 9	0, 9, 0	63	1000	_
quadriga chariot ^{1,3}	(1)	(250, 100, 100, 0; 40)	(10, 10, 20, 0; 150)	(96)	(20.5+7.5)	(270)	(7, 5, 20)	(0, 14, 0)	(76)	(1000)	$0.5 \times \text{vs Elephantry}$
Indian	6	300, 100, 100, 0; 24	30, 10, 10, 0; 500	90	9+9	450	4, 7, 10	0, 8, 0	72	1000	1.5× vs Camelry
archer elephant ¹	(1)	(200, 80, 20, 0; 12)	(25, 10, 5, 0; 260)	(92)	(8.5+5.5)	(240)	(4, 3, 15)	(0, 10.5, 0)	(72)	(750)	0.5× vs Elephantry
North African	6	300, 75, 75, 0; 20	30, 8, 8, 0; 450	90	9+9	360	4, 7, 10	0, 7.2, 0	72	1000	1.5× vs Camelry
archer elephant ²	(1)	(200, 80, 20, 0; 12)	(25, 10, 5, 0; 260)	(92)	(8.5+5.5)	(240)	(4, 3, 15)	(0, 10.5, 0)	(72)	(750)	$0.5 \times \text{vs Elephantry}$
Indian	6	300, 100, 200, 0; 24	30, 10, 20, 0; 600	90	9+9	525	6, 9, 12	0, 0, 30	6	1000	_
war elephant 1,3	(3)	(250, 0, 250, 0; 30)	(10, 10, 20, 0; 150)	(100)	(8.5+5.5)	(750)	(10, 10, 25)	(20, 0, 150)	(8)	(1500)	$0.125 \times$ vs Structures
North African	6	300, 75, 150, 0; 20	30, 8, 15, 0; 525	90	9+9	420	6, 9, 12	0, 0, 27	6	1000	_
war elephant ^{1,3}	(3)	(250, 0, 250, 0; 30)	(10, 10, 20, 0; 150)	(100)	(8.5+5.5)	(750)	(10, 10, 25)	(20, 0, 150)	(8)	(1500)	$0.125 \times$ vs Structures
NID O All 1		(250, 0, 250, 0, 50)	(10, 10, 20, 0, 100)	(100)	(0.0 0.0)	` /	(10, 10, 20)	(20, 0, 100)	(5)	(1000)	J. 1257. V. D. D. G.

NB: 0: All melee cavalry (axe, sword, spear, lance, cataphract) also has a 0.75× penalty vs Camelry and Chariotry;

^{1:} A new class to which existing units are reassigned; 2: A new class which currently remains unused; 3: Comparison values are champions

2.2.3 Ships

class	pop.	training costs	\mathbf{loot}	garrison	vision	\mathbf{speed}	${ m health}/$	armour	damage	range	\mathbf{rate}	arrow
	\mathbf{size}	(f, w, m, s; time)	(f, w, m, s; exp)	capacity	range		$\operatorname{capture}$	(h, p, c)	(h, p, c)	(m)	(ms)	count
fishing boat	(1)	10, 40, 0, 0; 10	1, 4, 0, 0; 5	1	60	10+2	150/-	2, 4, 2	10, 0, 0	5	1000	_
(resource gatherer)	(1)	(0, 50, 0, 0; 20)	(0, 10, 0, 0; 1)	(1)	(24)	(10+0)	(200/-)	(2, 5, 2)	(10, 0, 0)	(5)	(1000)	(-)
merchant ship	1	30, 180, 90, 0; 20	3, 18, 9, 0; 30	15	60	12+3	600/-	3, 6, 3	_	_	_	_
(trader)	(1)	(0, 0, 100, 0; 20)	(0, 15, 0, 0; 25)	(15)	(50)	(12+0)	(400/-)	(2, 5, 2)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
small barge	1	50, 100, 50, 0; 15	5, 10, 5, 0; 100	10	90	14+4	450/-	4, 8, 4	0, 25, 0	60	2000	2–5
(transport) ²	(3)	(0, 150, 150, 0; 40)	(0, 30, 20, 0; 100)	(40)	(90)	(14+4)	(1600/-)	(5, 10, 5)	(0, 25, 0)	(55)	(2000)	(3-13)
medium barge	1	50, 200, 50, 0; 20	5, 20, 5, 0; 150	20	90	14+4	900/-	5, 10, 5	0, 25, 0	60	2000	2-8
(transport) ¹	(3)	(0, 150, 150, 0; 40)	(0, 30, 20, 0; 100)	(40)	(90)	(14+4)	(1600/-)	(5, 10, 5)	(0, 25, 0)	(55)	(2000)	(3-13)
large barge	2	50, 400, 50, 0; 25	5, 40, 5, 0; 250	40	90	14+4	1800/-	6, 12, 6	0, 25, 0	60	2000	2-14
(transport) ¹	(3)	(0, 150, 150, 0; 40)	(0, 30, 20, 0; 100)	(40)	(90)	(14+4)	(1600/-)	(5, 10, 5)	(0, 25, 0)	(55)	(2000)	(3-13)
huge barge	3	50, 800, 50, 0; 30	5, 80, 5, 0; 450	80	90	14+4	3600/-	7, 14, 7	0, 25, 0	60	2000	2-26
(transport) ²	(3)	(0, 150, 150, 0; 40)	(0, 30, 20, 0; 100)	(40)	(90)	(14+4)	(1600/-)	(5, 10, 5)	(0, 25, 0)	(55)	(2000)	(3-13)
fire ship	0	0, 150, 0, 0; 15	_	0	60	20+0	450/-	5, 10, 5	5, 5, 5	10	100	_
(floating bonfire)	(1)	(0, 300, 0, 0; 30)	(-)	(0)	(60)	(17.5+4.5)	(500/-)	(5, 10, 5)	(10, 10, 10)	(8)	(100)	(-)
skiff	1	60, 60, 30, 0; 10	6, 6, 3, 0; 75	6	90	18+2	300/-	5, 10, 5	0, 25, 0	60	2000	1–3
(small galley) ¹	(2)	(0, 125, 50, 0; 20)	(0, 25, 15, 0; 75)	(20)	(90)	(14+4)	(800/-)	(5, 10, 5)	(0, 35, 0)	(45)	(2000)	(2-10)
unireme	1	100, 100, 50, 0; 15	10, 10, 5, 0; 125	10	90	17+3	500/-	5, 10, 5	0, 25, 0	60	2000	1-4
(light galley) ¹	(2)	(0, 125, 50, 0; 20)	(0, 25, 15, 0; 75)	(20)	(90)	(14+4)	(800/-)	(5, 10, 5)	(0, 35, 0)	(45)	(2000)	(2-10)
bireme	2	200, 200, 100, 0; 20	20, 20, 10, 0; 250	20	90	16+4	1000/-	6, 12, 6	0, 25, 0	60	2000	2-8
(medium galley)	(2)	(0, 125, 50, 0; 20)	(0, 25, 15, 0; 75)	(20)	(90)	(14+4)	(800/-)	(5, 10, 5)	(0, 35, 0)	(45)	(2000)	(2-10)
trireme	3	300, 300, 150, 0; 30	30, 30, 15, 0; 375	30	90	15+5	1500/-	6, 12, 6	0, 25, 0	60	2000	3–12
(medium galley)	(3)	(0, 150, 150, 0; 25)	(0, 30, 20, 0; 100)	(30)	(90)	(16+4)	(1400/-)	(5, 10, 5)	(0, 35, 0)	(55)	(2000)	(3-13)
quadrireme	4	400, 400, 200, 0; 40	40, 40, 20, 0; 500	40	90	14+6	2000/-	6, 12, 6	0, 25, 0	60	2000	4–16
(medium galley) ²	(3)	(0, 150, 150, 0; 25)	(0, 30, 20, 0; 100)	(30)	(90)	(16+4)	(1400/-)	(5, 10, 5)	(0, 35, 0)	(55)	(2000)	(3-13)
quinquereme	5	500, 500, 250, 0; 50	50, 50, 25, 0; 625	50	90	13+7	2500/-	7, 14, 7	0, 25, 0	60	2000	5-20
(heavy galley)	(3)	(0, 350, 200, 350; 30)	(0, 40, 30, 0; 150)	(50)	(110)	(16+4)	(2000/-)	(5, 10, 5)	(0, 10, 100)	(10-72)	(5000)	(1-10)
sexireme	6	600, 600, 300, 0; 60	60, 60, 30, 0; 750	60	90	12+8	3000/-	7, 14, 7	0, 25, 0	60	2000	6-24
(heavy galley) ¹	(3)	(0, 350, 200, 350; 30)	(0, 40, 30, 0; 150)	(50)	(110)	(16+4)	(2000/-)	(5, 10, 5)	(0, 10, 100)	(10-72)	(5000)	(1-10)
septireme	7	700, 700, 350, 0; 70	70, 70, 35, 0; 875	70	90	11+9	3500/-	7, 14, 7	0, 25, 0	60	2000	7–28
(heavy galley) ¹	(3)	(0, 350, 200, 350; 30)	(0, 40, 30, 0; 150)	(50)	(110)	(16+4)	(2000/-)	(5, 10, 5)	(0, 10, 100)	(10-72)	(5000)	(1-10)
octoreme	8	800, 800, 400, 0; 80	80, 80, 40, 0; 1000	80	90	10+10	4000/-	8, 16, 8	0, 25, 0	60	2000	8-32
(juggernaut galley) ¹	(3)	(0, 350, 200, 350; 30)	(0, 50, 50, 0; 200)	(50)	(110)	(16+4)	(2000/-)	(5, 10, 5)	(0, 10, 100)	(10-72)	(5000)	(1-10)
novireme	9	900, 900, 450, 0; 90	90, 90, 45, 0; 1125	90	90	9+11	4500/-	8, 16, 8	0, 25, 0	60	2000	9-36
(juggernaut galley) ²	(3)	(0, 350, 200, 0; 30)	(0, 50, 50, 0; 200)	(50)	(110)	(16+4)	(2000/-)	(5, 10, 5)	(0, 10, 100)	(10-72)	(5000)	(1-10)
decereme	10	1000, 1000, 500, 0; 100	100, 100, 50, 0; 1250	100	90	8+12	5000/-	8, 16, 8	0, 25, 0	60	2000	10-40
(juggernaut galley) ¹	(8)	(0, 400, 300, 350; 20)	(0, 50, 50, 0; 200)	(100)	(90)	(16+4)	(4000/-)	(5, 10, 5)	(0, 10, 100)	(10-72)	(5000)	(1-10)

NB: All ships are bribable (espionage); fishing boats and merchant ships are no longer "conquest critical".

^{1:} A new class to which existing units are reassigned; 2: A new class which currently remains unused

2.2.4 Siege weapons

${f class}$	pop.	training costs	\mathbf{loot}	vision	\mathbf{speed}	${ m health}/$	armour	damage	range	\mathbf{rate}	other
	size	(f, w, m, s; time)	(f, w, m, s; exp)	range		capture	(h, p, c)	(h, p, c)	(m)	(ms)	stats
ballista	2	0, 200, 200, 0; 20	0, 20, 20, 0; 200	90	8+4	200/200	1, 20, 2	0, 120, 0	8-80	3000	linear splash damage:
	(2)	(0, 250, 250, 0; 20)	(0, 10, 10, 0; 200)	(120)	(8+4)	(200/500)	(1, 50, 5)	(0, 150, 25)	(8-80)	(4000)	0h+60p+0c (0h+75p+5c)
onager	3	0, 300, 150, 150; 30	0, 30, 15, 15; 300	90	7+3	300/300	1, 30, 3	0, 0, 90	15-90	3000	circular splash damage:
	(2)	(0, 400, 0, 250; 25)	(0, 20, 0, 10; 300)	(120)	(7+3)	(250/500)	(1, 50, 5)	(0, 10, 100)	(12-80)	(5000)	0h+0p+30c (0h+15p+35c)
ram	4	0, 400, 200, 0; 40	0, 40, 20, 0; 300	45	8+4	400/-	2, 40, 4	0, 0, 80	8	3000	garrison capacity: 10 (10)
	(3)	(0, 350, 200, 0; 30)	(0, 50, 25, 0; 60)	(80)	(8+3)	(400/-)	(1, 50, 5)	(0, 0, 150)	(6.5)	(1500)	
tower	6	0, 600, 300, 100; 60	0, 60, 30, 10; 500	90	6+3	600/600	3, 60, 6	0, 10, 10	60+9	3000	garrison capacity: 20 (20)
	(3)	(0, 500, 300, 0; 60)	(0, 50, 25, 0; 60)	(80)	(6.5+3.5)	(500/500)	(1, 50, 5)	(0, 12, 2.5)	(55+9)	(2000)	arrow count: 2–12 (0–10)

NB: ballista: onager: ram: tower:

 $1.5 \times$ vs Elephantry $1.5 \times$ vs Ships $4.0 \times$ vs Gates, $2.0 \times$ vs other Structures $2.0 \times$ vs Fortresses, Towers

2.2.5 Support units

class	pop.	training costs	loot	vision	\mathbf{speed}	health	armour	build	other
	size	(f, w, m, s; time)	(f, w, m, s; exp)	range			(h, p, c)	rate	stats
female	1	50, 0, 0, 0; 8	5, 0, 0, 0; 5	50	10+5	25	1, 1, 1	1.0	
	(1)	(50, 0, 0, 0; 8)	(1, 1, 1, 1; 10)	(32)	(9.5+6.5)	(25)	(1, 1, 1)	(1.0)	
slave	1	50, 0, 50, 0; 8	5, 0, 5, 0; 10	50	10+5	50	1, 1, 1	1.0	
	(0)	(0, 0, 50, 0; 20)	(0, 1, 1, 1; 10)	(12)	(8+7)	(100)	(1, 1, 1)	(0.5)	(unhealable, -0.25 regeneration)
healer	1	50, 0, 100, 0; 8	5, 0, 10, 0; 15	60	10+5	75	1, 1, 1	_	heal 1 HP per 0.5 seconds, 12 m range
	(1)	(250, 0, 0, 0; 8)	(1, 1, 1, 1; 10)	(30)	(9+3)	(85)	(1, 1, 1)	(-)	(5 HP/2.0 s, 12 m)
trader	1	100, 50, 50, 0; 15	10, 5, 5, 0; 20	60	10+5	100	1, 1, 1	_	bribable
	(1)	(100, 0, 80, 0; 15)	(1, 1, 1, 1; 10)	(60)	(9.5+6.5)	(100)	(1, 1, 1)	(-)	(bribable)
elephant	3	300, 0, 0, 0; 12	30, 0, 0, 0; 30	60	6+6	300	3, 6, 9	3.0	can garrison up to 3 females
	(1)	150, 0, 0, 0; 20	(25, 0, 0, 0; 50)	(50)	(5.5+4.5)	300	(5, 8, 10)	(2.0)	(no garrison capacity)

2.3 Faction availability

2.3.1 Infantry units

	athen	brit	cart	gaul	iber	mace	maur	pers	ptol	rome	sele	spart
citizen crossbowman	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
mercenary "	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
champion "	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
citizen composite bowman	_	_	V	_	_	_	_	V	_	_	_	_
mercenary "	C	_	_	_	_	${ m T}$	_	_	T	_	Τ	\mathbf{E}
champion "	С	_	_	_		_	_	_	_	_	_	_
citizen longbowman	_	_	_	_	_	_	V	_	_	-	-	-
mercenary "	_	_	\mathbf{E}	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
champion "	_	_	_	_	_	_	W	_	_	_	_	_
citizen bullet slinger	V	_	_	_	_	-	-	_	V	_	-	_
mercenary "	C	_	${ m T}$	_	_	${ m T}$	_	_	_	_	_	\mathbf{E}
champion "	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
citizen stone slinger	_	V	_	Τ	${ m T}$	_	_	Τ	_	_	_	_
mercenary "	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
champion "	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
citizen javelinist	_	Т	_	V	V	V	_	Т	_	V	V	V
mercenary "	T	_	${ m T}$	_	_	${ m T}$	_	_	T	_	_	${ m T}$
champion "	W	_	_	_	_	W	_	\mathbf{C}	C	_	\mathbf{C}	W
citizen throwing axeman	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-	_
mercenary "	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
champion "	_	_	_	_	_	_	-	_	_	_	_	_
citizen spearman	_	V	_	V	Т	_	V	V	_	Т	V	_
mercenary "	_	_	${ m T}$	_	_	_	_	_	Γ	_	_	_
champion "	_	_	_	${ m T}$	_	_	-	\mathbf{C}	_	_	_	_
citizen hoplite	V	_	V	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	V
mercenary "	E	_	${ m T}$	_	_	_	_	\mathbf{E}	_	_	_	\mathbf{E}
champion "	С	_	\mathbf{C}	_	_	$^{\mathrm{C}}$	_	\mathbf{C}	_	_	_	$^{\mathrm{C}}$
citizen pikeman	_	_	_	_	_	V	-	_	V	-	V	_
mercenary "	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
champion "	_	_	\mathbf{E}	_	_	_	_	_	С	_	\mathbf{C}	W
citizen halberdier	_	_	_	_	_	_	-	_	_	_	-	-
mercenary "	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
champion "	_	_	_	_	_	_	-	_	_	_	_	_
citizen axeman	_	_	_	_	_	-	-	_	_	_	-	_
mercenary "	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
champion "	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
citizen maceman	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
mercenary "	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
champion "	_	_	_	_	_	_	С	_	_	_	_	_
citizen curved swordsman	_	_	_	_	V	_	Τ	_	_	V	_	_
mercenary "	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
champion "	_	_	_	_	С	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
citizen longswordsman	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
mercenary "	E	_	_	_	_	\mathbf{E}	_	_	_	_	T	\mathbf{E}
champion "	_	С	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
citizen short swordsman	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	V	_	T
mercenary "	_	_	Τ	_	_	_	_	_	T	_	_	_
champion "	C		_	. C		Е	\mathbf{W} .	_	_	С	$^{\mathrm{C}}$	E

NB: \neg : not available for this faction, V: requires village phase, T: requires town phase, C: requires city phase, W: requires "glorious expansion" (wonder), E: exists but is unavailable.

2.3.2 Mounted units

dizen war dog		athen	brit	cart	gaul	iber	mace	maur	pers	ptol	rome	sele	spart
December 2019 Color Colo	citizen war dog	_	_	_	_	_	_	_		_	_	_	
champion "		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
citizen sarcher camel		_	V	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
champion "	citizen archer camel	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	V	_	_	_
champion "		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
citizen spear camel -		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
mercenary		_		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	
champion " -		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Citizen archer cavalry		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
mercenary "		_		_	_	_	_	_	Т	_	_	_	
champion " -		_	_	_	_	_	_	_		_	_	${ m T}$	_
Citizen javelin cavalry	champion "	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	W	_	_		_
mercenary "		V	V	V	V	V	_	V	V	_	Т	V	V
champion " - - C -		_	_		_	_	${ m T}$	_	_	Т	_	_	_
Citizen axe cavalry		_	_		_	С	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
mercenary		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	Т	_	_	_	
Citizen sword cavalry		_	_	${ m T}$	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
citizen sword cavalry T T T T T -		_	_		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
mercenary "		Т	Т	_	Т	_	_	T	_	_	_	_	
Catizien spear cavalry	v	_	_	${f T}$		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
citizen spear cavalry -		_	_		_	_	_	_	_	_	\mathbf{C}	_	_
Mercenary "		_		_	_	_		_		_		_	
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Champion Champion		_	_	_	_	_	_	_		_	_	_	_
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2.3.3 Ships

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medium transport	_	_	_	_	_	_	${ m T}$	_	_	_	_	_
large transport	_	${ m T}$	_	${ m T}$	T	_	${ m T}$	_	_	_	_	_
huge transport	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
fireship	_	_	_	_	T	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
skiff	_	_	_	_	_	${ m T}$	_	_	_	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	_
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2.3.4 Siege weapons

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ballista	С	_	С	_	_	С	_	_	С	С	_	\overline{C}
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ram	_	\mathbf{C}	_	\mathbf{C}	С	\mathbf{C}	$^{\mathrm{C}}$	\mathbf{C}	_	\mathbf{C}	_	\mathbf{C}
tower	_	_	_	_	_	$^{\mathrm{C}}$	_	_	С	_	\mathbf{C}	_

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2.3.5 Support units

	athen	brit	cart	gaul	iber	mace	maur	pers	ptol	rome	sele	spart
female	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V
slave	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
healer	Т	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	Т	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	Т	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	${ m T}$
trader	Т	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	Т	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	Т	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	${ m T}$
elephant	_	_	_	_	_	_	V	_	_	_	_	_

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2.4 Historical reality

2.4.1 Melee infantry

Warfare in Antiquity was often very lopsided: both sides would field heavy infantry formations against each other, until one side believed they were losing the fight, broke down, and fled; the losers would be massacred in pursuit, while the victors would win with relatively minimal casualties. Population potential generally determined the outcome of prolonged warfare: ever expanding states who could afford to lose battles (e.g. Macedon, Rome) won wars; those with stagnant growth (e.g. most Hellenistic kingdoms) often preferred to avoid all-or-nothing pitched fights and rely on naval warfare and sieges instead.

Hoplites were a large circular shield (the *aspis*), a helmet, and a heavy, metal body armour; their primary weapon was a spear; often they also had a short sword or dagger as a secondary weapon. Hoplites were the dominant warriors of the Archaic and Classical periods. They were citizens who seldom fought more than a couple of days per year; even untrained they could easily hold their own against any opponent, thanks to their heavy armaments. The Persians often recruited large contingents of Greek mercenary hoplites; in the fourth century they even set up a corps of their own to emulate them. Their great strength was simultaneously their weakness: hoplite armour was very expensive, limiting the numbers of available troops (in city states soldiers had to provide their own weapons); inflexible, limiting their movement and speed on the battlefield; and uncomfortable, very hot in broad sunlight: hoplites would often march unarmed and only get their armour on (with the help of a servant) shortly before the actual fighting started.

Several experiments (e.g. Iphicrates) to make hoplites lighter culminated in the fourth century into the Macedonian pikemen (phalangites). They had long (c. 6 m) pikes (the sarissa), which required two hands to handle, small, crescent shaped shields (the peltê) attached to one arm, and often little more than a linen body armour. Although vulnerable on their own, they were invulnerable to frontal attacks when packed in their very tight (and slow) formations (unlike hoplites and swordsmen, who fought in relatively loose formations to allow moving around their weapons and falling back to ranks behind them). Soldiers were no longer independent citizens, but subjects who served for months or years and dependent on their king. The king provided them with armaments beforehand, regular meals and pay in service, and land afterwards; this allowed Macedon to quickly recruit and replace large numbers of heavy infantry. Being regular soldiers they had plenty of time to be trained, especially at forced marches; the ability to move around armies much quicker than opponents expected facilitated Alexander's world conquest.

As a result of the Celtic (Galatian) invasions of the Balkans, Greece, and Asia and directly inspired by their infantry a new, more flexible type of infantry emerged in the Greek world. Armed with a large oval shields (the *thureos*), some body armour, and short spears of various lengths and thicknesses, *thureophoroi* (medium infantry) could act both as skirmishers (light infantry), hurling javelins, and as *phalangites* (heavy infantry), forming a shieldwall and holdings its ground with their thrusting spears.

In Italy, hoplite-style infantry remained in use by all peoples (Greeks, Oscans (Samnites), Umbrians (Sabines), Latins (Romans), Etruscans); a short stabbing sword (gladius) gradually replaced the spear (hasta) as the primary weapon; circular (e.g. the clipeus), oval, and rectangular (e.g. the scutum) shields were used concurrently; and the phalanx was abandoned in favour of similar but looser formations.

2.4.2 Ranged infantry

Standing at a relatively safe distance and hurling javelins at the opponents has been the typical form of tribal warfare throughout history everywhere in the world, from Neolithic times to 20th century Amazon, Africa, and Papua New Guinea; after a few men were wounded, one side would retreat. Although often dismissed as childlike, actually the combination of participation of the entire male population, several fights a year, and lack of modern medicine to prevent minor wounds from developing into dangerous infections, effectively results in something relatively more lethal than the Second World War was.

In Antiquity, light infantry was primarily used for harrassing the enemy and other auxiliary roles. Ranged infantry was notably ineffective against heavy infantry formations; their missiles were merely a nuisance, not really deadly at all. Only when the formation broke could they kill off their opponents.

Thracian style peltasts, armed with a light, crescent shaped, goatskin shield $(pelt\hat{e})$, two javelins (akontia), and a short slashing sword as a secondary weapon, were the skirmishers par excellence in Classical Greece; quick and agile, they excelled at ambushing and occupying, defending, or assaulting important points; unlike other light units they could fight in melee, if necessary. Although easily chased away by infantry charges or cavalry on flat terrain, they could hold their own on rough terrain (most of Armenia and Greece) and occasionally massacre cavalry or even hoplites. Their effectiveness, relatively cheapness of equipment (especially when compared to hoplites), and easy skills (hurling javelins can be learned in a day) resulted in them being the most common and popular mercenary type.

Archery has been practiced since prehistoric times to the present day. Archers have to be subdivided into three categories, depending on the type of bow.

Simple, self, flat, or longbows are basically long wooden sticks (up to 2 m) to which a bowstring is attached; they are cheap and easy to produce; many types of wood can be used, although yew (taxus) seems to have been preferred in Europe and bamboo in South, Southeast, and East Asia; using them requires great strength, practice, and experience.

Composite bows were invented in the late third or second millenium and could be curved or recurved; they were neither cheap nor durable: manufactured by laminating layers of horn, sinew, and wood sinew, a difficult and time consuming process, and sensitive to moisture (which explains why they never became common in Europe). Using composite bows required years of experience and significantly more skill than shooting a simple bow. The great advantage was their strength, being much shorter but at least as powerful as longbows. Composite bows were the weapon of choice for charioteers and horse archers, and also used by (As)syrian, Indo-Iranian (e.g. Vedic (Indic) Aryans, Medes, Parthians, Persians, Scythians, etc.), Hunnic, Turkic, and Mongol foot archers. Massed foot archers were the most effective counter against cavalry archers: they could shoot standing, sitting, hiding in the bushes, making them small targets, and from there rain down arrows on the horses, who were much smaller targets.

Composite bows existed in Mycenean Greece, but disappeared in the Dark Ages; the archery tradition was continued in Crete and from there reintroduced to mainland Greece in the Classical times. Although Scythian and other mercenary archers were used, the Cretans were the most famous and desired archers; so great was their fame and skill that occassionally "Cretan" was used as a general Greek term for "archer" (likewise "Syrian" could be used as a general Latin term for "archer" in Imperial Roman sources).

Composite bows had an effective range of about 60 metres against individuals and over 150 metres against formations; maximum (inaccurate) range might occassionally exceed 300 metres, depending on the terrain, weather, bow, and archer. It is important to realize arrows could not penetrate body armour or heavy shields; furthermore, even hoplites could cover the effective range distance in only seconds on flat terrain.

Crossbows were invented independently in China and in the Greek world in the fifth century at the latest; the Chinese version later led to the invention of repeated crossbows, the Greek version to the ballista, catapult, and similar forms of artillery, first constructed in Syracusae in the early fourth century, and spreading from there. Strictly speaking crossbowmen are not true archers, since they do not shoot arrows, but much shorter and heavier bolts or stones instead. Greek hand-held crossbows (gastraphetes "belly-releaser") were only used in siege warfare. Unlike traditional archery, skillfully using a crossbow could be learned in a week or two (which explains their popularity in the European Middle Ages (A.D.)); their much lower rate of fire (a skilled archer could perhaps launch up to a dozen arrows in the time a crossbowman required to reload and shoot once) was not really an issue during sieges.

Slinging is a skill now lost, which makes it difficult for people nowadays to get a clear idea of its effectiveness. However, Greek sources repeatedly stress that slingers had an effective range of over 200 metres and could easily outdistance and outshoot archers.

Slings were used everywhere in the Mediterranean from Neolithic times to Late Antiquity; however, it was generally the least prestigious weapon (hoplites, chariots, javelins, and archers all feature prominently in Homer's *Iliad*; slings do not appear); a sling was an extremely cheap weapon, everyone could afford it; slingers were usually of low status, very poor, and considered rustic. Of course, there are always exceptions: the Balearic peoples, Acarnanians, Rhodians, and Judaeans were all famous for their exceptional slinging skills (boys practised from early childhood), they were proud of it, and sought after as mercenaries.

Slingers could use various forms of ammunition. Everything from fist-sized rocks of up to 500 grammes to small pebbles as light as 50 grammes could be used, rough ones picked up at the battlefield or more effective smooth stones collected in advance in river beds; Celtic hill horts with stocks of tens of thousands of sling stones are not uncommon archaeological sites in Northwestern Europe. Clay projectiles of various sizes first appear in Early Bronze Age Mesopotamia and were still produced in the Roman Empire. Small leaden bullets (of 20 to 50 grammes) were produced by Assyrians, Greeks, Romans, and others; they had the greatest range and penetrative power and were very hard to see or dodge; they were ineffective against full hoplite armour but dangerous for everyone with lighter protection.

Massed slingers, although not packed as closely as foot archers (because their slings needed space for swinging) could rain down projectiles on heavy infantry formations, forcing them to stay put, hiding behind their shields for cover. Small groups of slingers were used to chase away other slingers or archers, who lacked shields and body armour and were thus always vulnerable to projectiles.

2.4.3 Chariotry

The first clear evidence of animals in warfare were the donkey carts used by the Sumerians; these were undoubtedly slow, but given that everyone else was on foot, this was not a problem.

Horses were domesticated and (spoked-wheel) chariots invented in what is now Ukraine and Southern Russia; from there they were spread by the Indo-Europeans ("Aryans") throughout Eurasia, to China in the East, the British isles in the West, and Egypt in the South; the horse-and-chariot was very fast and dominated battlefields everywhere: it was the "fighter jet" of the Bronze Age.

In the Hellenistic period there were many attempts to (re)introduce scythed chariots, but these remained ultimately unsuccessful.

2.4.4 Camelry

Dromedary camels were domesticated by the Bedouin ("Arab") tribes living in and around the Syrian desert; due to their long legs dromedary camels could easily outrun horses, making them very suitable for hit-and-run raids. The primary usage of dromedary camels, however, was maintaining supply lines and caravans in desert areas (as is still the case in the present day).

2.4.5 Cavalry

The first evidence of cavalry appeared relatively late, in the Neo-Assyrian Empire; it was apparently an evolution from earlier chariot experiments; chariot crews consisted of a driver and an archer or lancer; likewise, Assyrian cavalry was organized in teams of two: one would manage the reins of both horses, the other was an armed warrior who did the fighting.

Horseback-riding existed in Greece in the Dark Ages; however, such soldiers were actually mounted infantry rather than true cavalry: they would ride to the battlefield but descent and fight on foot when the battle started. The situation in most of Europe was probably comparable; sources implicate that during the Second Punic War it was still common for Roman horsemen to descent and fight on foot. Mounted infantry and true cavalry probably coexisted for many centuries (cf. the mounted pikemen and dragoons of the Early Modern Period (post 1500 A.D.)).

The first true cavalry (men who actually fought from horseback) in the Greek world was Thessalian, starting in the eight century; the Boeotians were also famous for their cavalry. Cavalry could be armed with throwing javelins, thrusting spears, or both, and often had a short slashing sword as a secondary weapon. Bow-and-arrows could apparently be used as well: Athens had a regular corps of 200 horse archers in 431. The lance was introduced by the Macedonians in the fourth century; Alexander seems to be the first to have used cavalry as shock troops.

The Indo-Iranian tribes (e.g. Vedic (Indic) Aryans, Medes, Parthians, Persians, Scythians, etc.) fought from horseback many centuries before: whenever they appear in historical records, they are already known and feared for their exceptional riding skills and usage of bow-and-arrow from horseback. Horse archers dominated Central Eurasian warfare until the introduction of modern rifles and cannons. They were usually light, fast, unarmoured, and could have multiple horses to be able to continue constant attacks. Much slower armoured heavy (and cataphract) horse archers (who were nearly invulnerable to arrows) developed as a counter against them and coexisted for centuries.

It is important to realize that horses throughout Antiquity were actually quite small, about the size of a pony or Przewalski's horse. Larger breeds (Nisean horses) started in the fifth century (B.C.) but remained exceptional until the European Middle Ages (A.D.).

Horses did not like the smell of camels nor the noise of chariot wheels: unused to it, they would panic at the first encounter, but could be trained to resist their unease (cf. fireworks).

2.4.6 Elephantry

Wild elephants were captured and tamed (but never domesticated) in the Indus valley as early as the fifth milennium; they were used in agriculture and as beasts of burden. An independent elephant tradition might have existed in Shang China (second milennium). True war elephants emerged in Indian warfare only in the first milennium, probably from Ceylon (Sri Lanka): the *mahout*³ tradition seemed to have originated here. (Elephants were still the primary export product from Ceylon to India in the Early Modern Period when the Dutch East India Company (VOC) tried to monopolize all trades to and from Ceylon.)

Elephants were *not* living siege weapons.⁴ Elephantry had many functions: prestige, intimidation, high and relatively safe look-out posts for generals, platforms for archers to shoot arrows from (walking towers), and protecting vulnerable infantry against cavalry charges and horse archers (horses won't charge directly at elephants and arrows had little to none effect against war elephants); direct elephant charges at infantry formations were risky and rare.

The Indian states, the Persians, Alexander, and the Seleucids all used Asian elephants (E.m. maximus): Sri Lankan elephants (E.m. maximus) were evidently the archetypical war elephants everywhere; Indian elephants (E.m. indicus) were probably used in large numbers as well; Syrian elephants (E.m. asurus), the largest in size, were occassionally also used, but their population was quite small due to habitat loss and became totally extinct by the first century.

Ptolemaic Egypt, Epirus, Carthage, Numidia, and Kush used North African elephants (now extinct) instead; they were easier and cheaper to acquire for them than the more prestigious Asian elephants; however, all sources agree they were significantly smaller and inferior; the Seleucid war elephants easily defeated their Ptolemaic counterparts whenever they met.

 $^{^3}$ Mahouts are the men who tamed, trained, cared for, and rode war elephants

⁴Have you have ever seen an elephant charging head on at a large stone wall? Exactly!

2.5 New template structure tree

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3 Structures

Principles

Civic centres: cavalry, camels, and worker elephants can no longer be trained at civic centres or crannogs (colonies can still train mercenary cavalry).

Espionage: civic centres, colonies, crannogs, docks, embassies, halls, libraries, markets, naval shipyards, palaces, temples, theatres, and wonders are bribable (as are all ships, traders, and heroes).

Loot: loot is standardized to 10% of resource costs; experience is 10% of maximum health for civic centres, colonies, crannogs, fortresses, naval shipyards, outposts, palisades, all towers, and all walls, and 5% for all other structures.

Territory: army camps, civic centres, colonies, crannogs, docks, naval shipyards, and outposts can be constructed in neutral territory (*unchanged*), as can corrals, farmsteads, fields, markets, storehouses, and walls (*new*; keep in mind control is quickly lost if left on their own).

Upgradable: (any): a long wall to gate; (town): an outpost to sentry tower; (city): a sentry tower to stone tower.

3.1 Faction availability

	athen	brit	cart	gaul	iber	mace	maur	pers	ptol	rome	sele	spart
civic centre	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V
house	_	V	_	V	V	_	V	_	V	_	_	_
big house	V	_	V	_	_	V	_	V	_	V	V	V
storehouse	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V
farmstead	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V
farm field	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V
corral	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V
docks	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V
market	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	T	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	${ m T}$	${ m T}$
blacksmith	V (T)	V (T)	V(T)	V (T)	V (T)	V (T)	V (T)	V (T)	V (T)	V (T)	V (T)	V(T)
temple	T	T	T	T	Γ	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
rotary mill	_	T (C)	_	T (C)	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
crannog	_	T	_	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
military colony	_	_	_	_	_	T (-)	_	_	${ m T}$	T (-)	${ m T}$	_
barracks	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V
outpost	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V
village palisade	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	V	- (V)	V V (-)	V	V
~ -	T (V)		v Т (V)			т (V)			T(V)	T(V)	T(V)	т (V)
sentry tower		T(V)		T(V)	T (V)		T(V)	T(V)	` ′	T(C)		
town (siege) wall	T (-)	— (TT)	T(-)	— (T)	(T)	T(-)	— (TT)	— (T)	\ /		T(-)	T(-)
defense tower	C (T)	C(T)	C(T)	C (T)	C (T)	C (T)	C(T)	C (T)	C (T)	C (T)	C(T)	C(T)
city wall	C (T)	C(T)	C(T)	C (T)	C (T)	C(T)	C(T)	C(T)	C (T)	C (T)	C(T)	C (-)
fortress	С	С	С	С	C	С	С	\mathbf{C}	С	С	С	$^{\mathrm{C}}$
army camp	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	С	_	_
cavalry stables	_	_ *** (FP)	_	_	_	_	_	V	_	_	_	_
dog kennel	_	V(T)	_	_	_	_		_	_	_	_	_
elephant stables	_	_	_	_	_	_	V(T)	_	_	_	_	_
gymnasium	T (C)	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
mess hall	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	T(C)
monument	_	_	_	_	С	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
naval shipyard	_	_	${ m T}$	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
pillar	_	_	_	_	_	_	C^*	_	_	_	_	_
siege workshop	_	_	_	_	_	$^{\rm C}$	_	_	_	_	_	_
stoa	T	_	_	_	_	T(-)	_	_	T(-)	_	T(-)	${ m T}$
tavern	_	_	_	${ m T}$	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
council chambers	С	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
embassy	_	_	T/T/T	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
hall	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	\mathbf{C}	_	_	_	_
ishtar gate	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	\mathbf{C}	_	_	_	_
library	_	_	_	_	_	\mathbf{C}	_	_	С	_	\mathbf{C}	_
lighthouse	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	C (T)	_	_	_
palace	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	\mathbf{C}		_	_	_
theatre	С	_	_	_	_	\mathbf{C}	_	_	C (-)	_	C(-)	- (C)
Vestal temple	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_		$^{\mathrm{C}}$	_ ′	_ ′
wonder	С	С	\mathbf{C}	С	C	$^{\mathrm{C}}$	$^{\mathrm{C}}$	С	С	C	С	\mathbf{C}
NB: The new v		_										

NB: The new values are displayed normally, the default "0 A.D. Alpha XXII: Venustas" values are displayed for comparison between brackets (). \neg : not available for this faction, V: requires village phase, T: requires town phase, C: requires city phase, W: requires "glorious expansion" (wonder), E: exists but is unavailable.

3.2 Comparison table (structures)

class	phase	default costs	loot	in neutral	territory root/	pop.	garrison	${ m health}/$	armour	vision
		(f, w, m, s; time)	(f, w, m, s; exp)	territory	radius/weight	bonus	capacity	capture	(h, p, c)	range
brit, gaul, iber	V	400, 400, 400, 400; 480	50, 50, 50, 50; 250	yes	1/150/10000	20	20	2500/2500	25, 35, 3	100
centre, crannog		(0, 500, 500, 500; 500)	(0, 200, 200, 200; 200)		(1/140/10000)	(20)	(20)	(3000/2500)	(25, 35, 3)	(90)
civic centre	V	500, 500, 500, 500; 600	50, 50, 50, 50; 300	yes	1/150/10000	25	25	3000/3000	25, 35, 3	100
(other factions)		(0, 500, 500, 500; 500)	(0, 200, 200, 200; 200)		(1/140/10000)	(20)	(20)	(3000/2500)	(25, 35, 3)	(90)
colony	Т	300, 300, 300, 300; 360	25, 25, 25, 25; 200	yes	1/75/10000	15	15	2000/2000	25, 35, 3	100
(ptol, sele)		(0, 200, 200, 200; 300)	(0, 100, 100, 100; 200)		(1/80/10000)	(20)	(20)	(2000/2500)	(25, 35, 3)	(90)
fortress	С	200, 400, 100, 800; 450	20, 40, 10, 80; 450	no	0/100/40000	20	30	4500/4500	25, 40, 6	100
		(0, 0, 0, 1000; 500)	(0, 0, 0, 65; 100)		(0/100/40000)	(20)	(20)	(4200/4000)	(25, 40, 6)	(80)
army camp	С	100, 600, 100, 0; 240	10, 60, 10, 0; 240	yes	_	8	40	2400/1600	15, 25, 2	80
(rome)		(0, 500, 200, 0; 250)	(0, 100, 0, 0; 100)		_	(5)	(40)	(2500/1500)	(15, 25, 2)	(60)
barracks	V	100, 200, 0, 100; 200	10, 20, 0, 10; 0	no	0/50/40000	0	10	2000/500	20, 35, 3	40
		(0, 300, 0, 0; 150)	(0, 30, 0, 10; 0)		(0/50/40000)	(0)	(10)	(2000/500)	(20, 35, 3)	(32)
docks	V	50, 200, 0, 0; 150	5, 20, 0, 0; 0	yes	_	5	0	2500/500	20, 35, 3	50
		(0, 200, 0, 0; 150)	(30, 30, 0, 0; 0)			(5)	(0)	(2500/500)	(20, 35, 3)	(40)
naval shipyard	Т	200, 400, 200, 200; 500	20, 40, 20, 20; 0	yes	1/200/25000	10	25	5000/5000	20, 40, 5	100
(cart)		(0, 300, 0, 200; 500)	(0, 75, 0, 50; 0)		(1/200/25000)	(10)	(5)	(5000/2000)	(20, 35, 3)	(100)
outpost tower	V	0, 75, 0, 0; 50	0, 8, 0, 0; 0	yes	_	0	1	750/500	5, 20, 1	100
		(0, 80, 0, 0; 40)	(0, 8, 0, 0; 100)			(0)	(1)	(800/500)	(5, 20, 1)	(80)
sentry tower	Т	50, 100, 0, 50; 100	5, 10, 0, 5; 0	no	0/20/20000	0	3	1000/750	15, 25, 2	100
	(V)	(0, 100, 0, 0; 40)	(0, 20, 0, 0; 100)		(0/16/30000)	(0)	(3)	(250/800)	(20, 25, 1)	(80)
stone tower	C	50, 150, 0, 100; 150	5, 15, 0, 10; 0	no	0/30/30000	0	5	1500/1000	25, 30, 3	20
	(T)	(0, 100, 0, 100; 150)	(0, 0, 0, 20; 100)		(0/32/30000)	(0)	(5)	(1000/500)	(25, 30, 3)	(20)
wall short	C	0, 20, 0, 60; 30	0, 2, 0, 6; 0	yes	0/20/60000	0	5	2000/1200	25, 30, 3	20
	(T)	(0, 0, 0, 15; 15)	(0, 0, 0, 15; 100)	(no)	(0/20/65535)	(0)	(5)	(1000/1200)	(25, 30, 3)	(20)
wall medium	C	0, 30, 0, 90; 45	0, 3, 0, 9; 0	yes	0/20/60000	0	5	3000/1200	25, 30, 3	20
	(T)	(0, 0, 0, 22; 30)	(0, 0, 0, 15; 100)	(no)	(0/20/65535)	(0)	(5)	(2000/1200)	(25, 30, 3)	(20)
wall long	C	0, 40, 0, 120; 60	0, 4, 0, 12; 0	yes	0/20/60000	0	5	4000/1200	25, 30, 3	20
	(T)	(0, 0, 0, 28; 45)	(0, 0, 0, 15; 100)	(no)	(0/20/65535)	(0)	(5)	(3000/1200)	(25, 30, 3)	(20)
wall gate	C	0, 40, 40, 0; 15	0, 8, 4, 12; 0	yes	0/20/60000	0	5	4000/1200	25, 30, 3	20
	(T)	(0, 0, 0, 60; 10)	(0, 0, 0, 15; 100)	(no)	(0/20/65535)	(0)	(5)	(3000/1200)	(25, 30, 3)	(20)
wall turret	Č	0, 50, 0, 150; 75	0, 5, 0, 15; 0	yes	0/20/60000	0	5	5000/1200	25, 30, 3	60
	(T)	(0, 0, 0, 90; 80)	(0, 0, 0, 15; 100)	(no)	(0/20/65535)	(0)	(5)	(4000/1200)	(25, 30, 3)	(60)
library	Č	250, 250, 250, 250; 500	25, 25, 25, 25; 0	no	0/50/50000	0	25	2500/500	20, 30, 3	50
v		(0, 0, 200, 200; 200)	(0, 0, 125, 125; 0)		(0/50/40000)	(0)	(5)	(2000/500)	(20, 30, 3)	(40)
theatre	С	500, 500, 500, 500; 500	50, 50, 50, 50; 0	no	0/100/50000	0	50	5000/2500	20, 30, 3	100
		(0, 0, 500, 500; 500)	(0, 0, 125, 125; 0)		(0/100/40000)	(0)	(5)	(2000/500)	(20, 30, 3)	(40)
wonder	С	1000, 1000, 1000, 1000; 1000	100, 100, 100, 100; 0	no	1/100/65535	0	50	5000/2500	15, 25, 3	100
		(1000, 1000, 1000, 1000; 1000)	(300, 300, 300, 300; 300)		(1/100/65535)	(0)	(30)	(5000/2000)	(15, 25, 3)	(72)

4 Technologies

The new values are displayed on each first row, the default "0 A.D. Alpha XXII: Venustas" values are displayed for comparison on each second row (between brackets); some files are renamed for internal consistency. All technology files are located in /simulation/data/technologies/

4.1 Comparison table (armoury)

${f technology}$	cost (f, w, m, s; time)	phase	effects
armour_cavalry_01.json	0, 1000, 400, 0; 40	village	cavalry +1 crush, hack, and pierce armour
<pre>(armor_cavalry_01.json)</pre>	(0, 1000, 350, 0; 40)	(town)	(no crush, +1 hack, +1 pierce)
armour_cavalry_02.json	0, 1000, 500, 0; 50	town	cavalry +1 crush, hack, and pierce armour
<pre>(armor_cavalry_02.json)</pre>	(0, 1000, 450, 0; 40)	(city)	(no crush, +1 hack, +1 pierce)
armour_cavalry_03.json	0, 1000, 600, 0; 60	city	cavalry +1 crush, hack, and pierce armour
[new]	[new]	[new]	[new]
armour_hero.json	0, 250, 500, 0; 60	city	heroes +3 crush, hack, and pierce armour
(armor_hero_01.json)	(0, 0, 600, 0; 40)		(no crush, $+2$ hack, $+2$ pierce; $+50$ metal cos
armour_infantry_01.json	0, 1000, 400, 0; 40	village	infantry +1 crush, hack, and pierce armour
<pre>(armor_infantry_01.json)</pre>	(0, 1000, 350, 0; 40)	(town)	(no crush, +1 hack, +1 pierce)
armour_infantry_02.json	0, 1000, 500, 0; 50	town	infantry +1 crush, hack, and pierce armour
<pre>(armor_infantry_02.json)</pre>	(0, 1000, 450, 0; 40)	(city)	(no crush, +1 hack, +1 pierces)
armour_infantry_03.json	0, 1000, 600, 0; 60	city	infantry +1 crush, hack, and pierce armour
[new]	[new]	[new]	[new]
armour_ship_01.json	0, 200, 0, 0; 40	village	ships +2 crush, hack, and pierce armour
<pre>(armor_ship_reinforcedhull.json)</pre>	(0, 250, 0, 0; 40)		
armour_ship_02.json	0, 200, 200, 0; 40	town	ships +2 crush, hack, and pierce armour
(armor_ship_hypozomata.json)	(0, 150, 150, 0; 40)		
armour_ship_03.json	0, 0, 400, 0; 60	city	ships +2 crush, hack, and pierce armour
<pre>(armor_ship_hullsheating.json)</pre>	(0, 0, 350, 0; 40)		
attack_cavalry_melee_01	400, 400, 400, 0; 40	village	melee cavalry +15% attack
·	(500, 750, 350, 0; 40)	(town)	(+20%)
attack_cavalry_melee_02	500, 500, 500, 0; 50	town	melee cavalry +15% attack
·	(500, 500, 500, 0; 40)	(city)	(+20%)
attack_cavalry_melee_03	600, 600, 600, 0; 40	city	melee cavalry +15% attack
[new]	new	[new]	[new]
attack_cavalry_ranged_01	400, 400, 400, 0; 40	village	ranged cavalry +15% attack
	(500, 750, 350; 40)	(town)	(+20%)
attack_cavalry_ranged_02	500, 500, 500, 0; 50	town	ranged cavalry +15% attack
	(500, 500, 500; 40)	(city)	(+20%)
attack_cavalry_ranged_03	600, 600, 600, 0; 60	city	ranged cavalry +15% attack
[new]	[new]	[new]	[new]
attack_champions_elite.json	0, 0, 300, 0; 40	city	melee champions +2 hack melee attack,
	(0, 0, 300, 0; 40)		ranged champions +2 pierce ranged attack
attack_infantry_melee_01	400, 400, 400, 0; 40	village	melee infantry +15% attack
	(500, 500, 250, 250; 40)	(town)	(+20%)
attack_infantry_melee_02	500, 500, 500, 0; 50	town	melee infantry +15% attack
	(500, 500, 250, 450; 40)	(city)	(+20%)
attack_infantry_melee_03	600, 600, 600, 0; 60	city	melee infantry +15% attack
[new]	[new]	[new]	[new]
attack_infantry_ranged_01	400, 400, 400, 0; 40	village	ranged infantry +15% attack
	(500, 500, 250, 250; 40)	(town)	(+20%)
attack_infantry_ranged_02	500, 500, 500, 0; 50	town	ranged infantry +15% attack
	(500, 500, 250, 350; 40)	(city)	(+20%)
attack_infantry_ranged_03	600, 600, 600, 0; 60	city	ranged infantry +15% attack
[new]	[new]	[new]	[new]
attack_soldiers_will.json	1500, 1500, 1500, 1500; 60	city	soldiers +25% attack
-	(1500, 1500, 1500, 1500; 40)	*	
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4.2 Comparison table (economic)

technology	cost (f, w, m, s; time)	phase	effects
gather_animals_stockbreeding.json	100, 0, 0, 0; 45	village	domestic animals -25% breed time
	(50, 0, 0, 0; 40)		
gather_capacity_01.json	250, 250, 0, 0; 30	village	workers +5 resource carrying capacity
(gather_capacity_basket.json)	(300, 300, 0, 0; 40)		
gather_capacity_02.json	500, 500, 0, 0; 45	town	workers +5 resource carrying capacity
<pre>(gather_capacity_wheelbarrow.json)</pre>	(500, 500, 0, 0; 40)		
gather_capacity_03.json	1000, 1000, 0, 0; 60	city	workers +5 resource carrying capacity
(gather_capacity_carts.json)	(1000, 1000, 0, 0; 40)		(+10)
gather_capacity_fishing.json	200, 100, 0, 0; 30	town	fishing boats +20 food carrying capacity
	(200, 100, 0, 0; 30)		
gather_farm_01.json	0, 200, 100, 0; 40	village	workers +15% food.grain farming rate
(gather_farming_plows.json)	(0, 200, 100, 0; 40)		
gather_farm_02.json	0, 400, 200, 0; 50	town	workers +20% food.grain farming rate
$({\tt gather_farming_training.json})$	(0, 300, 150, 0; 40)		(+15%)
gather_farm_03.json	0, 600, 300, 0; 60	city	workers +25% food.grain farming rate
(gather_farming_fertilizer.json)	(0, 500, 250, 0; 40)		
gather_fish_capacity.json	200, 100, 0; 30	town	fishing boats +20 food carrying capacity
(gather_capacity_fishing.json)	(200, 100, 0; 30)		
gather_fish_net.json	0, 100, 0, 0; 30	village	fishing boats +25% food.fish fishing rate
(gather_fishing_net.json)	(0, 100, 0, 0; 30)		(+30%)
gather_lumber_01.json	125, 125, 50, 0; 30	village	workers +20% wood.tree lumbering rate
(gather_lumbering_ironaxes.json)	(0, 200, 50, 0; 40)		(+15%)
gather_lumber_02.json	250, 250, 100, 0; 45	town	workers +25% wood.tree lumbering rate
(gather_lumbering_strongeraxes.json)	(0, 250, 50, 0; 40)		(+15%)
gather_lumber_03.json	500, 500, 200, 0; 60	city	workers +30% wood.tree lumbering rate
$({\tt gather_lumbering_sharpaxes.json})$	(0, 1000, 150, 150; 40)		(+50%)
gather_mine_01.json	125, 125, 50, 0; 30	village	workers +20% metal.ore mining rate
$({\tt gather_mining_wedgemallet.json})$	(0, 200, 50, 0; 40)		(+15%)
gather_mine_02.json	250, 250, 100, 0; 45	town	workers +25% metal.ore mining rate
$({\tt gather_mining_shaftmining.json})$	(0, 250, 50, 0; 40)		(+15%)
gather_mine_03.json	500, 500, 200, 0; 60	city	workers +30% metal.ore mining rate
(gather_mining_silvermining.json)	(0, 1000, 150, 150; 40)		(+50%)
gather_quarry_01.json	125, 125, 50, 0; 30	village	workers $+20\%$ stone.rock quarrying rate
(gather_mining_servants.json)	(0, 200, 50, 0; 40)		(+15%)
gather_quarry_02.json	250, 250, 100, 0; 45	town	workers +25% stone.rock quarrying rate
(gather_mining_serfs.json)	(0, 250, 50, 0; 40)		(+15%)
<pre>gather_quarry_03.json</pre>	500, 500, 200, 0; 60	city	workers $+30\%$ stone.rock quarrying rate
(gather_mining_slaves.json)	(0, 1000, 150, 150; 40)		(+50%)
<pre>gather_forage.json</pre>	0, 100, 0, 0; 30	village	workers $+50\%$ food.fruit foraging rate,
_(gather_wicker_baskets.json)	(0, 100, 0, 0; 40)		+5 food carrying capacity $(+50%; 0)$
health_females_01.json	100, 100, 0, 0; 30	village	females +60% health
	(150, 0, 0, 0; 40)		(+50%)
<pre>trade_commercial_treaty.json</pre>	0, 0, 200, 0; 40	town	markets $+0.1$ [i.e. $+10\%$] international bonus
	(0, 0, 100, 0; 40)		
trade_convoy_armour.json	0, 200, 200, 0; 40	city	traders +2 crush, hack, and pierce armour
(trade_convoys_armor.json)	(0, 0, 200, 0; 40)		(no crush)
trade_convoy_speed.json	200, 0, 200, 0; 40	town	traders +10% walk speed
(trade_convoys_speed.json)	(0, 0, 200, 0; 40)		(+25%)
trade_gain_01.json	200, 200, 200, 0; 40	town	traders +10% gain
	(0, 150, 150, 0; 40)		
trade_gain_02.json	300, 300, 300, 0; 40	city	traders +15% gain
	(0, 300, 300, 0; 40)		

4.3 Comparison table (healing)

${f technology}$	cost (f, w, m, s; time)	phase	effects
heal_barracks.json	500, 0, 250, 0; 40	town	barracks +1 buff heal garrison
	(500, 0, 250, 0; 40)		
heal_range_01.json	200, 0, 100, 0; 30	town	healers +3 heal range
(heal_range.json)	(400, 0, 200, 0; 40)		(+5 heal and vision range)
heal_range_02.json	400, 0, 200, 0; 30	city	healers +3 heal range
(heal_range_2.json)	(800, 0, 400, 0; 40)		(+5 heal and vision range)
heal_rate_01.json	500, 0, 250, 0; 40	town	healers -20% heal time
(heal_rate.json)	(500, 0, 250, 0; 40)		
heal_rate_02.json	1000, 0, 500, 0; 40	city	healers -20% heal time
(heal_rate_2.json)	(1000, 0, 500, 0; 40)		
heal_temple.json	500, 0, 250, 0; 40	city	temples +50% buff heal garrison
	(500, 0, 250, 0; 40)		
health_regen_units.json	1000, 0, 500, 0; 60	city	idle units $+0.5$ health regeneration rate
	(1000, 0, 250, 0; 40)		

4.4 Comparison table (siege)

technology	cost (f, w, m, s; time)	phase	effects
siege_armour.json	0, 500, 250, 0; 40	city	siege weapons +2 hack armour
$({\tt siege_armor.json})$	(0, 500, 250, 0; 40)		
siege_attack.json	0, 1000, 500, 0; 40	city	siege weapons +25% crush attack damage
	(0, 1000, 500, 0; 40)		
siege_bolt_accuracy.json	0, 250, 250, 0; 40	city	bolt shooters -20% spread
	(0, 250, 250, 0; 40)		
siege_cost_metal.json	500, 500, 0, 250; 40	city	siege weapons -20% metal cost
	(500, 500, 0, 250; 40)		
siege_cost_wood.json	500, 0, 500, 250; 40	city	siege weapons -20% wood cost
	(500, 0, 500, 250; 40)		

4.5 Comparison table (structures)

technology	cost (f, w, m, s; time)	phase	effects
pop_house_01.json	0, 100, 0, 100; 40	village	houses +20% population
	(0, 300, 0, 100; 40)	(town)	
pop_house_02.json	0, 200, 0, 200; 50	town	houses +20% population
	(0, 300, 0, 300; 40)	(city)	
pop_house_03.json	0, 300, 0, 300; 60	city	houses +20% population
[new]	[new]	[new]	[new]
pop_wonder.json	2000, 2000, 2000, 2000; 120	wonder	+10% maximum population
	(2000, 3000, 500, 500; 120)		each wonder (+40 (flat))
tower_armour.json	0, 500, 500, 500; 40	city	stone towers $+2\%$
$(\verb attack_tower_defense.json)$	(0, 500, 500, 500; 40)		crush, hack, and pierce armour
tower_crenellations.json	0, 0, 250, 500; 40	town	all towers +40% arrows
$(\verb attack_tower_crenellations.json)$	(0, 0, 250, 500; 40)		per garrisoned soldier
tower_decay.json	0, 0, 0, 100; 30	village	outposts -50% decay rate
$({\tt decay_outpost.json})$	(0, 0, 0, 100; 40)		
tower_murderholes.json	0, 250, 0, 100; 40	city	all towers 0 minimum attack range
$(\verb attack_tower_murder holes.json)$	(0, 500, 0, 100; 40)		
tower_range.json	0, 500, 250, 0; 40	town	sentry and stone towers
(attack_tower_range.json)	(0, 500, 250, 0; 40)		+8 m maximum attack range (and visi
tower_vision.json	100, 0, 0, 0; 30	village	all towers +20% vision range
$({\tt vision_outpost.json})$	(100, 0, 0, 0; 40)		(outposts +50%)
tower_watch.json	500, 0, 0, 0; 30	village	sentry and stone towers
$(\mathtt{attack_tower_watch.json})$	(500, 0, 0, 0; 40)		+1 default arrow
walls_geometric.json	0, 0, 0, 200; 40	town	city walls +2 crush armour and
<pre>(health_walls_geometric_masonry.json)</pre>	(0, 0, 0, 200; 40)		+20% build time $(+2; +10%)$
walls_rubble.json	0, 200, 0, 0; 40	town	city walls -20% build time
$(\verb buildtime_walls_rubble.json)$	(0, 200, 0, 0; 40)		and -1 crush armour

4.6 Comparison table (training)

${f technology}$	cost (f, w, m, s; time)	\mathbf{phase}	effects
drill_cavalry_01.json	300, 0, 200, 0; 30	village	cavalry starts at rank 1/12
[new]	[new]	[new]	[new]
drill_cavalry_02.json	600, 0, 400, 0; 45	town	cavalry starts at rank 2/12
[new]	[new]	[new]	[new]
drill_cavalry_03.json	900, 0, 600, 0; 60	city	cavalry starts at rank 3/12
[new]	[new]	[new]	[new]
drill_cavalry_04.json	1200, 0, 800, 0; 75	wonder	cavalry starts at rank 4/12
[new]	[new]	[new]	[new]
drill_infantry_01.json	200, 0, 200, 0; 30	village	infantry starts at rank 1/12
[new]	[new]	[new]	[new]
drill_infantry_02.json	400, 0, 400, 0; 45	town	infantry starts at rank 2/12
[new]	[new]	[new]	[new]
drill_infantry_03.json	600, 0, 600, 0; 60	city	infantry starts at rank 3/12
[new]	[new]	[new]	[new]
drill_infantry_04.json	800, 0, 800, 0; 75	wonder	infantry starts at rank 4/12
[new]	[new]	[new]	[new]
speed_horse_01	300, 0, 100, 0; 40	village	cavalry and chariots +5% walk speed
(speed_cavalry_01)	(500, 500, 150, 0; 40)	(town)	(cavalry +10%)
speed_horse_02	450, 0, 150, 0; 50	town	cavalry and chariots +5% walk speed
(speed_cavalry_02)	(500, 500, 150, 0; 40)	(city)	(cavalry +10%)
speed_horse_03	600, 0, 200, 0; 60	city	cavalry and chariots +5% walk speed
[new]	[new]	[new]	[new]
training_conscription.json	500, 0, 0, 0; 40	city	barracks -0.1 [i.e. -10%]
	(500, 0, 0, 0; 40)		batch time modifier
training_naval_architects.json	200, 200, 0, 0; 40	city	docks -0.1 [i.e. -10%]
	(200, 200, 0, 0; 40)		batch time modifier
upgrade_rank_advanced_mercenary.json	200, 0, 300, 0; 40	town	mercenaries $+10\%$ health, -10% gather rate
	(200, 200, 0, 0; 40)		(advanced rank; $+20\%$ training time)

NB: Each rank grants +5% health, attack damage, and capture strength, but also -10% gather rate; furthermore, melee units receive +1% movement speed and ranged units -1% ranged spread.

4.7 Comparison table (miscellaneous)

technology	cost (f, w, m, s; time)	phase	effects
phase_city.json	0, 0, 750, 750; 90	town	civic centres +40% territory radius, structures
	(0, 0, 750, 750; 60)		+8.0 capturable garrisoned regeneration rate
	3 (4) town structures		(+50%; +9.0; citizen soldiers +10% health)
phase_town.json	500, 500, 0, 0; 60	village	civic centres +40% territory radius, structures
	(500, 500, 0, 0; 30)		+8.0 capturable garrisoned regeneration rate
	5 village structures		(+30%; +7.0; citizen soldiers +20% health)
phase_village.json	[autoresearched]	_	
spy_counter.json	400, 0, 400, 0; 60	city	+50% bribe costs
	(400, 0, 400, 0; 60)		
unlock_champion_units.json	0, 0, 1000, 0; 90	city	
	(0, 0, 1000, 0; 90)		
unlock_females_house.json	250, 100, 100, 0; 60	village	
	(250, 100, 100, 0; 60)		
unlock_shared_dropsites.json	100, 200, 200, 100; 40	village	
	(200, 200, 100, 100; 40)		
unlock_shared_los.json	100, 0, 100, 0; 40	village	
	(100, 0, 100, 0; 40)		
unlock_spies.json	500, 0, 500, 0; 75	city	
	(500, 500, 300, 300; 80)		

4.8 Civilization bonuses

- All are grouped in simulation/data/technologies/civbonuses/ [new]
- Celtic (Briton and Gaulish) healers have +20% walk speed, +4 hack, pierce, and crush armour levels, and two more auras ("Curse" and "Motivation"), but also +100% training time, +50 metal and +5 wood costs, and +5 metal, +5 wood, and +10 experience loot. [new]
- Celtic (Briton and Gaulish) civic, economic, military, and resource structures have -20% health, capture points, and build time (wonders, walls, towers, and outposts are excluded). [changed]
- Celtic (Briton and Gaulish) walls have -20% health, build time, and stone and wood costs. [new]
- Celts (Britons and Gauls) have a 20% resource cost and time discount on Armoury technologies. [new]
- Greek (Athenians, Macedonians, Spartans) civic structures have +20% health and capture points (instead of all structures +10% health, capture points, and build time). [changed]
- Athenians have a 10% resource cost and time discount on Storehouse technologies. [new]
- Athenians no longer gain +10% metal.ore mining gather rate per phase advance. [removed]
- Athenian warships have +10% walk speed. [new]
- Briton infantry swordsmen have +10% walk speed. [new]
- Briton sentry towers cost no stone and have -25% construction time and -10% health. [new]
- Carthaginian markets (including docks) have -50% resource costs and construction time and Market (and consequently naval) technologies have a 30% resource cost and time discount. [new]
- Carthaginian ships have +20% vision range (instead of ships and traders +25% vision range; formerly "Exploration" unique technology, town phase, costing 200 food, 0 wood, 0 stone, 200 metal, and 60 time). [changed]
- Carthaginian stone walls have +25% health (instead of +100% stone cost, +100% construction time, and +200% health). [changed]
- Carthaginian traders have +5% gain. [new]
- Gaulish infantry spearmen have +10% melee attack damage. [new]
- Iberian infantry javelinists have +10% ranged attack damage. [new]
- Macedonian cavalry lancers have +10% melee attack damage. [new]
- Macedonian pikemen have +10% walk speed. [new]
- Mauryans have +10% maximum population. [unchanged]
- Mauryan city walls have -25% health and building time. [changed]
- Mauryan healers have -50% metal cost and loot. [new]
- Mauryan temples have -50% resource costs and construction time (former team bonus). [new]
- Persians have +10% maximum population. [unchanged]
- Persian structures have +20% territory influence radius. [new]
- Persian storehouses have +100% health and territory influence radius. [new]
- Ptolemaic farmsteads have +50% health and territory influence radius. [new]
- Ptolemaic healers have +6 healing range. [new]
- Ptolemies have a 40% resource cost and time discount on Temple technologies. [new]
- Roman cavalry swordsmen have a -10% melee attack damage penalty. [new]
- Roman infantry swordsmen have +10% melee attack damage. [new]
- Seleucid civic centres have -20% resource costs (former team bonus). [new]
- Spartans no longer have -10% maximum population. [removed]
- \bullet Spartan cavalry have a -10% attack damage penalty. [new]
- Spartan hoplites have +10% walk speed. [new]

4.9 Special technologies

- All are grouped in simulation/data/technologies/special/ [new]
- The Agoge (Spartans) increases hoplite infantry health and training time by +20% (instead of spear infantry +25% health and +10% training time).
- Archery Tradition increases archer maximum range by +20% (from +10.0) and training time by +20% (from -20%); +10 vision range bonus and -20% health penalty are removed; also available to Seleucids (in addition to Persians and Mauryans).
- Colonization (civic structures have -25% construction time) is also available to Athenians and Spartans (in addition to Carthaginians).
- Exploration is now a free Carthaginian civilization bonus (see above), instead of a town phase technology
- Hellenistic Metropolis now costs 500 food and wood (in addition to 500 metal, 500 stone, and 60 time).
- Long Walls increase the health and resource costs of stone walls by +20% (instead of allowing city walls to be build in neutral territory).

4.10 Team bonuses

- All are grouped in simulation/data/auras/teambonuses/ [unchanged]
- Athenian allies: warships -20% (from -25%) construction time [changed]
- Briton allies: units cost -2% metal [new] formerly: healers -20% resource costs
- Carthaginian allies: land traders -20% training time and +5% walk speed [new] formerly: markets +0.1 (i.e. 10%) international bonus
- Gaulish allies: infantry spearmen -20% training time [new] formerly: all technologies -20% research time
- Iberian allies: infantry javelinists -20% training time [new]

formerly: citizen javelinists (infantry and cavalry) -20% resource costs

formerly: markets +20% sell prices

• Mauryan allies: healers -25% training time [new]

formerly: temple technologies and temples cost -50% resources and time

- Persian allies: land traders +10% (from +15%) gain [changed]
- Ptolemaic allies: units cost -2% food [new]

formerly +1.0 food trickle rate [unchanged]

• Roman allies: infantry swordsmen -20% training time [new]

formerly: all infantry -20% training time

• Seleucid allies: civic centres -20% construction time [new]

formerly: civic centres -20% resource costs

• Spartan allies: infantry hoplites -20% training time [new]

formerly: citizen infantry spearmen +10% health

4.11 Global auras

- All are grouped in simulation/data/auras/structures/ [unchanged]
- Library [each]: -10% structure construction time (instead of -10% technology resource costs) and -20% technology research time [changed]
- Theatre [each]: +20% territory influence [unchanged]
- Wonder [each]: +40% territory influence [new], +10.0 maximum population limit [unchanged]; additional +10% with "glorious expansion" researched (instead of +40.0) [changed]