	Aut	hority and P	ower in the Six (Core Countri	es Chart	
	China	GB	Russia	Mexico	Iran	Nigeria
Who is head	PRC Head of	UK Head of	Russia Head of State:	Mexico Head of	Iran Head of	Nigeria Head of State:
of state?	State: President	State: Queen	President Vladimir Putin	State: President	State: Supreme	President Muhammadu
What is that person's title?	Xi Jinping	Elizabeth II		Andres Manuel Lopez Obrador	Leader Ayatollah Khamenei	Buhari
What political	Communist Party	Officially not	All Russia People's Front	National	Independent	All Progressives
party does	of China	applicable		Regeneration	(since 1989)	Congress
the current				Movement		
head of state						
belong?						
Who is the	Officially, Li	Theresa May is	Officially, Dmitry	Mexico Head of	Officially, Hasan	Nigeria Head of State:
head of	Keqiang is the	the Prime	Anatolyevich Medvedev	Government:	Ruhani is the	President Muhammadu
government	Premier of the	Minister of the	is the Prime Minister of	President Andres	President of the	Buhari
	PRC	United Kingdom	the Russian Federation	Manuel Lopez	Islamic Republic	
What is that				Obrador	of Iran	
person's title				_		
To what	Communist Party	Conservative	United Russia	National		All Progressives
political party	of China	Party		Regeneration	Development	Congress
does the				Movement	Party	
current head						
of						
government						
belong?	c: ·c· ·		s: :r: . o . l	A.II		
To what				Alleged High	High Control,	Moderate control
extent does	•	regulation (IPSO),	•	Control,	(state run IRIB,	(media corruption,
the .	,			significant media	repression)	government owned
government	Party controlled,	organizations	government ownership)	budget for		press and privately
control the	repressed)	(BBC)		government		owned press)
media?				advorticing		

How is power	The PRC	The British	The Russian	Mexico uses	Iran's	Nigeria uses power to
used in this	government uses	government	Federation's current	power to combat	government	control the petroleum
	power to maintain	represents the	government uses power	Cartels, regulate	utilizes power to	industry, coerce
use more	control of society	interests of the	to suppress the press,	trade, regulate	enforce Islamic	individuals for financial
than one)	(see Social Credit),	people; power is	project authority	the press, and	doctrine and law,	gain (this refers to the
	direct the	used to provide	(Crimea and Donbass),	provide services	encourage	high corruption levels),
	economy	services such as	direct the oil and	such as limited	Islamic religious	coerce the media, and
	(command with	National	natural gas industries,	universal	practice, coerce	persuade neighboring
	capitalist	Healthcare and	run the space industry,	healthcare. Power	foreign states	countries in West Africa
	features), and	enforce the law.	and provide services	is used to control	utilizing Iranian	to follow its lead in
	provide basic	It is also used to	such as military	the media, to an	backed militias	global politics.
	services such as	regulate trade.	protection, healthcare,	extent.	(Iran-Saudi Proxy	
	protection		and electricity		War in Yemen,	
	(People's		production (geothermal,		for example), and	
	Liberation Army).		nuclear).		control the media	
	It also controls the				and several	
	media.				industries.	
What sources	The Communist	British	Russia's current	The Mexican	Iran's	The Nigerian
	government	Government	government is	government	government is	government derives
does this	derives authority	derives	legitimate because of	derives its	unique in that it	authority from
	from the	authority from	Economic Results	authority from	derives authority	ostensibly democratic
use? (Can use	Revolution,	Historical Pride	(despite some recent	Elections; citizens	primarily from	elections as well as
more than one)	Economic Results,	and Elections.	downturn), and Habits	are allowed to	Religion and	Economic Results
onej	and tradition and		(long history of life	participate in	Shi'ite Islamic	(prosperity as a result of
	history of legalism		under authoritarianism).	democratic	law. It is a	oil exports).
	in China.			elections,	theocracy.	
				ostensibly.		

What type of	Citizenry are	Political culture	Many in Russia are	Mexican citizens	Political culture in	Nigerian political culture
political	expected to hold	promotes citizen	apathetic to continued	are critical of	Iran is derived	is shaped by ethnic and
culture does	to the ideals of	participation.	political participation, or	corruption and	from support of	religious diversity.
	the Communist	The government	they are supportive of	poor government	Shi'ite Religion	Political division is still
have?	Party; citizens	believes in	the current regime.	performance.	and Islamic Law.	primarily on tribal lines.
	hold to traditional	following the	Russians favor strong	Participation in	The government	Nationalism and a desire
	support of	will of the	autocratic rule.	elections is	is supposed to	for incorruptible
	legalism and	people balanced		encouraged.	rule with the will	democracy and
	authority.	with the political			of Allah.	economic prosperity also
		elite.				play a role.
What type of	PRC has a mixed	The United	Russia's economy is	Mexico's	Iran's mixed	Nigeria's oil resources
economy	economy,	Kingdom has a	mixed with a legacy of	economy is	economy is much	are controlled by the
does the	primarily a	mixed economy	command	moderately free;	closer to a	government; much of
country have?	Command	leaning towards	characteristics despite	it is mixed and	command	the economy is
(Justify by	Economy with	market	some market reform; it	leans slightly	economy; state	regulated by the
stating where on the	Capitalist	characteristics;	scores 98 worldwide on	towards a market	control of goods	government. Its mixed
continuum	characteristics;	the Index of	the Index of Economic	economy. It's	and prices places	economy is low on
you believe	market operates	Economic	Freedom.	Economic	it at 155 on the	freedom and more
this country's	freely so long as it	Freedom rates it		Freedom Index is	Economic	command based; it
economy	doesn't threaten	at 7 worldwide.		66 compared to	Freedom Index.	scores 111 on the
falls)	PRC government.			the globe.		Economic Freedom
What type of						

regime does this country have?	Authoritarian	Democratic	Authoritarian	Democratic	Authoritarian	Democratic
Part of	N/A	European Union	Commonwealth of	NAFTA (for now)	N/A	ECOWAS
Supranational		(for now)	Independent States			
Governance?						