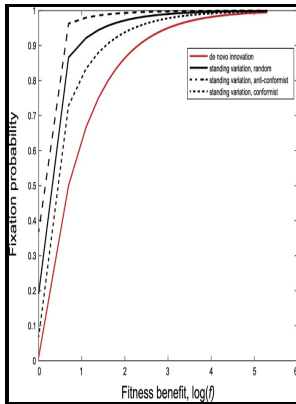


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## How Have Hominids Adapted to Past Climate Change?

However, the vast majority of tool use in primates and, one can argue, in humans is not with durable materials like stone. Invisible Tool Manufacture and Use The vast majority of our understanding of these early hominins comes from fossils and reconstructed paleoenvironments.

## How Have Hominids Adapted to Past Climate Change?

While chimpanzees, for instance, are faster than humans terrestrially, they expend large amounts of energy being so. This technique is complicated when applied to living taxa, but it becomes immensely more difficult when we seek to categorize ancestor-descendant relationships in long-extinct forms, where molecular information is no longer preserved.

## 10 Extinct Hominids

Hominin Australopithecus bahrelghazali Dates 3.

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Paranthropus boisei, a Pleistocene hominid, thrived around 2.

## Birth rate, competition are major players in hominid extinctions

All early hominins have the primitive condition shared with other great apes. Isotopes: Two or more forms of the same element that contain equal numbers of protons but different numbers of neutrons, giving them the same chemical properties but different atomic masses. If the environment for some reason becomes drier, it is expected that hippopotamus populations will reduce.

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