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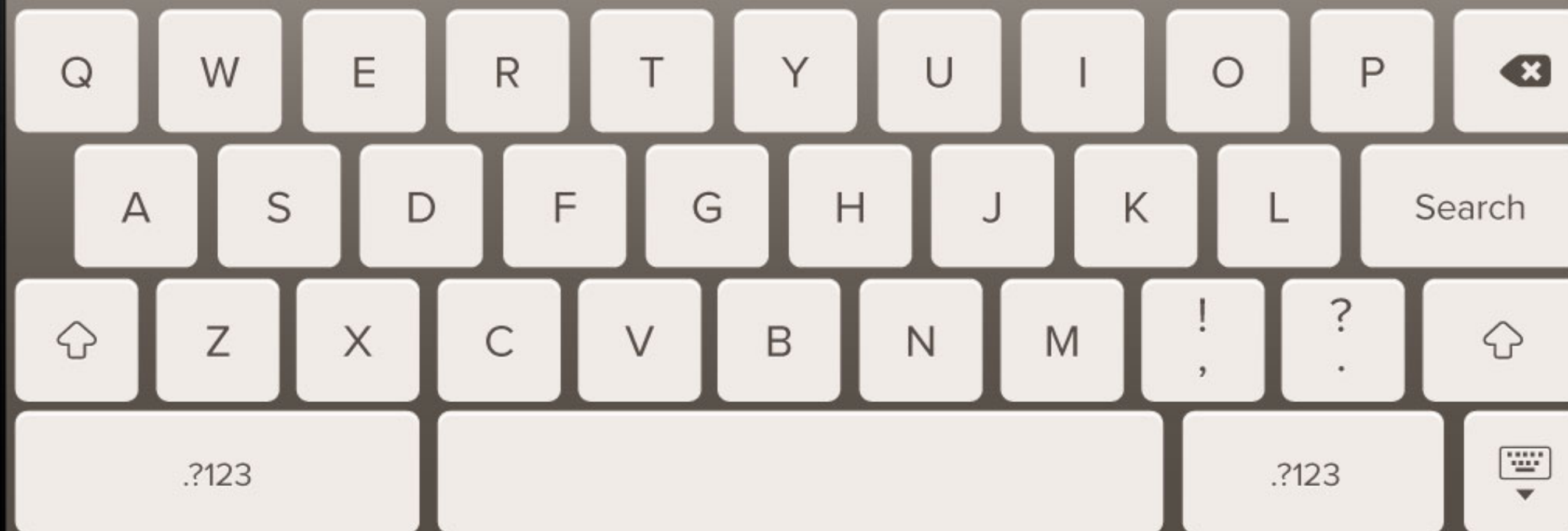
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What effect did the 2010 earthquake have on Haiti's economy? +

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Can Haiti develop a tourism industry? 🌐



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Demographics (22) Industry (17) Environment (12) **Economics (15)** War & peace (26)

Economics [X]

- Imports/exports (9)
- GDP (15) ✓
- Trade (12)
- Labor force (3)
- Public debt (2)

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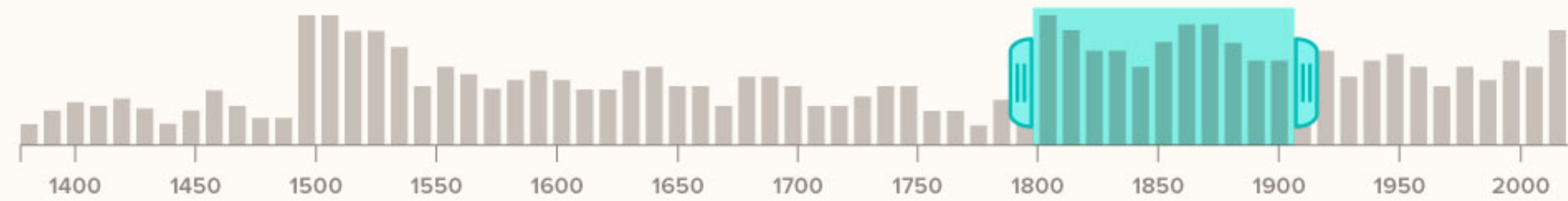




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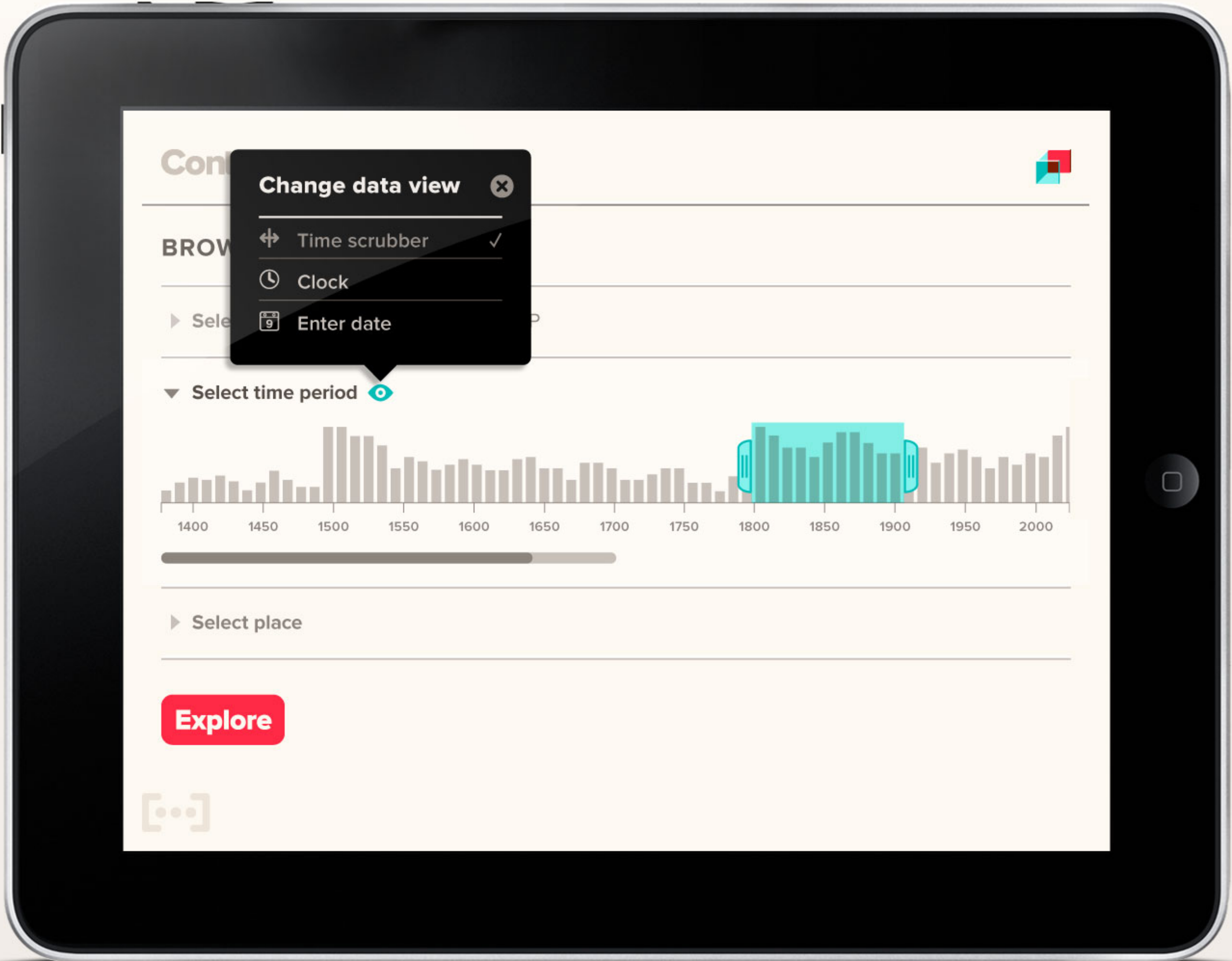
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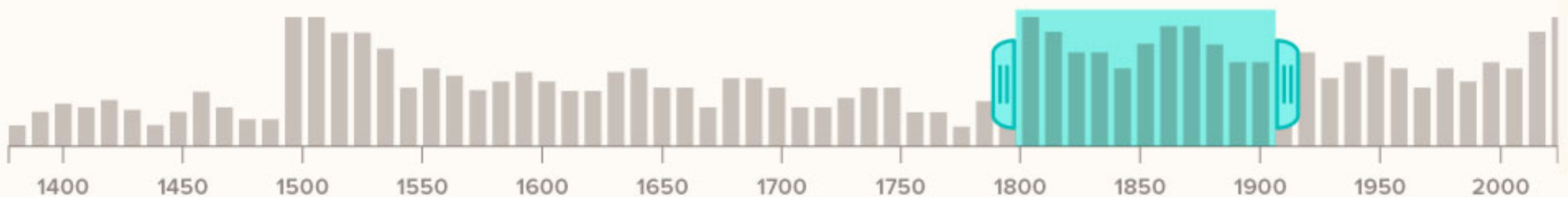
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Sort place view

- abc Alphabetical ✓
- ★ Most viewed
- 123 Number of entries → GDP
- 🗺 Land mass
- 👤 Population 05

▼ Select place 

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Africa	Antarctica	Asia	Australia	Europe	North America	South America	Middle East

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▶ Select subject → Economics → GDP

▶ Select time period →

▼ Select place

56 Africa

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North America

- United States
- Canada
- Mexico
- Central America
- Caribbean ✓

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Haiti

Dominican Republic

Port-au-Prince

Santo Domingo



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Haiti

Republic of Haiti



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What-if...?



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Maps of Haiti

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Maps of Haiti

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Environment

- Water resources (1)
- Deforestation (4) ✓
- Rainfall (1) ✓
- Elevations (2)
- Pollution (3)



▶ Compare to other places

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Demographics



Industry



Environment

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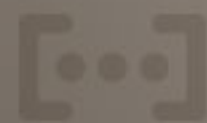
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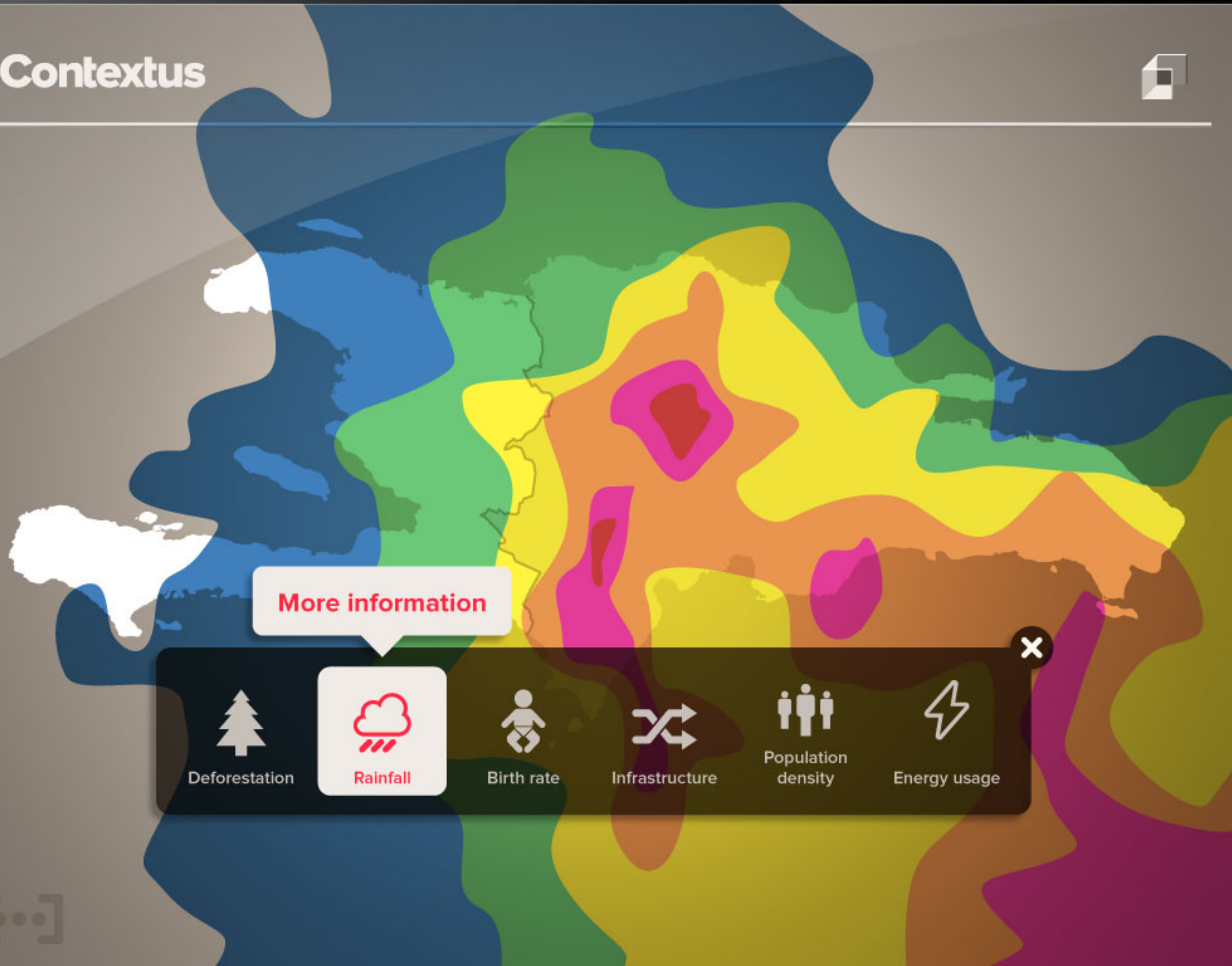
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- Deforestation
- Rainfall**
- Birth rate
- Infrastructure
- Population density
- Energy usage



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Deforestation



Rainfall



Birth rate



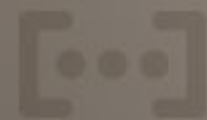
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Population density



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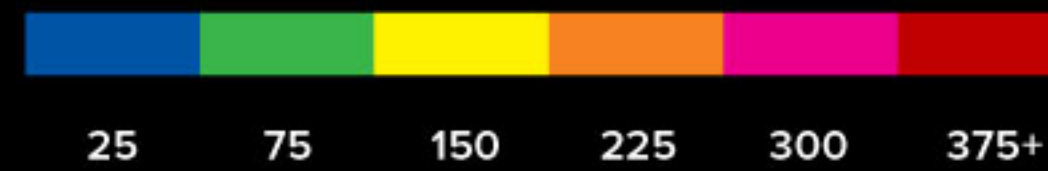
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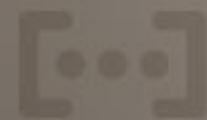
Rainfall

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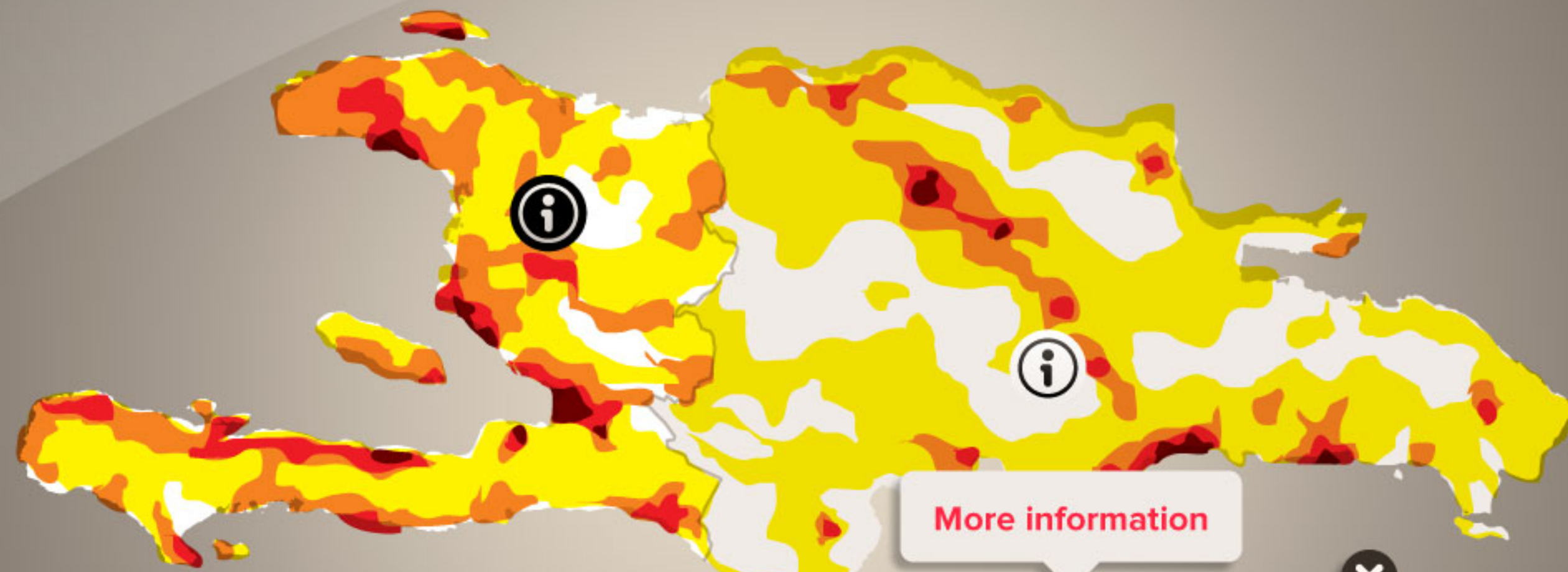
Rainfall totals (mm)
October–December 2011



Rainfall opacity



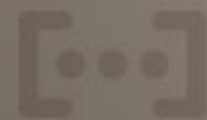
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- Deforestation (tree icon)
- Rainfall (cloud with rain icon)
- Birth rate (baby icon)
- Infrastructure (road and bridge icon)
- Population density (two people icon)
- Energy usage (lightning bolt icon)

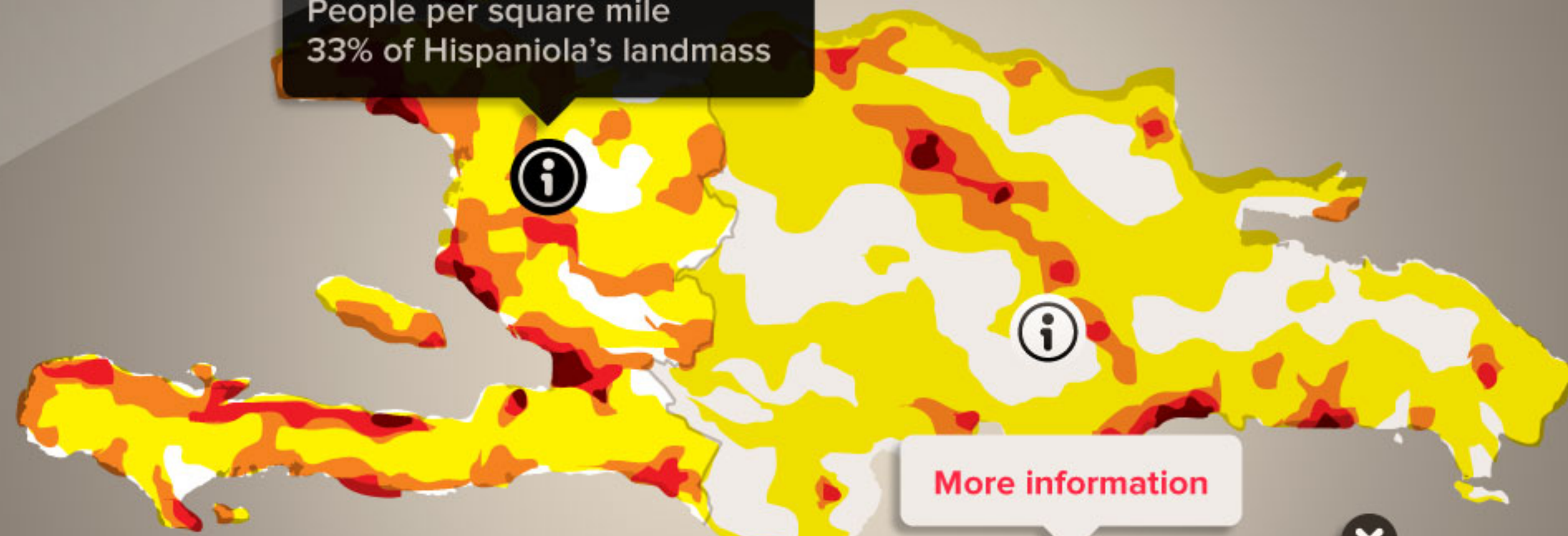


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People per square mile
33% of Hispaniola's landmass



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Deforestation



Rainfall



Birth rate



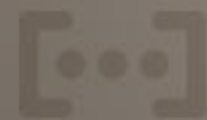
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Population density



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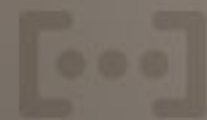
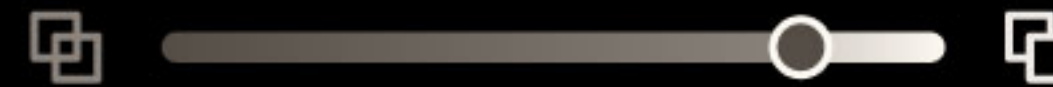
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People per square mile

2009 data ⓘ



Population density opacity



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What-if...?

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Climate



Birth rate

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Foreign Direct Investment

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GDP ⓘ

17%

Unemployment rate ⓘ

8,532 km

Roads/railways ⓘ

76 years

Life expectancy ⓘ

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Foreign Dire Investment

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GDP



The gross domestic product (GDP) or value of all final goods and services produced within a nation in a given year. A nation's GDP at purchasing power parity (PPP) exchange rates is the sum value of all goods and services produced in the country valued at prices prevailing in

5.0%

8,532 km

Roads/railways ⓘ

76 years

Life expectancy ⓘ

GDP ⓘ

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- ⊕ **A featured question**
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Why is Haiti the poorest country in the Western hemisphere?

Answer it 

John Doe

4/10/12



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