

WWF Freshwater Ecoregion	World Wildlife Fund Major Habitat Type	Ancient Settlements	Percentage of Settlements
Coastal Levant	xeric freshwaters and endorheic (closed) basins	127	19.27%
Jordan River	xeric freshwaters and endorheic (closed) basins	101	15.33%
Lower Nile	xeric freshwaters and endorheic (closed) basins	97	14.72%
Nile Delta	large river deltas	56	8.50%
Northern Anatolia	temperate coastal rivers	41	6.22%
Upper Tigris & Euphrates	temperate floodplain rivers and wetlands	35	5.31%
Lower Tigris & Euphrates	temperate floodplain rivers and wetlands	33	5.01%
Western Anatolia	temperate coastal rivers	22	3.34%
Southern Anatolia	temperate coastal rivers	21	3.19%
Central Anatolia	xeric freshwaters and endorheic (closed) basins	19	2.88%
Volga - Ural	temperate floodplain rivers and wetlands	15	2.28%
Orontes	temperate coastal rivers	12	1.82%
Middle Amu Darya	temperate upland rivers	11	1.67%
Ob	polar freshwaters	9	1.37%
Sinai	xeric freshwaters and endorheic (closed) basins	9	1.37%
Thrace	temperate coastal rivers	7	1.06%
Arabian Interior	xeric freshwaters and endorheic (closed) basins	7	1.06%
Kura - South Caspian Drainages	montane freshwaters	4	0.61%
Upper Amu Darya	montane freshwaters	4	0.61%
Lower & Middle Indus	tropical and subtropical floodplain rivers and wetland complexes	4	0.61%
Dry Sahel	xeric freshwaters and endorheic (closed) basins	3	0.46%
Aegean Drainages	temperate coastal rivers	3	0.46%
Kavir & Lut Deserts	xeric freshwaters and endorheic (closed) basins	3	0.46%
Helmand - Sistan	xeric freshwaters and endorheic (closed) basins	3	0.46%
Namak	xeric freshwaters and endorheic (closed) basins	2	0.30%
Orumiyeh	xeric freshwaters and endorheic (closed) basins	2	0.30%
Sahara	xeric freshwaters and endorheic (closed) basins	1	0.15%
Western Transcaucasia	temperate coastal rivers	1	0.15%
Don	temperate floodplain rivers and wetlands	1	0.15%
Ionian Drainages	temperate coastal rivers	1	0.15%
Lower & Middle Syr Darya	temperate upland rivers	1	0.15%
Lake Van	xeric freshwaters and endorheic (closed) basins	1	0.15%
Caspian Highlands	xeric freshwaters and endorheic (closed) basins	1	0.15%
Northern Central Asian Highlands	temperate upland rivers	1	0.15%
Baluchistan	xeric freshwaters and endorheic (closed) basins	1	0.15%