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Man and culture:
Ethnicity and Race,
Global patterns of Racial Composition.

Ethnicity is defined as someone's cultural background or where they come from. An example of ethnicity is Arab or Indian.

Race is usually associated with biology and linked with physical characteristics, such as hair texture or skin color and covers a relatively narrow range of options.

Ethnicity is a broader term than race. The term is used to categorize groups of people according to their cultural expression and identification.

RACE: A race is a biological inbred group possessing a distinctive combination of physical traits that tend to breed true from generation to generation. The term race, from the biological stand point designates the group of population, who possess almost pronounced traits of the group considered such a physical traits, linguistic, religious, cultural and geographical, or even nations have, in such loose sense been called race, but at the same time different from other groups of human beings in the same respect.

