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Adjectives for regions and nations

This list makes the obvious, if unpalatable, point that a British corpus reflects the assumption that Britain stands at the centre of the known universe, and that the importance of a region or nation diminishes roughly in proportion to its 'remoteness' from Britain (frequencies per million).

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