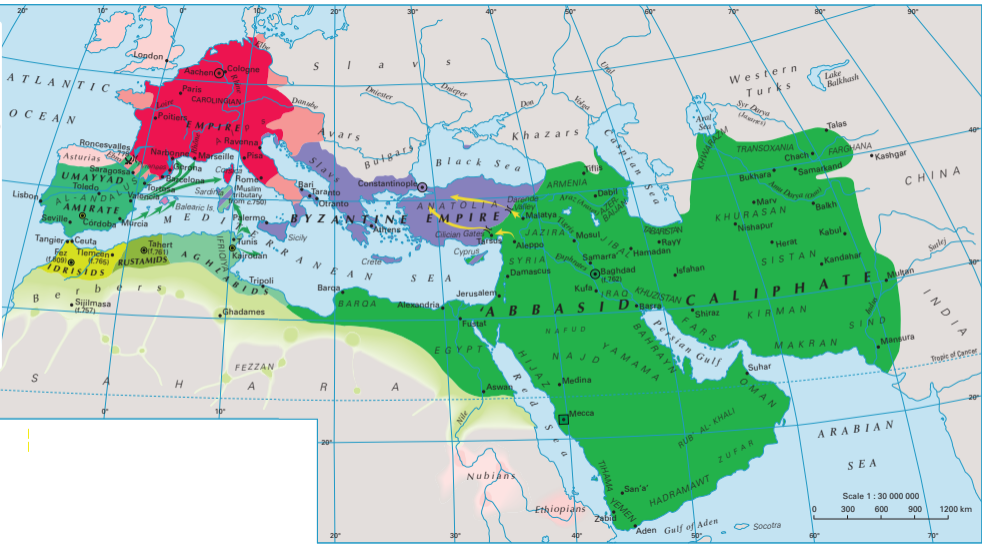


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- 'Abbasid Caliphate (750-1258)
 - Aghlabids (800-909) (nominal vassals of the 'Abbasids)
 - Rustamids (778-909)
 - Idrisids (789-985)
 - Umayyads of al-Andalus (756-1031) (independent Amirate 756-929; Caliphate 929-1031)
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 - Local dynastic seat
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 - Charlemagne's attacks on al-Andalus (778-812)
 - Strategic mountain pass
 - Major battle site (with date)



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