

3.0 THE TRIBUTARY PROVINCES

At the time of the Spanish Conquest, the Aztecs held sway over a large portion of Central America. (Refer Map XX.) They had less of an Empire, and more of an overlordship to these provinces, which were required to send the Aztecs yearly tribute and military aid when requested. To say that these provinces lived happily under Aztec sway would be incorrect according to Spanish evidence. Many provinces on Cortes's journey to Tenochtitlan complained bitterly of the treatment they received under the Aztecs. Examples include [examples] and in the end, the whole collective proved extremely fractious, and split apart quite readily after the impetus of the Spanish victories. It is probable that if the Spanish had been less successful in their battles, many of the tributary provinces would not have abandoned the Aztecs and fought against them.

This chapter is based primarily on Codex Mendoza. Some reference is made to variant information supplied in the Matricula de Tributos though I retain Mendoza as the yardstick for info in this chapter.

The following sections list the province, its English translation with a bit of tweaking by myself, its subject towns, and the military and non-military tribute. Military tribute in the form of feather suits and shields were sent yearly. The other items varied in their time frame for submission, which is noted through the text.¹ The provinces are listed in the order in which they appear in Codex Mendoza.

Some of the mantle styles shown will indicate a border style with the main field split diagonally into two styles. While commentary seems to simply say the mantle is coloured exactly as shown being made in two diagonal patterns, I believe that it is showing the inside and outside patterns of the mantle. I have reproduced the mantle designs as Mendoza shows them. Bernal Diaz mentions that the mantles were made in such a way that the pattern on the outside was not reproduced on the inside.² Cortes also mentions some mantles in this style "*another piece [of cotton] woven in patterns of red, black and white, and on the back these patterns do not show.*"³ For the women's tunics and the coloured loincloths given as tribute, I have used a generic style, rather than reproduce each minor variant, as their use in a wargaming context is extremely limited.

Some may question why such an extensive listing of the tribute is included in a wargamer's guide. It allows the showing of the different suit variations along with their relative province, as well as good examples of the mantles. I've also included the dominant town's pictograph to also give a possible way to differentiate various formations on the field, refer section [shields] for further discussion on the pictographs in relation to shields. The tributes also give clues as to what types of suits may have been used in a province.

The maps as drawn for each province were based upon maps from The Essential Codex Mendoza (Berdan and Anawalt), The Extent of the Empire of the Culhua Mexica by Robert Barlow, plus some analysis of my own. I have left some areas mentioned by the other two references as being part of particular provinces instead as areas of no association. I take these areas to be of no great loyalty to the Aztecs, nor great enemies, probably more attuned to the local Aztec outposts rather than to the Aztecs themselves. I have also shifted a few boundaries slightly to suit geographical features.

Some provinces have been broken into smaller areas. These represent smaller city states where there is enough information to indicate these acted more independently and controlled several other smaller towns while being more or less independent from the rest of the province as a whole. I have attached the names of rulers of individual towns where I had records of them from the Codex Chimalpapoca.

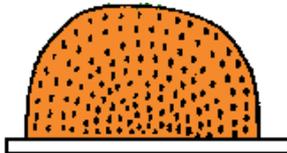
3.1 TLATELOLCO

While both Tlatelolco and Tenochtitlan were by this time one combined city physically, they remained politically differentiated, keeping their own identity. The Aztecs own description of the conquest of Tenochtitlan goes as far as to differentiate the Tenochtitlan warriors from the Tlatelolcoans. The Aztecs had a Tlacatecatl (refer Section XXXX) and Tlacochealcatl (refer Section XXX) act as governors over them.

3.1.1 SUBJECT TOWNS

Tlatelolco - On the Round Earth Mound

3.1.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

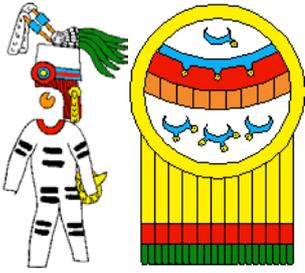


Tlatelolco were required to provide 40 each of two types of Cuextecat suits. These were unique in the tribute lists in that they had flat topped hats with spindle whorls on top. There is some sort of device attached to the rear waist of the suit that is not clear as to purpose or style. Certain references to god suits mention a belt of feathers with a cone at its centre, which I take this to represent.

1 The Essential Codex Mendoza by Berdan and Anawalt [find page]

2 The Conquest of New Spain – Bernal Diaz pXX

3 Letters from Mexico – JH Elliott p45



40x white Cuextecatli variant



40x yellow Cuextecatli variant

The helms of these suits bear a striking resemblance to the headware of the goddess Tlazolteotl and could have been used for religious purposes. The white version is also supplied with the water variant cuexyo shield, another aspect of Tlazolteotl as Chalchiuhtlicue, whose waters cleansed babies after birth.

3.1.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

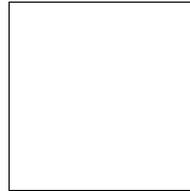
The Tlatelolcoans were required to maintain the temple of Huitznahuac.

Every 80 days they were required to send

40 baskets of ground cacao and maize flour mixed

40 baskets of chia and maize flour mixed

800 loads of large white mantles



3.2 PETLACALCO

3.2.1 SUBJECT TOWNS

Petlactalco - On the storehouse

Aochpanco - on the water highway

Colhuacincó - on the little place of the Colhua. Ruler Tezozomocztin

Cuitlahuac - on the sewer filled water. Made up of 4 districts, Atenchicalcan - ruler Mayehuatzin, Tizic - ruler Atlpopocatzin,

Teopancalcan - ruler Ixtotomahuatzin, Tecpan - ruler Cempohualxochitzin.

Huicilopuchco - In the place of the huitzilopochtli. Ruler Huitzilatzin

Nextitlan - Among the ashes

Tecalco - the place of the judges house

Tepechpan - on a big rock

Tepetlactalco - On the sepulchre

Tezcacoac - in the mirror snake

Toyac - in the place of overflowing water

Xaxalpan - On a very sandy place

Yopico - The place of the Yopi

Acapan - on the reeds

Cocotlan - the place of many turtledoves

Mizquic - on the mesquite. Ruler Chalcayaotzin

Olac - on the spring

Tecoloapan - On the water of the owl

Tepepulan - where there are many big hills

Tequemecan - a very rocky land

Tlacoxiuhco - in the precious turquoise

Tzapotitlan - of the Zapotes

Xico - in the navel

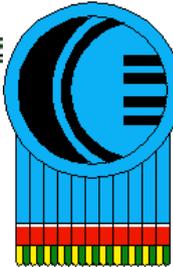
3.2.1 MILITARY TRIBUTE



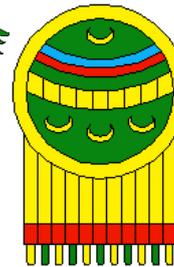
1x blue Quaxalotli



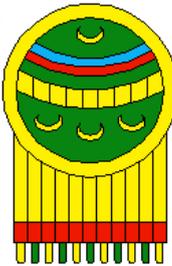
1x blue Cuextecatli variant



1x Tzitzimitli



1x yellow Ocelotli

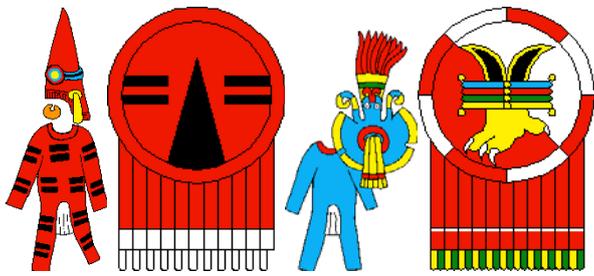


1x Xopolli



1x red Momoyactli



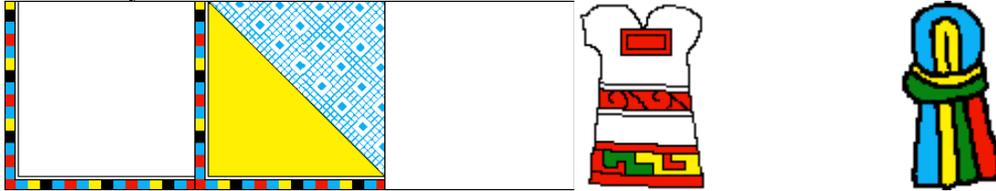


20x red Cuexotecatl

20x blue Papolotl

3.2.2 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six monthly



400 mantles

400 mantles

2400 mantles

400 loads of women's tunics

400 loads loincloths

Annually

1 bin of maize, 1 bin of beans, 1 bin of chia, 1 bin of amaranth

3.3 ACOLHUACAN

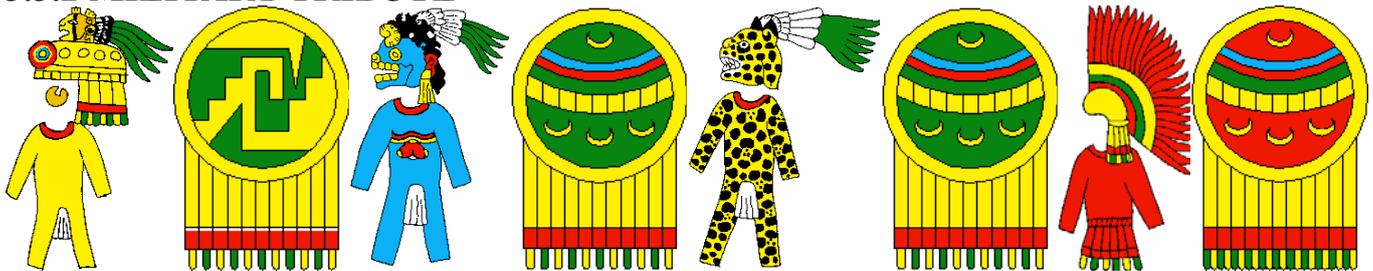
3.3.1 SUBJECT TOWNS

- Acolhuacan - place of the Acolhua
- Amayelco - on the spring
- Calyahuacan - in the circle of houses
- Contlan - place of many pots
- Epacuyucan - place of Epacotl
- Matixco - in the place of escape
- Quauquemecan - place of the eagle feather cape
- Tecoyucan - place of black pumice
- Tepetchpa - on the stone foundation
- Tepetlapan - On the basalt
- Ticayucan - place of chalk
- Tlaquilpan - place of the Tlaquilin herb
- Totolinco - on the place of the small turkeys



- Ahuatepec - on the hill of the oak tree
- Aztaquemeca - place of the white heron feather capes
- Cenpoalan - place of 20
- Ecatepec - on the windy hill. Ruler Panitzin
- Huicilan - place of many hummingbirds
- Quauhyocan - place full of trees
- Teacalco - on the stone canoe
- Temazcalapan - on the sweat baths
- Tepetlaoztoc - in the lava cave
- Ticatepec - on the hill of chalk
- Tlachyahualco - on the circle of the ball court
- Tonanytla place of the Tonatzin
- Yxquemecan - place of maguey fibre capes

3.3.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

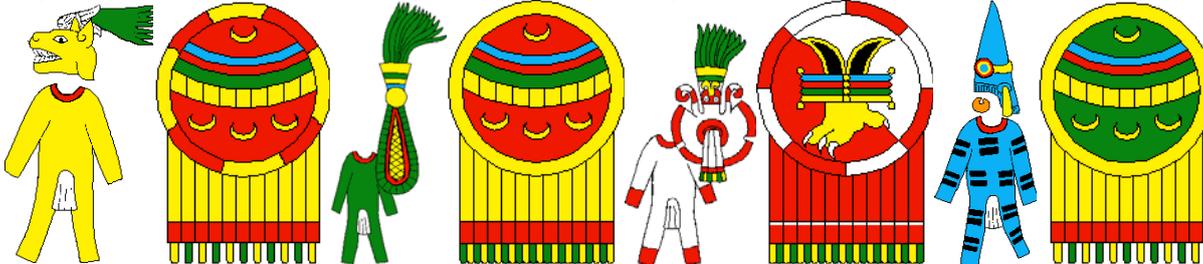


1x yellow Quaxalotl

1x blue Tzitzimitl

1x yellow Ocelotl

20x red Cuecalpatzactli



20x Coyote

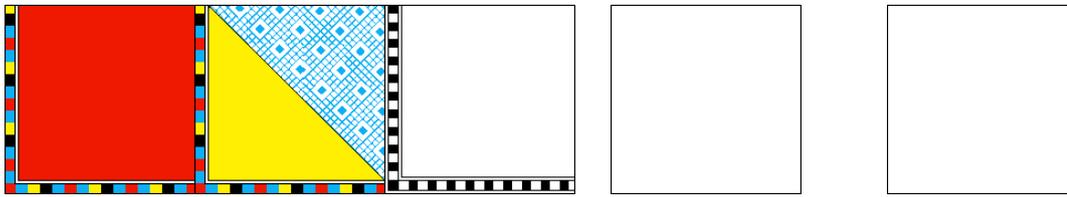
20x Xopolli

20x white Papalotl

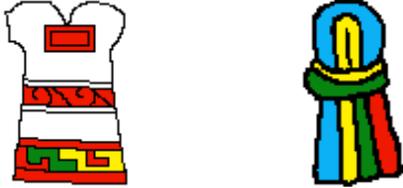
20x blue Cuexecatli

3.3.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six monthly



400 red mantles 400 mantles 400 quilted mantles 1200 large white mantles 800 white mantles



400 loads of women's tunics 400 loads loincloths

Yearly

1 bin of beans, 1 bin of chia, 1 bin of maize. 1 bin of amaranth

3.4 QUAHNAHUAC

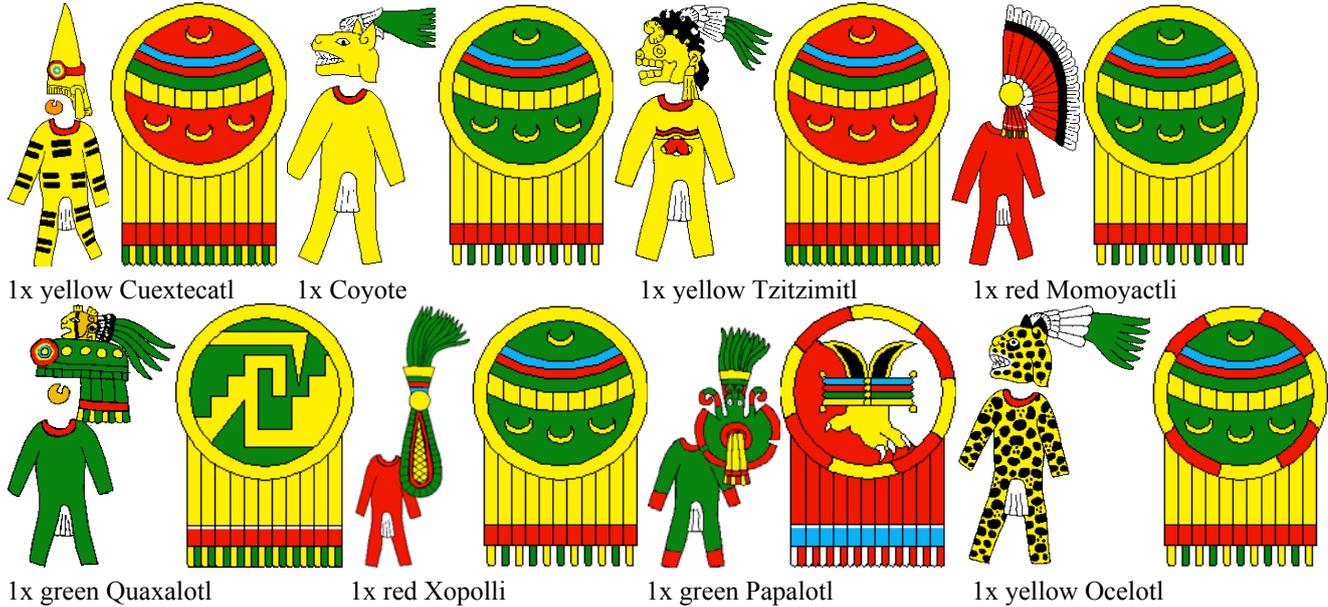
3.4.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS



Quahnahuac - beside the trees. Ruler Yaomahuitzin
 Chimalco - in the shield
 Acatl ycepec - on the top of the reeds
 Miacatla - where there are many reed arrows
 Coatlan - where there are many snakes
 Xoxovtla - place of many precious green stones
 Yztla - place of obsidian
 Yztepec - on the hill of obsidian

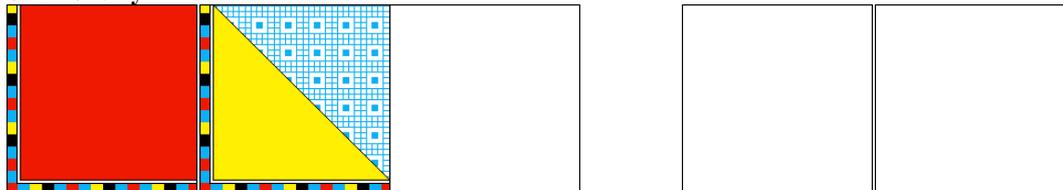
Teacalco - on the small temple
 Huicilapan - on the water of the hummingbird
 Xochitepec - on the hill of flowers
 Molotla - where there are many common house finches
 Xiuhtepec on the hill of turquoise
 Amacoztitla - among the amacoztic trees
 Ocpayucan - place of ocpatli
 Atlicholoayan - place where the water spurts

3.4.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

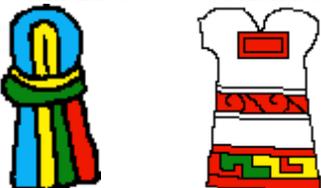


3.4.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six monthly



400 mantles 400 mantles 400 mantles (quilted) 800 mantles 1200 large mantles



400 loincloths, 400 women's tunics

8000 sheets of white paper, 2000 bowls of yellow with varying lip border patterns

Yearly

1 bin of maize, 1 bin of amaranth, 1 bin of beans, 1 bin of chia

3.5 HUAXTEPEC

3.5.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Huaxtepec - on the hill of the Huaxin tree (*Leucaena diversifolia*, *Crescentia alata*). Ruler Tizapapatzin

Xochimilcacinco - on the small place of the Xochimilca

Ahuehuepan - on the cypress

Olintepec - on the hill of the earthquake

Conpanco - on the skull rack

Tlalticapan - on the land of chalk

Yzamatitla - near the ceiba trees

Yauhtepec - on the hill of amaranth

Tlayacapan - in front

Tecpacinco - on the little flints

Tlayacac - in front

Napopoalco - in the place of the count

Totolapan - on the water of the turkey

Atl huelic - on the pleasant drinking water



Quauhtlan - where there are many eagles

Aneneuilco - on the windy (twisting) section of river

Qahuitl yxco - on the surface of the tree

Huicilan - where there are many hummingbirds

Coacalco - in the house of the snake

Tepoztlan - where there is abundant copper

Yapichtla - where there are many pointed things

Xaloztoc - in the cave of sand

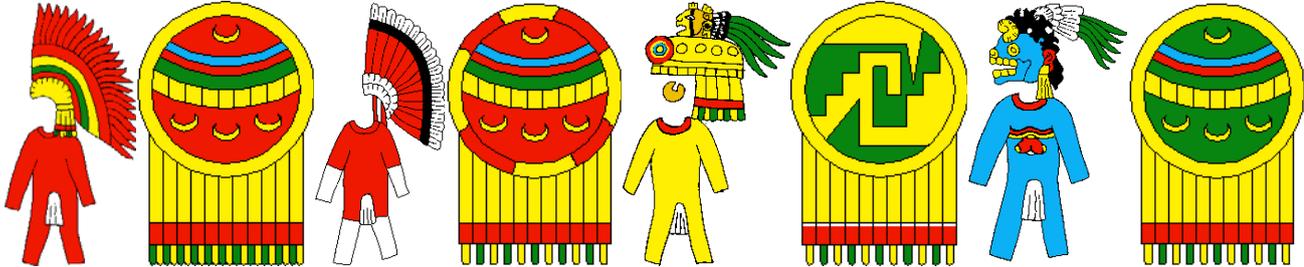
Ayoxochapan - on the water of the gourd flower

Tehuizco - on the sharp rocky ground

Atlatlavca - place of red water

Amilcinco - on the small irrigated lands

3.5.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

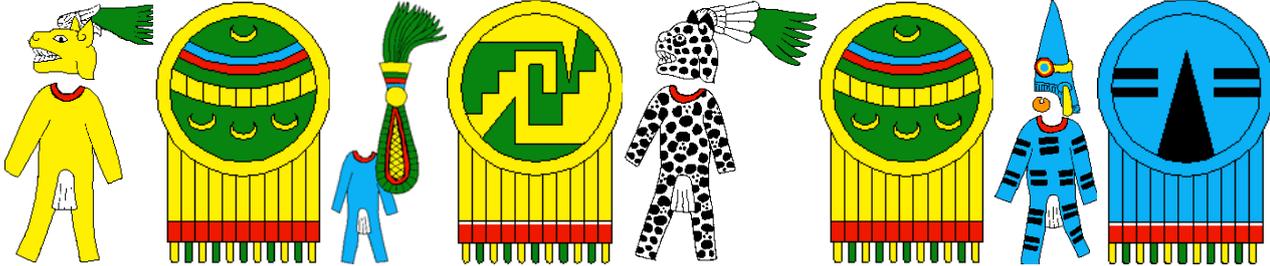


20x red Cuecalpatzactli

20x Momoyactli

1x yellow Quaxalotl

1x blue Tzitzimitl



1x Coyote

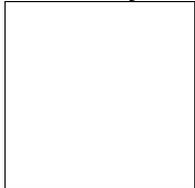
1x blue Xopoli

1x white Ocelotl

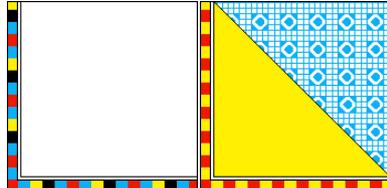
1x blue Cuextecatl

3.5.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

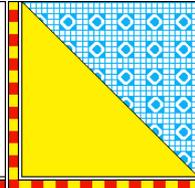
Six monthly



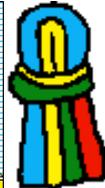
2400 large mantles



400 mantles



400 mantles



400 loincloths



400 women's tunics

8000 sheets of paper, 2000 yellow gourd bowls with red lip border

Yearly

1 bin of maize, 1 bin of amaranth, 1 bin of beans, 1 bin of chia

This province was broken into a number of powerful city states, including Huaxtepec, Yacapichtla, Yauhtepec, Totolapan, Tepoztlan.

This province fought against the Tlaxcalans and Huexotzincans to the east, and with the Xiuhtepec and Quauhnahuac to the west, and Mixtecs to the south. Internally Tepoztlan and Yacapichtla fought each other.

3.6 QUAUHTITLAN

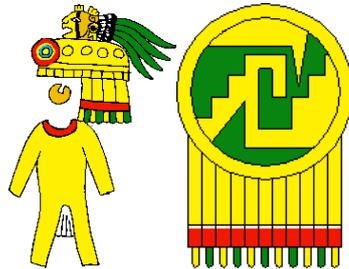
3.6.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Quahtitlan - near the trees (population 10-15,000)
 Alhuexoyocan - place of abundant water willows
 Tepoxaco on the soft stone
 Xilocinco - where the small tender maize ears grow



Tehuilooyocan - place of abundant crystal stones
 Xalapan - on the sandy water
 Cuezcomahuacan - place of the granaries

3.6.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE



1x yellow Quaxalotl



1x blue Tzitzimitl



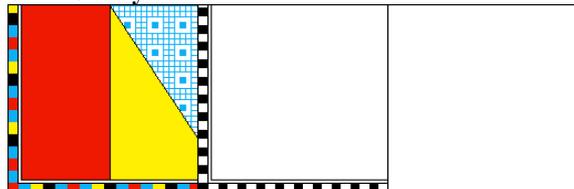
20x Coyote

20x Cuecalpatzactli

20x Momoyactli

3.6.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six monthly



400 mantles 400 mantles 400 white mantles
 4000 mats, 4000 seats with backs

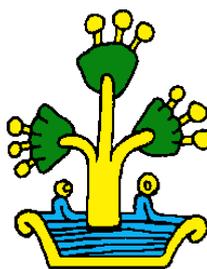
Yearly

1 bin of maize, 1 bin of amaranth, 1 bin of beans, 1 bin of chia

3.7 AXOCOPAN

3.7.1 SUBJECT TOWNS

Axocopan - on the bitter water
 Tetepanco - on the stone wall
 Temohuayan - place where everyone descends
 Myzquiyahuala - where there are many mesquite circles
 Tlaahuililpan - on the irrigated land

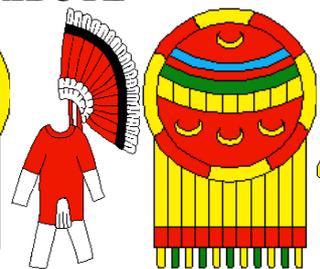


Atenco - on the shore
 Xochichivca - where the flowers are cultivated
 Tezcatepec - on the hill of the mirror
 Yzmilquilpan - on the Itzmiqilitl
 Tecpatepec - on the hill of the flint knife

3.7.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE



1x white Tzitzimitl



20x red Momoyactli



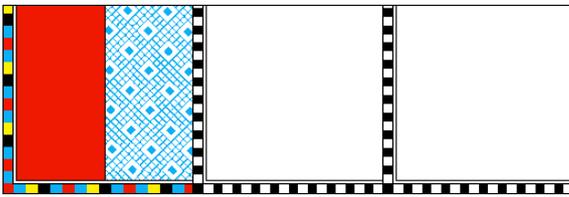
20x Coyote



20x blue Cuextecatl

3.7.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six monthly

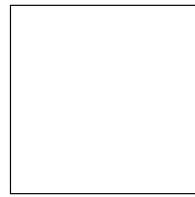


400 mantles 400 mantles 400 mantles (quilted)

400 jars of maguey honey

Yearly

1 bin of maize, 1 bin of amaranth, 1 bin of beans, 1 bin of chia



800 white mantles



400 women's tunics

Warred with Metztiltan to the north. Fairly loyal to Aztecs. Otomi background

3.8 ATOTONILCO (DE PADRAZA)

3.8.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Atotonilco - on the hot water

Quecalmacan - place where quetzal feathers are captured

Tehuahuac - on the stone drum

Xalac - on the sandy river

Guapalcalco - on the house of planks

Acocolco - on the winding river

Otlazpan - on the bamboo



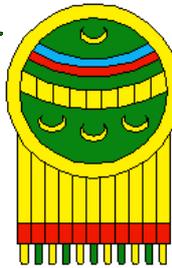
3.8.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE



1x yellow Quaxalotl



1x blue Tzitzimitl



20x red Cuecalpatzactli



20x blue Cuextecatl

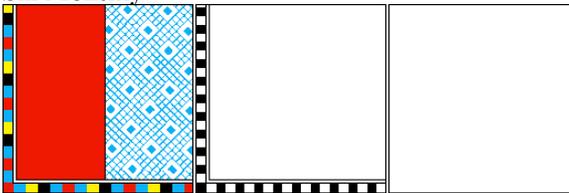


20x white Momoyactli



3.8.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



400 mantles

400 mantles

800 large white mantles

40 loads of lime

Yearly

1 bin of maize, 1 bin of chia, 1 bin of beans, 1 bin of amaranth

3.9 HUEYPUCHTLA

3.9.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Hueypuchtla - place of great opochtli

Tequiquiac - on the saltpeter water

Xicalhuacan - place that has gourd bowls

Acayocan - place full of reeds

Atocpan - on the heavy damp fertile land



Xalac - on the sandy river

Tetlapanaloyan - stone quarry

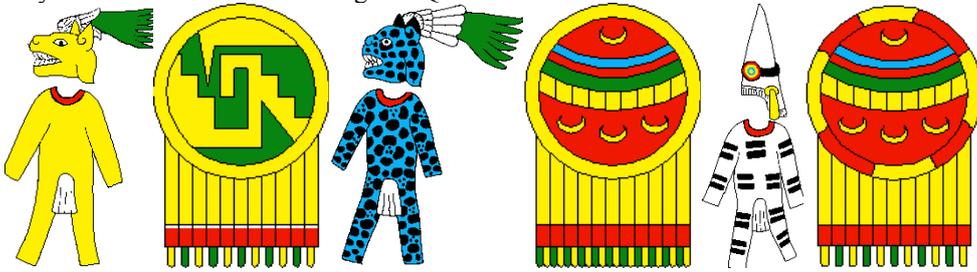
Xomeyocan - place full of older trees

Tezcatepetonco - on the small hill of the mirror

3.9.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE



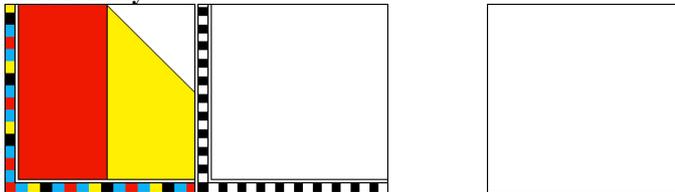
1x yellow Tzitzimitl 1x green Quaxalotl



20x Coyote 20x blue Ocelotl 20x white Cuextecatl

3.9.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



400 mantles 400 mantles of henequen 800 white henequen mantles
400 jars of maguey honey

Yearly

1 bin of maize, 1 bin of chia, 1 bin of beans, 1 bin of amaranth

Warred with Meztitlan to the north. Remained loyal. Otomi background

3.10 OTOTONILCO (EL GRANDE)

3.10.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Atotonilco - on the hot water

Quachquecaloyan - place where they make fine cotton mantles

Ctzihuinquilocan - place full of Itzihuinquilitl

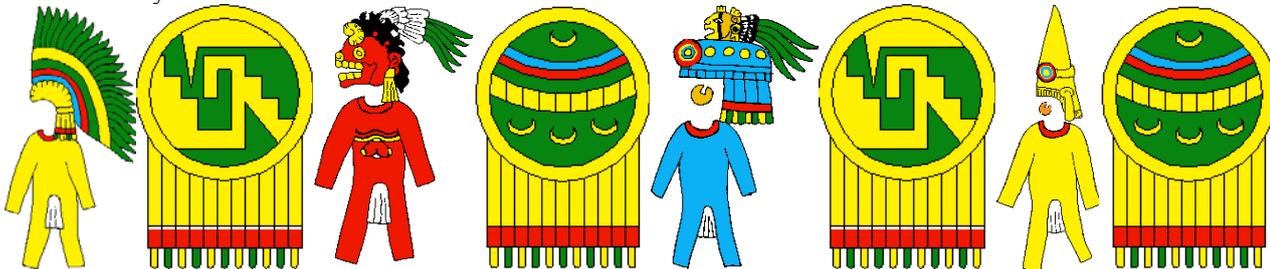
Acoxochitl - where there is a lot of acaxochitl

Hueyapan - on the lake

Tulancingo - on the small reed



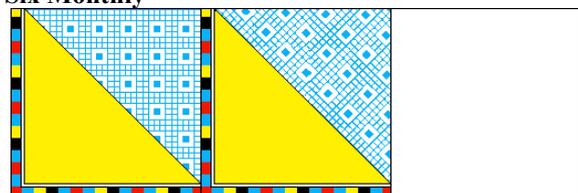
3.10.2 Military Tribute



1x yellow Quetzalpatzactli 1x red Tzitzimitl 1x blue Quaxalotl 1x yellow Cuextecatl

3.10.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



400 mantles 400 mantles 1600 white henequen mantles

Yearly

1 bin of maize, 1 bin of beans, 1 bin of chia, 1 bin of amaranth

Was in rebellion during this time.

3.11 XILOTEPEC

3.11.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Xilotepec - on the hill of the young maize ears
 Tzayanalquilpa - on the water of the Tzayanalquilitl
 Tepetitlan - near the hill
 Tecocauhtlan - where there is much yellow ochre



Tlachco - on the ball court
 Michmoloyan - place where they catch fish
 Acaxochitla - where there is much acaxochitl

3.11.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

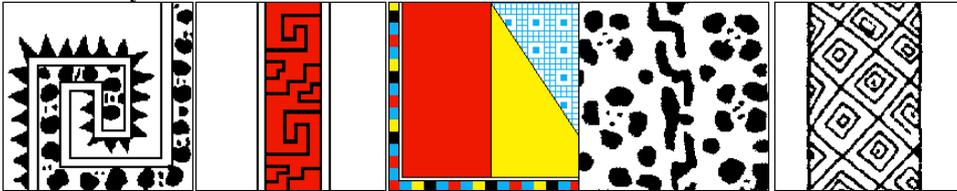


1x yellow Ocelotl

1x blue Cuextecatl

3.11.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



400 mantles

400 mantles

400 mantles

800 mantles

400 women's quilted skirts



400 women's tunics

Yearly

1 live eagle, 1 bin of maize, 1 bin of chia, 1 bin of beans, 1 bin of amaranth

Land of Otomis

3.12 QUAHUACAN

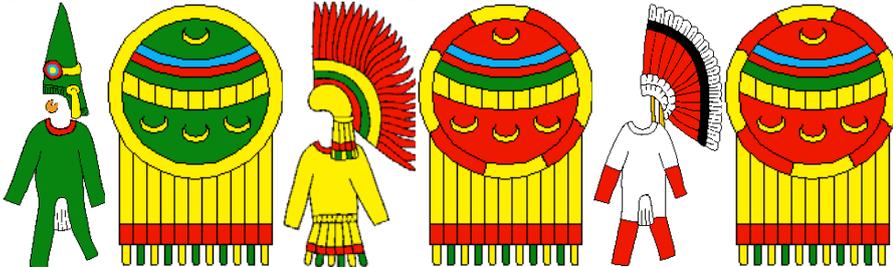
3.12.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Quahuacan - place where they have eagles
 Chapolmoloyan - place where they catch grasshoppers
 Acaxochic - on the acaxochitl
 Ocotepec - on the hill of pines
 Coatepec - on the hill of the snake
 Tlallachco - on the cultivated land
 Huitzicilapa - on the water of the hummingbird

Tecpa - place of the royal palace
 Tlalatlavco - on the canal
 Ameyalco - on the spring
 Huizquilocan - place full of huitzquilitl
 Quauhpanoayan - place where the water is crossed by a wooden bridge
 Chichiquactla - where there are many chichiquahtla



3.12.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE



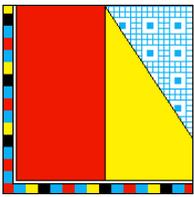
1x green Cuextecatl 20x yellow Cuecalpatzactli 20x white Momoyactli

3.12.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

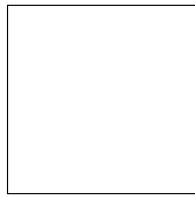
80 Days

1200 loads of firewood, 1200 large wooden beams, 1200 large planks, 1200 pillars

Six Monthly



800 coloured mantles



800 white mantles of henequen

Yearly

1 bin of maize, 1 bin of beans, 1 bin of chia, 1 bin of amaranth

3.13 TULUCA

3.13.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Tuluca - place where men incline their heads

Xicaltepec - on the hill of the gourd bowls

Mitepec - on the hill of the arrow

Metepec - on the hill of the maguey

Caliymayan - place where they put houses in order

Tepemaxalco - on the divided hill



Calixtlahuacan - place of the plain of houses

Tepetl huiacan - place of the tall mountain

Capulteopan - on the temple of the Capulin

Cacalomaca - place where they hunt ravens

Teotenanco - on the sacred wall

Coquitzinco - on the little clay

3.13.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE



1x blue Tzitzimitl



1x green Quaxalotl

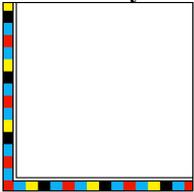


20x red Cuextecatl

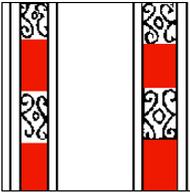


3.13.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

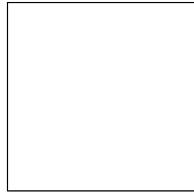
Six Monthly



400 mantles



400 henequen mantles



1200 white henequen mantles

Yearly

2 bins of maize, 2 bins of chia, 1 bin of beans, 1 bin of amaranth

3.14 OCUILAN

3.14.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Ocuilan - where there are many caterpillars

Tequaloyan - place where there are many jaguars

Coatepec - on the hill of the snake



Tenantzinco - on the small wall

Tonatiuhco - on the place of the sun god

Cincozac - on the maize jewel

3.14.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

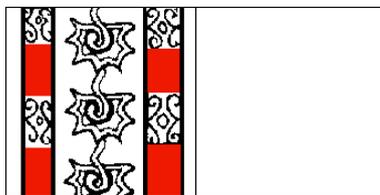
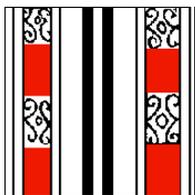


1x yellow Quetzalpatzactli



3.14.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



400 henequen mantles

400 henequen mantles

400 mantles

400 large henequen mantles

2000 loaves of white refined salt

Yearly

1 bin of maize, 1 bin of beans, 1 bin of chia, 1 bin of amaranth

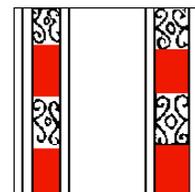
Warred with Tarascans to west.

3.15 MALINALCO AND XOCOTITLAN

3.15.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Malinalco - on the grass Conpahuacan - place that has a skull rack

Xocotitlan - near the fruit



3.15.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

Nil

3.15.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Malinalco and Conpahuacan - **Six monthly**: 1200 large henequen mantles. **Yearly**: 1 bin of maize, 1 bin of amaranth, 1 bin of beans, 1 bin of chia

Xocotitlan - **Six monthly**: 400 henequen mantles. **Yearly**: 1 bin of maize, 1 bin of amaranth, 1 bin of beans, 1 bin of chia

3.16 TLACHCO

3.16.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Tlachco - on the ballcourt

Chontalcoatlan - where there are many strange snakes

Nochtepec - on the hill of the prickly pear cactus

Tlamacazapan - on the water of the priest

Tzicapucalco - on the tzicatl sand heap

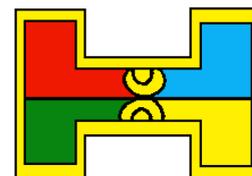
Acamilyxtlahuacan - place of the plain of the cultivated fields of reeds

Teticpac - on the top of the rock.

Teotlitzacan - place of the white god

Tepexahualco - on the painted hill

Tetenanco - on the stone wall



3.16.2 Military Tribute

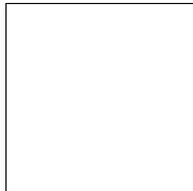


1x yellow tzitzimitl

1x yellow Cuextecatl

3.16.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six monthly



400 mantles

1200 large mantles of henequen

400 women's mantles

Yearly

1 bin of maize, 1 bin of chia

Warred with Quauhnhuac and Ychcateopan (Tepequacuilco)

3.17 TEPEQUACUILCO

3.17.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Tepequacuilco - place where faces are painted

Ohuapan - on the stalk of the green maize

Tlachmalacac - on the thrown spindle whorl

Cocolan - place of many disputes

Chilacachapan - on the water of the chilacaxtli



Chilapan - on the water of the chile

Huitzoco - on the digging stick

Yoallan - place of night

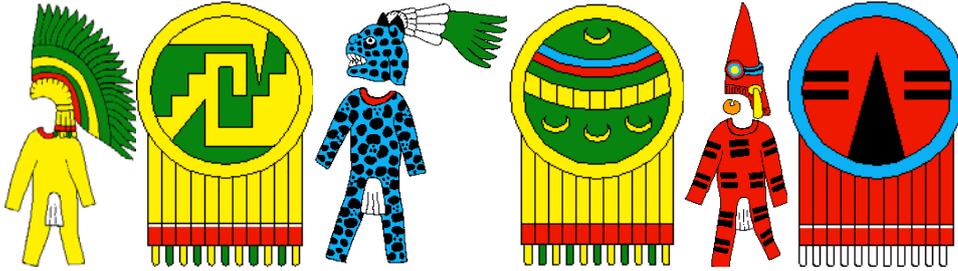
Atenanco - on the wall of water

Teloloapan - on the water of the pebbles

Oztomoa - cave made by hand
 Alahuiztlan - where there are many gliding swimmers

Yhcateopan - on the temple of cotton
 Cuecalan - where there are many scarlet macaw feathers

3.17.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE



1x yellow Quetzalpatzactli 1x blue Ocelotl

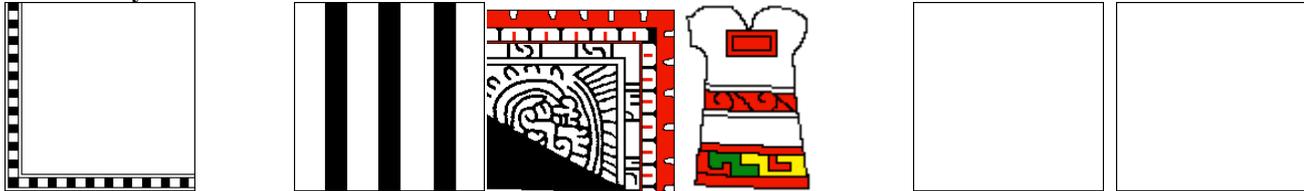
20x red Cuextecatl

3.17.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

80 Days

100 little copper axes
 1200 yellow gourd bowls
 400 baskets of white copal (incense)
 8000 balls of unrefined copal
 200 small jars of bee honey

Six Monthly



400 quilted mantles

400 mantles

400 mantles

400 women's tunics

400 mantles

1600 large white mantles

Yearly

1 bin of maize, 1 bin of beans, 1 bin of chia, 1 bin of amaranth, 5 strings of greenstone

Fought continuously with the Tarascans, and also internal dissent

3.18 CIHUATLAN

3.18.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Cihuatlan - place of many women
 Panotlan - place of river fords
 Yztapan - on the salt
 Xihuacan - place that has turquoise
 Cocohuipilecan - place of the yellow huipilli
 Cacatulan - place where grass and reeds abound



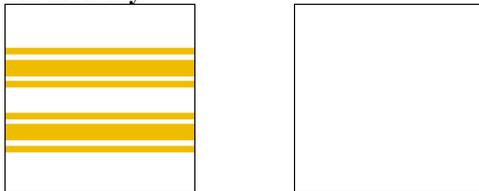
Colima - place taken by Acolhuas
 Nochcoc - on the prickly pear cactus fruit
 Petlatlan - where there are many mats
 Apancalecan - place of house canals
 Coyucac - in the place of the coyuca
 Xolochiuhyan - place where attendants are mad

3.18.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

Nil

3.18.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six monthly



1600 striped mantles
 800 red seashells

2400 large white mantles, 80 loads of red cacao, 400 loads of brown cotton,

3.19 TLAPAN

3.19.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Tlapan - the place of the dyers
 Yhcateopan - on the temple of cotton
 Ahuacatla - where there are many avacados
 Yoalan - place of night
 Huitzamola - where the huitzamolli abounds
 Malinaltepec - on the hill of grass

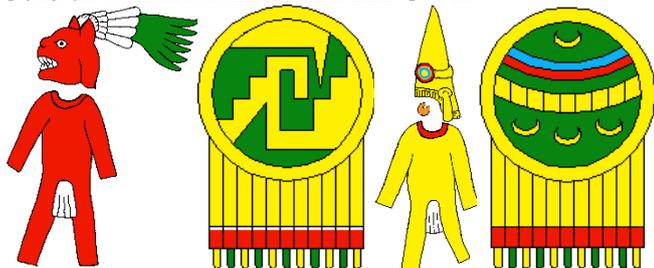


Xocotla - where there are many fruits
 Amaxac - on the river that splits into channels
 Acocozpan - on the very yellow water
 Ocoapan - on the canal lined with pines
 Acuitlapan - on the water dung heap
 Totomixtlahuacan - place of the bird hunter's plain

Tetenanco - on the stone wall

Chipetlan - place of xipe

3.19.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

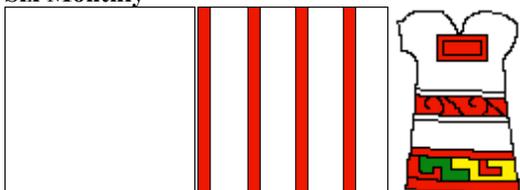


1x red Ocelotl

1x yellow Cuextecatl

3.19.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



800 mantles

400 mantles

400 women's tunics

800 gourd bowls

Yearly

10 gold bars, 20 bowls of gold dust

3.20 TLALCOCAUATITLAN

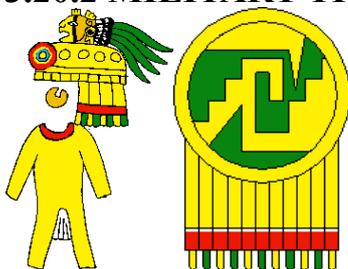
3.20.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Tlalocauhtitlan - among the yellow lands
Quahotecmacinco - on the little gourd tree
Tepoztitlan - among the copper
Mitzinco - on the small arrow



Tolimani - place of the reed cutters
Yhcatlan - where there is much cotton
Ahuacicinco - on the very small oak trees
Cacatla - where there is much grass

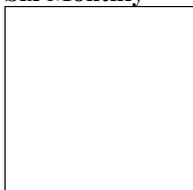
3.20.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE



1x yellow Quaxalotl

3.20.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly

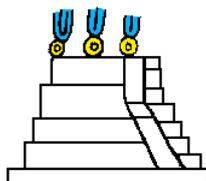


400 large white mantles, 100 small pitchers of bee honey, 20 pans of yellow varnish

3.21 QUIAUHTEOPAN

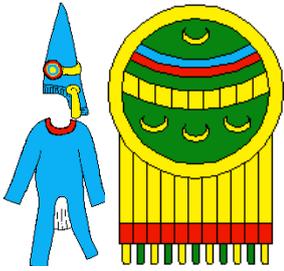
3.21.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Quiauhteopan - outside the temple
Quauhcomatla - where there are many gourd trees
Yhcatla - where there is much cotton



Olinalan - place of many earthquakes
Qualac - in the place of good drinking water
Xala - where there is much sand

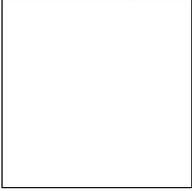
3.21.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE



1x blue Cuextecatli

3.21.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



400 large white mantles 100 small jars of bee honey, 80 small copper axes, 40 large copper bells

Yearly

1 small pan of small turquoise stones

3.22 YOALTEPEC

3.22.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Yoaltepec - on the hill of night

Tzilaca apan - on the water of the tzilacayotli gourd

Yxicayan - place where water seeps out

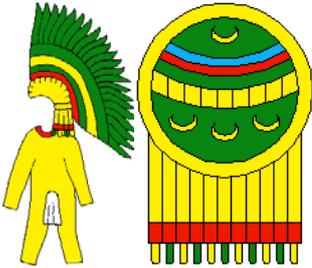


Ehuacalco - in the house of skin

Patlanalan - where there is much flying

Ychca atoyac - on the river of cotton

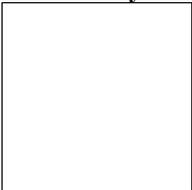
3.22.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE



1x Quetzalpatzactli

3.22.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



400 large white mantles 100 small jars of bee honey

Yearly

40 gold tiles

10 masks of blue turquoise

1 large satchel of turquoise stones

3.23 CHALCO

3.23.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Chalco - on the greenstone. Ruler Itzcahuatzin

Tepuztlan - where there is much copper

Malinaltepec - on the hill of grass

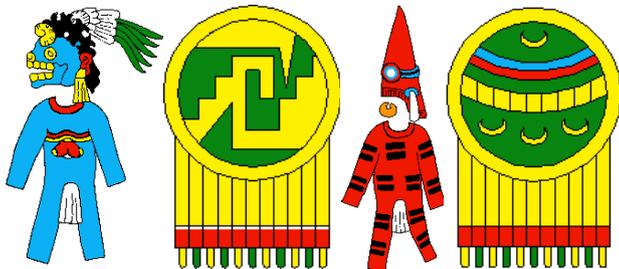


Tecmilco - on the noble's cultivated land

Xocoyoltepec - on the hill of the xocoyolli

Quavxumulco - on the corner of the trees

3.23.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE



1x blue Tzitzimitl

1x red Cuextecatl

3.23.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six monthly

800 large white mantles

Yearly

6 bins of maize, 2 bins of beans, 2 bins of chia, 2 bins of amaranth

3.24 TEPEACAC

3.24.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Tepeacac - on the beginning of the hill. Ruler Ixcozauqui

Tecamachalco - on the stone jaw. Ruler Acuechetzin

Tecalco - in the stone house

Quauhtinchan - home of the eagles

Quatlatlahucan - place of red heads

Ytzucan - place of obsidian

Ruler Calcozametil

Teonochtlan - among the sacred prickly pear cactus fruits

Huehuetlan - place of many old men

Coatzinco - on the small snake

Nacochtlan - place of many earplugs

Ozotlapechco - on the platform of the cave

Quechulac - on the water of the feather tuft. Ruler Calcozametil

Acatzinco - in the small reeds

Ycchochinanco - on the yucca chinampa

Chietlan - where there is much chia

Tepexic - on the crag

Quauhquechulan - where there are many feather tufted eagles.

Teopantlan - place of many temples

Tetenanco - on the stone wall

Epatlan - where there are many skunks

Chiltecpintlan - place of many small red peppers

Atezcahuacan - place that has a pool of water



3.24.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

Nil

3.24.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Unspecified Intervals

war prisoners from Tlaxcala, Cholula and Huexotzinco

Eighty Days

4000 loads of lime, 800 deerskins, 4000 loads of cane, 8000 loads of cane for making arrows, 8000 loads of perfume, 200 carrying frames

Yearly

2 bins of maize, 2 bins of beans

3.25 COAYCTLAHUACAN

3.23.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Coayctlahuacan - place of the plain of snakes

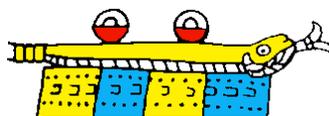
Tamacolapan - on the water of the frogs

Tepuzcululan - where there are many copper hooks

Xaltepec on the sandy hill

Mictlan - where there are many dead

Cuicatlan - place of song



Texopan - on the blue colour

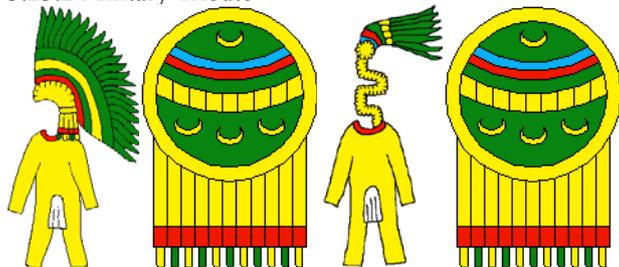
Yancuitlan - place of the new town

Nochiztlan - where there is much cochineal

Tamacolan - where there are many frogs

Coaxomulco - on the corner of the coatli tree

3.23.2 Military Tribute



1x yellow Queztlapatzactli

1x yellow Toxcocolli

3.23.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



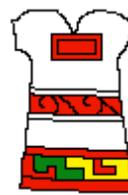
400 Mantles

400 mantles

400 Mantles (quilted)



400 loincloths



400 women's tunics

Yearly

1 feathered headpiece, 2 strings of rich greenstones, 800 handfuls of quetzal feathers, 40 bags of cochineal, 20 gourd bowls of fine gold dust

3.26 COYOLAPAN

3.23.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Coyolapan - on the water of the bell

Quavxilotlatlan - among the quauhxilotl trees

Camotlan - place of many sweet potatoes

Quazontepec - on the hill of much hair

Teticpac - on the top of the rock

Macuilxochic - place of the god Macuilxochitl



Etlan - where there are many beans

Guaxacac - where the uaxin trees begin

Teocuitlatlan - place of much gold

Octlan - where there is much pulque

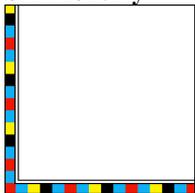
Talcuechahuayan - place of damp land

3.23.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

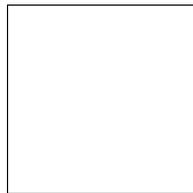
Nil

3.23.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



400 mantles (quilted)



800 large mantles

Yearly

2 bins of maize, 1 bin of beans, 1 bin of chia, 20 tiles of fine gold, 20 bags of cochineal

Warred with Tototepec to south

3.27 TLACHQUIAVCO

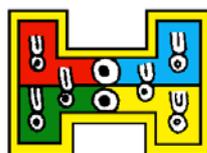
3.23.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Tlachquiavco - on the place outside the ball court

Achiotlan - where there is much achiotl

Capotlan - where there are many zapote trees

Province population may have reached 20,000



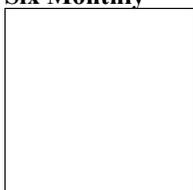
3.23.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE



1x yellow Quetzalpatzactli

3.23.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



400 large white mantles

Yearly

20 bowls of fine gold dust, 5 bags of cochineal, 400 handfuls of quetzal feathers

Warred with Tototepecs to south

3.28 TOCHTEPEC

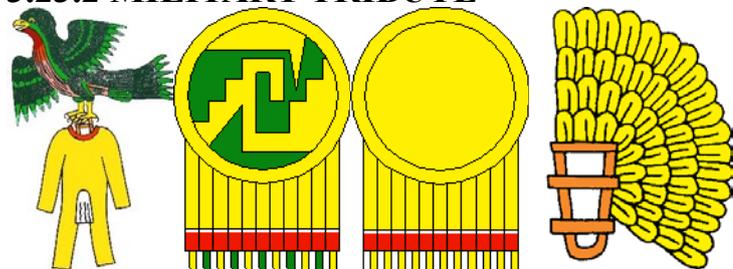
3.23.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

- Tochtepec - on the hill of the rabbit
- Otlatitlan - among much bamboo
- Mixtlan - where there are many clouds
- Ayotzintepec - on the pyramid hill
- Teotlilan - place of the sacred ink
- Oxitlan - where oxitl abounds
- Tototepec - on the hill of the bird
- Ayocintepec - on the hill of the little turtle
- Puctlan - where there is much smoke
- Yxmatlatlan - place of the blue face
- Toztlan - place where there are many yellow headed parrots



- Xayaco - on the mask
- Cocamaloapan - on the water of the captive weasels
- Michapan - on the water of the fish
- Michtlan - where there are many fish
- Xicaltepec - on the hill of the gourd bowls
- Tzinacanoztoc - in the cave of the bat
- Chinantlan - where there are many chinanteca
- Cuezcomatitlan - among the granaries
- Tetevtlan - where there are many gods
- Yaotlan - place of war
- Tlacotalpan - on the divided lands

3.23.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE



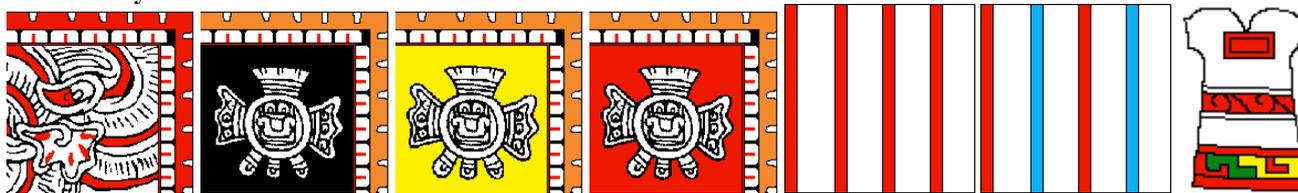
1x Quetzal banner

1x

1x back banner

3.23.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



400 Mantles

400 mantles

400 mantles

400 mantles

400 mantles

400 mantles

400 women's tunics

Yearly

1 gold diadem, 1 gold headband, 1 necklace of gold beads, 1 necklace of gold beads and bells, 3 large greenstone beads, 3 necklaces of round greenstones, 4 necklaces of greenstones, 20 lip plugs of clear amber decorated with gold, 20 lip plugs of crystal set with blue smalt and gold, 80 handfuls of rich quetzal feathers, 16000 balls of rubber, 4 bundles of rich yellow feathers trimmed with yellow feathers, 8000 little handfuls of rich blue feathers

3.29 XOCONOCHCO

3.23.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

- Xoconochco - on the sour cactus fruit
- Coyoacan - place of the lean coyotes. Ruler Cuappopacatzin
- Macatlan - place of many deer
- Acapetlatlan - place of many reed mats



- Ayotlan - where there are many turtles
- Mapachtepec - on the hill of the raccoon
- Huiztlan - place of many thorns
- Huehuetlan - place of many old men

3.23.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

Nil

3.23.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly

2 large strings of chalchihuitl stones
800 handfuls of rich blue feathers, 800 handfuls of rich red feathers, 800 handfuls of rich green feathers, 800 handfuls of rich quetzal feathers, 800 handfuls of rich yellow feathers, 160 bird skins of turquoise feathers with purple breasts, 2 lip plugs of amber with gold decoration, 200 loads of cacao, 40 ocelot skins, 800 bowls for drinking cacao, 2 large pieces of clear amber

3.30 QUAUHTOCHCO

3.23.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

- Quauhtochco - in the forest full of rabbits
- Teuhcoltzapotlan - where there are many tecontzapotl trees
- Tototlan - where there are many birds
- Tuchconco - on the rabbit's hair
- Ahuilizapan - on the irrigation canals
- Quauhtetelco - tree on the mound
- Ytzteyocan - the place of obsidian

3.23.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

Nil

3.23.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

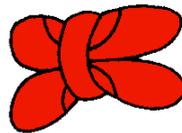
Six Monthly

- 400 large mantles
- Yearly
- 20 loads of cacao, 1600 bales of white cotton

3.31 CUETLAXTLAN

3.23.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

- Cuetlaxtlan - Where the dressed leather knots abound
- Tlapanicytlan - at the foot of the broken hill
- Acozpan - on the yellow water



- juauhtla - forest at the place of the dead
- Oxichan - home of the Oxomoco
- Teociocan - place of the sacred young maize ears

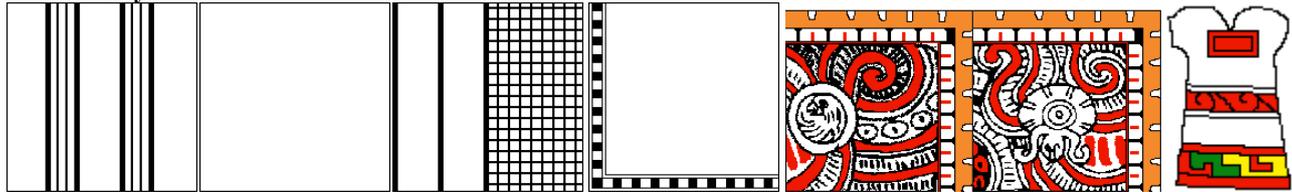
3.23.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE



1x yellow Tzitzimitl 1x yellow Quetzalpatzactli

3.23.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



1200 mantles 800 large mantles 800 mantles 400 large mantles 80 mantles 80 mantles 400 women's tunics

Yearly

- 1 quetzal feather headdress bundle
- 1 string of greenstones, 400 handfuls of green feathers, 20 lip plugs with blue smalt set in gold, 20 lips plugs of amber set with gold, 200 loads of cacao

A rebellious province, often encouraged by the Tlaxcalans.

3.32 TLAPACOYAN

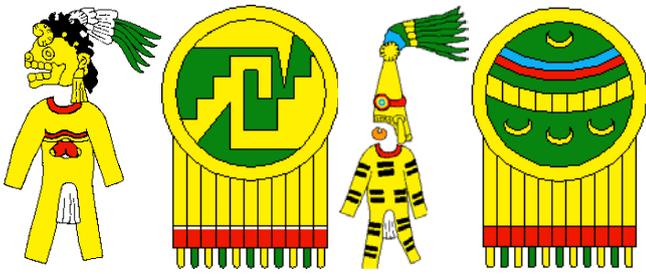
3.23.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

- Tlapacoyan - place where they wash
- Xochiquauhtitlan - among many liquid amber trees
- Coapan - on the canal of the snake
- Acacacatla - land full of reed grass



- Xiloxochitlan - near the xiloxochitl
- Tuchtlan - place of many rabbits
- Atza apan - on the canal of the white heron

3.23.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

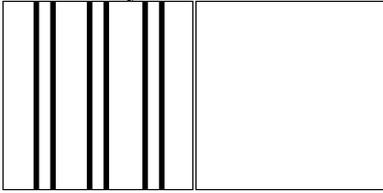


1x yellow Tzitzimitl

1x Yellow Cuextecatl

3.23.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six monthly



400 large mantles

800 large white mantles

3.33 TLATLAUHQUITEPEC

3.23.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Tlatlahuquitepec - on the red hill

Tecuitlan - place of much hail

Yayavquitlalpa - on the brown land

Teotlalpan - on the god's land

Yxcoyamec - on the face of the peccary

Caltepec - on the house on the hill



Atenco - on the shore

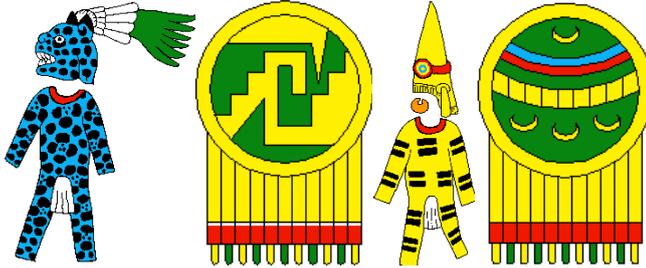
Ayutuchco - on the armadillo

Xonoctla - place of much jonote

Ytztepec - on the hill of obsidian

Yoanahuac - near the war

3.23.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

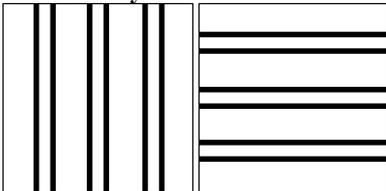


1x blue Ocelotl

1x yellow Cuextecatl

3.23.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



1200 mantles

400 mantles

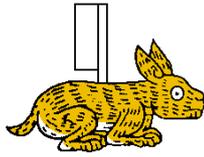
80000 lumps if liquid amber incense

Fought with Tlaxcala and Acacatlan (province of ??) and sent captives to Tenochtitlan

3.34 TUCHPA

3.34.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Tuchpa - the place of rabbits
 Cihuanteopan - on the woman's temple
 Ocelotepec - on the hill of the Ocelot
 Mictlan - where there are many dead



Tlalticapan - on the land of chalk
 Papantla - place of the papanes
 Mihua apan - on the canal of the maize flower

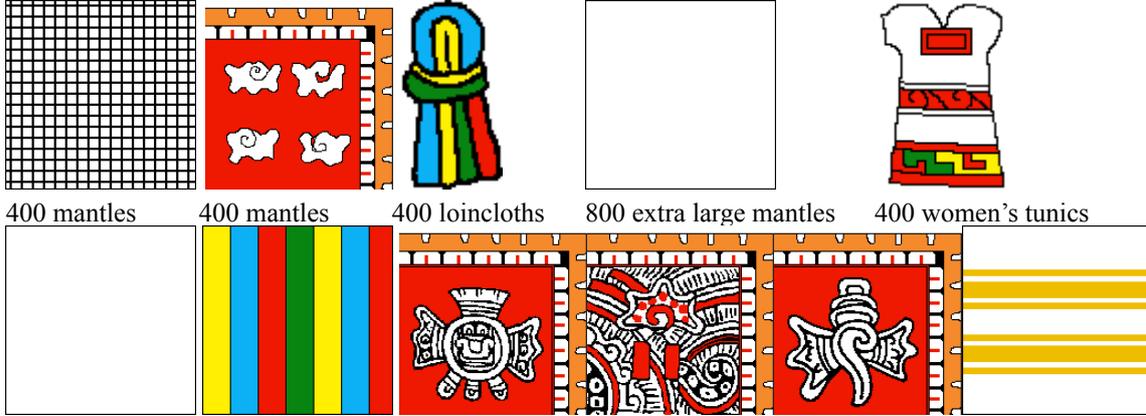
3.34.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE



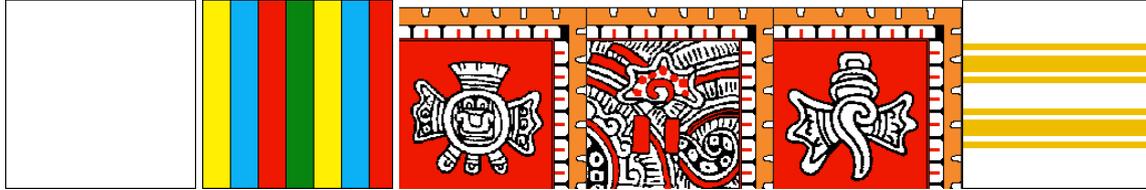
1x yellow Tzitzimitl 1x yellow Quetzalpatzactli

3.34.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



400 mantles 400 mantles 400 loincloths 800 extra large mantles 400 women's tunics



400 mantles 800 mantles 80 mantles 80 mantles 80 mantles 800 mantles

Yearly

800 loads of dried chilies
 2 strings of greenstone beads, 1 string of turquoise stones, 2 round mosaics of small turquoise stones, 20 bags of white feather down

3.35 ATLAN

3.35.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Atlan - place of much water



Tecapotitlan - among the zapote trees on the rock

3.35.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

Nil

3.35.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



800 red mantles 800 loincloths 400 large white mantles

Yearly

1200 bales of white cotton

3.36 TZICOAC

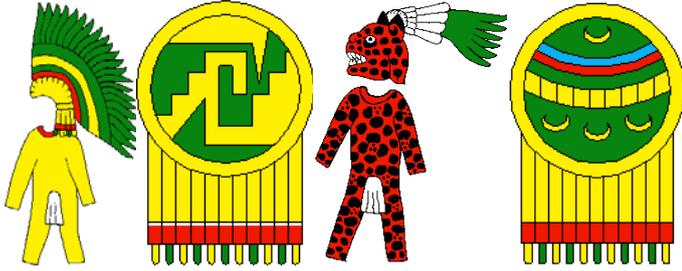
3.36.1 TRIBUTE TOWNS

Tzicoac - on the turquoise blue snake
 Cozcatecutlan - where the noble's beads are plentiful
 Xocoyocan place of fruit trees



Molanco - in the place of many bowls of rubber
 Ychcatlan - place of abundant cotton

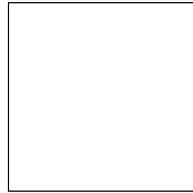
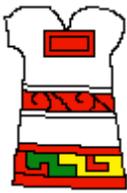
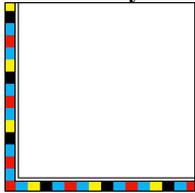
3.36.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE



1x yellow Cuezalpatzactli 1x red Ocelotl

3.36.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six monthly



400 mantles

400 women's tunics

400 loincloths

800 large mantas quadruple length

Yearly

800 bales of cotton, 400 loads of dried chillis

3.37 OXITIPAN

3.37.1 Tribute Towns

Oxitipan - where oxitl is used

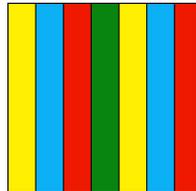
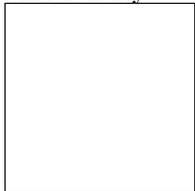


3.37.2 MILITARY TRIBUTE

nil

3.37.3 NON MILITARY TRIBUTE

Six Monthly



2000 large mantles double length

400 mantles double length

yearly

400 loads of dried chillies, 1 or more live eagles as possible

Information collated and last revised 24/12/2006
 chronofus@chronofus.net