**IB Geography:** Case studies and Detailed examples

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\*CS: Case study, DE: Detailed example

23 Detailed examples

9 Case studies

32 Total

■ **Global Change**, SL and HL Core

■ **Global Interactions**, HL Core Extension

■ Our Planet’s **Leisure, Sport and Tourism**

**Recommended to study:**

Topic E: tourism as a national development strategy - Kenya

Extra:

* Topic 1: Militia groups
* Topic 3: Informal e-waste recycling, Ghana
* Topic E: Tourism as a national development strategy, Kenya