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Hebrew	אָרֶץ מִיןְּיוֹת הָאֶרֶץ plugin-autotooltip_default הֲלָוֹא תַּדְעוּ הֲלָוֹא תִּשְׁלָּעוּ הֲלָוֹא הֻגַּד מֵרְאֹשׁ לָכֵבֵם הֲלוֹא הֲבֵּינֹתֶּם מוֹסְדְוֹת הָאֶרֶץ plugin-autotooltip_bigץ־אֶרֶ
	hebrew
	Meaning:
	* Earth (e.g. Genesis 1:1) or world * Land * Countries or country
	The word אֶּרֶץ can designate the whole of planet earth, or the inhabitable world or the national territory or ground.
	When coupled with heavens (שָׁמֵיִם), the phrase indicates the entire created order.Genesis 12:1
ESV	Do you not know? Do you not hear? Has it not been told you from the beginning? Have you not understood from the foundations of the earth?
NIV	Do you not know? Have you not heard? Has it not been told you from the beginning? Have you not understood since the earth was founded?
NLT	Haven't you heard? Don't you understand? Are you deaf to the words of God- the words he gave before the world began? Are you so ignorant?

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greek

Meaning:

* Beginning * First * Elementary * Rulers, rule, domain

Noun, feminine (first declension)

Occurs 56 times in the New Testament, consistently conveying the idea of primacy - whether temporal (i.e. the start, e.g. John 1:1) or causal (i.e. the source) or governmental (i.e. the ruler, e.g. Ephesians 6:12 ὑμῖν οὐκ ἔγνωτε τὰplugin-autotooltip__default plugin-autotooltip bigò, ἡ, τό

greek

Meaning:

* The

The definite article.

Forms

LXX

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Meaning:

* Soil or ground (e.g. Matthew 13:5) * Land (e.g. Luke 4:5) * Country * Earth (e.g. Matthew 5:5)

Feminine noun. Connected to the English words "ground", "geometry" and "geology".

It occurs throughout the LXX and the New Testament (approximately 250 times in the New Testament) and its meaning varies subtly on context, for example, in the LXX:Genesis 1:1Genesis 2:7Genesis 12:1

KJV

Have ye not known? have ye not heard? hath it not been told you from the beginning? have ye not understood from the foundations of the earth?

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