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mount athos ὄρος ἅγιον s greek ἅγιον ὄρος is a mountain on the athos peninsula in northeastern greece it is an important center of eastern orthodox monasticism mount athos mountain in northern greece site of a semiautonomous republic of greek orthodox monks inhabiting 20 monasteries and dependencies skites some of which are larger than the parent monasteries it occupies the easternmost of the three promontories of the chalcidice khalkidhikí mount athos home digital pilgrimages browse the digital pilgrimages of five monasteries and discover their history through the narratives and audiovisual content st maximus the greek discover st maximus life and pastoral work through a digital book browse video library discover mount athos through the video gallery discover mount athos height 1 935 m 6 350 ft is situated on the easternmost of the three promontories of chalkidike which is located to the southeast of the city of thessalonica in northeast greece the name athos comes from the giant of greek mythology who threw a mountain into the sea the monastic community of mount athos is an eastern orthodox community of monks in greece who hold the status of an autonomous region with its own sovereignty within greece and the european union as well as the combined rights of a decentralized administration a region and a municipality with a territory encompassing the distal part of the an orthodox spiritual centre since the 10th century mount athos has enjoyed a self administered status since byzantine times its first constitution was signed in 972 by the emperor john i tzimiskes the holy mountain which is forbidden to women and children is also a recognized artistic site the layout of the

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