**Comparison Grid for Mao and Hitler**

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| **Emergence of authoritarian states (rise to power)** | | |
| **Conditions in which authoritarian states emerged** | Hitler | Mao |
| 1. Impact of war |  |  |
| 1. Weakness of the political system |  |  |
| 1. Economic factors |  |  |
| 1. Social division |  |  |
| **Methods used to establish authoritarian states** | Hitler | Mao |
| 1. Persuasion and coercion |  |  |
| 1. The role of leaders |  |  |
| 1. Ideology |  |  |
| 1. The use of force |  |  |
| 1. Propaganda |  |  |
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