

Describing Bar Charts

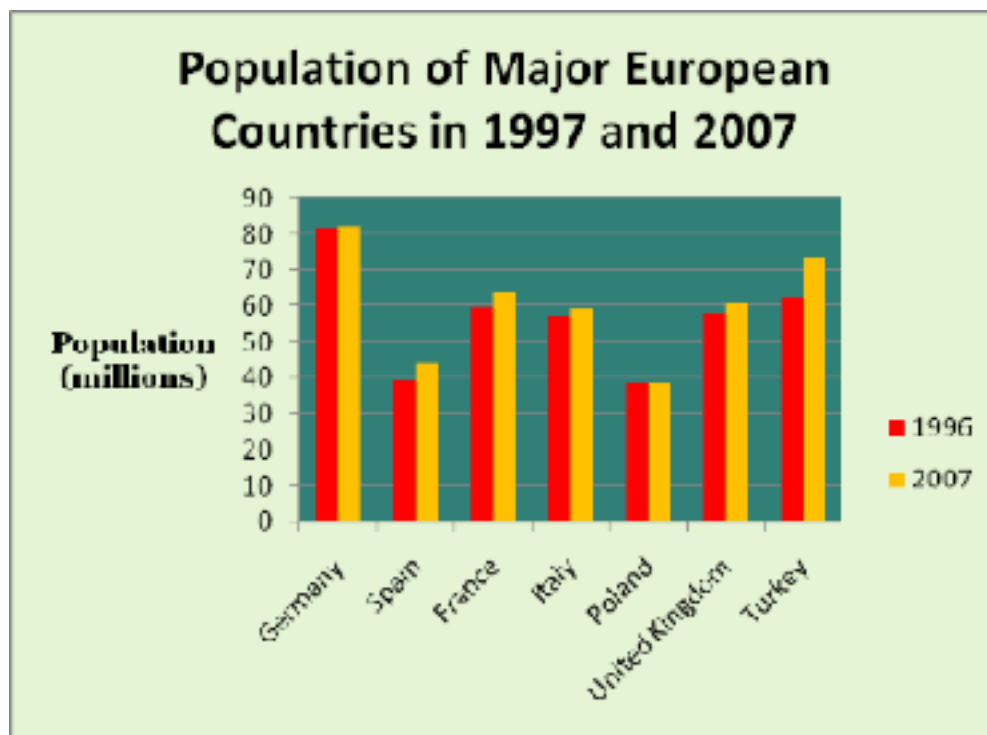
Practice 1

You should spend about 20 minutes on this task.

The chart below shows the population of major countries in the years 1996 and 2007.

Summarise the information by selecting and reporting the main features, and make comparisons where relevant.

Write at least **150 words**.



Fill in the missing information.

The bar chart gives information about the of majorcountries for the yearsand The **x axis** of the graph represents the while the **y axis** shows thein..... . As can be clearly seen, the population in all countries except in this period.

Looking at the chart in more detail, we can see that the largest rise was in where the population increased from over to million. **Secondly**, the smallest increase was in where the population of 82 rose by a few thousand. Spain **also** had a fairly large increase from 39.4 million to, and France had an increase of almost million. **Moreover**, in the other two countries, and the, population growth was more modest with increases of about 2.3 and million respectively. ~~In Poland, the population by half a million.~~ Poland had the population in both 1996 and **Although** Spain and Poland had comparable populations in 1996, Spain's population is now nearly six and a half million greater than

In general, we can see a clear trend in the population of **while** seem to have