Social Studies:

Unit 2 : Political Europe

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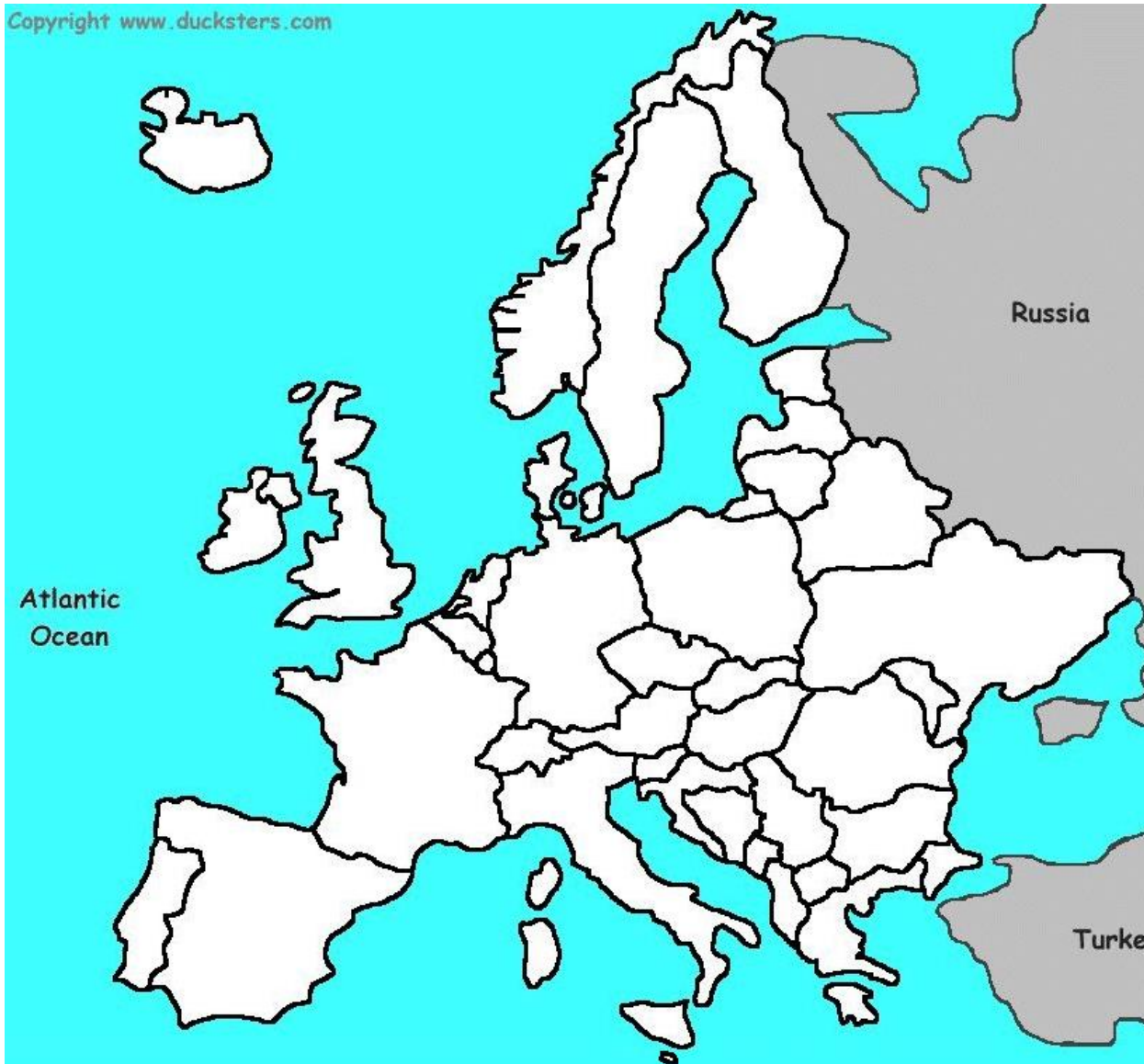
WORKSHEET 1

QUESTIONS about Spain	ANSWERS
Where is Spain in relation to Portugal, France, to Europe?	
What's its capital city?	
What is Spain made up of?	
Where are Asturias, Galicia, Aragón, …	
What are the three main rivers in Spain?	
Which is the longest river in Spain?	
What's the name of the King of Spain?	
What's the title given to the daughter of the King and Queen of Spain?	
What's the name of the political party which won the last elections?	
What's the name of the President of the Spanish Government?	
What's the population of Spain?	

Worksheet 2

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Russia

Atlantic Ocean

Turkey

☐ Norway
☐ Poland
☐ Portugal
☐ Romania
☐ Scotland
☐ Serbia
☐ Albania
☐ Austria
☐ Belarus
☐ Belgium
☐ Bosnia &
☐ Bulgaria
☐ Croatia

☐ Cyprus
☐ Czech Rep.
☐ Denmark
☐ Estonia
☐ Finland
☐ France
☐ Germany

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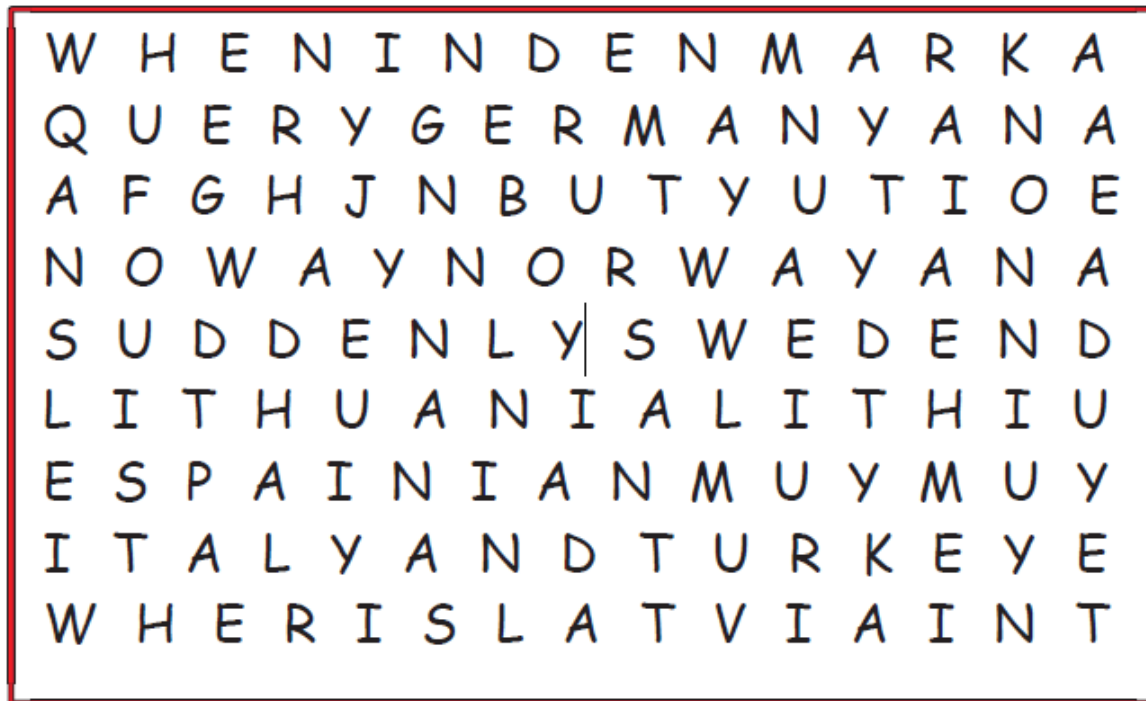☐ Ireland
☐ Italy
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☐ Slovakia
☐ Slovenia
☐ Spain
☐ Sweden
☐ Switzerland
☐ Ukraine
☐ United Kingdom

worksheet 3

European Country Search 1

There are nine European countries in this word search.
Find and circle as many names of European countries as you can.
HINT: Sometimes there are two names on one line.

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W H E N I N D E N M A R K A
Q U E R Y G E R M A N Y A N A
A F G H J N B U T Y U T I O E
N O W A Y N O R W A Y A N A
S U D D E N L Y S W E D E N D
L I T H U A N I A L I T H I U
E S P A I N I A N M U Y M U Y
I T A L Y A N D T U R K E Y E
W H E R I S L A T V I A I N T
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Here are the nine countries to look for:

Spain
Lithuania
Italy
Latvia
Denmark
Germany
Norway
Sweden
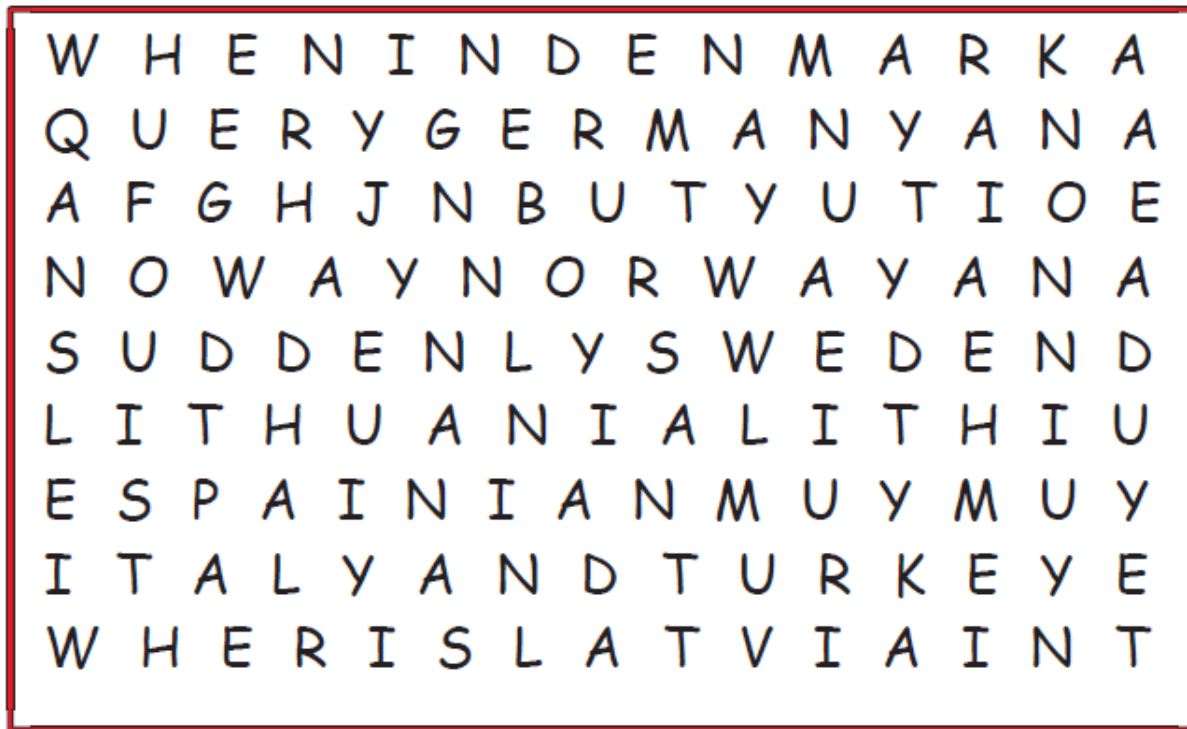Turkey

Worksheet 4

European Country Search 1

There are nine European countries in this word search.
Find and circle as many names of European countries as you can.
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L I T H U A N I A L I T H I U
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I T A L Y A N D T U R K E Y E
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Spain
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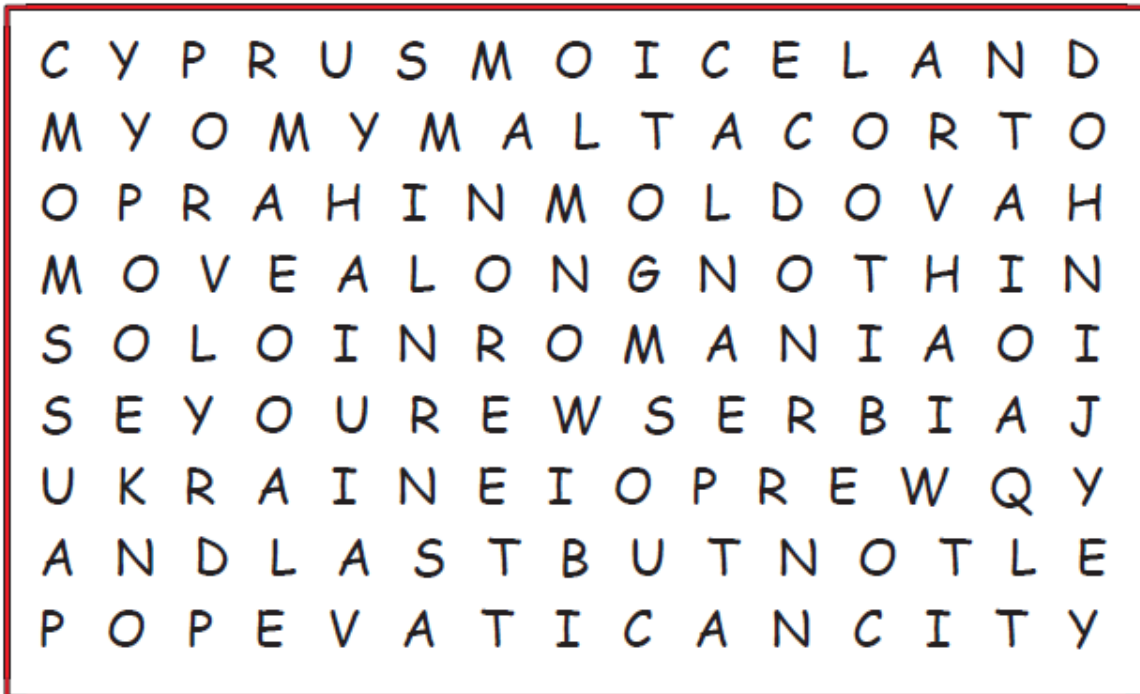
Now draw a line from each country name to its location on the map.

Worksheet 5

European Country Search 3

There are eight European countries in this word search.

Find and circle as many names of European countries as you can.

HINT: Sometimes there are two names on one line.

C	Y	P	R	U	S	M	O	I	C	E	L	A	N	D
M	Y	O	M	Y	M	A	L	T	A	C	O	R	T	O
O	P	R	A	H	I	N	M	O	L	D	O	V	A	H
M	O	V	E	A	L	O	N	G	N	O	T	H	I	N
S	O	L	O	I	N	R	O	M	A	N	I	A	O	I
S	E	Y	O	U	R	E	W	S	E	R	B	I	A	J
U	K	R	A	I	N	E	I	O	P	R	E	W	Q	Y
A	N	D	L	A	S	T	B	U	T	N	O	T	L	E
P	O	P	E	V	A	T	I	C	A	N	C	I	T	Y

Cyprus
Iceland
Malta
Moldova
Romania
Serbia
Ukraine
Vatican City

⭐ Now draw a line from each country name to its location on the map.

European Country Search 4

There are seven European countries in this word search.

Find and circle as many names of European countries as you can.

HINT: Sometimes there are two names on one line.

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G R E E C E Y A R M E N I A N
Q W E R T G H J K B B N M N
H U N G A R Y I S A L S O U Y
Q U E S T U S P A U S T R I A
I F Y O U T R F B E L A R U S
B E L G I U M I S K I N D T O
T R E W Q A S P O T R E W O H
D U S T Y R O A D S O N A I R
W E C Z E C H R E P U B L I C
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Belgium
Czech Republic
Armenia
Austria
Belarus
Greece
Hungary

⭐ Now draw a line from each country name to its location on the map.

Worksheet 7

European Country Search 5

There are eight European countries in this word search.

Find and circle as many names of European countries as you can.

HINT: Sometimes there are two names on one line.

Luxembourg
Poland
Greece
Netherlands
Romania
Slovakia
Slovenia
Croatia

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L O V E R M I Y R O M A N I A
N E X T N E T H E R L A N D S
L U X E M B O U R G I S B O R
S A N T A R I N O P O S I T P
E X S L P O F S L O V A K I A
B U S Y T R E S L O V E N I A
C R O A T I A S D F G V C P I
G R E E C E O P O L A N D I A
H O I L O L L O I T R E W T H
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Now draw a line from each country name to its location on the map.

Worksheet 8

1.-.- Colour the countries that belong to the European Union

2.- Write the name of the European countries with the correct number and its capital

0   500   1000 Kilometres

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Number	Country	Capital	Number	Country	Capital
1			17		
2			18		
3			19		
4			20		
5			21		
6			22		
7			23		
8			24		
9			25		
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11			27		
12			28		
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14					
15					
16					

Political Europe

EU COUNTRIES	SYMBOL	CAPITAL CITIES	SYMBOL
1. S	/eɪ/	1.	/ɪ/
2. B	/e/	2. B	/ʌ/
3. F	/a:/	3. P	/æ/
4. P	/ɔ:/	4. L	/ɪ/
5. I	/ɪ/	5. R	/əʊ/
6. GREECE	/i:/	6. A	/æ/
7. U. K.	/ɪ/	7. L	/ʌ/
8. R. OF I.	/aɪ/	8. D	/ʌ/
9. THE N.	/e/	9. A	/æ/
10. G	/ɜ:/	10. B	/ɪ/
11. D	/e/	11. C	/eɪ/
12. S	/i:/	12. S	/əʊ/
13. FINLAND	/ɪ/	13. H	/e/
14. L	/ʌ/	14. L	/ʌ/
15. A	/ɔ:/	15. V	/e/

Now we will add the the countries left and we will practise the pronunciation

EUROPE

Fill in the blanks with the correct city provided in the box.

London

Munich

Paris

Amsterdam

Rome

Prague

Barcelona

Read the following text and fill in the blanks with the correct city provided in the box

Buckingham Palace and Shakespeare's Globe Theatre are both located in London, the capital of England.

Famous composers such as Mozart and Wagner performed in Munich, Germany.

The Eiffel Tower is located in Paris, France. It was built in 1889 and is approximately 1,000 feet tall.

Amsterdam is a unique city built upon a canal system. Visitors may walk through Anne Frank's secret annex.

Rome is an ancient Italian city and known for famous sites such as the Vatican, the Colosseum, Trevi Fountain, and more. Prague is the capital of the Czech Republic. The Charles Bridge is made of stone and crosses the Vltava River. The Sagrada Familia and much of Barcelona's ornate and unique architecture was created by Antoni Gaudi.

Find the answers to these questions:

1.-What is the European Union? History of the European Union: treaties and members

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_____

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_____

2.-What are its objectives/aims?

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_____

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3.-What are its symbols?

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_____

4.-Which are its main institutions and government?

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5.-What is the union market?

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Circle the correct option.

1. The European Union is an economic and political organisation formed by...
   a. twenty-seven democratic European countries.
   b. all the countries of Europe.
   c. twelve democratic European countries.

2. The countries that signed the Treaty of Rome were...
   a. Germany, Italy, Belgium, Spain and France.
   b. Germany, Belgium, Netherlands, Luxembourg and France.
   c. Germany, Italy, Belgium, Netherlands, Luxembourg and France.

3. The Treaty of Maastricht was signed in...
   a. 1957.
   b. 1986.
   c. 1992.

4. MEPs are elected every...
   a. three years.
   b. four years.
   c. five years.

5. The official currency of the European Union is the...
   a. dollar.
   b. pound.
   c. euro.

6. Spain joined the European Union in...
   a. 1958.
   b. 1986.
   c. 2007.

7. The Council of the European Union is made up of...
   a. MEPs.
   b. ministers from each member state.
   c. one judge from each member state.

8. The institution that governs the European Union is the...
   a. European Commission.
   b. Council of the European Union.
   c. European Parliament.

9. The European Parliament holds its meetings in...
   a. Brussels and Strasbourg.
   b. Strasbourg and Luxembourg.
   c. Paris and Brussels.

10. The institution that approves budgets and laws, and controls the other EU institutions is the...
    a. European Parliament.
    b. Council of the European Union.
    c. Court of Auditors.

Political Europe- Population

Activity one: **_Associate each concepts with its definitions:_**

Absolute population	is the number of births that occur per 1,000 population in a territory for a year.
Birth rate	
	Is the number of inhabitants living in it at any given time.
Life expectancy	is the difference between births and deaths occurring per 1,000 population in one year.
The mortality rate	
The natural growth rate	expresses the average life of the inhabitants of a country in years. How long people live
Infant mortality	is the number of deaths occurring per 1,000 population in a territory for a year.
Emigration	reflects the number of deaths during the first year of life.
immigration	occurs when people leave a country to live somewhere else.
	occurs when people move to a new country or town.

Activity 2:

What is the absolute population of Spain?   and of Europe?

Answer: _____

What is the natural growth of the following countries? And the birth rate and death rate?

País	Población	Nacimientos	Defunciones	N.G..	B.R.	D.R..
País A	8.800.000	106.000	106.000			
País B	127.500.000	1.254.000	1.003.600			
País C	6.700.000	190.500	33.630			

In an agricultural village in the interior, 2 babies were born and 5 people died. 5 Ecuatorian immigrants arrived to work. Antonio, his brother Michael and his parents moved to the city for business reasons. Marta and Rafa departed to Madrid to study at the University.

Before the changes, the absolute population of the village was 10500 people

And now? _____

What is the birth rate ? _____

What is the mortality rate? _____

What is the infant mortality? _____

What is the natural growth? _____

Activity 3

Give some examples of places in Spain and in Europe where many people live together _____

And there are some other places where few people live in a a vast territory.:

_____, let´s talk about it

Activity 4

We know that Spain has 47000000 people, living in some 505.000 square kilometres.

What is the density of Spain? _____

Germany : 357.021 km2   inhabitants:82.369.700

And Germany?: _____
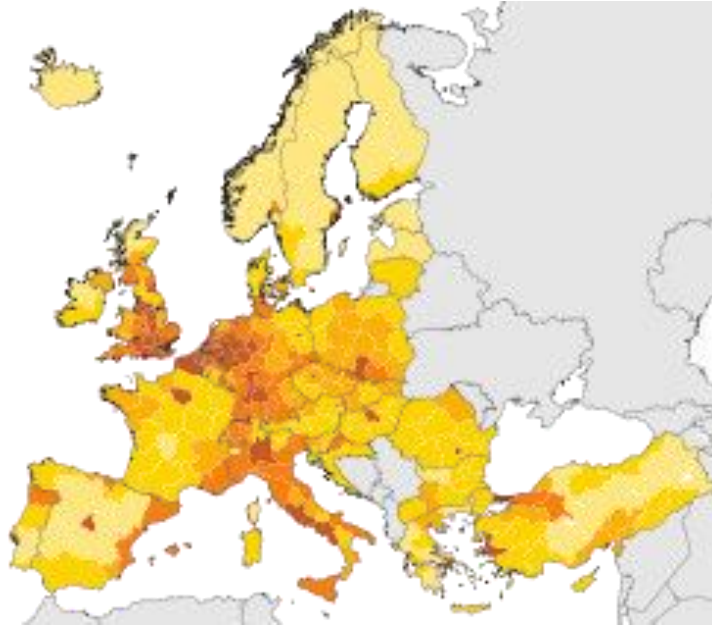
Population density: Fill in the chart

Country	Absolute population	Territory	Density
Hungary	9.900.000 hab.	93.033 km²	
Spain	47.500000 hab.	504.783 km²	
China	1.294.400.000 hab.	9.572.900 km²	
EE.UU.	288.500.00 hab.	9.529.063 km²	
Singapur	4.200.000 hab.	618 km²	

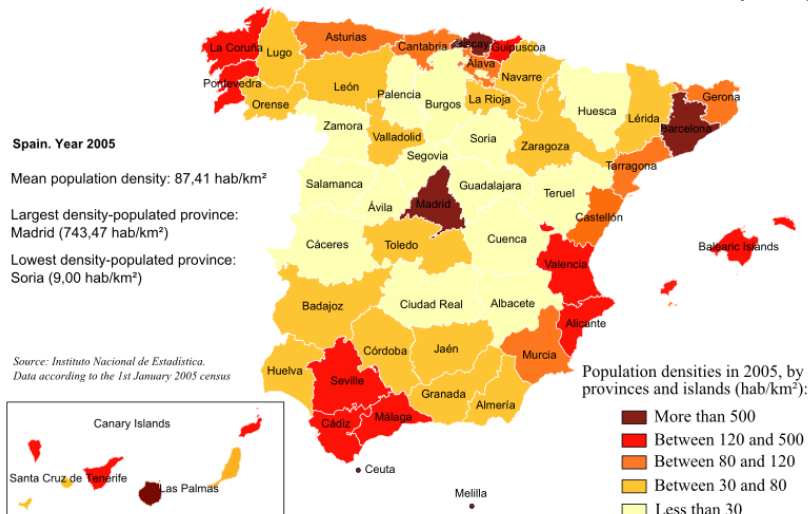## Activity 5   Factors that affect density Make a chart of the factors that affect density

How climate may affect density? And economic factors? (oral speaking)

_____

Activity 6 Have a look at the following maps of Europe and Spain and compare them (you can hav a better look on the prezi):

[ ] < 50 inhabitants per km2 [ ] 50 to 100 inhab. per km2 [ ] 100 to 150 inhab. per km2 [ ] 150 to 300 inhab. per km2 [ ] 300 to 1000 inhab. per km2 [ ] > 1000 inhab. per km2 [ ] no data available

DISTRIBUTION OF THE SPANISH POPULATION (2005)

Where are the most populated areas in Europe?

_____

And in Spain? _____

ow have a look at the map of Europe: Compare Sweden and Belgium

Which country has the largest territory? _____

Which country has the biggest population? _____

Which country has a higher density ? _____

Those countries are the same? _____

Why the smallest country has the higher density? _____

Vocabulary : Urban, coast, rural , coast and interior, regular distribution, irregular distribution, the most populated, the least populated

Activity 7

a) **Population Pyramid**

You will draw a population pyramid using the grid below

1 Draw a vertical and horizontal axes.

2.-Divide the vertical line in 21 periods as follows : 0 to 4 years, 5 to 9 years, 10 to 14 years, etc. The younger ages are located at the base of the graph and the elderly, at the top.

3.- Divide the horizontal axis in 9 periods on the left and the right (each period will represent 10000 inhabitants)

3 On the horizontal axis we will use the left of the axis for males and the corresponding information to women on the right

Población de la provincia de Mendoza por sexo, según edad. 1991

Edad	Varones	Mujeres	Edad	Varones	Mujeres
0-4	79.018	76.617	55-59	27.445	29.906
5-9	74.573	72.275	60-64	25.346	29.031
10-14	75.278	73.378	65-69	19.971	22.819
15-19	64.522	64.960	70-74	13.074	16.666
20-24	52.265	54.409	75-79	8.646	11.359
25-29	46.822	49.183	80-84	3.982	6.191
30-34	45.428	47.712	85-89	1.502	2.642
35-39	45.113	47.902	90-94	401	862
40-44	41.490	44.581	95 y más	84	215
45-49	35.893	38.125	99 y más	19	52
50-54	30.029	32.776			
TOTAL 1.412.481					