Opening

5-10 min

Compare and Contrast the location, climate, and natural resources of United Kingdom and Russia

Unit 2: Lesson 2

Standard and Element

- SS6G10 The student will explain the impact of location, climate, natural resources, and population distribution on Europe.
- A. Compare how the location, climate, and natural resources of the United Kingdom and Russia affect where people live and how they trade.

Teaching

10-20 Min

- Reasons why it is a powerful nation:
 - Great Britain has good Natural Resources
 - Some examples are Coal, Natural Gas, Oil



• Great Britain is a very wealthy country



- Island, not a part of mainland Europe
 - Because it is an island it was not easily invaded in the past.
 - Great Britain also developed a spectacular navy because it had to trade using ships.



 Great Britain is a Developed and industrialized nation with people who are well educated and relatively wealthy compared to the rest of the world.



- Great Britain has a temperate climate that is favorable for agriculture.
 - Temperate: not too hot and not too cold



- Great Britain has many harbors and island rivers
 - The rivers and harbors make it easy to ship goods across the world
 - Fishing is also a significant resource for the country.



Great Britain: Negatives

 Great Britain is small compared to the rest of Europe

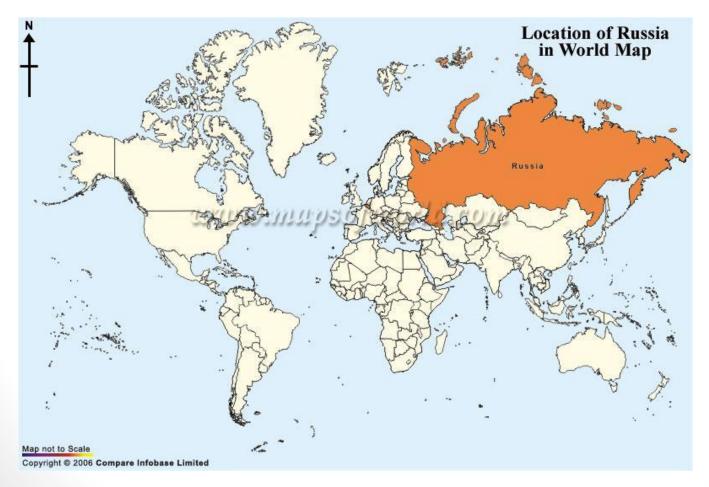


Great Britain: Negatives

- Great Britain has a limited supply of resources such as trees and minerals because it is so small.
- Great Britain is also over populated compared to many other parts of the world.



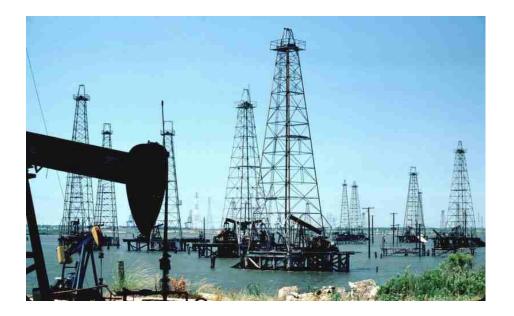
• Russia is the largest country in the world



 Russia has large forests that produce a great amount of paper and lumber.



- Russia has many natural resources because of it's large size.
 - One of the natural resources that are most profitable is oil.



- Russia has many factories.
 - Many of the factories produce steel and iron products sold around the world.

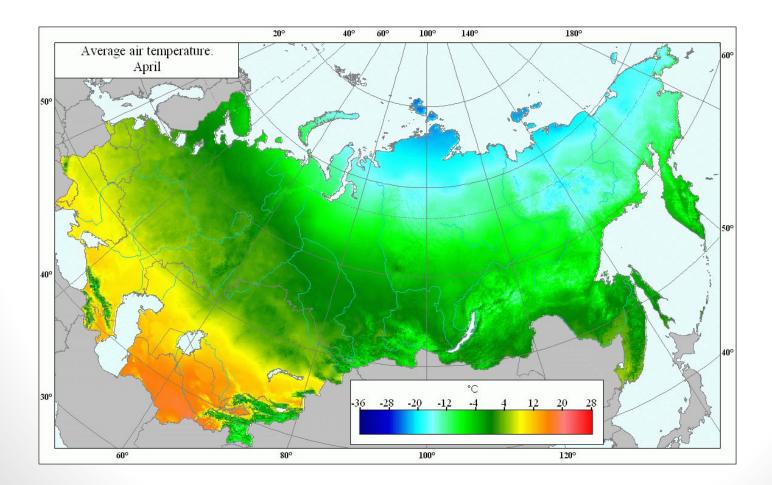


- Fishing is also an important natural resources in Russia.
 - Russia can reach both the pacific, Atlantic, and Artic oceans from it's ports



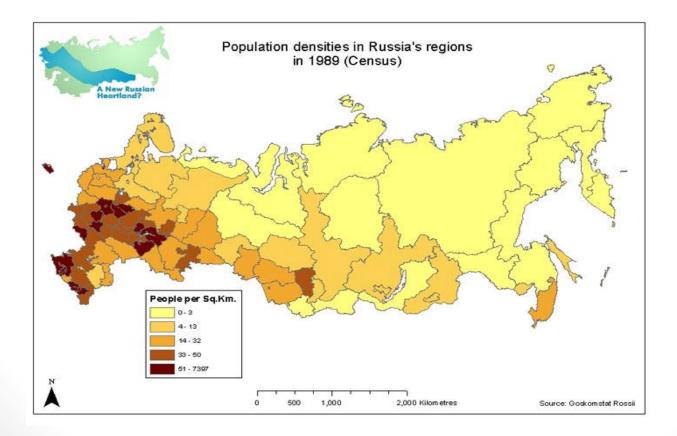
Russia: Negatives

• Most of Russia is frozen most of the year.



Russia: Negatives

 Russia has a large population but they have a lot of room for all the people



Russia: Negatives

• Russia's seaports are frozen most of the year.



Compare and Contrast of Russia and the United

Kingdom

 Russia has much more land than the United Kingdom





Compare and Contrast of Russia and the United Kingdom

- The United Kingdom has more ports than Russia because the Untied Kingdom is an island.
- The United Kingdom's ports are more favorable because they are not frozen over.





Compare and Contrast of Russia and the United Kingdom

 The United Kingdom can grow more crops year round because it is located on the Gulf Stream

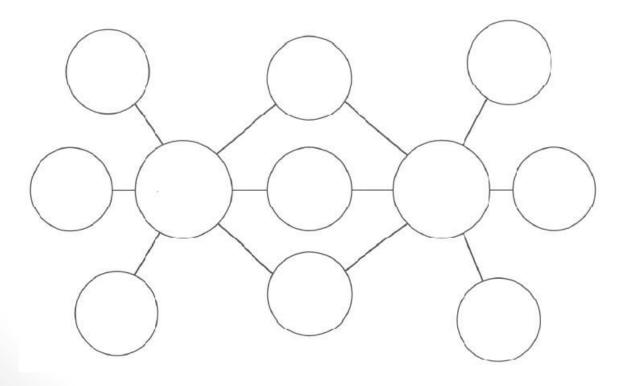


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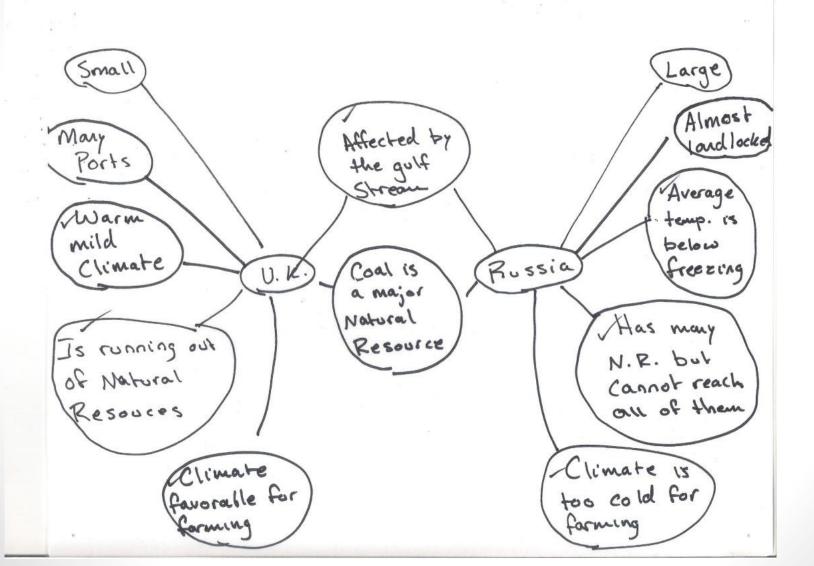
10-20 Min

Make a double bubble

 Make a double bubble map showing the similarities and differences between Russia and the United Kingdom.



Strong Work



Weak Work

