

**SOCIAL AND DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS
FOR SELECTED COUNTRIES - 1998**

OCTOBER 2000

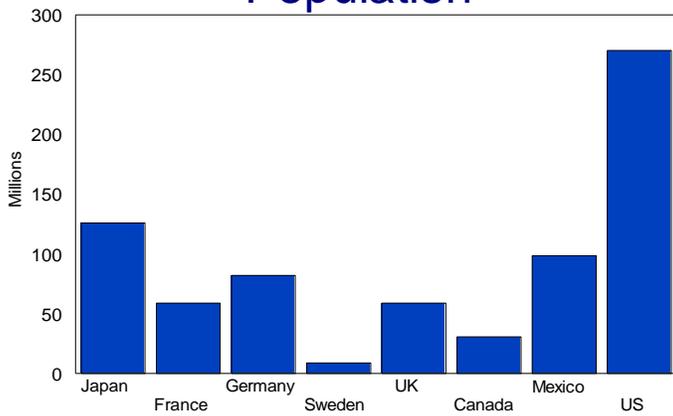
TABLE IN-1

	ASIA	EUROPE				AMERICA		
	JAPAN	FRANCE	GERMANY	SWEDEN	UNITED KINGDOM	CANADA	MEXICO	UNITED STATES
Population	125,931,533	58,804,944	82,079,454	8,886,738	58,970,119	30,675,398	98,552,776	270,311,756
Land Area (square kilometers)	374,744	545,630	349,520	410,928	241,590	9,220,970	1,923,040	9,158,960
Population Density (persons per square kilometer)	336.0	107.8	234.8	21.6	244.1	3.3	51.2	29.5
GDP (billion \$) (Purchase Power Equivalent)	\$3,049	\$1,299	\$1,877	\$187	\$1,254	\$748	\$760	\$8,178
GDP per Capita (\$)	\$24,212	\$22,090	\$22,868	\$21,043	\$21,265	\$24,384	\$7,712	\$30,254
Percent of Surface Passenger 1/ Kilometers by Road Transport	68.9%	92.2%	92.7%	94.2%	95.2%	99.7%	N/A	99.0%
Percent of Surface Freight 2/ Ton Kilometers by Road Transport	N/A	65.9%	62.4%	64.1%	84.3%	25.7%	N/A	29.7%

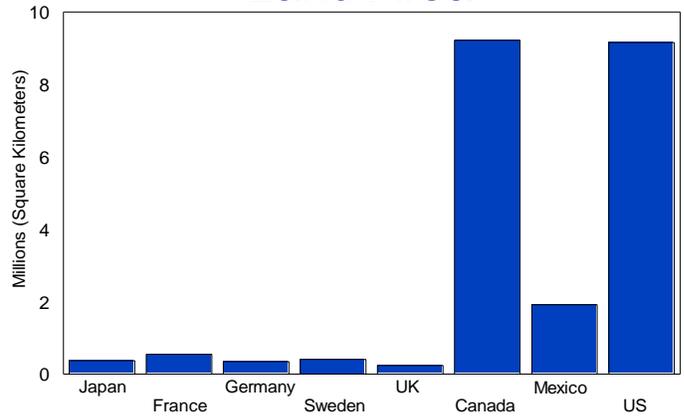
Source: Prepared from "The World Factbook," 1998, Central Intelligence Agency, Washington, D.C., "OECD in Figures," 1999 Edition.

- 1/ Surface transport includes road and rail; road transport includes bus and automobile.
2/ Surface transport includes road and rail transport, inland waterways and pipelines.

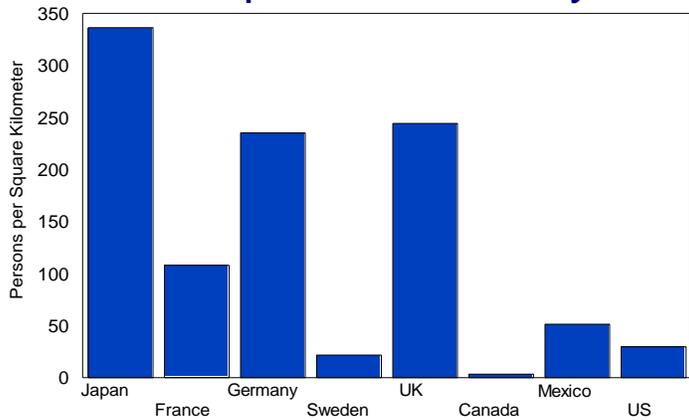
Population



Land Area



Population Density



GDP per Capita

