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## **Comparing Population Growth of Different Countries**

You are going to compare the population growth and projected population changes for several regions of the world based on continent and level of development.

The census data you will need for this assignment is found here: <a href="http://www.census.gov/ipc/www/idb/summaries.html">http://www.census.gov/ipc/www/idb/summaries.html</a>

## Part I: Population Growth Data for Regions of the World

Instructions for accessing regional census data:

- 1. Click on the **region** tab.
- 2. Make sure **Total Midyear Population, Area, Density** is selected under Table.
- 3. Select the region you need the information on.
- 4. Do not select any individual countries.
- 5. Select the following years: 1970, 1980, 1990, 2000, and 2010.
  - \*\*\*You can select more than one year at a time by holding down the "Ctrl" button while clicking on each year.
- 6. Under options, select the second choice Show aggregated data...
- 7. Record numbers <u>in the millions</u>. For example, 184,036,893 would be 184 million.
- 8. When you are finished, click the back button and repeat for the next region.

Complete the table below for each region.

Region	1970	1980	1990	2000	2010	Population Density in 2010
Sub-Saharan Africa	295 million					
Northern Africa						
Near East						
Asia						
Latin America						
Western Europe						
Eastern Europe						
Baltics						
North America						
Oceania						
World						

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