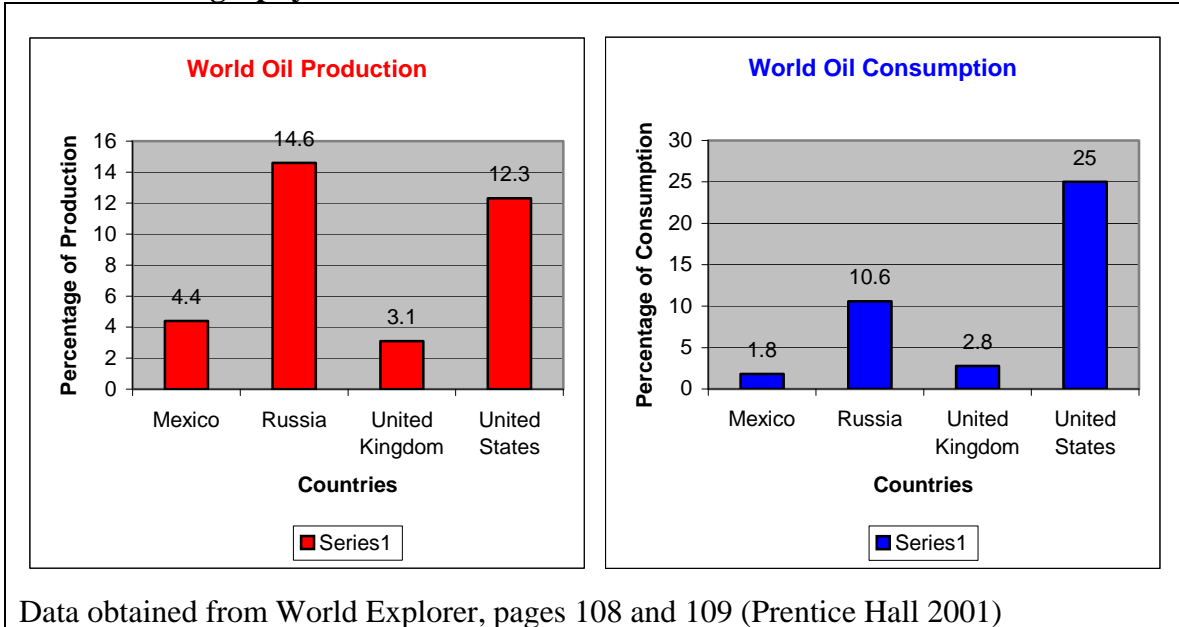


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Brief Constructed Response Template**

Standard Geography 4

Grade Cluster 6-8



Brief Constructed Response Prompt:

If crude oil prices were to steadily increase, which nation would suffer most from the increase in oil prices? Explain why.

Desired Answer(s):

- **United States**

Desired Response(s): 3 Examples

- The United States is the only country that consumes more than it produces.
- The United States uses more oil than it makes so it would end up spending more money.
- Mexico, Russia, and the United Kingdom all produce more oil than they consume.

Rubric

- 2** = This response gives a valid answer with an accurate and relevant explanation.
- 1** = This response gives a valid answer with an inaccurate, irrelevant, or no response.
- 0** = inaccurate or no answer.