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## Basic Skills Worksheet 31

Topic: The Holocaust  
Skill: Reading a Table

Study the table below and then answer the questions that follow.

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF JEWS KILLED IN THE HOLOCAUST

Countries	Pre-Holocaust Jewish Population	Number That Perished	Percent of Jewish Pre-Holocaust Population
Poland	3,300,000	3,000,000	90
Soviet Union*	2,850,000	1,252,000	44
Hungary	650,000	450,000	90
Romania	600,000	300,000	50
Baltic States	253,000	228,000	90
Germany/Austria†	240,000	210,000	90
Czechoslovakia	180,000	155,000	89
The Netherlands	140,000	105,000	75
France	350,000	90,000	26
Greece	70,000	54,000	77
Belgium	65,000	40,000	60
Yugoslavia	43,000	26,000	60
Bulgaria	64,000	14,000	22
Italy	40,000	8,000	20
Other	16,800	1,900	11
Total	8,861,800	5,933,900	67

\* In parts of the Soviet Union that were occupied by Germany, 65% of the Jews perished.  
† Austria was annexed by Germany in 1938.

Source: *The War against Jews*, by Lucy S. Davidowicz, page 403

- What was the total Jewish population in Europe prior to the Holocaust? \_\_\_\_\_  
How many Jews perished as a result of the Holocaust? \_\_\_\_\_ What percentage of the Jewish population in Europe perished? \_\_\_\_\_
- In which country was the pre-Holocaust Jewish population largest? \_\_\_\_\_  
In which did the greatest number of Jews perish? \_\_\_\_\_
- In which countries did the highest percentage of Jews perish? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ In which did more than half the Jews survive? \_\_\_\_\_
- Why, do you think, were most of the death camps located in Eastern Europe? \_\_\_\_\_