

Task 1

The tables below provide information about the consumption and production of potatoes in five parts of the world in 2006. Summarize the information by selecting and reporting the main features, and make comparisons where relevant.

 **Consumption of potatoes**
(kg per person)

South & Central America	23.6
Africa	14.1
North America	57.9
Europe	96.1
Asia	25.8

 **Production of potatoes**
(million tonnes)

South & Central America	15.6
Africa	16.4
North America	24.7
Europe	126.3
Asia	131.2

- **Task 2:**

- The increase in the production of consumer goods results in damage to the natural environment. What are the causes of this? What can be done to solve this problem?

