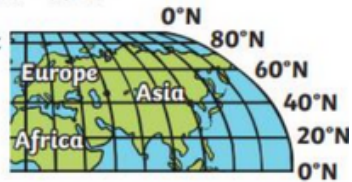


# Europe



- There are 51 **countries** in Europe and 742 million people living there which is 10% of the world's **population**.
- The **continent** is in the northern hemisphere with the Arctic Ocean to the north, the Atlantic Ocean to the west and the Mediterranean Sea to the south.
- Eastern Europe crosses from 70°N - 40°N.
- The highest mountain is Mount Elbrus in Russia (5642m).
- The longest river is the Volga river in Russia (3693 km).
- There are many different **landscapes**, **climates**, **physical** and **human** characteristics all within this area.



## Key Vocabulary

human geography	The branch of geography that deals with humans and their communities, cultures, economies and their interactions with the environment.
physical geography	The study of the processes that shape the Earth's surface, mountain ranges, rivers and oceans and the animals and plants that inhabit them.
capital city	The main city within a country.
mountain range	A series of connected mountains in a line .
climate	The average weather conditions of an area over a long period of time.



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