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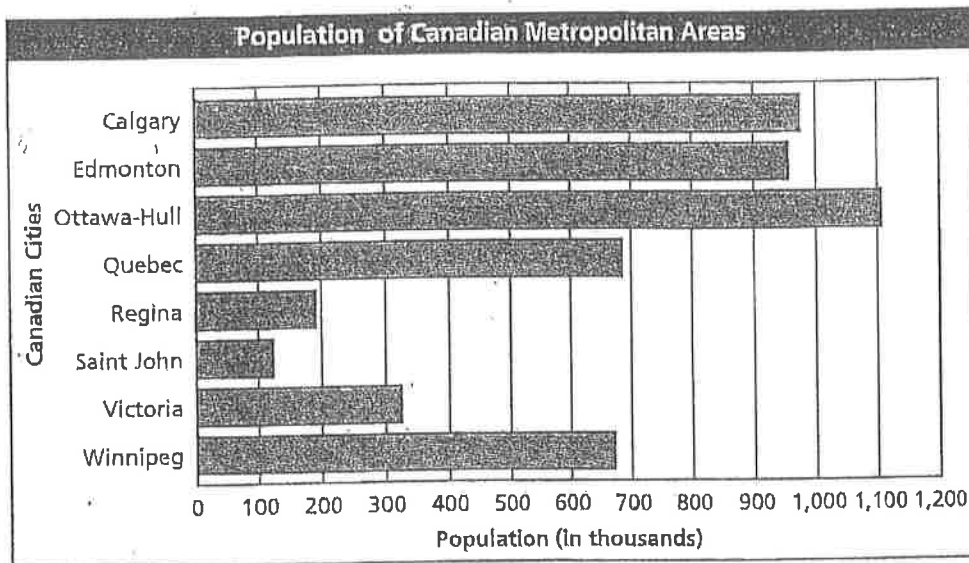
Map and Graph Skills

In-Depth Resources: Unit 2

Reading a Bar Graph

Canada's population is 31,592,805. This is a small population considering that Canada is the second largest country in area in the world. Canada's largest cities are ports along oceans, lakes, and rivers. Additional large cities have grown near the border with the United States, where agriculture and industry have developed. About 90% of Canada's population lives in this area, on only 10% of Canada's land.

This bar graph lists the populations of the metropolitan areas of eight Canadian cities. Find these cities on the political map on this page.



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Refer to the graph and map on the preceding page to answer these questions.

1. Which metropolitan area on the graph has the highest population?

2. Name two cities that are very close in population.

3. What is the name and approximate population of the city farthest west?
farthest east?

4. What is the name and approximate population of the city on the graph that is
located in the province of Saskatchewan?

5. Which city on the graph has the lowest population?

6. Which city on the graph is farthest north of the United States border? What is
its approximate population?

7. Which cities on the graph are located in the province of Alberta?
