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Physical Features of Europe

Some major features of Europe are labeled with letters on the map. Match the letters to the names of the features listed below.

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| _____ 1. Alps | _____ 9. Iberian Peninsula |
| _____ 2. Balkan Peninsula | _____ 10. Mediterranean Sea |
| _____ 3. Baltic Sea | _____ 11. North Sea |
| _____ 4. Black Sea | _____ 12. Pyrenees |
| _____ 5. British Isles | _____ 13. Rhine River |
| _____ 6. Carpathian Mountains | _____ 14. Ural Mountains |
| _____ 7. Danube River | _____ 15. Volga River |
| _____ 8. English Channel | |

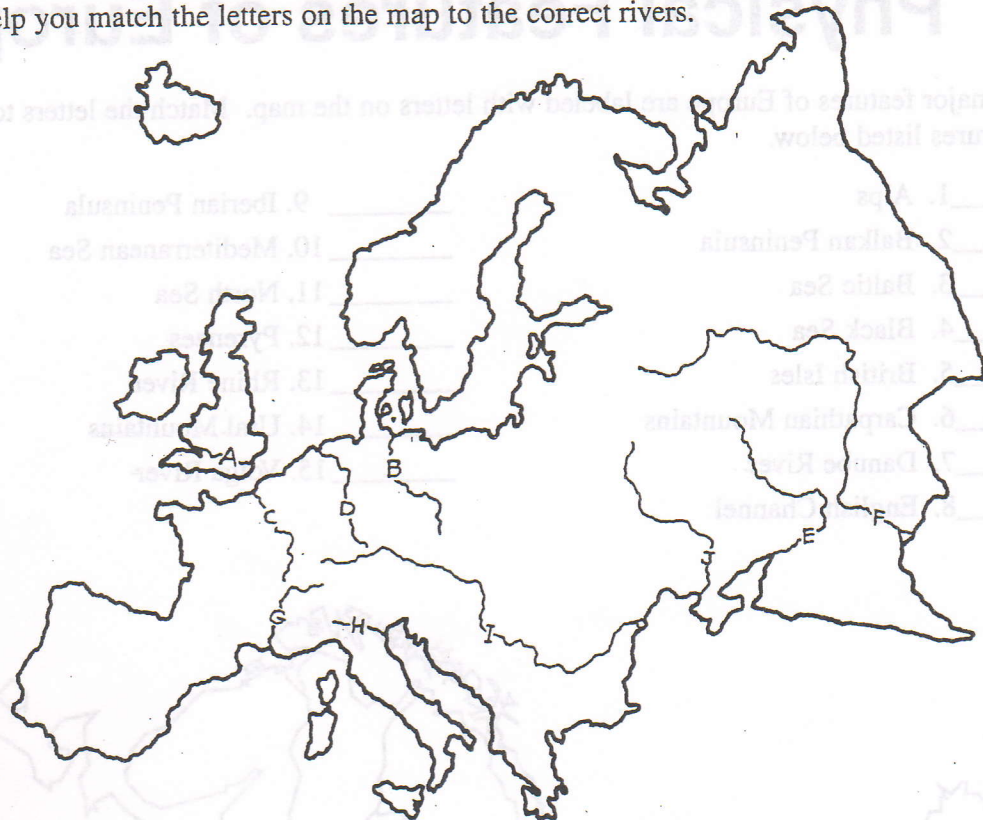


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Rivers of Europe

Use the clues to help you match the letters on the map to the correct rivers.



- _____ 1. **Danube**—This river is the second longest on the continent. Its source is in southwestern Germany and its mouth is at the Black Sea.
- _____ 2. **Dnieper**—Sometimes spelled Dnepr, this river begins near the city of Smolensk in Eastern Europe. It flows southward to the Black Sea.
- _____ 3. **Don**—Located in Russia, this river flows southward for over 1,200 miles (1,920 km) to its mouth at the Sea of Azov.
- _____ 4. **Elbe**—This river begins in the Czech Republic and flows northward through Germany to the North Sea. It is an important part of Europe's transportation system.
- _____ 5. **Po**—This river rises in the Alps and flows eastward through northern Italy. Its mouth is a large delta at the Adriatic Sea.
- _____ 6. **Rhine**—Beginning in the Alps, this important river flows northward until it empties into the North Sea. It is one of the world's busiest waterways.
- _____ 7. **Rhone**—This river begins at a glacier in Switzerland. It flows southward through France for about 500 miles (800 km) before it empties into the Mediterranean Sea.
- _____ 8. **Seine**—The Seine is one of France's most important waterways. On its northwest journey it passes through the city of Paris and empties into the English Channel.
- _____ 9. **Thames**—Pronounced *tehmz*, this is England's most important river. It flows east from south-central England and empties into the North Sea.
- _____ 10. **Volga**—This is the longest river in Europe. It flows southward over 2,100 miles (3,360 km) to the Caspian Sea.