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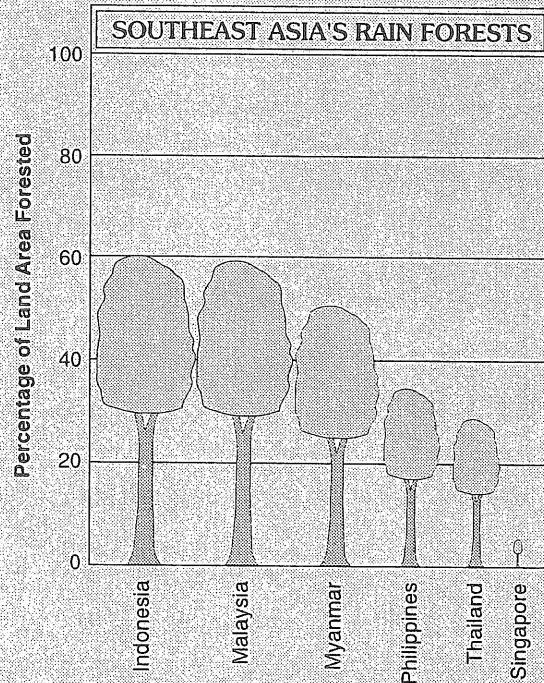
# Enrichment Activity 29

## Rain Forests in Southeast Asia

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Read the following article and study the graph about Southeast Asia's rain forests. Then answer the questions.

The rain forests of Southeast Asia are the world's largest with the exception of those in Latin America. Experts state, however, that the Southeast Asian forests are being cut down at a rate that will end their existence in a few decades if the cutting continues unchecked. Increasing population, the need for new land, and global demands for Southeast Asian hardwoods are taking their toll on these forested areas that have the world's greatest variety of plant and animal life.



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1. How do the rain forests of Southeast Asia compare with the rain forests of Latin America?

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2. What developments are endangering Southeast Asia's rain forests?

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3. What country has the largest percentage of rain forest?

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4. What country has 50 percent of its land area forested?

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5. What percentage of the Philippine's land area is forested?

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6. Why is Singapore only 5 percent forested?

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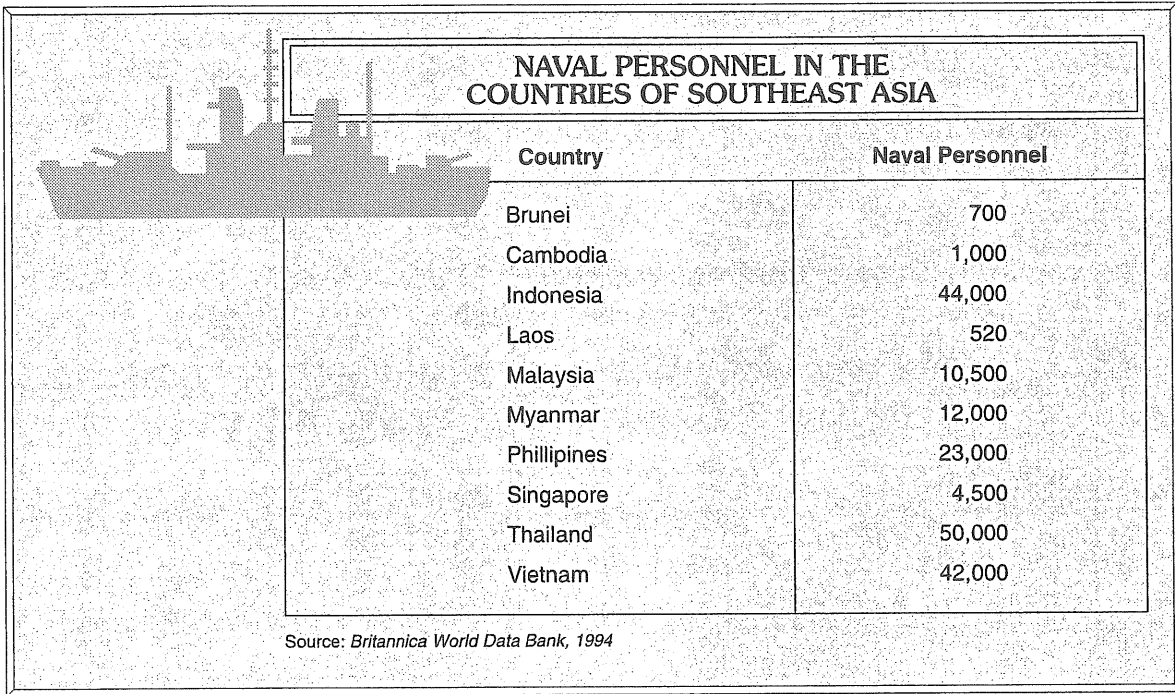
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# Enrichment Activity 30

## *Naval Power in Southeast Asia*

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Study the chart. Then in the blanks at the left of each statement, write *T* if the statement is true and *F* if the statement is false.



Country	Naval Personnel
Brunei	700
Cambodia	1,000
Indonesia	44,000
Laos	520
Malaysia	10,500
Myanmar	12,000
Philippines	23,000
Singapore	4,500
Thailand	50,000
Vietnam	42,000

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- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. The chart shows that Brunei has the smallest navy.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. The navy of Laos is larger than Indonesia's navy.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Indonesia, the Philippines, and Vietnam have the 3 largest navies.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. The navy of Malaysia is one-half the size of the Philippine navy.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. The total strength of the navies of the countries of Southeast Asia is more than 188,000.
- \_\_\_\_\_ 6. The navies of the Philippines, Thailand, and Vietnam make up more than one-half of the total naval personnel of the nations of Southeast Asia.

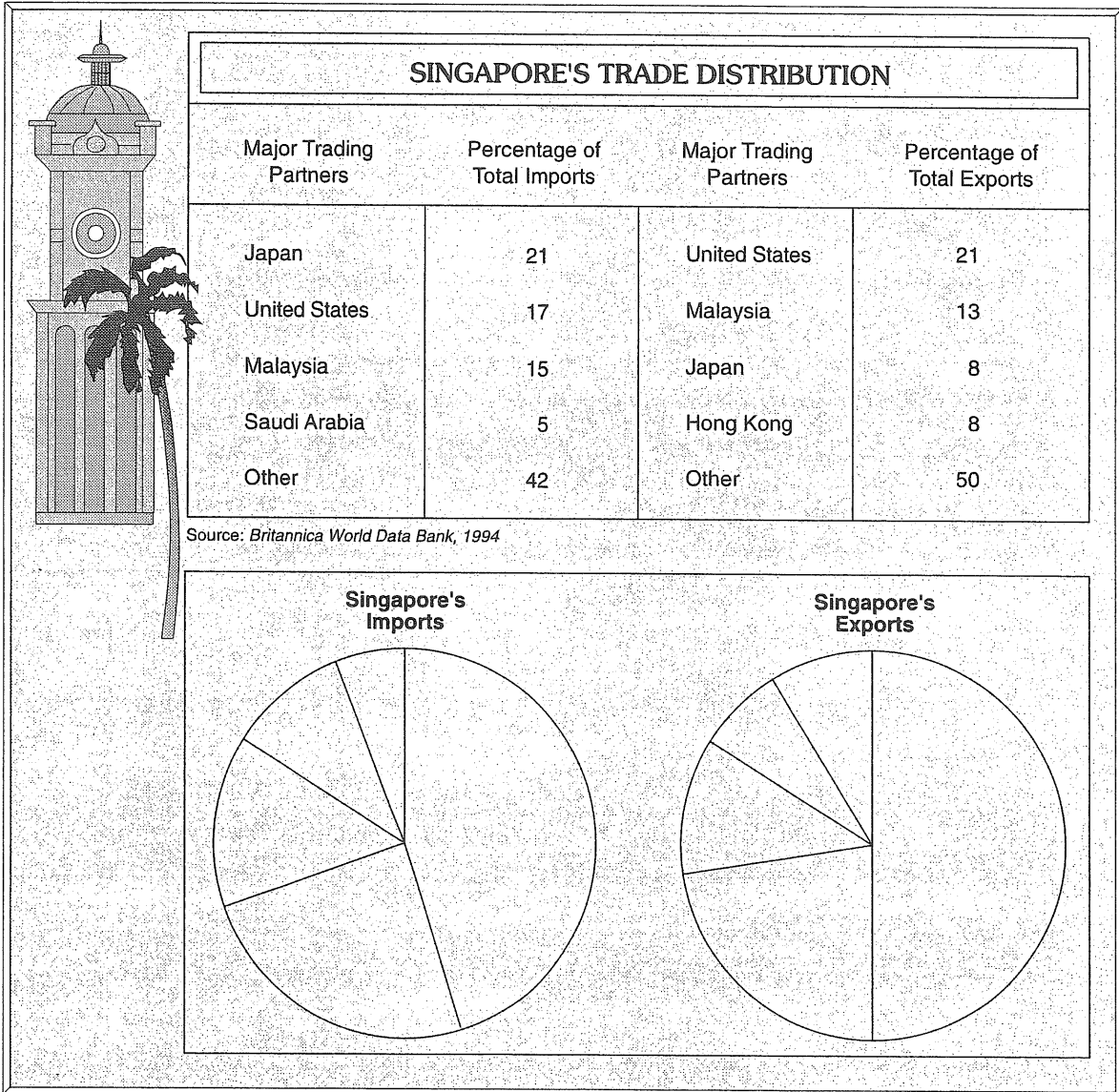
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# Enrichment Activity 31

## Singapore's Trade Distribution

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Use the information in the chart to complete the circle graphs below.



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Use the chart and the completed graphs to answer the questions that follow.

1. What percentage of Singapore's imports is from Japan? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What percentage of Singapore's exports is to the United States? \_\_\_\_\_