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The biggest cities of Great Britain

Introduction

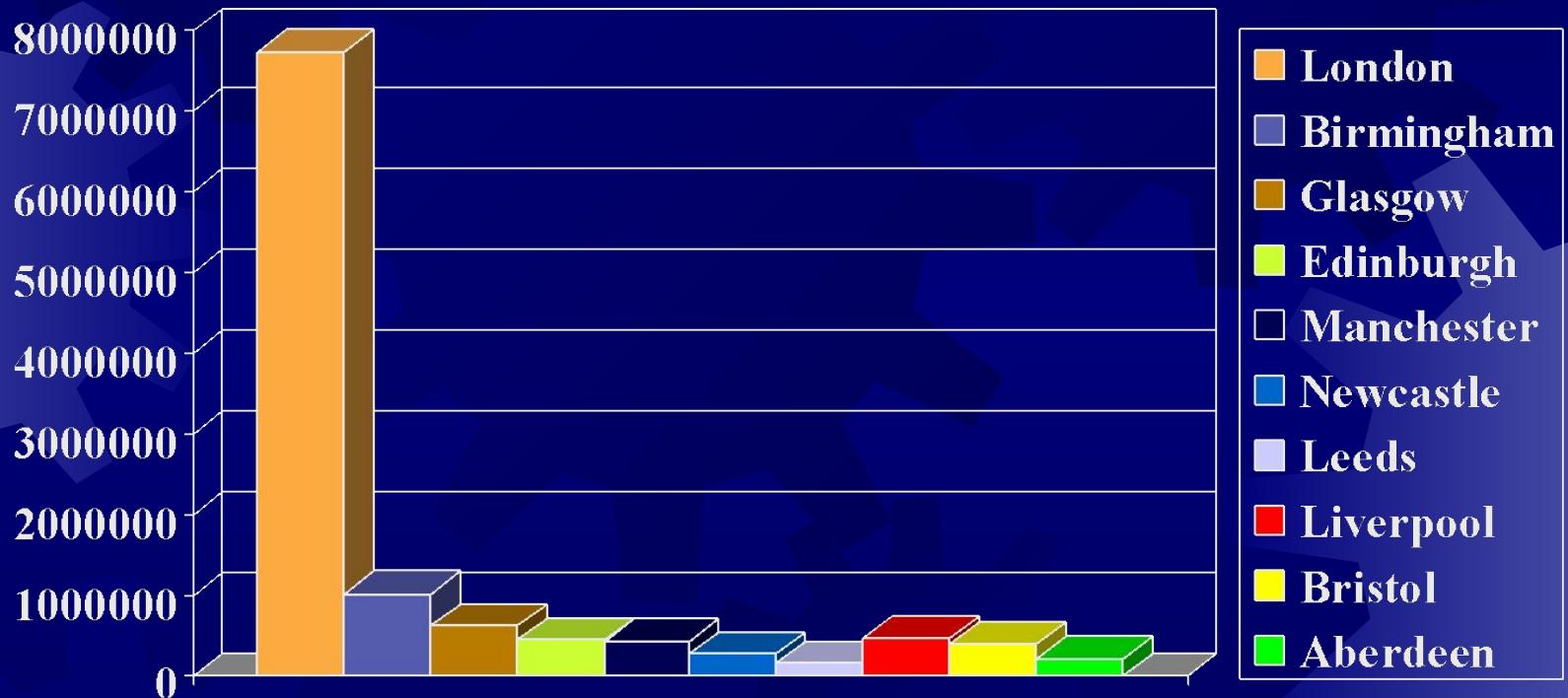
- ✦ We are going to talk about the biggest cities of Great Britain
- ✦ There are 10 biggest cities in Great Britain
- ✦ All these cities have an important part of Britain's economy and culture

The biggest cities

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Population of the cities



London

- ✦ The capital of England
- ✦ Is situated in south-eastern England along the Thames River
- ✦ Founded by Romans in A.D. 43
- ✦ One of the three main financial centres in the world
- ✦ Parliament
- ✦ The river Thames runs thorough the city



Transport in London

- ★ Double-deckers
- ★ Black taxis
- ★ Underground
- ★ Planes



London underground

- ★ Founded in 1870
- ★ One of the biggest in the world



London sights



Westminster
Abbey



Windsor
Castle



Tower Bridge

Arms of London



Edinburgh

- ✦ Capital of Scotland
- ✦ Famous Edinburghers: Bell, Stevenson, Scott, Connery.
- ✦ Coastal city



Bristol

- ✦ The largest city in the South West
- ✦ It has a great harbour
- ✦ Home of Rolls Royce
- ✦ The Concorde factory



Leeds

- ✦ 75 nationalities
- ✦ 731 Bede's "History of English Church and People"
- ✦ Centre of wool & sewing factory



Glasgow

- ★ Compaq
- ★ Scotland's largest city
- ★ Fishing
- ★ Harbour city



Aberdeen

- ★ Oil Capital of Europe + 40.000 jobs
- ★ The world's first holographic 3D camera
- ★ It's a coastal city



Manchester

- ✦ 10% of workers
- ✦ Significant financial sector
- ✦ The highest weekly earnings-£420.40
- ✦ Manchester United



Birmingham

- ✦ Second largest city
- ✦ Aston Hall
- ✦ The first steam engine was invented



Warwick Castle

Shakespeare



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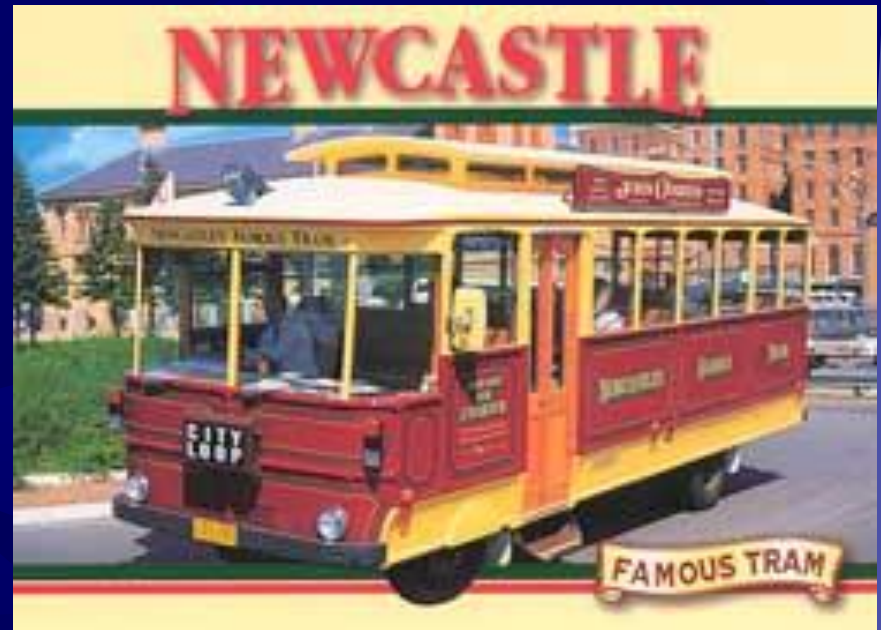
Liverpool

- ✦ Capital of culture
- ✦ The Beatles
- ✦ Sunday talents
- ✦ Festival city



Newcastle

- ✦ Many earthquakes
- ✦ Harbour
- ✦ Coal mining



Summary



- ★ There are 10 biggest cities in GB.
- ★ Only London & Birmingham have more than 1,000,000 citizens
- ★ Many interesting sights