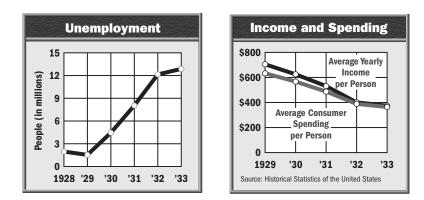


SKILLBUILDER PRACTICE Interpreting Graphs

Depression statistics often have the most impact when shown graphically. Read the title of the graphs below to identify the main idea. Read the vertical and horizontal axes of the graphs. Look at the legends and note what each symbol and unit represents. What trends do you see over certain years? When you compare the two graphs, what conclusions can you draw? Write a paragraph to summarize what you learned from the graphs. (See Skillbuilder Handbook, p. R28.)



Write a Summary

Write a paragraph to summarize what you learned from the graph.