

Task 1: Pie Chart

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Model Answer #1

Response:

The pie charts give information about the water used for residential, industrial and agricultural purposes in San Diego County, California, and the world as a whole.

It is noticeable that more water is consumed by homes than by industry or agriculture in the two American regions. By contrast, agriculture accounts for the vast majority of water used worldwide.

In San Diego County and California State, residential water consumption accounts for 60% and 39% of total water usage. By contrast, a mere 8% of the water used globally goes to homes. The opposite trend can be seen when we look at water consumption for agriculture. This accounts for a massive 69% of global water use, but only 17% and 28% of water usage in San Diego and California respectively.

Such dramatic differences are not seen when we compare the figures for industrial water use. The same proportion of water (23%) is used by industry in San Diego and worldwide, while the figure for California is 10% higher, at 33%.

Evaluation:

Overall Band Score: 9

Task Response (9): Excellent response to the task. All key features are accurately described.

Coherence & Cohesion (9): The report is exceptionally well-organized and easy to follow. The flow of information is natural and logical.

Lexical Resource (8.5): A wide range of sophisticated vocabulary is used accurately and appropriately. The language is precise and effective.

Grammatical Range & Accuracy (9): The grammar is flawless. A wide range of grammatical structures is used with complete accuracy and fluency.

Model Answer #2

Response:

The pie charts provide data on water usage for residential, industrial, and agricultural purposes in San Diego County, California, and on a global scale.

In general, in San Diego and California, homes consume more water than industry or agriculture, whereas globally, agriculture is the largest user of water. Additionally, San Diego and the world both use a similar amount of water for industrial purposes.

In detail, in San Diego County and California State, residential water consumption represents 60% and 39% of the total water use, respectively. In contrast, only 8% of global water is used for residential purposes. Conversely, water usage for agriculture constitutes a substantial 69% of global consumption, while it makes up only 17% and 28% of the water used in San Diego and California, respectively.

Industry uses 23% of water in both San Diego and globally, whereas in California, the figure is 33%, which is 10% higher.

Evaluation:

Overall Band Score: 9

Task Response (9): The report provides a comprehensive and accurate analysis of the data presented in the pie charts.

Coherence & Cohesion (9): The report is well-organized and easy to follow. The information is presented in a logical order, and the use of cohesive devices is effective.

Lexical Resource (8.5): The report demonstrates a wide range of vocabulary, which is used accurately and appropriately.

Grammatical Range & Accuracy (9): The report is grammatically accurate and uses a variety of sentence structures effectively.

Model Answer #3

Response:

The provided pie charts illustrate the distribution of water usage in San Diego County, California, and the rest of the world across three sectors: residential, industrial, and agricultural.

Overall, it is evident that residential water usage occupies the largest share in San Diego and California, with California showing slightly higher percentages. Conversely, on a global scale, agricultural water usage far surpasses residential and industrial usage.

In more detail, San Diego's water usage is dominated by residential consumption at 60%, followed by industrial usage at 23%, and agricultural usage at 17%. On the other hand, California's water usage is distributed as 33% residential, 39% industrial, and 28% agricultural. Notably, California exhibits slightly higher percentages in residential and industrial usage compared to San Diego, with a difference of approximately 10% in both sectors.

The water usage distribution in the rest of the world portrays a stark contrast, with 8% attributed to residential usage, 23% to industrial usage, and a substantial 69% to agricultural usage. This highlights a significant emphasis on agricultural water use compared to residential and industrial purposes, with a noteworthy 47% and 61% difference, respectively.

Evaluation:

Overall Band Score: 9

Task Response (9): The report fully addresses the task by providing a clear and accurate overview of the water usage in San Diego, California, and the rest of the world as depicted in the pie charts. The key features are appropriately highlighted and compared.

Coherence & Cohesion (9): The report is exceptionally well-organized and coherent. The information is presented in a logical sequence with clear paragraphing. Cohesive devices are used effectively to guide the reader through the comparisons and contrasts.

Lexical Resource (9): The report demonstrates an extensive and varied vocabulary related to water usage and distribution. The language used is precise, accurate, and highly sophisticated, enhancing the overall quality of the report.

Grammatical Range & Accuracy (9): A wide range of grammatical structures is used with precision and control. The report exhibits a high level of grammatical accuracy, with appropriate and varied sentence structures employed throughout.