UK Population

The Census

Every 10 years in the UK, a census is carried out. The most recent took place in 2011 and it will be 2021 before the next one occurs. Why do you think a census was not carried out in 1941?

Challenge

Look carefully at the population data below.

UK Population between 1931 and 2011

Year	Population (million)
1931	46
1951	50
1961	53
1971	56
1981	56
1991	57
2001	59
2011	63

Draw a line graph to represent the data above.

Remember to:

- give the graph a title;
- give the x- and y-axes titles;
- use an appropriate scale.

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