



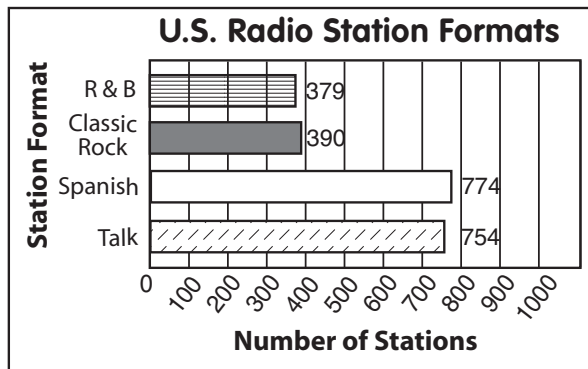
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# Problem Solving: Use a Bar Graph

**TAKS Objectives 1, 3**  
**TEKS 3.13B**

The graph on the right shows the number of radio stations in the United States that follow four popular formats.

Use the bar graph to solve each problem.



- Which format has the most radio stations?  
How many stations play this format?  
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- Which radio format is closest to the number of stations playing the R&B radio format? How many stations play this format?  
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- Could you have solved the problem without using the bar graph? Explain.  
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- What facts did you need to answer the questions?  
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- If the bars did not show the number of stations that play this format, could you still have answered problem 2?  
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- Does the name of the station format really matter to solve the problems? Explain. What could be used in place of the names of the station format?  
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