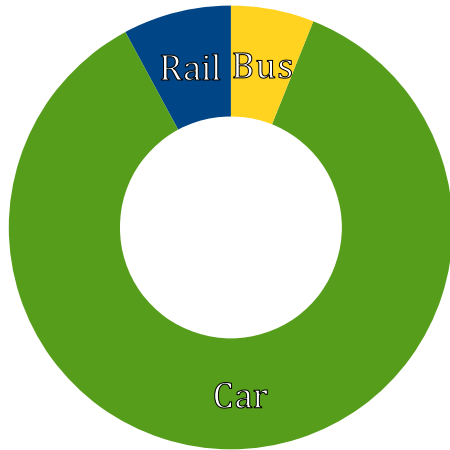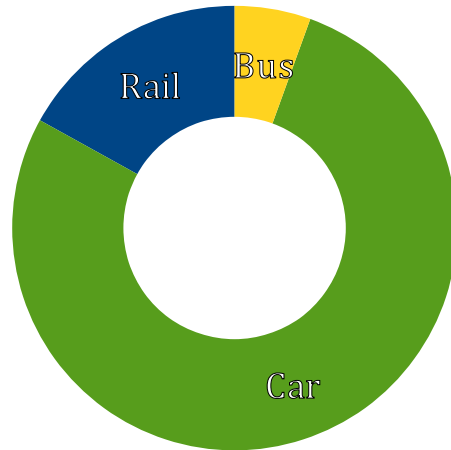# Interpreting Circle Graphs (H)

Answer the questions about the circle graph.

Inland Passenger Transport
Germany 2009

Inland Passenger Transport
Switzerland 2009

What is the most popular transport vehicle in each country?

Which transport vehicle is used about the same in both countries?

In which country would you be more likely to be a passenger on a train?

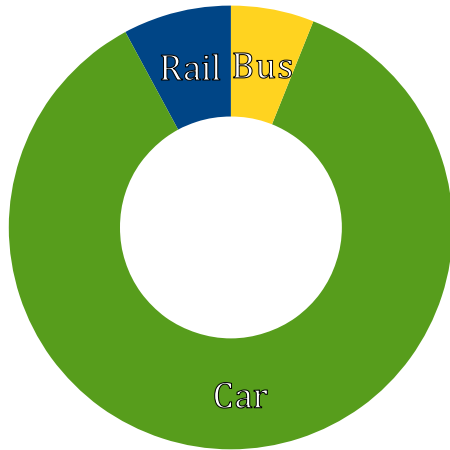Sketch a graph that you think would show inland passenger transport for your country.

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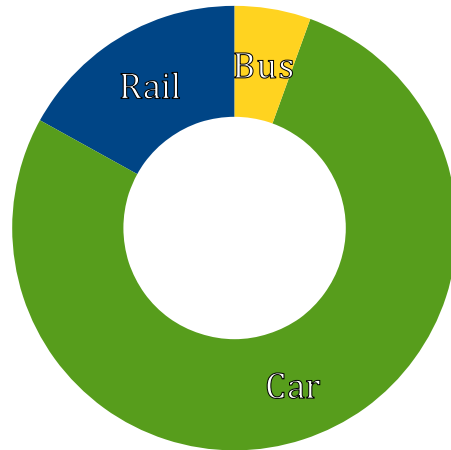Why is there empty space in the middle of both graphs?

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Interpreting Circle Graphs (H) Answers

Answer the questions about the circle graph.

Inland Passenger Transport
Germany 2009

Rail Bus

Car

Inland Passenger Transport
Switzerland 2009

Rail Bus

Car

What is the most popular transport vehicle in each country?

Car is the most popular in both.

Which transport vehicle is used about the same in both countries?

Bus

In which country would you be more likely to be a passenger on a train?

Switzerland

Sketch a graph that you think would show inland passenger transport
for your country.

Various answers.

Why do you think there is more rail usage in Switzerland than
in Germany?

Various answers. Cheaper rates, better system, fewer roads.

Why is there empty space in the middle of both graphs?

This is not a traditional circle graph. Some call it a donut graph. It still shows parts of a whole
like a normal circle graph would.