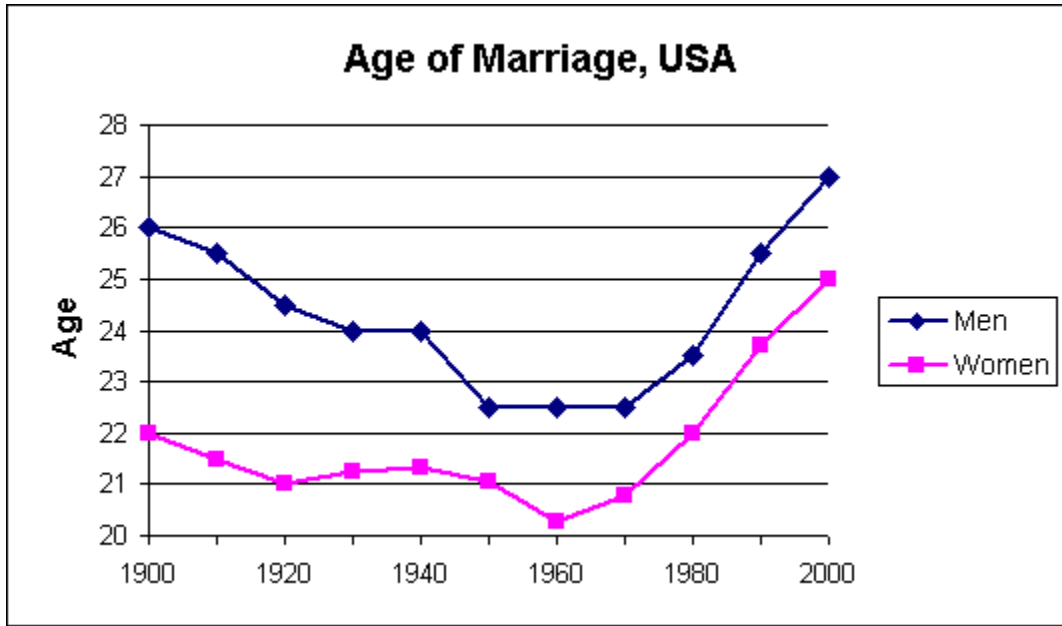


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Good length and organization. Your use of the necessary language was excellent too. In addition, you used the past tense as required. Only flaw was a few preposition and article errors. Very nice job!