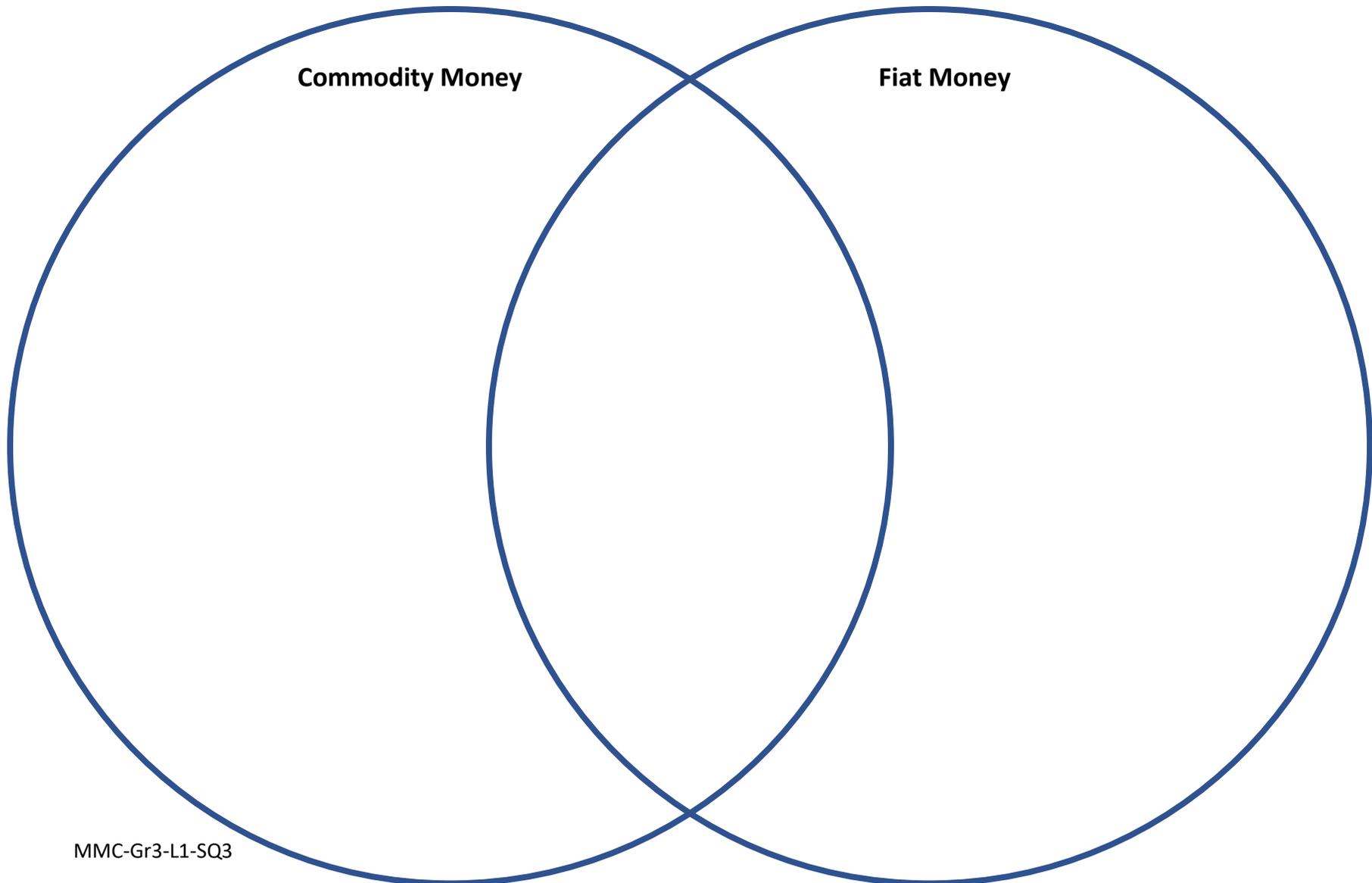


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Comparing Money Systems

Use the Venn diagram below to compare the characteristics of a commodity money system to the characteristics of a fiat money system. Then answer the questions.



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1. Which type of money system is better: a commodity money system or a fiat money system? Why? Use evidence to support your opinion.

2. Is it a good idea for people to trust that our money will continue to hold its value? Why or why not?