

How successful were opposition groups from 1855-1964?

Your task is to complete the table below with the details about the different opposition groups. You need to develop your understanding of the different types of opposition that was faced by the tsars and later the communist leaders. Ask yourself the question 'why it was the case that opposition is considered to have been much more successful before 1917?'

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Group	How did they oppose the leadership?
Opposition from individuals and cliques	
Opposition from peasants	
Opposition from workers	
Opposition from national minorities	

Tracing the pattern of Opposition 1855-1964

Use a different colour for each opposition group. Chart their success/failure over the period.

