

In 1750;

11 million people in Britain

20% of the population lived in towns

Many goods were made by hand

In 1900;

38 million people in Britain

75% of the population lived in towns

Most goods were made by machines

Strip Farming: An open field system where people had strips of land, made up of fertile, poor and fallow land. This was how peasants farmed in the 1500s.

Enclosure: In the 1700s landowners began to enclose land to farm, this would make them more profit.

In 1700 Jethro Tull invented his seed drill, this meant that seeds could now be planted in land by machine rather than by hand.

The Water Frame:

Invented in