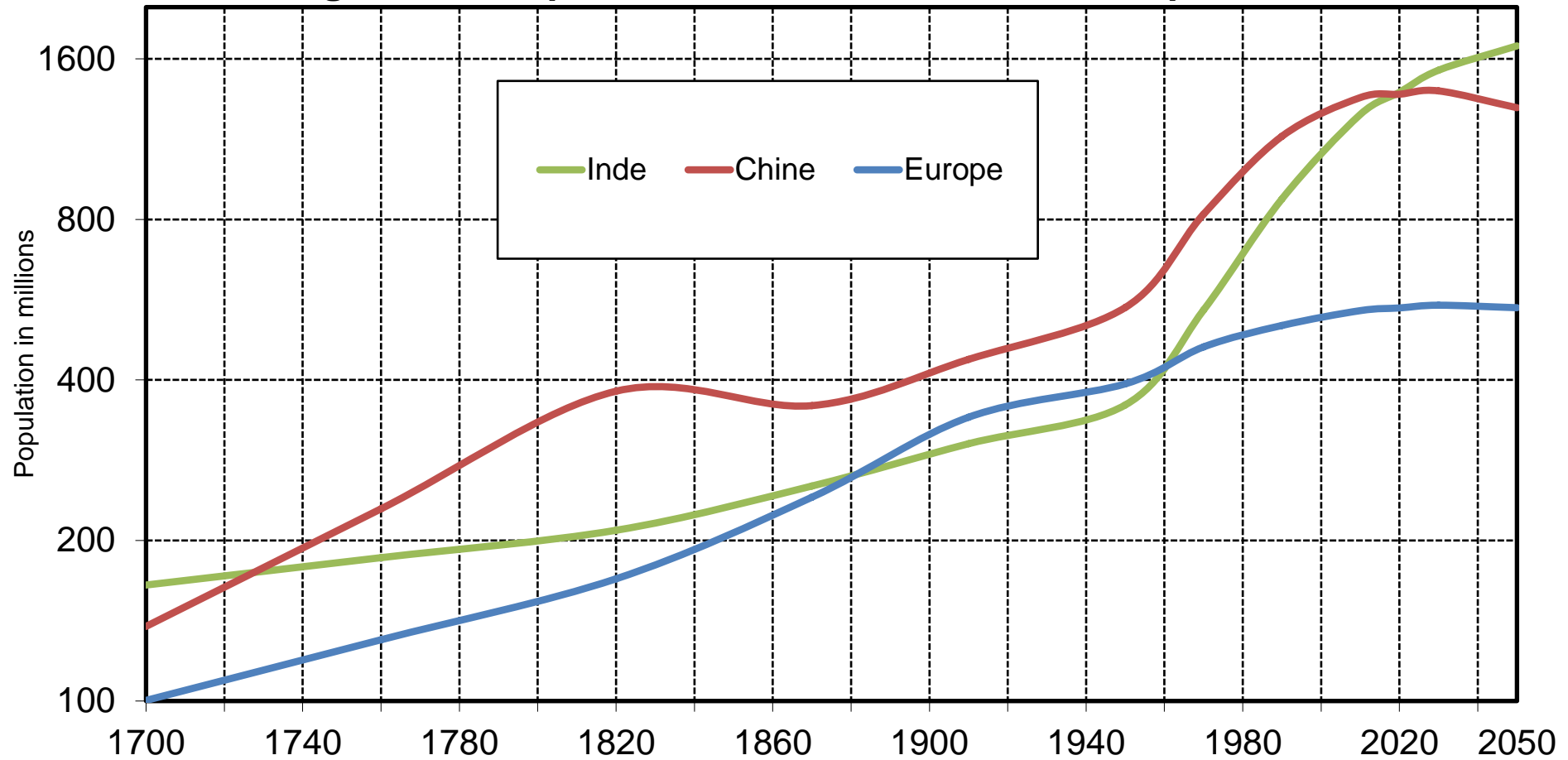


**Figure 8.1. Population in India, China and Europe, 1700-2050**



**Interpretation.** Around 170, total population was about 170 millions inhabitants in India, 140 millions in China and 100 millions in Europe (about 125 millions if one includes the territories corresponding to today's Russia, Belarus and Ukraine). In 2050, according to UN projections, total population will be 1,7 billion in India, 1,3 billion in China and 550 millions in Europe (EU+) (720 millions if one includes Russia, Belarus and Ukraine). Sources and series: see [piketty.pse.ens.fr/ideology](http://piketty.pse.ens.fr/ideology).