

Can you guess which countries each of these population figures represents? Use a map of South America to help you!



Population	Guess	Actual Answer
195,632,000		
47,130,000		
41,350,000		
30,476,000		
29,760,000		
16,841,000		
15,779,000		
10,517,000		
6,849,000		
3,297,000		
798,000		
539,000		
259,000		
3,000		



Name: _____ Date: _____



Use the Fact Cards showing some data for the human geography of South America to help you complete these charts.

Population of Countries in South America		
	Country	Population
most populous		
least populous		

Average life expectancy in South America		
	Country	Life Expectancy
longest		
shortest		

How many different official languages are there in South America?

Group the countries of South America according to the languages they speak:

How many different main religions are there in South America?

Group the countries of South America according to their main religion:

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Capital Cities of South America by size			
	Country	City	Area (km ²)
largest			
smallest			

How many main religions are there in South America?

How many currencies are there in South America?

Group the countries of South America according to their main language:

Brazil	Population	Average life expectancy	Official language	Main religion
	195,632,000	69	Portuguese	Christian
Colombia	Population	Average life expectancy	Official language	Main religion
	47,130,000	71.3	Spanish	Christian
Argentina	Population	Average life expectancy	Official language	Main religion
	41,350,000	73.7	Spanish	Christian
Peru	Population	Average life expectancy	Official language	Main religion
	30,476,000	70.6	Spanish	Christian
Venezuela	Population	Average life expectancy	Official language	Main religion
	29,760,000	70.8	Spanish	Christian
Chile	Population	Average life expectancy	Official language	Main religion
	16,841,000	74.4	Spanish	Christian
Ecuador	Population	Average life expectancy	Official language	Main religion
	15,779,000	72.8	Spanish	Christian
Bolivia	Population	Average life expectancy	Official language	Main religion
	10,517,000	64.8	Spanish	Christian
Paraguay	Population	Average life expectancy	Official language	Main religion
	6,849,000	73.6	Spanish	Christian
Uruguay	Population	Average life expectancy	Official language	Main religion
	3,297,000	73.1	Spanish	Christian
Guyana	Population	Average life expectancy	Official language	Main religion
	798,000	63.3	English	Christian
Suriname	Population	Average life expectancy	Official language	Main religions
	539,000	71.5	Dutch	Hindu and Christian
French Guiana	Population	Average life expectancy	Official language	Main religion
	259,000	72.8	French	Christian
Falkland Islands	Population	Average life expectancy	Official language	Main religion
	3,000	N/A	English	Christian

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Brazil	195,632,000	69	Portuguese	Christian	Brasilia (5,802km ²)	Real (BRL)
Colombia	47,130,000	71.3	Spanish	Christian	Bogota (1,587km ²)	Colombian Peso (COP)
Argentina	41,350,000	73.7	Spanish	Christian	Buenos Aires (2,780,400 km ²)	Argentine Peso (ARS)
Peru	30,476,000	70.6	Spanish	Christian	Lima (2,672.3km ²)	Nuevo Sol (PEN)
Venezuela	29,760,000	70.8	Spanish	Christian	Caracas (433km ²)	Bolivar (VEB)
Chile	16,841,000	74.4	Spanish	Christian	Santiago (641km ²)	Chilean Peso (CLP)
Ecuador	15,779,000	72.8	Spanish	Christian	Quito (324km ²)	US Dollar (USD)
Bolivia	10,517,000	64.8	Spanish	Christian	La Paz (472km ²)	Boliviano (BOB)
Paraguay	6,849,000	73.6	Spanish	Christian	Asuncion (117km ²)	Guarani (PYG)
Uruguay	3,297,000	73.1	Spanish	Christian	Montevideo (209km ²)	Uruguayan Peso (UYU)
Guyana	798,000	63.3	English	Christian	Georgetown (40km ²)	Guyanese Dollar (GYD)
Suriname	539,000	71.5	Dutch	Hindu and Christian	Paramaribo (182km ²)	Surinam Dollar (SRD)
French Guiana	259,000	72.8	French	Christian	Cayenne (23.6km ²)	EURO (EUR)
Falkland Islands	3,000	N/A	English	Christian	Stanley (7.53km ²)	Falkland Pound (FKE)

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Can you find out about FOOD in South America?



- Explore which foods are grown by farmers and where they are grown.
- Find out about some traditional dishes in different South American countries or regions.
- Investigate which foods are exported to other countries.

Carry out your research then present what you have found out in whichever way you think best shows the information.

Can you find out about BUILDINGS in South America?



- Explore which kind of buildings people live in in different areas of South America.
- Find out some of the tallest structures and where they are.
- Investigate construction methods and materials used for building different structures.

Carry out your research then present what you have found out in whichever way you think best shows the information.

Can you find out about HEALTH in South America?



- Explore what the healthcare in different areas of South America is like.
- Find out the average life expectancy of different countries.
- Investigate which diseases and illnesses pose the biggest threats in different areas.

Carry out your research then present what you have found out in whichever way you think best shows the information.

Can you find out about RELIGION in South America?



- Explore what the main and minor religions of each country are.
- Find out about religious festivals in different South American countries.
- Investigate how people worship in different areas of South America.

Carry out your research then present what you have found out in whichever way you think best shows the information.