

Travel Magazine - Investigation

The editor of a travel magazine wants you to help with the data for an article on the countries of Brazil and Argentina. The editor wants you to round some of the numbers in the article. The editor would also like you to find all of the differences between Argentina and Brazil after you have rounded the numbers; for example, the difference between the area of Argentina and the area of Brazil.

Information

Round these figures to the nearest tenth

Argentina

The area of Argentina is about 2.77 million square kilometres.

The population of Argentina is about 38.331 million people.

There are about 8.009 million telephone lines in use in Argentina.

Brazil

The area of Brazil is about 8.51 million square kilometres.

The population of Brazil is about 179.914 million people.

There are about 38.810 million telephone lines in use in Brazil.

Round these figures to the nearest whole number

Argentina

The average person in Argentina lives to be about 75.3 years old.

The average age of the people in Argentina is about 29.2 years.

There are about 6.5 million mobile phones in use in Argentina.

Brazil

The average person in Brazil lives to be about 70.8 years old.

The average age of the people in Brazil is about 27.4 years.

There are about 34.9 million mobile phones in use in Brazil.