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Country Statistics



1. China has the longest border in the world—13,759 miles.
Russia has the second longest border in the world—12,514 miles.
How much shorter is Russia's border than China's border? _____ miles
2. The area of Russia is about 1,818,629 square miles. The area of Spain, including offshore islands, is about 194,897 square miles.
About how many times larger is Russia than Spain? _____ times larger
3. Students in China attend school about 251 days per year.
Students in the United States attend school about 180 days per year.
 - a. About what percent of the year do Chinese students spend in school? _____ %
 - b. About what percent of the year do American students spend in school? _____ %
4. English is officially spoken in 54 countries. Portuguese is officially spoken in 8 countries. Portuguese is spoken in about what fraction of the number of English-speaking countries? _____

5. The table to the right shows the countries in the world with the most neighboring countries.

Country	Number of Neighbors
Brazil	10
China	15
Dem. Rep. of Congo	9
Germany	9
Russia	14
Sudan	9

Use the data in the table to answer the following questions.

- a. Which country has the maximum number of neighbors? _____
- b. What is the range? _____
- c. What is the mode? _____
- d. What is the median? _____