

# Chapter 3

## The 100 Categories of Where to Survive

### Comparing Argentina to the USA

The **number one** question of this decade:

*“Where can you survive the coming tyranny, world war, economic collapse, earth changes, and massive population reduction?”*

**Any thinking person realizes that millions of people die needlessly every year. Whether from disease, war, natural disasters, governments, poverty, or a plethora of other reasons – it is a reality that few people in the world can escape. The USA is facing this dilemma today.**

It can also be emphatically said that **millions** of people flee their “homes” annually for the **same reasons** millions die needlessly. The reason most of these people who fled are alive **is because** they **fled**. They fled a deadly outbreak of disease, war/strife, natural disasters, oppressive governments, stifling poverty, or some other circumstance.

These comparisons are based upon facts, statistics, as well as personal observation (opinion). To rate each category, several parameters were used.

10 is the highest or best score. 0 is the lowest or worst score.

Scoring was based upon two influences. There are approximately 200 countries in the world. Half the weight of each score was based upon the following rating scale: A score of 10 means that this country is in the top 9% in this category. A score of 5 means it is in the middle statistically. A 0 (zero) rating means that this country is one of the worst countries for this category (the lowest 9%). Facts and statistics were used for this portion of the ratings.

The term “Survivability” has future implications. Therefore, the other half of the equation in the ratings was influenced by current observations and possible **future** changes and current trends. Expert opinion and forecasts were used to make this influence less arbitrary.

All categories were rated based upon the countries: the United States of America versus Argentina. Why the USA? For **OBVIOUS** reasons! So Americans can compare their country with one of the Top 7 Safe Havens. Why Argentina? Since the inception of this rating system,

Argentina has always been a Top 7 Safe Haven. It is not number one (2015 statistics), but it is not number 7 either. It is in the middle.

Where state/province or municipalities were needed, we took an above average city in an above average state in both countries to do the comparison.

Realistically, not all categories should have the same weight of influence on decision-making. For example, is the availability of food not more important than whether movie theatres are readily available?

It is already 2015. With all the best information we have studied, there is a **better** than 70% chance that **within** the next 3 to 12 years the following will happen:

The US will suffer a devastating economic collapse – much worse than the Great Depression. (This will most likely happen within the next 1 to 3 years.)

A nuclear war or series of nuclear skirmishes will occur; most likely it will be called World War III. The Middle East will erupt into all out continual war.

Dramatic changes in the earth **will** occur. Sea levels will rise by inches per year, no longer by inches per century. This will inundate or threaten the homes of nearly one billion people. Huge amounts of the globe will turn to desert. Extreme weather will become a greater cause of death. Harsher winters as well as harsher summers will cost millions their lives.

Crop failures will be worldwide. Already one third of all ocean life is dead or dying, this will accelerate. Food will become scarce and extremely expensive. Starvation of hundreds of millions of people will occur. Diseases will become super-killers and epidemics.

Because of the above-mentioned events, the US will be under martial law, resembling a police state similar, if not worse than, Stalinist Russia or Hitler's Germany. Chaos will not be able to be contained.

Of the current world population of 7.2 billion people, 2 to 6 billion will die. The cause of death will be approximately one fourth from war, one-fifth from oppressive governments, one-fourth from starvation, one-tenth from natural disasters, and one-fourth from disease.

The worst hit areas will be the United States, and to a lesser extent Canada and Mexico, Africa, and most of the Northern Hemisphere due to radiation from nuclear war.

# The Nine Categories

## **War/Conflict**

Nuclear War Possibility, Nuclear War Survivability, Civil war/Anarchy, Concentration Camps, Hated by other Nations, NWO planned destruction of, Race Riots.

## **Government**

Corruption in government, IRS, Child Protective Services, Taxes, BATF, FBI/CIA, Government oppression, Brutal Cops, % of population in prison/on parole, Population density, Local government, State government, Government indebtedness, Powerful Military oppression, Infrastructure.

## **Freedoms**

Speech, Religion, Travel, Business, Financial, Laws, Surveillance, Mark of the Beast technologies, Confiscation laws, Litigious society, Everyone a Criminal (Too Many Laws), Fairness in Judicial System, Right to self-defense, Sovereignty, Parental Rights, Mind Control through HAARP.

## **Health**

Healthy populace, Prominence of Infectious Diseases, Polluted Air, Clean water availability, Powerful Medical Establishment controls, Toxic Earth, Gluttonous people, AMA, AIDS epidemic, Life Expectancy, Electro pollution, Availability of Health Supplements, Educated populace on health issues, Healthy lifestyles, Smokers, Availability of Alternative Health, Prominence of prescription drug use.

## **Food**

Food Availability, Growing Capabilities, Food production per capita, GMO, Chemicals used in growing food, Irradiated food, Food self-sufficiency, Organic food, % of Populace growing food, Solar possibilities, Mild Climate, Self-sufficient locals, Water/Irrigation sources, Barter possibilities.

## **Natural Disasters**

Weather, Tornadoes, Hurricanes, Earthquakes, Fires, Floods, Drought, Blizzards/Avalanches, Volcanoes, Rising sea Levels, Global warming, Earth changes, Desertification, Pestilence (locust/bugs).

## **Society**

Media deceptions, Racism, Political Correctness, Being “turned in” by neighbors, Gangs, Murders, Rapes, Violent crime, Morality, Society deceived, Children treated well, Poorly educated masses, Kids on drugs, Porno influences, Rebellious Youth, Television influences, Greed, Arrogance, Libertarian.

## **Cost of Living**

Housing, Land, Food, Economy, Valuation of “dollar”, Economy headed up or down, Energy costs.

## **Quality of Living**

Scenery, Outdoor recreation, Culture, Travel, Entertainment

# War/Conflict

	Argentina	USA
<b>Nuclear War Possibility</b>	10	0
Virtual 0% chance in Argentina, while a near certainty in the US. Nearly the entire world population hates the US, the big bully of the world. Most peoples of the world want the US wiped off the map.		
<b>Nuclear War Survivability</b>	10	0
Not only is the US in the Northern hemisphere, where any nuclear war will devastate (through radiation circulating the globe), but it is most likely where the bombs will be dropped. Argentina is totally immune.		
<b>Civil war – anarchy possibilities</b>	5	4
War between the rich and poor, blacks and whites, right-wing and liberals, unemployed and fascist corporate controllers, Constitutionals and globalists, gun owners, anarchist youth, etc. is a real possibility in the US. Less so in Argentina.		
<b>Concentration Camps</b>	8	1
The huge camps are already built and many more on the drawing board & are funded in the US. You don't build something this large & expensive NOT to use it. They don't exist in Argentina.		
<b>Hated by other Nations</b>	8	0
Possibly never before in history has one country been so hated by the entire rest of the world, as is the US. The leaders and peoples of most nations, if not openly, secretly want the destruction of the US. The same cannot be said for how the world looks at Argentina.		
<b>Conflicts with other Nations</b>	6	1
The US is in current conflict with many other countries, if not just diplomatically, but also economically and militarily. The US is the aggressor nation, invading countries, overthrowing elected officials and placing US friendly right-wing dictatorships into power. Argentina has some minor border disputes with Chile and Bolivia. They also are still on somewhat unfriendly terms with the UK.		
<b>New World Order Planned destruction of</b>	8	0

Globalist literature calls for the annihilation of the US. Globalists are fleeing the US in record numbers. Globalists are purchasing South American property, especially Argentine property, en masse.

**Race Riots – or “Mexican-style” Revolution spill over**

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Millions of illegal aliens pour into the US every year. An estimated 25 million illegals currently live in the US. Millions of these have sworn to take over the southwestern US and turn it into Aztlan, where no white person will be allowed to live. Argentina has virtually no racism, and only has a minor problem with illegals from Bolivia who are migrant farm workers, picking the grapes and other crops in Argentina.

<b>Overall Average Score</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>.9</b>
<b>Overall Score</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>10</b>

# Government

	Argentina	USA
<b>Corruption in government</b>	1	2
Both countries have corrupt governments, rife with graft, blackmail, and immorality. Though the US government seems much more “dangerous” in the way they are preparing the American population for a fall. Argentine officials are corrupt and greedy, but are slightly less destructive to their own people than their American counterparts.		
<b>IRS ruthless, oppressive</b>	3	1
A tax audit can be a life-changing experience in the US. Bazillions of tax laws make almost everyone a criminal. The IRS is used by other alphabet soup agencies to harass and destroy enemies of the state. Aggressive tax collection in Argentina is on the rise.		
<b>Child Protective Services – child confiscation</b>	9	0
Millions of children are placed under child protective services annually in the US. Many children are forced to take harmful drugs. Thousands are abused by CPS workers. Virtually none of these problems are found in Argentina.		
<b>Taxes, tax laws, too many taxes</b>	4	2
Few countries pay higher taxes than the US. Tax laws are purposely made to be obscure so that the IRS can criminalize anyone they want. Businesses are under huge pressure to collect taxes and those of their employees. Argentina is increasing its tax rates and tax collection.		
<b>BATF oppressive, Nazi-like terror cops</b>	5	1
The US has the most Gestapo-like agency that kicks down doors wearing all black uniforms.		
<b>FBI/CIA Intelligence agencies helpful or harmful</b>	7	4
Inept and corrupt intelligence agencies are synonymous with the US. Less of a problem in Argentina.		
<b>Government oppression</b>	5	4
Under US controlled military dictatorships, Argentina USED to have oppressive governments, now just a corrupt/inefficient government. Now the US has a “police state” and is becoming a virtual 1984 nightmare.		

<p><b>Brutal Cops trained to beat, use lethal force</b></p> <p>Argentine cops are becoming more violent. Brutality is now common with US cops. Once the local cop was a friend of the citizenry, but sadly now many honest law-abiding people fear the police.</p>	6	3
<p><b>% of population in prison/on parole</b></p> <p>The US has the largest percentage of their populace in the prison systems of ANY country in the world. Argentina has one of the smallest percentages of its populace in the prison systems, because judges do not prosecute petty theft and robbery.</p>	8	0
<p><b>Population density</b></p> <p>The more people, the more mouths to feed, greater chance of riots / unrest, easier for the globalists to drop a bomb to “solve the problem” or do a “Warsaw ghetto” situation. The US is the third (3rd) most populated nation on earth (behind China’s 1.5 billion, and India’s 1.2 billion). The continental US has just under 3,000,000 square miles or about 100 people per square mile. Argentina is the eighth (8th) largest country in the world with just over 1,000,000 square miles. With a population of just over 40,000,000, they are the thirty-first (31st) most populated country in the world. Argentina has a population density of only 38 people per square mile. This ranks them 195th in population density in the world, which is in the bottom 3% of all countries in the world. 97% of the countries in the world have more dense population.</p>	10	1
<p><b>Local government Friendly or Oppressive</b></p> <p>Ratting out your neighbors for any city infraction is common in many America cities. Much of the friendliness is superficial. Ideology is either ultra-right or ultra-left. People with opposing views (ie: centrist or libertarian) are not tolerated. They are required to keep quiet in order to survive. On the other hand, like most of Argentina, small towns are VERY libertarian. Live and let live. There are dramatically fewer laws and restrictions on businesses and homeowners in Argentina, though there is definitely more paperwork involved when doing legal business. Services in both small town communities, in the US and Argentina, from fire to police, water and electricity, are similar.</p>	7	6

## **State government**

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Texas will be our US example. With the overwhelming numbers of illegals entering the state, everything has been affected by it. The economy, crime, more restrictive laws, biometric drivers licenses, surveillance, and business licensing/regulations are moving in the direction of being more harmful to its citizens. Argentine provinces are just like the federal government. The negatives are the enormous amount of paperwork and time involved in doing state business. The silver lining in this “negative” is the fact that “Mark of the Beast” technology will be more difficult to implement. While as in the US, computerized tracking of everyone is a present day reality.

## **Government indebtedness**

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The US is the greatest debtor nation on earth, owing more debt than nearly all the other countries in the world combined. National debt, state debt, municipal debt, corporate debt, and personal debt are about to drown the USA into a sinkhole. Argentina has some national debt, and for the first time in 12 years is adding to that debt. Argentines personally have little or no debt. Nearly all Argentines own their own homes and autos. They have no credit card debt. Just the exact opposite from the US, where most Americans have huge debt.

## **Powerful Military oppression**

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In the US, habeas corpus has been suspended. Everything is moving in the direction of a police state. Anyone speaking out against the fascist state is harassed, imprisoned, or killed. In Argentina the direction the country has been taking for the past two decades is away from fascism but towards socialism, which is just as bad.

## **Infrastructure**

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Without a doubt, the US has some of the best infrastructure in the world. Roads, airlines, electricity, sewer, water, telephones are top notch. It is however, on the decline. Look at the deterioration of roads and the oppressive travel restrictions being placed upon Americans, especially while attempting to fly. Argentina’s roads are certainly not to the standards of US roads. However, most other infrastructure is of slightly less quality.

<b>Overall Average Score</b>	<b>5.6</b>	<b>2.8</b>
<b>Overall Score</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>42</b>

# Freedoms

	Argentina	USA
<b>Speech/expression</b>	4	4
The US is losing ground nearly daily on basic freedoms, including freedom of speech. Argentines are expected to voice their opinions – it is a national pastime. But freedoms in both countries are being lost.		
<b>Religion</b>	7	6
Freedom of religion is allowed in both countries. The deception that in the US Americans are allowed to worship God in anyway they want, is dangerously becoming a reality. Argentina is mostly a Catholic country, with most Argentines saying they are “catholic”, but are non practicing Catholics. US religious groups want to dictate what others should do, believe, as well as think.		
<b>Travel</b>	6	5
Freedom to travel is rapidly becoming a “right” that is being taken away from Americans. Homeland Security is tracking, monitoring, and “rating” travelers to implement travel restrictions. Getting into and out of Argentina is becoming more difficult, especially for expas.		
<b>Business</b>	4	6
Permits, licenses, codes, restrictions, and red-tape are increasingly becoming the road block to starting a business in the US. Then there are the regulators, like the FDA and other alphabet soup agencies. In Argentina the laws are pro-employee and anti-employer. Other negatives are the paperwork and time involved in the process.		
<b>Financial</b>	3	5
Financial freedom may be hard to define for some. However, in the US, most Americans are certainly not financially “free.” They have been sucked into a system of financial slavery to the banks, lenders, and “Federal Reserve”. With the dollar taking a nose dive, and further devaluation likely, financial freedom is becoming very illusive to most Americans. In Argentina, opportunities are fleeting away. Most Argentines do own their homes and autos outright and have no credit card debt. Though their incomes are less than their American counterparts, Argentines live on much less.		

<b>Laws</b>	6	2
<p>Argentina has to be one of the most libertarian societies in the entire world. The USA is on the spiral downward toward a police state and martial law. Though not as bad as Cuba or North Korea, the voluminous and restrictive laws being passed daily in the US are having a profound effect on the lives and freedom of the average American. Argentina has laws. But very few are ever enforced, unless they involve murder, rape, or a violent crime.</p>		
<b>Surveillance/Tracking</b>	6	0
<p>The US is THE testing ground for many Orwellian technologies. Cameras on every street corner, RFID chips in products to track buying habits, national ID driver’s licenses, credit card tracking, Bush phone wiretapping, finger prints to get into Disneyworld, ad nauseum. Argentina has considerably less surveillance and tracking technologies that enslave Americans to The System.</p>		
<b>“Mark of the Beast” technologies</b>	5	0
<p>The US is definitely on track to be the number one country in the world to implement “a chip in the hand” technology in order to participate in any commerce. Argentina, being a first world country, has future implications to be brought into The System. However, for now, Argentina is further away from this ominous system being implemented.</p>		
<b>Confiscation laws – Land, bank accounts, homes, autos</b>	6	3
<p>Confiscation of property, land, autos, and personal property is less of a problem in Argentina, but commonplace in the US. Bank accounts were “frozen” during the peso/dollar devaluation several years ago in Argentina, their one true negative in this category. Though most believe it will happen again. On the contrary, in the US, predictions of bank account fraud upon the American populace is a current theme in many financial newsletters. Due mostly to the fractional reserve banking system, in which banks need only have 1% cash on hand versus the money they loan and have “deposited” in their banks.</p>		
<b>Litigious society – Amount of attorneys, # of lawsuits</b>	5	0
<p>Statistically, the US is the most litigious society in the world. The total number of lawsuits is mind-boggling. One lawsuit can ruin anyone’s life. In Argentina, lawsuits are rare compared to the US, but it is not uncommon for employees to sue their employers.</p>		

<b>Everyone a Criminal (Too Many Laws)</b>	7	0
<p>The freedom of self-determination is a thing of the past in the US. The US has more laws than any other country on earth. Nearly every person in the US is a criminal because nearly everyone violates some law or statute, knowingly or unknowingly. Laws are increasingly becoming more severe. There are fewer laws in Argentina which is a plus.</p>		
<b>Fairness in Judicial System</b>	3	3
<p>Both countries seem to have a mediocre judicial system. If caught up in some judicial process, both countries take a long time to resolve, but in the US, you are most likely ruined for life because the cost is prohibitive.</p>		
<b>Right to self-defense – Gun ownership/rights. Prosecution.</b>	7	7
<p>In both countries, citizens have a constitutional right to own guns. However, in the US the trend is toward severely limiting those rights, as many states have already banned gun ownership in some form. Gun sales and gun ownership is restricted in Argentina to those who have passed several psychological tests.</p>		
<b>Sovereignty. Citizenship rights. Slaves to the State.</b>	5	4
<p>The saddest thing in this category is that Americans tend to see themselves as “free”, and realistically are anything but free. Truly examining/investigating each and every one of the categories listed here under Freedom will in no doubt shock most Americans. Argentines look at life completely differently. They will not be deceived by the government or media into believing they are free, when in fact they are not. The US Orwellian doublespeak is appallingly evident to people around the world, especially to Argentines.</p>		
<b>Parental Rights to raise children the way you see fit.</b>	10	2
<p>In the US, parents no longer have rights to raise their children the way they want to. This is evident in the millions of “kidnappings” by child protective services that happen every year. Truly, in Argentina the thought of the state making the decisions in how to raise your child is as foreign as any idea.</p>		

## Mind Control through HAARP & other nefarious

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### “weapons”

Basic mind control in the form of television, video games, advertising, political punditry, and the like affects the US a bit more than Argentina. Where the US citizen is in extreme danger is in the fluoridated water (Hitler used it in his concentration camps), massive drug use (prescription and illegal), deliberate “dumbing down” in the public schools system, and the nefarious mind control weaponry like HAARP and microwave weapon technologies. Argentina is nearly void of these problems. That is why they are more aware of the NWO and globalists agenda than their American counterparts who are massively deceived.

<b>Overall Average Score</b>	<b>5.8</b>	<b>3.0</b>
<b>Overall Score</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>48</b>

# Health

Argentina	USA
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## Healthy populace

In nearly all studies done on the health of the world's populations, the US consistently ranks lowest in nearly all health categories for the industrialized world. Obesity and a plethora of diseases (cardiovascular, diabetes, cancer, ...) make for an unhealthy life in the US for most of its citizens. Argentines, for the most part, enjoy wonderful health. Less than 10% are overweight, (but the numbers are increasing). 65% of Americans are overweight. Argentina falls short when comparing it to the US in smoking cigarettes. There were virtually no laws prohibiting smoking nearly anywhere in Argentina, until recently. This is a negative for Argentina.

## Prominence of Infectious Diseases

Aids, hanta virus, Norwalk virus, MSRA (antibiotic resistance infections), STDs (Sexually transmitted diseases), staph and strep, and a plethora of other infectious diseases are epidemic in the US. Most are rare in Argentina.

## Polluted Air

Statistically, the North American continent has some of the worst pollution in the world. 90% of the World's population lives in the Northern Hemisphere as well as 90% of the autos, plane flights, industrial chemical plants. 95% of the world's pollution circulates in the northern hemisphere. Likewise, the Depleted Uranium that contaminates the Northern Hemisphere is harming millions and killing thousands as it circulates over the Northern Hemisphere. With only 10% of the world's population in the Southern Hemisphere, yet containing 85% of the world's rain forests that filter polluted air, Argentine air is pure in comparison. AND – should we mention the chemtrails being laced across the US skies? Morgellons anyone?

## Clean water availability

Both countries have available "clean" water. The US has more than 300 million people, Argentina has 40 million. Because the US has nearly eight times the population with only three times the size, population density hinders the future availability of clean water. The chemicals polluting US ground water is 100 times worse in the US than it is in Argentina.

<b>Powerful Medical Establishment controls</b>	7	0
<p>Forced Vaccinations, forced childhood drugging, draconian quarantine laws being implemented, powerful Big Pharma lobby, CODEX, prosecution of parents who seek natural cures, fewer freedoms to choose personal health care, ad infinitum, is the norm in the US. No such Orwellian nightmare in Argentina. Health care is free in Argentina. One of the few countries in the world that has a high level of health care that is free to all its citizens (and “guests”). There are private health care providers.</p>		
<b>Toxic Earth</b>	5	1
<p>The US uses more chemical fertilizers, pesticides, and herbicides per acre than any other country. Argentina is using more of these harmful chemicals that are being pushed by the big US chemical companies, such as Monsanto (Roundup) and the like. However, they are still decades behind the US in use. Of great concern is the Depleted Uranium contamination of the Northern Hemisphere, where death rates are sharply on the incline.</p>		
<b>Gluttonous people</b>	8	0
<p>This is one of many categories that have an opposite rating. The US population is the fattest and most obese on earth. They consume the largest amount of calories per person. 65% of all Americans are overweight. In Argentina, less than 10% of the population is overweight. There is little starvation in Argentina. The per capita caloric consumption is at the “normal” level. Not too little and not too much.</p>		
<b>Availability of Health Supplements/Alternative Health</b>	3	7
<p>Currently, the US has a better score than Argentina in this category. It could change. The trend is toward less availability in the US, especially with CODEX and the AMA /FDA on the warpath against natural supplements. In Argentina the demand and manufacturing is simply not up to US capacity. Chiropractors and Naturopaths are available in Argentina, but not nearly like they are in the US.</p>		

## Prominence of prescription drug use

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The US ranks in the top ten per cent of all countries in prescription drug use. Argentines depend much less on drugs for various reasons. They simply do not have the illnesses their US counterparts have. Nor do they have medical influences the US has, such as constant bombardment of drug commercials on TV. NOTE: Some people looking at expatriation are concerned about health care and medical facilities because they rely upon them in the US. The number one cause of death in the United States is the allopathic system. US doctors kill more people with drugs, surgeries, chemo, radiation, abortion, misdiagnosis, deceptive medical practices, and other “therapies” than all other forms of death combined. We find this appalling. Doctors kill more people every day in the US than died on 9-11. 365 days a year! FYI: Argentina has modern medical facilities because it is a first world country. Health care in Argentina is free. No one goes bankrupt in Argentina because they can’t pay their medical bills.

<b>Overall Average Score</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>3.2</b>
<b>Overall Score</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>29</b>

# Cost of Living

Argentina	USA
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## Housing

The US has some of the most expensive housing cost in the entire world. Prices are rising in Argentina.

## Land

Similar statistics for land with the exception that land is more readily available in the US than European countries.

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## Food

Food is cheaper in Argentina and it is cheaper to grow your own food as well.

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## Economy

The Argentine economy has been on the downward slide for the past few years, while the US economy is spiraling downward, with the momentum picking up. A major negative here is the business restrictions Argentina has. The laws “protect” the workers, so many businessmen do not start businesses in Argentina.

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## Valuation of “dollar”

The dollar is losing its value rapidly. The Argentine peso is also losing its power against most currencies.

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## Economy headed up or down

Both countries are sliding downward. The business climate in Argentina can be tough for new businesses. This hinders foreign investments and a constant flow of money coming into Argentina.

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## Energy costs

Both countries have fairly good energy costs, though they fluctuate more in the US. Heating and cooling a home in Argentina is about one third to one half the cost of the identical home in the US.

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<b>Overall Average Score</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>3.6</b>
<b>Overall Score</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>25</b>

# Food

Argentina USA

## Food Availability

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A wider availability of food exists in the US over Argentina. This is soon to change though. Food shortages and starvation are coming to the USA. Because Argentina produces more food per capita than any nation on earth, few Argentines will ever starve.

## Food production per capita

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Argentina ranks as the #1 country for food production per capita. The US ranks poorly for such a large and once productive country (used to be the bread basket of the world).

## GMO

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Just a few years ago, Argentina received a 10 in this category. But with the advent of genetically modified soybeans being introduced to Argentina from Monsanto, they are no longer a GMO-free country. Most of Europe has banned GMO crops. The US sadly, on the contrary, is the world's leading GMO country.

## Chemicals used in growing food

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For decades, Argentina produced the some of the most pure, unadulterated, chemical-less laden foods in the world. This is slowly changing with the pressure by US chemical companies whose bottom line is not healthy produce but big bucks (read greed). The US still uses many banned (by most countries) chemicals in the production of food in the world. From meat and poultry to fruits, vegetables, and grains, the US has little food that is not chemically contaminated.

## Irradiated food

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Irradiated food is a US invention that is not used in Argentina.

## Food self-sufficiency

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A huge portion of the Argentine population grows much of their own food in small gardens and fields on their own properties. Most produce purchased in stores outside of Buenos Aires (in rural Argentina) is local produce, not huge corporate farm produce. Not so for Americans.

<b>Organic food</b>	6	7
Argentine food is “naturally” organic. However, certified organic food is much more readily available in the US. This is changing in both countries. US continues to lower their organic standards.		
<b>Solar possibilities/ Growing Season/Mild Climate</b>	8	8
Both countries have similar areas of sunny climates in order to grow crops.		
<b>Water/Irrigation sources</b>	6	5
Water availability seems to be somewhat similar in both countries, but varies from region to region. However, in the long term, Argentina has a much better overall water availability outlook than the US.		
<b>Barter possibilities</b>	5	1
Bartering for food (or anything) is foreign to most Americans. It is becoming common practice in Argentina.		

<b>Overall Average Score</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>3.2</b>
<b>Overall Score</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>29</b>

# Natural Disasters

	Argentina	USA
<b>Weather</b>	8	8
Argentina has one of the healthiest climates in the world, according to experts. It is in the Southern Hemisphere, so has much milder winters and summers as well as cleaner air than the US. The US has many more weather related deaths.		
<b>Tornadoes</b>	9	2
Tornadoes are rarely found in Argentina. A majority of the world's tornados are found in the US.		
<b>Hurricanes</b>	10	4
There has never been a recorded Hurricane in Argentina. Hurricanes affect the US nearly annually.		
<b>Earthquakes</b>	8	7
The US has hundreds of earthquakes per week. Argentina has rare earthquakes along the Chilean border.		
<b>Fires</b>	6	6
Both countries have similar climates in different areas. Fires are possible in both countries, yet it seems as though the US has many more fatalities and damage – such as in southern California.		
<b>Floods</b>	7	8
Again, both countries have floods in certain areas.		
<b>Drought</b>	6	5
Both countries have periodic droughts.		
<b>Blizzards/Avalanches/Ice Storms</b>	10	7
Both countries have winter, yet the US has a substantially more winter weather related deaths.		
<b>Volcanoes</b>	5	9
Scientists say that if the overdue Yellowstone Caldera blows, it will kill hundreds of thousands. The US has had volcano related deaths. There are volcanoes in Chile that could affect Argentina.		

<b>Rising sea Levels</b>	7	5
Buenos Aires will be hit hard as will nearly one half of the US population, as almost half the US population is within 100 miles of the US coastlines.		
<b>Global climate change</b>	7	6
Global weather change is already causing desertification of areas that receive little rain to begin with.		
<b>Pestilence (locust/bugs)</b>	7	7
Pestilence is caused by various issues: precipitation, location, farming/ranching practices, soil condition, and other factors. Both locales can be plagued by grasshopper/locust infestations, but the plains of the US have had more incidents than the pampas of Argentina.		

<b>Overall Average Score</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>6.2</b>
<b>Overall Score</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>74</b>

# Quality of Living

	Argentina	USA
<p><b>Scenery</b></p> <p>Both countries have spectacular and varied scenery.</p>	8	8
<p><b>Outdoor recreation</b></p> <p>The US has the best infrastructure of any country in the world, and that goes for outdoor recreation as well. Argentina has a healthy outdoor enthusiast population.</p>	7	10
<p><b>Culture</b></p> <p>No country in the world can match the US for culture. Sports, theatre, travel, entertainment, concerts, music are all first class in the US and bountiful. Argentina is a first world country with sophisticated charm. The choices of culture are somewhat limited in comparison to the US, but quality none-the-less.</p>	7	10

<b>Overall Average Score</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>8.7</b>
<b>Overall Score</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>26</b>

# Society

Argentina USA

## Media deceptions

5

1

A stark contrast looms between honest media coverage of important issues between the United States and Argentina. The huge media conglomerate of the US is purposefully deceiving its citizens.

## Racism

8

5

Racism is unheard of in Argentina. Nearly the whole of American culture is based upon the struggle between supposed competing factions. Black and White. Rich and Poor. Left and Right. The North and the South. Liberal and conservative. The “educated” and the ignorant masses. Corporate bosses and blue collar workers. The religious and the non-religious.

## Political Correctness

8

2

Libertarian ideology permeates every facet of Argentina society. Political correctness is an American invention.

## Being “turned in” by neighbors

7

1

Ratting on your neighbor to authorities is quickly becoming the norm in the US. Encouraged by “Homeland Security”, talk radio and TV personalities, and the former and current occupants of the White House – turning in your neighbors is supposed to help “fight terrorism”. This mindset permeates so much of the American psyche. Whereas in Argentina, a libertarian mindset helps, but they may turn in expats if things get difficult.

## Gangs

10

0

Argentina has no gangs, not even in Buenos Aires, a city of 17 million people. Gangs and gang mentality is rampant throughout all the US, especially in the states bordering Mexico and large cities.

## Murders

4

1

The US has one of the world’s highest per capita murder rates. Argentina 10 years ago had one of the lowest. Now that is changing, with murder rates going up and just below the US statistics.

## Rapes

9

0

The US has more rapes per capita than any nation on earth outside of Sweden (2014 stats). Argentina is in the bottom 10% of nations.

<b>Violent crime</b>	4	0
<p>In violent crime, the US ranks in the top 10%. Argentina had one of the lowest violent crime rates in the world. However, that is changing. Theft related crimes (burglary, robbery, and theft) are increasing at an alarming rate.</p>		
<b>Morality</b>	5	4
<p>Morality can certainly be subjective. What we are looking at here is the influence of morality on our ability to live free and unimpeded. US society certainly has taken a turn for the worse, negatively affecting all of society. Many may consider a libertarian society amoral. There is a difference between immorality and amorality. Libertarian ideology allows anyone to do anything they want AS LONG AS IT DOESN'T NEGATIVELY AFFECT OTHERS. Many would consider this immoral.</p>		
<b>Children treated well</b>	9	4
<p>Few countries in the world can boast of the way their children are taken care of like Argentina. Child abuse is simply not a problem in Argentina. Children are idolized and every effort is made for their well-being. In the US, child abuse is epidemic. Children are exploited in many ways, from child porn to custody battles between divorcing parents.</p>		
<b>Poorly educated masses</b>	8	5
<p>The US public schools have definitely dumbed-down the masses. Along with the media, the government, even religious institutions, the American public is in poor shape when it comes to being educated. Argentina has a higher literacy rate than does the US.</p>		
<b>Kids on drugs</b>	6	2
<p>Drug use is becoming a problem in the big cities of Argentina. In the US, it is epidemic. No country in the world outside of England has as much drug culture and influence. The amount of people in prison because of drug crime is astronomical, more than all the other countries in the world combined.</p>		

<b>Porno influences</b>	6	1
While porn is somewhat available in Argentina, it is not seen as a problem. People find it is a waste of money and superficial. The opposite is true in the US, where porn is a major problem devastating society.		
<b>Rebellious Youth</b>	6	3
Young people in Argentina have ideals of getting a job and higher education. US youths are more prone to think in the terms of anarchy and rebellion. However, US television/movies, music, drugs, fashion, tattoos, body piercings and other forms of rebellious influences have crept into Argentina over the past 10 years, whereas before were non-existent.		
<b>Television influences</b>	7	2
TV influences in Argentina are limited to soccer mania. In the US, Americans are slaves to the boob tube.		
<b>Greed</b>	3	1
Both countries are corrupt with greed in some ways. However, greed is looked upon favorably in the US. As in all Latin American countries, stealing is a way of life, which is a form of greed.		
<b>Arrogance</b>	3	2
Portenos are very arrogant, but most rural Argentines are slightly less arrogant, but proud. Americans are some of the most arrogant people in the world.		
<b>Libertarian</b>	10	3
Overall, Argentines are VERY libertarian, live, let live, leave alone. About a third of Americans are fascist and a third socialist.		

<b>Overall Average Score</b>	<b>6.6</b>	<b>2.1</b>
<b>Overall Score</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>37</b>
<b>Total Score</b>	<b>623</b>	<b>328</b>

**This puts Argentina at #4 with 623 points and The United States at #91, with 328 points, out of 200 countries in the world.**