

How does China compare to the United States?

- A. Use the following websites to compare and contrast China and the United States.
Record your answers on the Venn diagram.**

<https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/index.html>

<http://www.state.gov/p/eap/ci/ch/index.htm>

http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/hi/country_profiles/default.stm

<http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/profiles.html>

1. List the major natural resources
 2. Environmental issues
 3. Population
 4. Life Expectancy
 5. Literacy
 6. Type of Government
 7. Type of Economy
 8. Labor force
 9. Unemployment rates
 10. Income levels
 11. Poverty rates
 12. 3 major exports
 13. 3 major imports
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What is it like to live in China today? Visit the following sites and then describe how the growing economy is affecting life in China. Include examples of how the economy affects the environment, social life and the individual standard of living.

http://news.bbc.co.uk/2/shared/spl/hi/in_depth/china_modern/html/1.stm

http://www.nytimes.com/interactive/2007/08/26/world/asia/20070826_CHINA_GRAPHIC.html

http://www.china-profile.com/data/ani_pop_1.htm#