

roughly

[ˈrʌfli] *adv*

- грубо; небрежно
roughly painted [bound] - грубо раскрашенный [переплетённый]
- невежливо
to treat smb. roughly - обращаться грубо с кем-л.
- приблизительно
roughly speaking - примерно
roughly 20 per cent - приблизительно 20 процентов
to estimate smth. roughly - оценивать что-л. приблизительно

Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

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roughly [roughly] *BrE* [ˈrʌfli] *NAmE* [ˈrʌfli] *adverb*

- approximately but not exactly
 - Sales are up by roughly 10%.
 - We live roughly halfway between here and the coast.
 - They all left at roughly the same time.
 - Roughly speaking**, we receive about fifty letters a week on the subject.
- using force or not being careful and gentle
 - He pushed her roughly out of the way.
 - 'What do you want?' she demanded roughly.
- in a way that does not leave a smooth surface
 - roughly plastered walls

Example Bank:

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

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[Word Family: **noun:** ↑rough, the rough, ↑roughage, ↑roughness; **verb:** ↑rough, ↑roughen; **adverb:** ↑rough, ↑roughly; **adjective:** ↑rough]

- not exactly **SYN about, approximately** :
 - There were roughly 200 people there.
 - Azaleas flower at roughly the same time each year.

roughly equal/comparable/equivalent

- two rocks of roughly equal size

roughly speaking (=used when saying something without giving exact details or information)

- Roughly speaking, I'd say we need about \$500.

- not gently or carefully:
 - He grabbed her roughly.

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THESAURUS

- approximately** more or less than a number or amount – used especially in technical or scientific contexts: The company had total revenues of approximately \$2 million. | The disease affects approximately 10% of the adult population.
- about** more or less than a number or amount. 'About' is the usual word to use in everyday English: It costs about \$30 to get a visa. | There were about 50 people at the meeting.
- roughly** /ˈrʌfli/ about – used when you are trying to give someone a general idea of the size, amount, or number of something: The two countries are roughly the same size. | Roughly how many miles do you travel a year?
- around** about a number or time – used when you are guessing: I'll be there around 5 o'clock. | The BBC broadcasts around 2,000 radio dramas every year.
- somewhere /something in the region of formal** about – used with very large numbers or amounts: Last year he earned something in the region of \$60 million. | It costs somewhere in the region of £100,000 to train a new doctor.
- or so informal** about – used after a period of time, a number, or an amount: The journey takes an hour or so.
- circa** /ˈsɜːkə/ *formal* about – used with dates a long time ago in the past: The house was built circa 1530.
- or more** used after a number or amount, when the total may be a lot more: A thirty-second commercial can cost £60,000 or more.
- upwards of** more than a number or amount: The aircraft can carry upwards of 400 passengers.

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