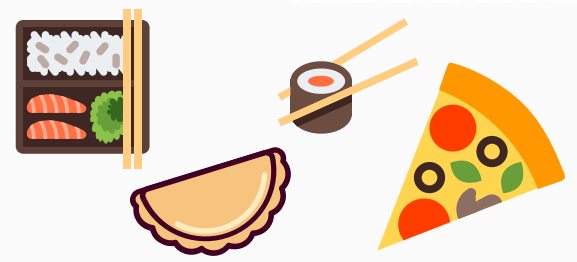
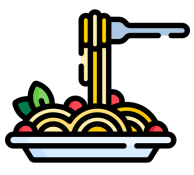




THE WORLD'S MOST POPULAR CUISINES



In an international study conducted by YouGov across 24 countries, more than 25,000 people were surveyed about their preferences surrounding global cuisines. Italian food has topped the charts as being the most loved cuisine among all, with an average popularity score of 84%. Let's take a look at some of the findings of this very interesting study:



The Italians are very patriotic when it comes to their own food, with **99%** saying they love their national cuisine.



In comparison, the Chinese don't seem to like Italian food, with only **59%** of the people enjoying it.



Spanish people are fans of Italian food too, with **94%** saying they love it.

92% of the French seem to enjoy it too!

At the second position in the popularity chart is Chinese food, with

78%

people saying they like it



95%

of the Chinese enjoy their own food, but a lot of other people love it too!

94%
Singaporeans



95%
Hong Kongers

Japanese, which happens to be the third most popular cuisine in the world, did not impress people in Saudi Arabia. More than half of those surveyed said they did not enjoy it!



Co-incidentally, Chinese is also the least preferred cuisine in Saudi Arabia. The Arabs aren't very fond of oriental flavors, it appears.



At the bottom of the charts is Peruvian cuisine, with an average score of only

32%



The Japanese are the harshest food critics among all the nations surveyed. The respondents were asked about 34 cuisines, out of which 23 scored less than 50% among Japanese people. Only 39% of the respondents surveyed said that they liked a foreign food that they tried!

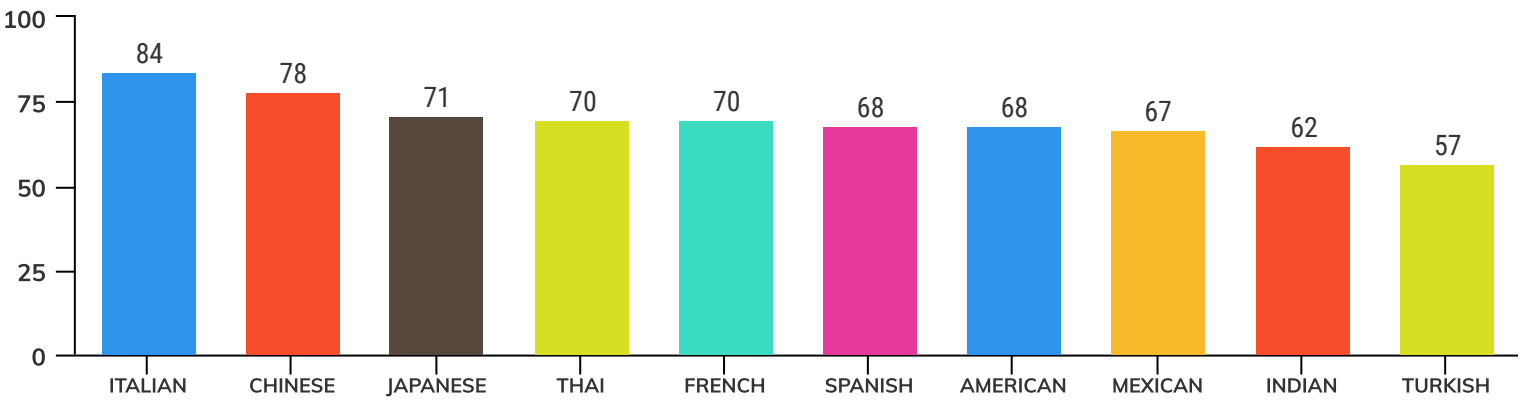


On the other side of the scale are the Filipinos, who seem to appreciate foreign cuisines the most. Out of the 34 cuisines they were surveyed about, only 5 cuisines scored less than 50% among the Filipinos. An impressive 67% liked the international food that they tried. Kudos!

AVERAGE POPULARITY SCORE

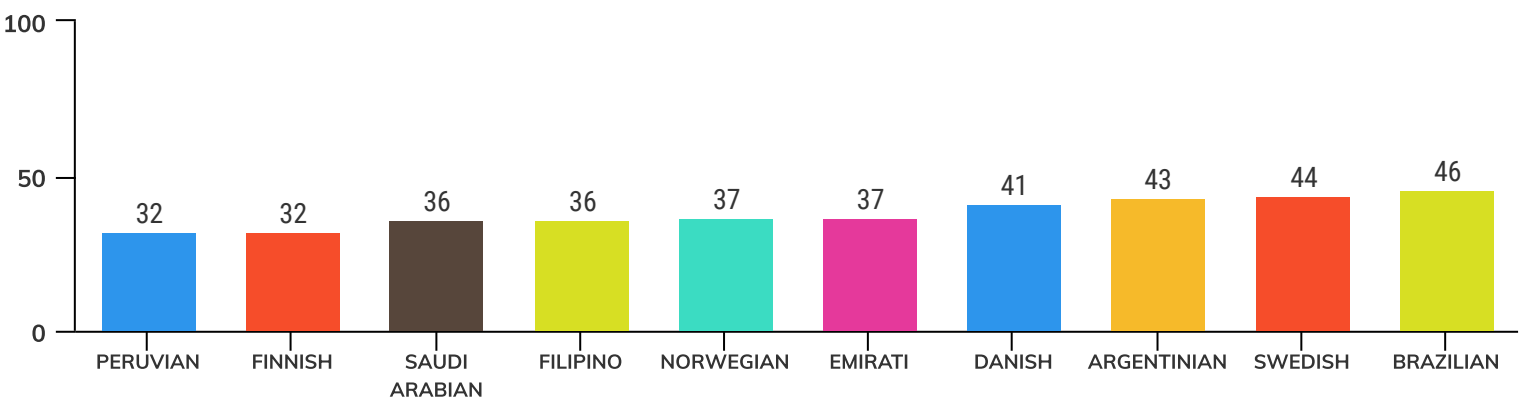
TOP 10

CUISINE POPULARITY SCORE



BOTTOM 10

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