

# Brand audit – what do consumers really think of seafood from Iceland

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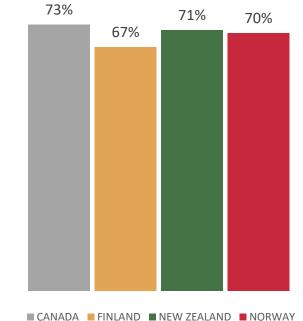


#### **PRODUCTS WITH ICELANDIC ORIGIN**

#### Positive attitude towards Icelandic products

### Attitude towards products from competitive countries

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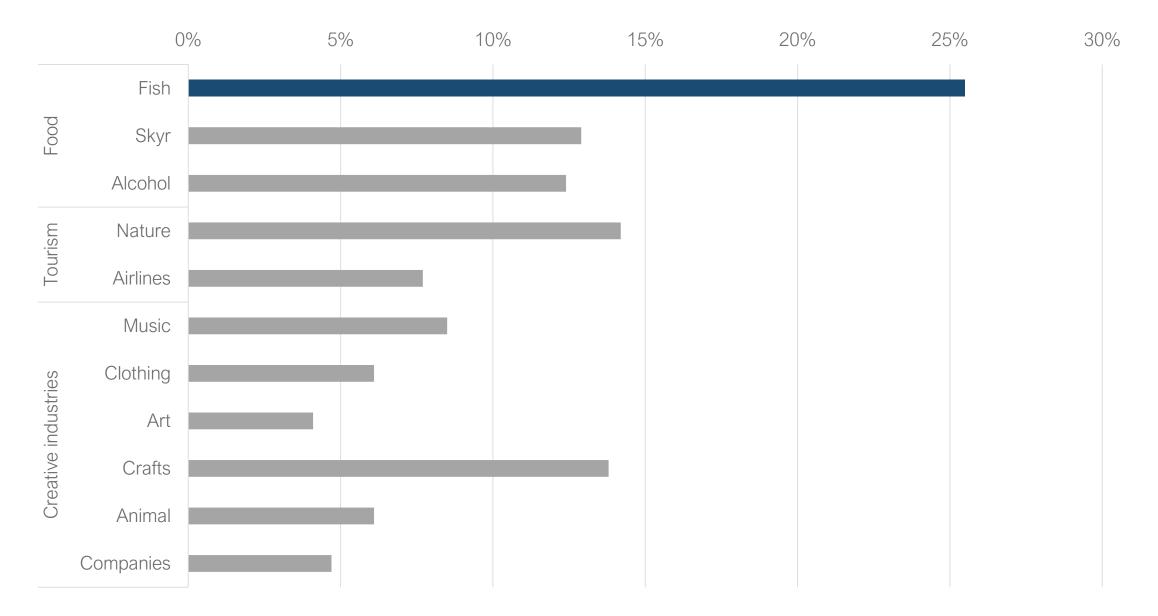


#### **Consumer awareness**

Can you think of any products, services or brands which originate from the country Iceland or you associate with Iceland?

#### 70% couldn't mention one lcelandic product

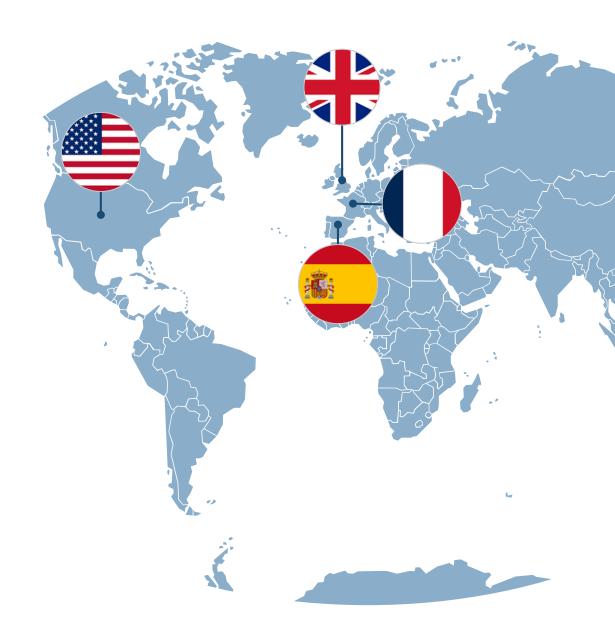
#### Top of mind about Icelandic products: Total



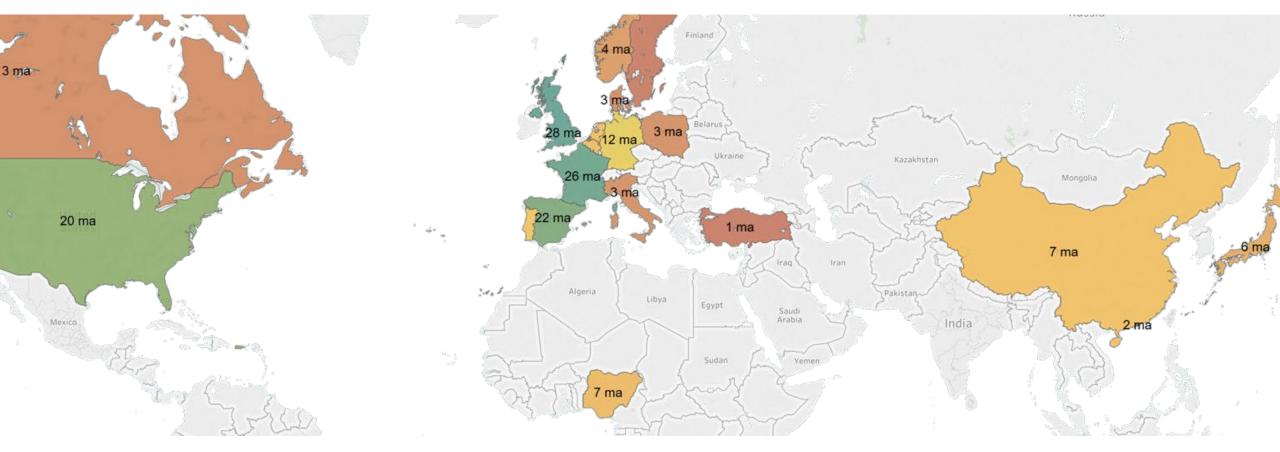
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# About the brand audit

- Seafood consumer survey in USA, UK, France and Spain
- The survey was conducted online in October 2019 among a nationally representative sample of 4000 (1000 from each market) seafood consumers aged 21 to 80.
- Objectives: Determine what is the current position of Iceland in the mind of seafood consumers, relative to it's competitors. Furthermore, to identify key customer types and how best to reach them with promotion of Icelandic origin.
- Comparative source markets: Norway, Alaska, Canada, China, Russia and local markets (USA, France, UK and Spain)

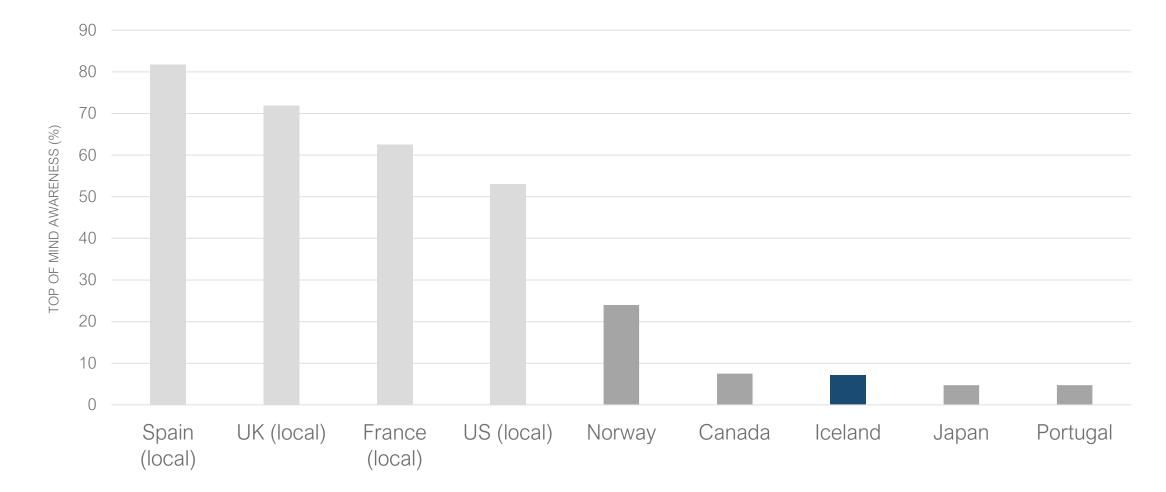


## **Icelandic Whitefish Export**



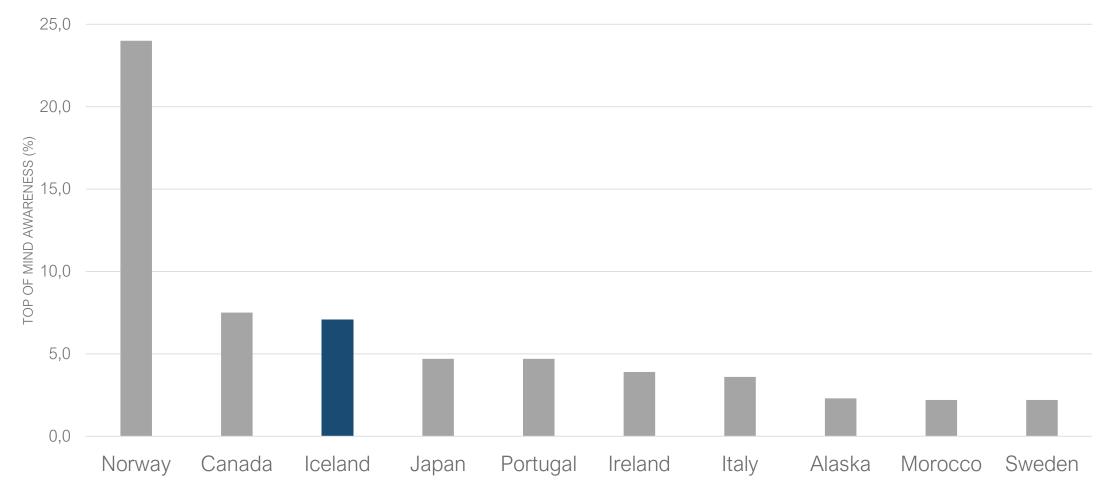
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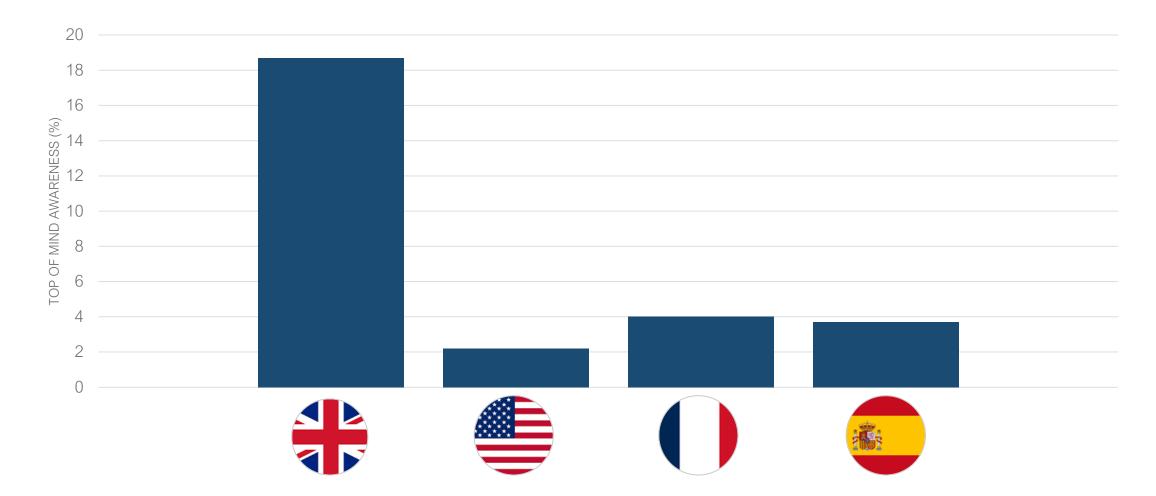




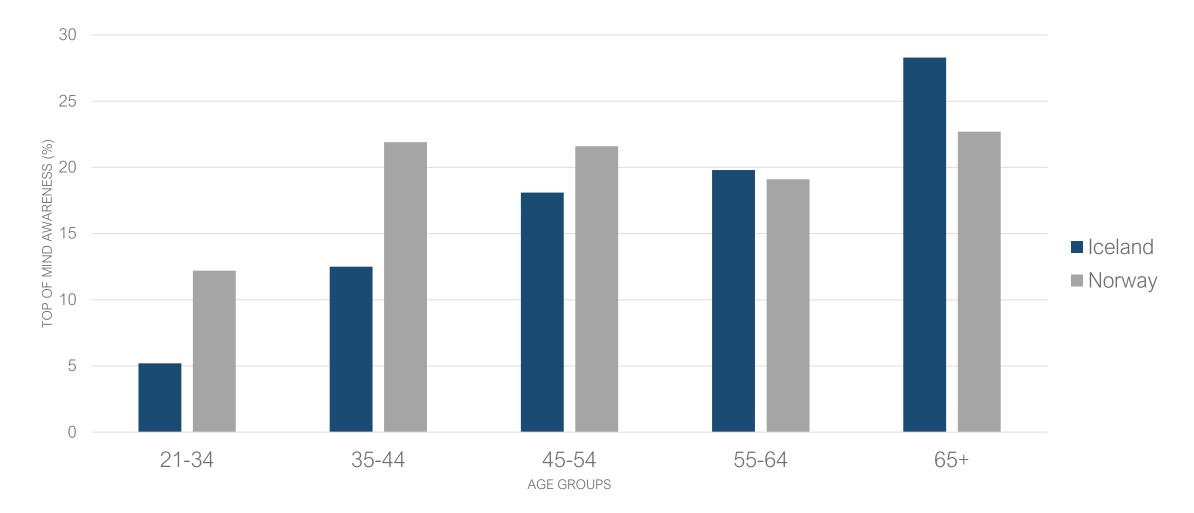
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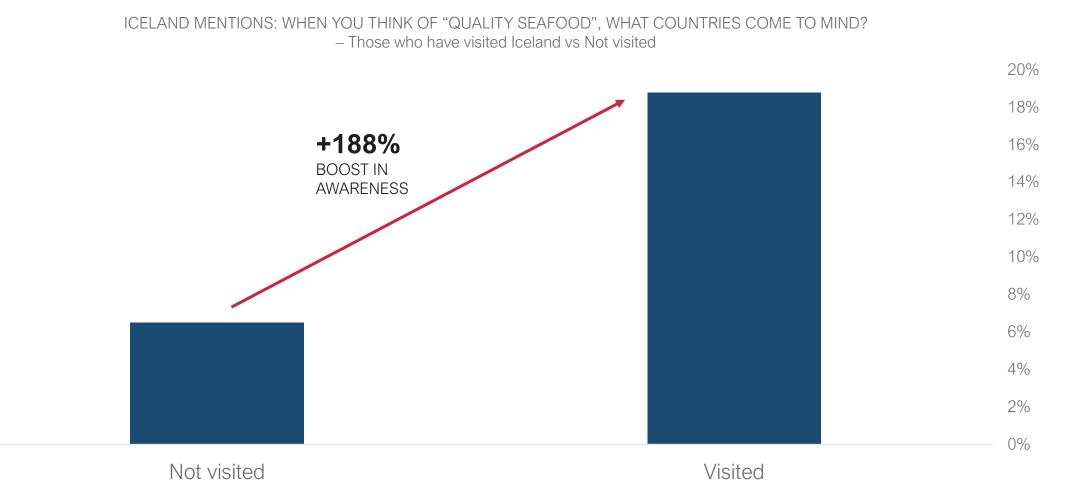
#### WHEN YOU THINK OF "QUALITY SEAFOOD", WHAT COUNTRIES COME TO MIND? - ICELAND TOP OF MIND



## UK TOTAL MENTIONS - WHEN YOU THINK OF "QUALITY SEAFOOD", WHAT COUNTRIES COME TO MIND? (ICELAND VS NORWAY)



#### **TRAVEL TO ICELAND – EFFECT ON QUALITY AWARENESS**



Source: Seafood Consumer survey in UK, US, France and Spain – Netquest October 2019 © Promote Iceland

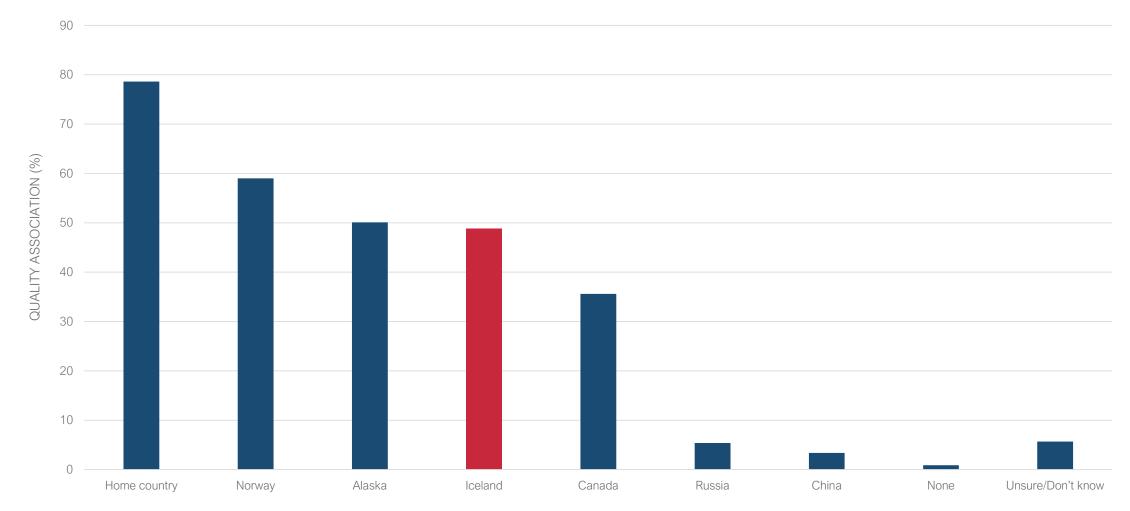
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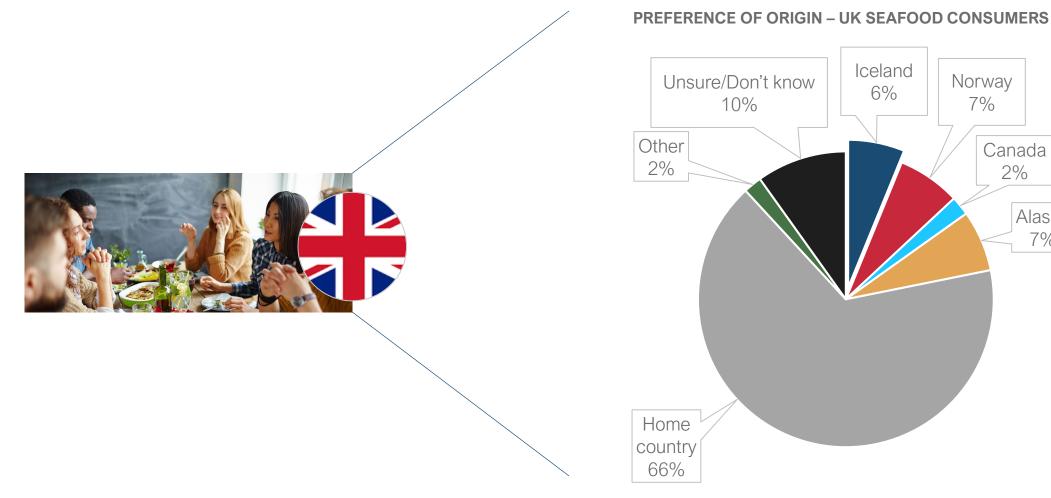
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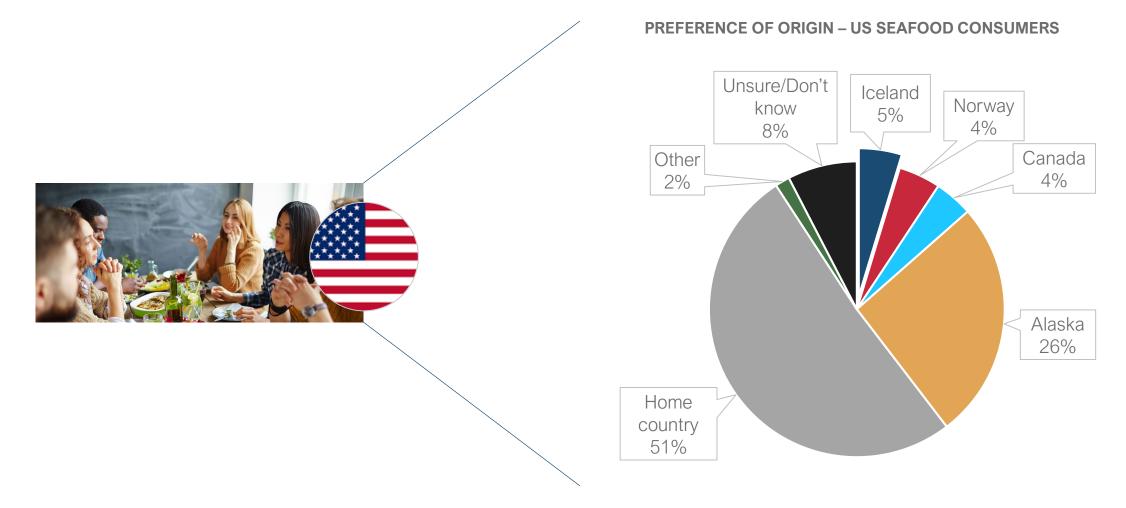
7%

Canada

2%

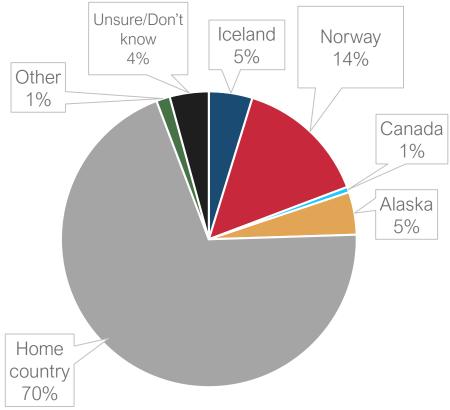
Alaska 7%

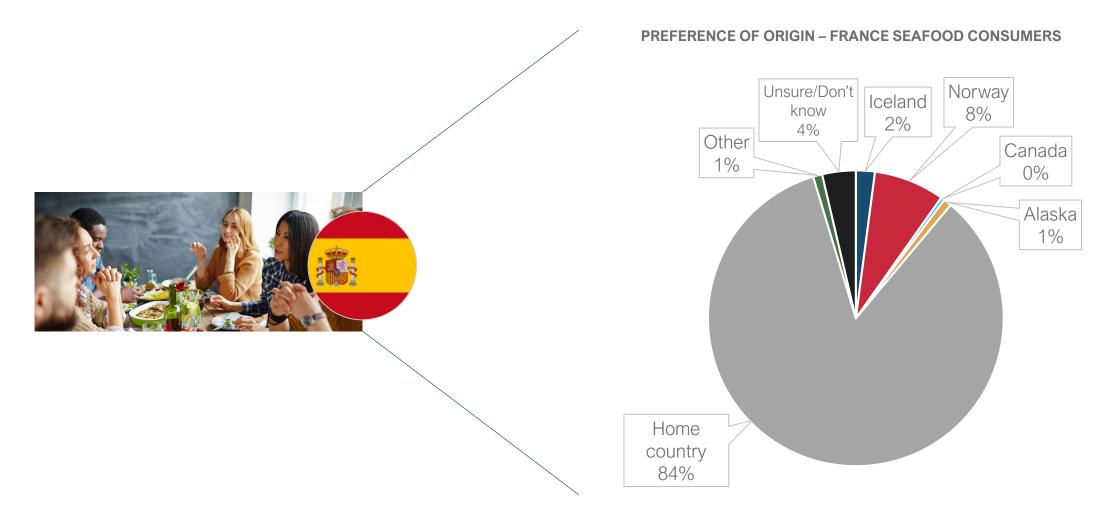






PREFERENCE OF ORIGIN – FRANCE SEAFOOD CONSUMERS

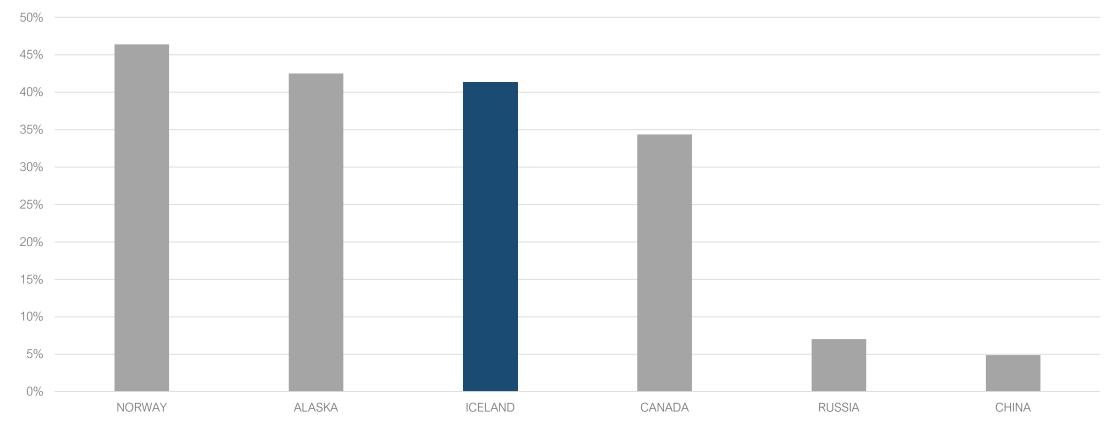




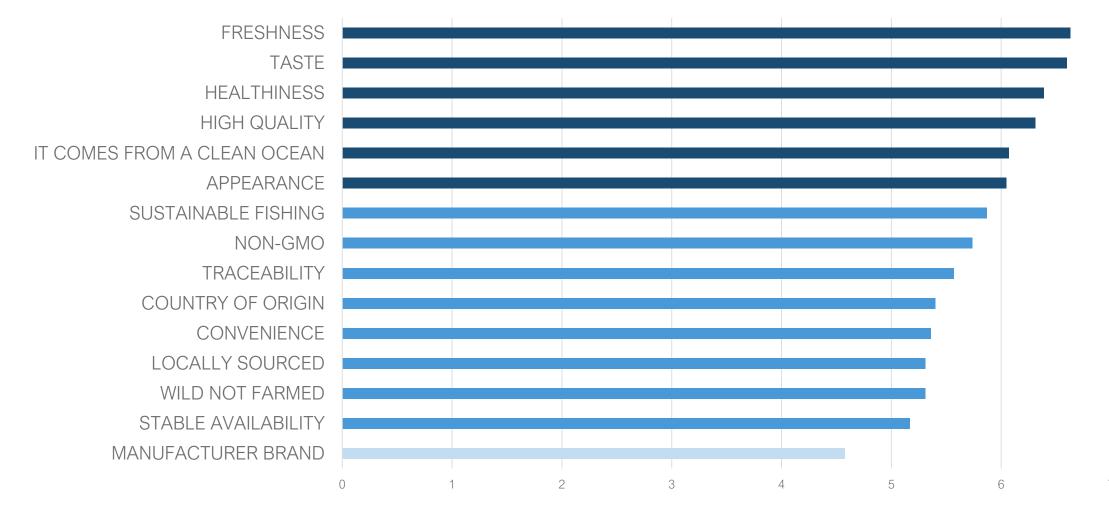


#### **POSITIVE ATTITUDE TOWARDS ORIGIN COUNTRY**

HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE YOUR OPINION OF SEAFOOD THAT COMES FROM THE FOLLOWING COUNTRIES? – VERY OR EXTREMELY FAVORABLE



## THE MOST IMPORTANT FACTORS WHEN CONSUMERS CHOOSE SEAFOOD TO BUY – AVARAGE SUMMARY





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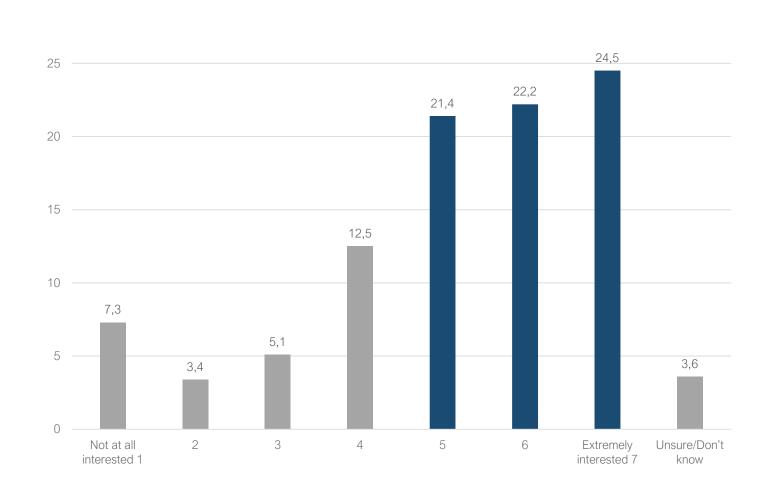
## WHAT WOULD HAVE TO CHANGE TO MAKE IT MORE LIKELY FOR YOU TO BUY/CHOOSE SEAFOOD FROM ICELAND?



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#### HOW INTERESTED ARE YOU IN LEARNING MORE ABOUT ICELAND?

68% of seafood consumers in US, UK, France and Spain say that they want to learn more about Iceland



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