



Everyday Mexican meals featuring corn tortillas include tacos, chilaquiles, and enchiladas.

Pad Thai, the national dish of Thailand, features noodles made of rice.

Chinese dumplings, often stuffed with duck meat, are a traditional food eaten during Lunar New Year Celebrations.

Mango lassis in India are traditionally enjoyed during hot weather or after eating spicy food.

American hamburgers are enjoyed at cookout celebrations and everyday meals.

Wheat pasta has been a culturally important food in Italy since the invention of lasagna thousands of years ago.

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Japan is an island nation with an abundance of fish. It also has valleys and terraced hillsides ideal for growing rice.







Corn has been grown in Mesoamerica for tens of thousands of years. Warm sun and ample rainfall help corn thrive in Mexico. Mexico is home to over 50 varieties of corn plants.

Rice farming requires a tropical climate. Thailand's wet, humid, and warm climate supports successful rice farms.

Ducks are grown alongside rice paddies in China. The ducks eat weeds and insects that would otherwise reduce rice crop production while fertilizing the fields.

India's rich soils and tropical weather are ideal for growing mangoes. Farmers have been cultivating mango trees for over 5,000 years.

The United States has a enormous grasslands and a massive supply of the grains that are fed to livestock, including cattle. Texas and the Great Plains region of America have the largest beef cattle production in the country.

Different sauce ingredients can be grown in different parts of Italy. Marinara is a sauce local to southern Italy, where rich volcanic soils and warm weather grow flavorful tomatoes.

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Seafood is central to Japanese cuisine. Dishes like sushi, fish, and seaweed products reflect the marine abundance in Japan.