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Summary

Selected establishments	3704
Hotels & guesthouses	1685
Particularly pleasant establishments 🏠🏠🏠 to 🏠...🏠	220
Guesthouses 🏠	561
Bib Hotels 🛎️ (Good accommodation at moderate price)	92
Restaurants	2019
Particularly pleasant establishments 🍴🍴🍴 to 🍴	147
Bib Gourmands 🍴 (Good food at moderate price)	129
Of which new N	28
Pubs 🍺	534
🌟🌟🌟 (Exceptional cuisine, worth a special journey)	4
Of which new N	0
🌟🌟 (Excellent cooking, worth a detour)	17
Of which new N	2
🌟 (Very good cooking in its category)	130
Of which new N	15

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Starred establishments

N : New star in 2012



Exceptional cuisine, worth a special journey

Town	County	Establishment	Comfort	Chef
England				
Bray	Windsor & Maidenhead	Fat Duck	🍴🍴🍴	Heston Blumenthal
Bray	Windsor & Maidenhead	Waterside Inn	🍴🍴🍴	Alain Roux/Fabrice Uhryn
London				
Chelsea	Kensington and Chelsea	Gordon Ramsay	🍴🍴🍴🍴	Clare Smyth
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Alain Ducasse at The Dorchester	🍴🍴🍴🍴	Jocelyn Herland











































Excellent cooking, worth a detour

Town	County	Establishment	Comfort
England			
Cambridge	Cambridgeshire	Midsummer House	🍴🍴🍴
Chagford	Devon	Gidleigh Park	🏠🏠🏠
Cheltenham	Gloucestershire	Le Champignon Sauvage	🍴🍴🍴
Malmesbury	Wiltshire	Whatley Manor (The Dining Room)	🏠🏠🏠
Marlow	Buckinghamshire	Hand and Flowers N	🍴📖
Nottingham	Nottinghamshire	Restaurant Sat Bains N	🍴🍴🍴
Oxford/Great Milton	Oxfordshire	Le Manoir aux Quat'Saisons	🏠🏠🏠
Rock	Cornwall	Restaurant Nathan Outlaw	🍴🍴🍴
Scotland			
Auchterarder	Perth & Kinross	Andrew Fairlie at Gleneagles	🍴🍴🍴🍴
Republic of Ireland			
Dublin	Dublin	Patrick Guilbaud	🍴🍴🍴🍴
London			
North Kensington	Kensington and Chelsea	The Ledbury	🍴🍴🍴
Belgravia	Westminster (City of)	Marcus Wareing at The Berkeley	🍴🍴🍴🍴
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Le Gavroche	🍴🍴🍴🍴
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Hélène Darroze at The Connaught	🍴🍴🍴🍴
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Hibiscus	🍴🍴🍴
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Square	🍴🍴🍴🍴
Strand & Covent Garden	Westminster (City of)	L'Atelier de Joël Robuchon	🍴



Very good cooking in its category

Town	County	Establishment	Comfort
England			
Ascot	Surrey	Coworth Park N	
Bagshot	Surrey	Michael Wignall at The Latymer (at Pennyhill Park Hotel)	
Baslow	Derbyshire	Fischer's at Baslow Hall	
Bath/Colerne	Bath & North East Somerset	The Park (at Lucknam Park Hotel)	
Beaulieu	Hampshire	The Terrace (at Montagu Arms Hotel)	
Beverley/South Dalton	East Riding of Yorkshire	Pipe and Glass Inn	
Biddenden	Kent	West House	
Birkenhead	Merseyside	Fraiche	
Birmingham	West Midlands	Purnell's	
Birmingham	West Midlands	Simpsons	
Birmingham	West Midlands	Turners	
Blackburn/Langho	Lancashire	Northcote	
Blakeney/Morston	Norfolk	Morston Hall	
Bodiam	East Sussex	Curlew	
Bolton Abbey	North Yorkshire	Burlington (at Devonshire Arms Country House)	
Bourton-on-the-Water/Upper Slaughter	Gloucestershire	Lords of the Manor	
Bray	Windsor & Maidenhead	Royal Oak	
Bristol	Bristol	Casamia	
Castle Combe	Wiltshire	Manor House H. and Golf Club	
Chester	Cheshire	Simon Radley at The Chester Grosvenor	
Chew Magna	Bath & North East Somerset	Pony & Trap	
Chinnor / Sprigg's Alley	Buckinghamshire	Sir Charles Napier N	
Clipsham	Rutland	The Olive Branch & Beech House	
Cranbrook	Kent	Apicius	
Cuckfield	West Sussex	Ockenden Manor	
Dorchester	Dorset	Sienna	
Eldersfield	Worcestershire	Butchers Arms N	
Emsworth	Hampshire	36 on the Quay	
Faversham	Kent	Read's	
Grange-over-Sands/Cartmel	Cumbria	L'Enclume	
Horsham	West Sussex	The Pass N	
Hunstanton	Norfolk	The Neptune	
Ilkley	West Yorkshire	Box Tree	
Jersey / La Pulente	Channel Islands	Atlantic	
Jersey / St Helier	Channel Islands	Bohemia (at Club Hotel and Spa)	

Jersey / St Helier	Channel Islands	Tassili (at Grand Hotel) N	
Kington/Titley	Herefordshire	The Stag Inn	
Ludlow	Shropshire	Mr Underhill's at Dinham Weir	
Marlborough/Little Bedwyn	Wiltshire	Harrow at Little Bedwyn	
Marlow	Buckinghamshire	Adam Simmonds at Danesfield House	
Murcott	Oxfordshire	Nut Tree	
Oakham/Hambleton	Rutland	Hambleton Hall	
Oldstead	North Yorkshire	Black Swan N	
Pateley Bridge/Ramsgill-in-Nidderdale	North Yorkshire	Yorke Arms	
Petersfield	Hampshire	JSW	
Portscatho	Cornwall	Driftwood N	
Reading/Shinfield	Reading	L'Ortolan	
Ripley	Surrey	Drake's	
Royal Leamington Spa	Warwickshire	Mallory Court (The Dining Room)	
Sheffield	South Yorkshire	Old Vicarage	
South Molton/Knowstone	Devon	Masons Arms	
Torquay	Devon	Room in the Elephant	
Ullswater/Pooley Bridge	Cumbria	Sharrow Bay Country House	
Welwyn Garden City	Hertfordshire	Auberge du Lac	
Whitstable/Seasalter	Kent	The Sportsman	
Wight (Isle of)/Ventnor	Isle of Wight	Hambrough	
Winchcombe	Gloucestershire	5 North St	
Winchester	Hampshire	The Black Rat	
Windermere	Cumbria	Holbeck Ghyll	
Woburn	Bedfordshire	Paris House	
Scotland			
Ballantrae	South Ayrshire	Glenapp Castle N	
Balloch	West Dunbartonshire	Martin Wishart at Loch Lomond N	
Dalry	North Ayrshire	Braidwoods	
Edinburgh	Edinburgh	Castle Terrace N	
Edinburgh	Edinburgh	Number One (at Balmoral Hotel)	
Edinburgh	Edinburgh	21212	
Edinburgh/Leith	Edinburgh	Kitchin	
Edinburgh/Leith	Edinburgh	Martin Wishart	
Elie	Fife	Sangster's	
Fort William	Highland	Inverlochry Castle	
Lochinver	Highland	Albannach	
Nairn	Highland	Boath House	
Peat Inn	Fife	Peat Inn	
Portpatrick	Dumfries & Galloway	Knockinaam Lodge	
Skye (Isle of)/Sleat	Highland	Kinloch Lodge	

Wales			
Abergavenny/Llanddewi Skirrid	Monmouthshire	Walnut Tree	✂
Llandrillo	Denbighshire	Tyddyn Llan	✂✂✂
Monmouth/Whitebrook	Monmouthshire	Crown at Whitebrook	✂✂✂
Montgomery	Monmouthshire	The Checkers N	✂✂
Republic of Ireland			
Ardmore	Waterford	House (at Cliff House Hotel)	✂✂✂
Dublin	Dublin	Chapter One	✂✂✂
Dublin	Dublin	L'Ecrivain	✂✂✂
Dublin	Dublin	Thornton's (at The Fitzwilliam Hotel)	✂✂✂✂
Malahide	Dublin	Bon Appétit	✂✂✂
London			
Farnborough	Bromley	Chapter One	✂✂✂
Bloomsbury	Camden	Hakkasan Hanway Place	✂✂
Bloomsbury	Camden	Pied à Terre	✂✂✂
City of London	City of London	Club Gascon	✂✂
City of London	City of London	Rhodes Twenty Four	✂✂✂
Fulham	Hammersmith & Fulham	Harwood Arms	🍷
Hammersmith	Hammersmith & Fulham	River Café	✂✂
Chiswick	Hounslow	La Trompette	✂✂✂
Clerkenwell	Islington	North Road N	✂✂
Clerkenwell	Islington	St John	✂
Chelsea	Kensington & Chelsea	Rasoï	✂✂
Kensington	Kensington & Chelsea	Kitchen W8	✂✂
Kew	Richmond-upon-Thames	The Glasshouse	✂✂
Richmond	Richmond-upon-Thames	Petersham Nurseries Café	✂
Bethnal Green	Tower Hamlets	Viajante	✂✂
Spitalfields	Tower Hamlets	Galvin La Chapelle	✂✂✂
Wandsworth	Wandsworth	Chez Bruce	✂✂
Belgravia	Westminster (City of)	Amaya	✂✂✂
Belgravia	Westminster (City of)	Apsleys (at Lanesborough Hotel)	✂✂✂✂
Belgravia	Westminster (City of)	Pétrus	✂✂✂
Belgravia	Westminster (City of)	Zafferano	✂✂✂
Hyde Park & Knightsbridge	Westminster (City of)	Dinner by Heston Blumenthal(at Mandarin Oriental Hyde Park) N	✂✂✂
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Benares	✂✂✂
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Galvin at Windows (at London Hilton Hotel)	✂✂✂✂
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Greenhouse	✂✂✂
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Hakkasan Mayfair N	✂✂
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Kai	✂✂✂
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Maze	✂✂✂

Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Murano	🍴🍴🍴
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Nobu (at The Metropolitan Hotel)	🍴🍴
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Nobu Berkeley St	🍴🍴
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Pollen Street Social N	🍴🍴
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Semplice	🍴🍴
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Sketch (The Lecture Room & Library)	🍴🍴🍴🍴
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Tamarind	🍴🍴🍴
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Umu	🍴🍴🍴
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Wild Honey	🍴🍴
Regent's Park & Marylebone	Westminster (City of)	L'Autre Pied	🍴🍴
Regent's Park & Marylebone	Westminster (City of)	Locanda Locatelli	🍴🍴🍴
Regent's Park & Marylebone	Westminster (City of)	Rhodes W1 (Restaurant)	🍴🍴🍴🍴
Regent's Park & Marylebone	Westminster (City of)	Texture	🍴🍴
St James's	Westminster (City of)	Seven Park Place (at St James's Hotel and Club)	🍴🍴🍴
Soho	Westminster (City of)	Arbutus	🍴
Soho	Westminster (City of)	Gauthier-Soho	🍴🍴🍴
Soho	Westminster (City of)	Yauatcha	🍴🍴
Victoria	Westminster (City of)	Quilon	🍴🍴🍴

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New Stars



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England			
Marlow	Buckinghamshire	The Hand and Flowers	
Nottingham	Nottinghamshire	Restaurant Sat Bains	




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England			
Ascot	Surrey	Coworth Park	
Chinnor	Buckinghamshire	Sir Charles Napier	
Eldersfield	Worcestershire	Butchers Arms	
Horsham	West Sussex	The Pass	
Jersey / St. Helier	Channel Islands	Tassili (at Grand Hotel)	
Oldstead	North Yorkshire	The Black Swan	
Portscatho	Cornwall	Driftwood	
Wales			
Montgomery	Monmouthshire	The Checkers	
Scotland			
Ballantrae	South Ayrshire	Glenapp Castle	
Balloch	West Dunbartonshire	Martin Wishart at Loch Lomond	
Edinburgh	Edinburgh	Castle Terrace	
London			
Clerkenwell	Islington	North Road	
Hyde Park & Knightsbridge	Westminster (City of)	Dinner by Heston Blumenthal (at Mandarin Oriental Hyde Park)	
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Hakkasan Mayfair	
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Pollen Street Social	

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Deletion of Stars

From  to 

Town	County	Establishment	Comfort
London Bloomsbury	Camden	Pied à Terre	

Deletion 

Town	County	Establishment	Comfort
England			
Ambleside	Cumbria	The Samling	
Ludlow	Shropshire	La Bécasse	
Wales			
Machynlleth	Powys	Ynyshir Hall	
Scotland			
Edinburgh/Leith	Edinburgh	Plumed Horse	
Linlithgow	West Lothian	Champany Inn	
London			
Chelsea	Kensington & Chelsea	Tom Aikens (Closed)	
Richmond	Richmond-upon-Thames	Bingham Restaurant (at Bingham Hotel)	

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Bib Gourmands 🍷

N: New Bib Gourmands 2012

Town	County	Establishment
England		
Aldeburgh	Suffolk	Lighthouse
Alderley Edge	Cheshire	The Wizard
Backwell	Bristol	New Inn
Beaconsfield / Seer Green	Buckinghamshire	Jolly Cricketers
Beverley	East Riding of Yorkshire	Whites
Blackpool / Thornton	Lancashire	Twelve
Bray	Windsor & Maidenhead	Hinds Head
Brighton and Hove	West Sussex	Chilli Pickle
Brighton and Hove / Hove	West Sussex	Ginger Pig
Brighton and Hove / Hove	West Sussex	Meadow
Bristol	Bristol	Flinty Red N
Bristol	Bristol	Greens' Dining Room
Bruntingthorpe	Leicestershire	The Joiners N
Bruton	Somerset	At The Chapel
Burnham Market	Norfolk	Hoste Arms
Bury	Greater Manchester	Waggon
Bury St Edmunds	Suffolk	Pea Porridge
Cambridge / Little Wilbraham	Cambridgeshire	Hole in the Wall
Clitheroe/Wiswell	Lancashire	Freemasons
Darlington / Hurworth-on-Tees	Durham	Bay Horse
Droxford	Hampshire	Bakers Arms
Durham	Durham	Bistro 21
East Chisenbury	Wiltshire	Red Lion Freehouse
East Haddon	Northamptonshire	Red Lion N
Exeter / Rockbeare	Devon	Jack in the Green Inn
Guernsey / St Saviour	Channel Islands	Pavilion
Hastings and St Leonards	East Sussex	St. Clements
Henfield	West Sussex	The Ginger Fox
Ingham	Norfolk	Ingham Swan N
Itteringham	Norfolk	Walpole Arms
Kelvedon	Essex	George and Dragon
Knaresborough / Ferrensby	North Yorkshire	General Tarleton Inn
Leeds	West Yorkshire	Piazza by Anthony
Masham	North Yorkshire	Vennell's
Melton Mowbray / Stathern	Leicestershire	Red Lion Inn
Millbrook / Freathy	Cornwall	View
Norwich / Stoke Holy Cross	Norfolk	Wildebeest Arms
Oldham	Greater Manchester	White Hart Inn
Oxford	Oxfordshire	Anchor N
Oxford	Oxfordshire	Magdalen Arms
Oxford / Toot Baldon	Oxfordshire	Mole Inn
Padstow	Cornwall	Rick Stein's Café
Penzance	Cornwall	Untitled by Robert Wright N
Preston Candover	Hampshire	Purefoy Arms
Ramsgate	Kent	Age and Sons
Romsey	Hampshire	Three Tuns N
St Ives	Cornwall	Black Rock
Sheffield	South Yorkshire	Artisan
Stamford	Lincolnshire	Jim's Yard
Stanton	Suffolk	Leaping Hare
Stockbridge / Longstock	Hampshire	Peat Spade Inn
Stow-on-the Wold	Gloucestershire	Old Butchers

Sutton-on-the-Forest Tetbury Tewkesbury Wells West Hoathly Wimborne St Giles Woolhope Wymondham	North Yorkshire Gloucestershire Gloucestershire Somerset West Sussex Dorset Herefordshire Leicestershire	Rose & Crown Gumstool Inn Owens N Old Spot Cat Inn Bull Inn Butchers Arms Berkeley Arms N
Scotland Edinburgh Glasgow Kintyre / Kilberry Peebles Sorn	Edinburgh Glasgow City Argyll & Bute Borders East Ayrshire	Dogs Stravaigin N Kilberry Inn Osso Sorn Inn
Wales Brecon Cardiff Cardiff	Powys Cardiff Cardiff	Felin Fach Griffin N chai st N Mint & Mustard N
Northern Ireland Ballyclare Belfast Holywood Warrenpoint	Antrim Antrim North Down Down	Oregano Cayenne Fontana N Restaurant 23
Republic of Ireland Adare Clonegall Dingle Dublin Dublin Duncannon Durrus Kinsale Lisdoonvarna Lismore Roundstone Stepaside	Limerick Carlow Kerry Dublin Dublin Wexford Cork Cork Clare Waterford Galway Dublin	White Sage Sha Roe Bistro Chart House Pichet Pig's Ear Aldridge Lodge Good Things Café Fishy Fishy Café Wild Honey Inn O'Brien Chop House O'Dowds Box Tree N
London Willesden Green Bloomsbury Bloomsbury Camden Town Holborn Swiss Cottage Canonbury City of London City of London Hammersmith Chiswick Archway Clerkenwell Finsbury Finsbury Islington Stockwell Blackheath Wimbledon Barnes East Sheen Teddington Bermondsey Bermondsey Southwark	Brent Camden Camden Camden Camden Camden Canonbury City of London City of London Hammersmith & Fulham Hounslow Islington Islington Islington Islington Islington Lambeth Lewisham Merton Richmond-Upon-Thames Richmond-Upon-Thames Richmond-Upon-Thames Southwark Southwark Southwark	Sushi Say N Giaconda Dining Room Salt Yard Market Great Queen Street Bradley's Trullo Goldfish City 28°-50° Azou N Charlotte's Bistro 500 Comptoir Gascon Medcalf Morito Drapers Arms Canton Arms Chapters Fox and Grapes N Brown Dog Mango and Silk Simply Thai José N Zucca Anchor and Hope

Bethnal Green	Tower Hamlets	Brawn N
Spitalfields	Tower Hamlets	Galvin Café a Vin
Spitalfields	Tower Hamlets	St John Bread and Wine N
Whitechapel	Tower Hamlets	Cafe Spice Namaste
Southfields	Wandsworth	Triphal N
Bayswater & Maida Vale	Westminster (City of)	Hereford Road
Bayswater & Maida Vale	Westminster (City of)	Kateh N
Mayfair	Westminster (City of)	Bar Trattoria Semplice
Regent's Park & Marylebone	Westminster (City of)	Iberica
Regent's Park & Marylebone	Westminster (City of)	Trishna N
St James's	Westminster (City of)	Al Duca
Soho	Westminster (City of)	Barrafina N
Soho	Westminster (City of)	Benja Bangkok Table
Soho	Westminster (City of)	Bocca di Lupo
Soho	Westminster (City of)	Koya N
Soho	Westminster (City of)	Polpo
Strand & Covent Garden	Westminster (City of)	Dehesa
Strand & Covent Garden	Westminster (City of)	da Polpo N
Strand & Covent Garden	Westminster (City of)	Opera Tavern N
		Terroirs

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New Bib Gourmands 🍷

Town	County	Establishment
England		
Bristol	Bristol	Flinty Red
Bruntingthorpe	Leicestershire	The Joiners
East Haddon	Northamptonshire	Red Lion
Ingham	Norfolk	Ingham Swan
Oxford	Oxfordshire	Anchor
Penzance	Cornwall	Untitled by Robert Wright
Romsey	Hampshire	Three Tuns
Tewkesbury	Gloucestershire	Owens
Wymondham	Leicestershire	Berkeley Arms
Scotland		
Glasgow	Glasgow City	Stravaigin
Wales		
Brecon	Powys	Felin Fach Griffin
Cardiff	Cardiff	chai st
Cardiff	Cardiff	Mint & Mustard
Northern Ireland		
Hollywood	North Down	Fontana
Republic of Ireland		
Stepaside	Dublin	Box Tree
London		
Willesden Green	Brent	Sushi Say
Hammersmith	Hammersmith & Fulham	Azou
Wimbledon	Merton	Fox & Grapes
Bermondsey	Southwark	José
Bethnal Green	Tower Hamlets	Brawn
Spitalfields	Tower Hamlets	St John Bread and Wine
Southfields	Wandsworth	Triphal
Bayswater & Maida Vale	Westminster (City of)	Kateh
Regent's Park & Marylebone	Westminster (City of)	Trishna
Soho	Westminster (City of)	Barrafina
Soho	Westminster (City of)	Koya
Strand & Covent Garden	Westminster (City of)	da Polpo
Strand & Covent Garden	Westminster (City of)	Opera Tavern

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Deletion of Bib Gourmands 🍷

Town	County	Establishment
England		
Barnard Castle / Hutton Magna	Durham	The Oak Tree Inn
Burford	Oxfordshire	Carpenters Arms
Chipping Norton	Oxfordshire	Masons Arms
Gisburn	Lancashire	La Locanda
Kingham	Oxfordshire	The Kingham Plough
Maidenhead/ Burchett's Green	Windsor & Maidenhead	Crown
Matlock / Birchover	Derbyshire	The Druid Inn
Stratford-upon-Avon	Warwickshire	Malbec Petit Bistro
Windlesham	Surrey	The Bee
Wales		
Abergavenny	Monmouthshire	The Hardwick
Republic of Ireland		
Cashel	Tipperary	Café Hans
Dublin	Dublin	La Maison
Dundalk	Louth	Rosso
London		
Islington	Islington	Metrogusto
Kensington	Kensington and Chelsea	Malabar