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The following list shows how a group of popular Boston restaurants performed during their most recent inspection cycle.

When a restaurant falls short, even slightly, on an initial inspection, city officials usually require it to be re-inspected over the course of days or a few weeks until problems have been fixed.

The table below shows the date of the most recent initial inspection for each location, and the score each establishment would have earned at that visit, based on the formula the city plans to use for its upcoming restaurant grading system.

The graphic also shows how many followup visits city inspectors made before determining each location had corrected previous violations.

Eventually, every restaurant on this list corrected enough of the violations from the initial inspection to bump their score up to a 94 or higher.

A score of 94 or higher translates to an A letter grade, according to a new rating system the city is expected to implement soon. A score of 81 to 93 would be a B. A score of 80 or lower would be a C.

The city says restaurants that get a B or C on initial inspection will be allowed one reinspection to boost their mark before it is posted publicly. The city also says it has no plans for numerical scores to be posted publicly.

Restaurant	Address	Score	Date	Followups
Tasty Burger	1301 Boylston St.	-31	3/29/16	2
Stephanie's On Newbury	190 Newbury St.	-8	4/29/16	3
McGreevy's	911 Boylston St.	-2	3/14/16	2
Hojoko Boston	1271 Boylston St.	22	4/22/16	1
Union Oyster House	41 Union St.	24	4/20/16	1
Pho Basil	177 Massachusetts Ave.	28	3/7/16	1
Bistro Du Midi	272 Boylston St.	33	5/10/16	2
Al's State Street Cafe	112 State St.	34	3/30/16	2
Parish Cafe & Bar	359 Boylston St.	36	1/25/16	2
The Paramount	44 Charles St.	36	5/16/16	2
Rod Dee Thai 2	94 Peterborough St.	38	9/28/15	1
Sterling's	60 State St.	40	3/23/16	2
Joe's American Bar & Grill	26 Exeter St.	41	5/23/16	1
Tatte Bakery & Cafe	70 Charles St.	42	4/25/16	1
Franklin Café	278 Shawmut Ave.	43	10/1/15	1
Uno Due Go	52 Summer St.	45	6/1/16	1
Mike's City Diner	1714 Washington St.	50	6/27/16	2
Thinking Cup (Back Bay)	85 Newbury St.	52	10/15/15	2
Toro Restaurant	1704 Washington St.	54	6/22/16	1
Taqueria Jalisco	291 Bennington St.	55	6/1/16	1
Mike & Patty's	12 Church St.	58	5/13/16	1

Neptune Oyster	63 Salem St.	60	7/21/16	1
MET Back Bay	277 Dartmouth St.	60	11/23/15	1
Tenoch Mexican	3 Lewis St.	61	12/18/15	1
Saigon Hut	305 Meridian St.	61	1/28/16	1
Billy's Sub Shop	57 Berkeley St.	63	9/25/15	1
Grotto	37 Bowdoin St.	63	5/26/16	2
Eastern Standard	528 Commonwealth Ave.	64	8/21/15	1
Chacarero	93 Arch St.	65	3/7/16	1
Carlo's Market & Cold Cut Center	567 Bennington St.	65	5/5/16	1
Maná Escondido Café	68 Pembroke St.	66	1/15/16	1
Top of the Hub	800 Boylston St.	66	2/12/16	1
Stoked Wood Fired Pizza	Food Truck	66	3/17/16	1
Back Bay Social Club	867 Boylston St.	67	11/12/15	2
Marliave	10 Bosworth St.	67	2/9/16	1
The Merchant Kitchen & Drinks	60 Franklin St.	67	5/3/16	1
Nebo	520 Atlantic Ave.	70	5/16/16	1
Sam LaGrassa's	44 Province St.	70	5/26/16	1
The Friendly Toast	35 Stanhope St.	70	5/16/16	1
Snappy Sushi	108 Newbury St.	72	10/22/15	1
Carrie Nation	11 Beacon St.	73	1/6/16	1
Tia's	200 Atlantic Ave.	73	7/21/16	1
Pete's Dockside	12 Channel St.	74	2/12/16	1
Wheelhouse	63 Broad St.	74	2/18/16	1
Mr. Dooley's	77 Broad St.	74	3/31/16	1
Sólás	710 Boylston St.	74	4/27/16	1
Fazenda Coffee Roasters	3710 Washington St.	74	3/12/15	1
Audubon Boston	838 Beacon St.	76	1/22/15	1
Barcelona Wine Bar	525 Tremont St.	76	9/30/15	1
Cafeteria Boston	279 Newbury St.	77	1/21/16	1
Sip Cafe	0 Post Office Sq.	78	7/27/16	1
Beard Papa's	31 Harrison Ave.	79	3/28/16	1
Hei La Moon	88 Beach St.	79	5/2/16	1
Bostonia Public House	131 State St.	80	8/18/15	1
Holly Crab	1098 Commonwealth Ave.	80	1/20/16	1

Regina Pizzeria	11 Thacher St.	80	11/9/15	1
The Salty Pig	130 Dartmouth St.	82	1/11/16	1
Rosa Mexicano	155 Seaport Bl.	82	3/24/16	2
Beehive	537 Tremont St.	82	4/19/16	1
Committee	50 Northern Ave.	82	6/8/16	1
Taranta Cucina Meridionale	210 Hanover St.	84	7/20/15	1
Saus Restaurant	31 Union St.	84	5/12/16	3
Roxy's Gourmet Grilled Cheese	Food Truck	84	5/23/16	1
Shawarma Falafel	26 Province St.	84	5/26/16	1
Anchovies	433 Columbus Ave.	84	7/28/16	1
El Penol	54 Bennington St.	86	10/29/15	1
Barrington Coffee Roasting Company	305 Newbury St.	86	1/7/16	2
Boston Sail Loft	80 Atlantic Ave.	86	3/4/16	1
Orinoco	477 Shawmut Ave.	86	3/24/16	1
Precinct Kitchen & Bar	350 Stuart St.	86	3/30/16	1
Pier6 Boston	1 Eighth St.	86	5/24/16	1
Flour Bakery + Café (Back Bay)	131 Clarendon St.	86	6/15/16	1
Wired Puppy	250 Newbury St.	86	11/9/15	1
Mei Mei Street Kitchen	506 Park Dr.	87	6/1/16	1
J.P. Licks (Fenway)	1106 Boylston St.	88	3/17/16	1
Coppersmith	30 Third St.	88	5/4/16	1
JM Curley	21 Temple Pl.	88	6/7/16	1
Atlantic Fish Company	761 Boylston St.	89	10/9/15	1
The Tip Tap Room	138 Cambridge St.	89	6/14/16	1
Banh Mi House	48 Winter St.	90	2/23/16	1
Scopa	319 Hanover St.	90	5/4/16	1
Pho Viet's	1095 Commonwealth Ave.	90	7/12/16	1
New Dong Khanh	81 Harrison Ave.	91	5/3/16	2
The Chicken & Rice Guys Store	1 Lincoln St.	92	4/16/15	2
Max Brenner	745 Boylston St.	92	11/4/15	1
Blackbird Doughnuts	460 Tremont St.	92	11/6/15	1
El Pelon Taqueria	84 Peterborough	92	2/25/16	1
Zo	92 State St.	92	3/2/16	1
Tarboosh	2 Brighton Ave.	92	5/5/16	1

Anna's Taqueria	242 Cambridge St.	92	5/24/16	1
Dolphin Bay	72 Brighton Ave.	92	7/12/16	1
Amsterdam Falafelshop	642 Beacon St.	92	7/18/16	1
The Brewer's Fork	29 Bunker Hill St.	93	5/5/16	1
KO Pies At the Shipyard	256 Marginal St.	94	5/29/15	1
Gyro City	88 Peterborough St.	94	10/2/15	1
Cafe Polonia	611 Dorchester St.	94	11/20/15	1
The Daily Catch	319 Hanover St.	94	1/11/16	1
Sweet Cheeks	144 Brookline Ave.	94	5/16/16	1
Row 34	381 Congress St.	94	2/1/16	0
Shabu-Zen	78 Brighton Ave.	94	3/16/16	0
Ocean Prime	100 Pier 4 Bl.	94	3/28/16	0
Angela's Cafe	131 Lexington St.	94	4/26/16	0
Thinking Cup (North End)	234 Hanover St.	96	1/6/16	2
Caffè Nero	558 Washington St.	96	2/16/16	1
Lucy Ethiopian Cafe	334 Massachusetts Ave.	96	3/18/16	1
Granary Tavern	170 Milk St.	96	4/15/15	0
Baltic Deli & Cafe	632 Dorchester Ave.	96	8/20/15	0
Prezza	24 Fleet St.	96	9/29/15	0
PRESSED	120 Charles St.	96	11/9/15	0
Loco Taqueria & Oyster Bar	412 W Broadway	96	1/19/16	0
Flour Bakery + Café (South Boston)	12 Farnsworth St.	96	2/2/16	0
Trade	520 Atlantic Ave.	96	2/11/16	0
Archie's New York Deli	93 Arch St.	96	3/8/16	0
Ogawa Coffee Boston	10 Milk St.	96	5/18/16	0
Home.Stead Bakery & Cafe	1448 Dorchester Ave.	96	6/29/16	0
The Barking Crab	88 Sleeper St.	96	6/30/16	0
Jugos	147 Dartmouth St.	96	1/22/16	0
Caffé Bene	333 Massachusetts Ave.	98	3/15/16	1
Modern Pastry Shop	261 Hanover St.	98	5/10/16	1
Moonshine 152	152 Dorchester Ave.	98	5/12/16	2
Campus Trolley	665 Commonwealth Ave.	98	11/19/15	0
Jaho Coffee Roaster & Wine Bar	659 Washington St.	98	12/2/15	0
Bon Me Fort Point	313 Congress St.	98	2/29/16	0

Render Coffee	563 Columbus Ave.	98	7/18/16	0
The Elephant Walk	1415 Washington St.	100	1/20/15	0
Ariana Restaurant	384 Western Ave.	100	8/17/15	0
Equal Exchange Café	226 Causeway St.	100	8/17/15	0
Yvonne's Supper Club	3 Winter Pl.	100	9/24/15	0
Lincoln Tavern & Restaurant	425 Broadway	100	10/15/15	0
Amorino	249 Newbury St.	100	11/9/15	0
Picco	513 Tremont St.	100	11/10/15	0
Yankee Lobster	27 Drydock Ave.	100	11/18/15	0
Ostra	1 Charles St. South	100	11/20/15	0
State Street Provisions	255 State St.	100	11/27/15	0
SRV Boston	434 Massachusetts Ave.	100	1/11/16	0
J.P. Licks (Beacon Hill)	144 Charles St.	100	1/12/16	0
Cuong's Vegan Sandwiches	5 Beach St.	100	1/12/16	0
Avana Sushi	40 Harrison Ave.	100	1/25/16	0
Al's South Street Cafe	179 Essex St.	100	2/1/16	0
B & G Oysters	550 Tremont St.	100	2/3/16	0
Menton	348 Congress St.	100	2/8/16	0
Sportello	348 Congress St.	100	2/8/16	0
Drink	348 Congress St.	100	2/8/16	0
Gourmet Dumpling House	52 Beach St.	100	2/29/16	0
Wahlburgers	132 Brookline Ave.	100	3/1/16	0
Pastoral	341 Congress St.	100	3/1/16	0
KAVA neo-taverna	315 Shawmut Ave.	100	3/3/16	0
Myers + Chang	1143 Washington St.	100	3/17/16	0
Trattoria Il Panino	278 Hanover St.	100	3/24/16	0
Shojo	11 Tyler St.	100	3/28/16	0
Lolita Cocina & Tequila Bar	265 Dartmouth St.	100	4/12/16	0
Legal Harborside	242 Northern Ave.	100	4/13/16	0
Gracernote Coffee	108 Lincoln St.	100	4/13/16	0
Legal Test Kitchen	225 Northern Ave.	100	4/13/16	0
OliToki	66 Brighton Ave.	100	5/2/16	0
Worden Hall	22 Broadway	100	5/12/16	0
Townsman	118 Kingston St.	100	5/26/16	0

South End Buttery	314 Shawmut Ave.	100	6/9/16	0
Kaze Shabu Shabu	41 Essex St.	100	6/24/16	0
Empire Restaurant & Lounge	1 Marina Park Dr.	100	6/30/16	0
Yard House	122 Brookline Ave.	100	7/21/16	0
Babbo Pizzeria	11 Fan Pier Bl.	100	7/26/16	0

SOURCE: Globe review of City of Boston inspection records, Foursquare, Yelp

How we determined 'most popular' restaurants: The Globe developed the above menu of some of the most popular restaurants in Boston by using lists provided by two well-known websites. Yelp based its list of the 100 most in-demand restaurants by using an algorithm that considered both the number of reviews and the star rating for each location. Separately, Foursquare compiled a top 100 list based on restaurants where people most often check in. Both sites excluded major national chain restaurants from their lists, and the final result was trimmed further by the Globe to account for locations that appeared on both lists and others for which no inspection data was available, including because they are new, recently went out of business, or are located just outside the city's border.

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