


COST OF LIVING SURVEY RESULTS

Date of survey	09/01/2018
Exchange rate	1EUR = 8.00313 CNY
Date of exchange rate	09/14/2018
Type of index	Expat Index

	Home city Lisbon, Portugal City based index	Host city Shanghai, China City based index
Total index	100	131.1
A - Restaurants	100	126.8
B - Food at home	100	220.6
C - Beverage and Alcoholic	100	221.9
D - Transportation	100	86.2
E - Utilities	100	67.5
F - Sports and Recreation	100	162.2
G - Clothing and Footwear	100	158.4
H - Other	100	100

In our cost of living survey, an expenditure of 100 EUR in Lisbon, will cost you 131.1 EUR in Shanghai.


COST OF LIVING METHODOLOGY
BASKET WEIGHTS :

A	Restaurants	11 %
B	Food at home	20 %
C	Beverage and Alcoholic	4 %
D	Transportation	15 %
E	Utilities	9 %
F	Sports and Recreation	13 %
G	Clothing and Footwear	12 %
H	Other	16 %

The Smart Expatriation cost of living indexes are calculated from the price data collected from the Numbeo website.

The consumption basket type that allows us to compare prices consists of 37 goods and services of everyday life, divided into the different consumption items indicated above.

The main expenditure items that are not included in this basket of goods and services are housing (estimated in a separate line item), the cost of tuition, health/pension insurance, valuables and prohibited products.

The consumption item "Other", which represents 16% of expenses, is the unspent consumption budget in the host country. This may relate to purchases made during return trips to the home country where consumption patterns will be local or online purchase patterns not dependent on the place of purchase (books, clothes, travel, etc.)

This consumption item is not affected by the cost of living differential.

For more information, please visit our [Methodology](#) page.


EXCHANGE RATES

The Smart Expatriation cost of living index is updated on daily basis by applying the exchange rate of the day. Should you enter your own exchange rate when launching your simulation, the same exchange rate will be used to calculate the cost of living index.

Exchange rate source: XE.