

## **Unveiling Consumer Preferences of** Fried Chicken at QSRs

Consumers are driving a boom in the North American take-out fried chicken market, set to reach \$9.85 billion by 2030. We've surveyed 2,088 consumers across North America to uncover their cravings. Join us as we explore what makes fried chicken a fan favorite today!



What is your	avorite type of	f fried chicken?
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White meat	39%
Dark meat	28%
Tenders	24%
Chicken nuggets	7%
Other	2%

79%

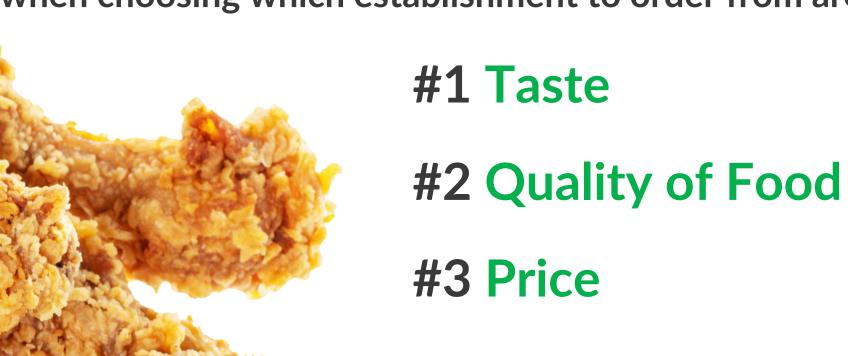
of consumers report that they typically order fried chicken from a

## Restaurant chain

followed by 17% at Grocery chain, and 4% at Convenience store chain.



The top 3 most important factors rated by respondents when choosing which establishment to order from are:



**Customers also highly value** restaurant cleanliness (55%) dining experience and food

and ingredient freshness (56%), highlighting a broader focus on quality alongside affordability.



In-store	46%
Drive-thru	33%
Brand's app	11%
Third-party apps	4%
Brand's website	4%
Other	1%

## Why is this important?

Understanding consumer choices in fried chicken orders provides valuable insights for businesses. Customers overwhelmingly prefer restaurant chains (79%), favoring options like white meat (39%) and tenders (24%). Key factors influencing their decisions include taste, quality, and price, with additional emphasis on restaurant cleanliness and ingredient freshness.

By prioritizing these aspects, businesses can enhance customer satisfaction and loyalty, ensuring they meet the diverse preferences driving the fried chicken market.

If you want more insights on how your brand can better meet the needs of your customer, Intouch is here to help!

## About Intouch Insight

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