IPSOS 2022 NORLD CUP SURVEY

Morocco Edition

November 2022

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General Attitudes & Behaviors



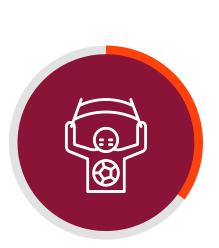
One Third of Moroccans Are Passionate Football Fans, Another Third Only Watch Games For Their Favorite Team



34%

Are Passionate Football Fans & Watch As Many Games As Possible





35%

Follow Football, But Only Watch Games For Their Favorite Team



27%

Watch Football Occasionally



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5%

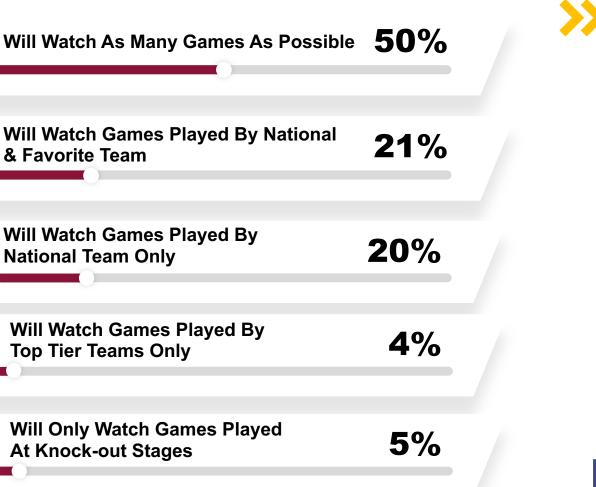
Don't Follow Football At All

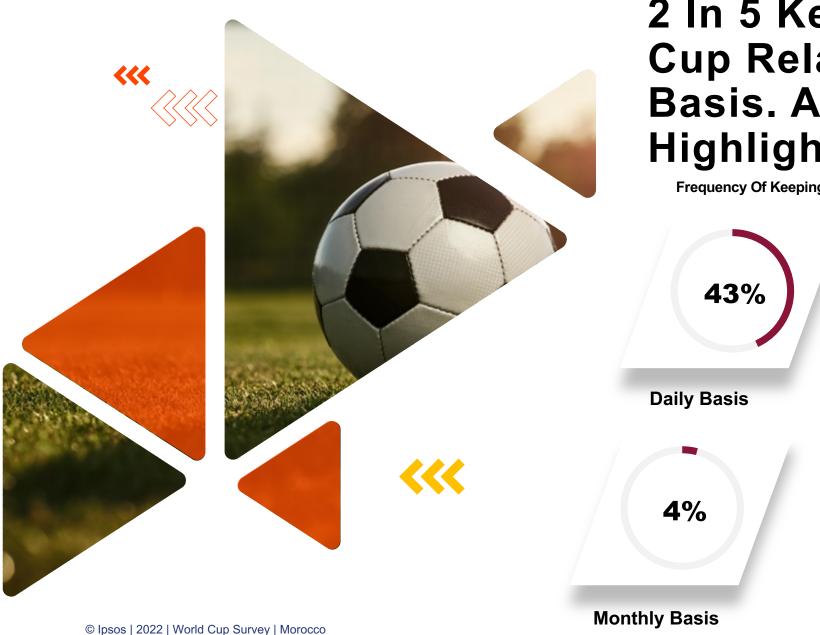




1 In 2 People Plan To Watch As Many World Cup Matches As Possible

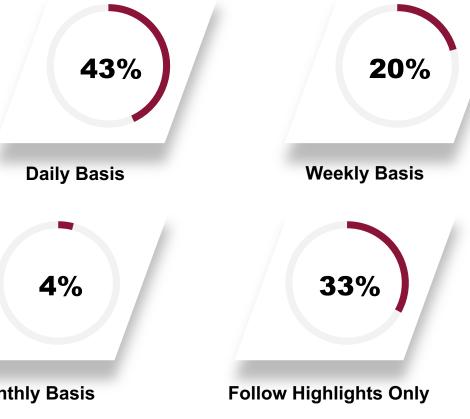
Frequency of Watching Games





2 In 5 Keep Up With World Cup Related News On A Daily Basis. A Third Follow Highlights Only

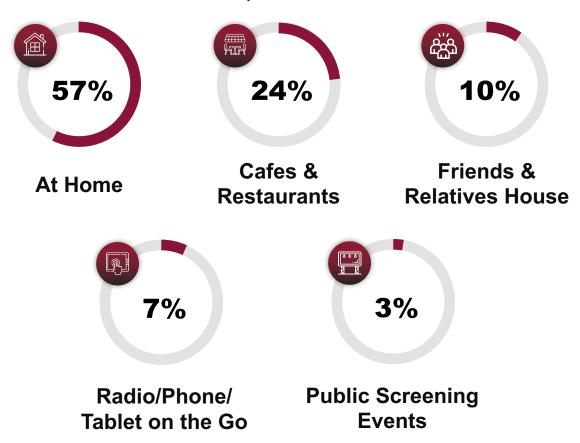
Frequency Of Keeping Up With World Cup News

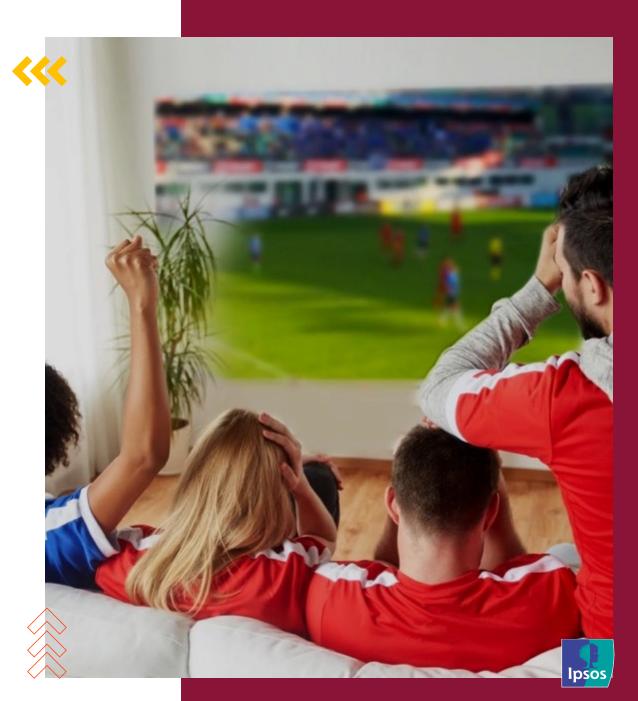




Most People Prefer Watching World Cup Games At Home

Preferred Place To Watch World Cup Games





The Majority Plan To Watch The World Cup's « Opening Ceremony



86%

Will be Watching the Opening Ceremony





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While Most People Have Good Sporting **Spirits, Half Prefer Watching Games With Fans Supporting Their Same Team**

80% **Prefer Watching Matches With Others** 20%

48% Like Watching Matches With **Opposing Teams' Fans**

52% Prefer Watching With People Supporting The Same Team

Prefer Watching Matches Alone

81%

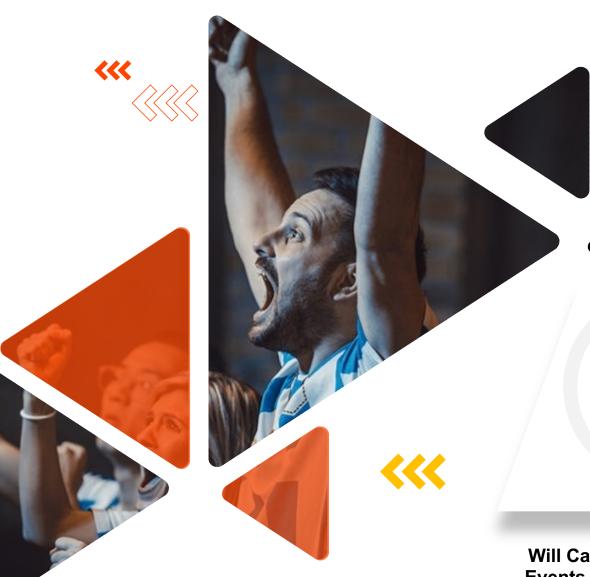
Have A Good Sporting Spirit & Accept My Team's Loss

19%

Cannot Accept My Team's Loss & Ruins My Mood For The Rest Of The Day



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## Around Half Will Cancel An Important Social Event To Watch Games. 3 In 10 Plan To Skip Work Or School For Some Games

**Canceling Important Events** 

**47%** 

30%

Will Cancel Important Events With Friends & Family To Watch Games

Plan To Miss School Or Work To Watch The Games



# Most People Plan To Go Out More, 2 In 5 Expect To Spend More Money During The World Cup

Change In Outing Behaviors During The World Cup



# **61%**

Plan To Go Out More Than Usual To Watch The Games

# **40%**

Will Spend More Money Than Usual During The World Cup Period

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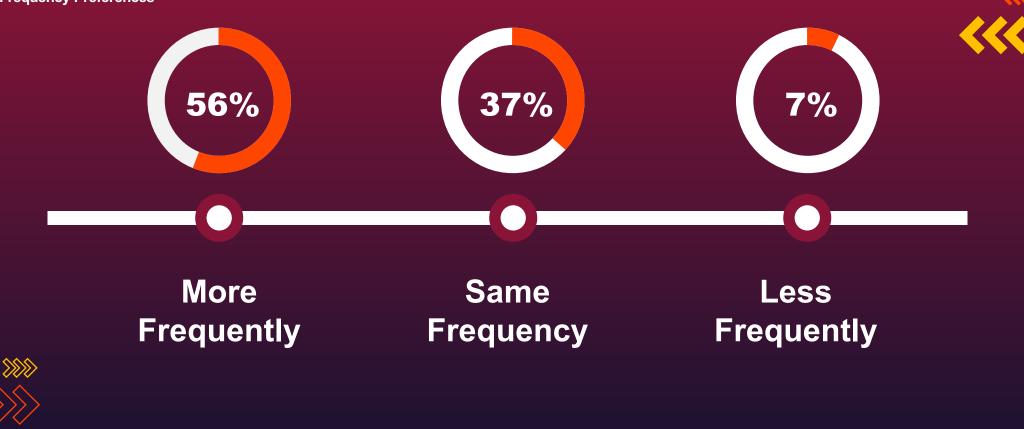


## Around 6 In 10 People Will Participate In Match Prediction Competitions & Buy World Cup Themed Products

**World Cup Rituals & Actions 58% Participate In Match Predictions Between Family, Friends & Colleagues** 56% **Buy World Cup Themed Products** 25% Follow Certain Good Luck **Rituals Before A Big Game** >>>

# Over Half Prefer To See The World Cup Taking Place More Frequently, A Third Prefer Seeing The World Cup Held Every 4 Years







# National Team Expectations





## The Majority Believe In The **Capabilities of The Moroccan National Team, Coach & Football Federation** ~~~ **Trust In Capabilities** 85% **National Team Players** 81% National Team's Coach

National Football Federation

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**78%** 



## The Moroccan National Team At The World Cup: What People Consider A Success vs. Team Expectations



How People Expect The Moroccan National Team To Perform



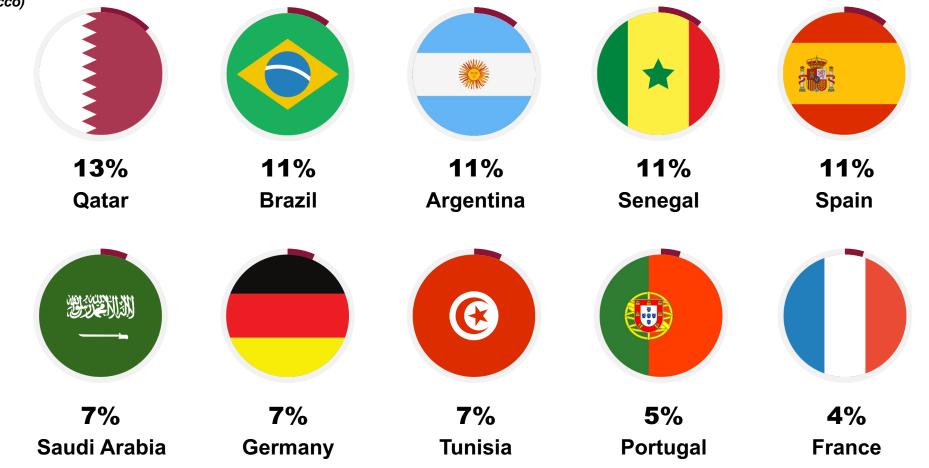
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# **Match Predictions**



# Besides Morocco, Qatar, Brazil, Argentina, Senegal & Spain Are The Most Supported Teams

Most Supported Teams (Other Than Morocco)





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Brazil Is The Team Seen As Most Likely To Be Crowned As The FIFA 2022 World Cup Champions



Predicted World Cup Winner







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Benzema Ranks First When It Comes To People's Predicted Golden Boot Winner

Predicted Golden Boot Winner













17% Cristiano Ronaldo



13%

Neymar

Jr.





7% Kylian Mbappe





World Cup Sponsorships



Around A Third Know Most Or All Brands Sponsoring The World Cup

Familiarity With World Cup Sponsorships



12% Know All Brands Sponsoring the World Cup



23% Know Most Brands Sponsoring the World Cup



44% Know a Few Brands Sponsoring the World Cup



21% Don't Know Any Brands Sponsoring the World Cup



Awareness of World Cup Sponsors

% Aware Each Brand Is Sponsoring The 2022 World Cup (Top 8 Most Recalled)



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Over Half Are More Likely To Purchase From Brands Sponsoring The World Cup



55%

Are More Likely To Purchase From Brands Sponsoring Major Events Like The World Cup





Media Consumption



The Majority Will Be Interacting More Online « With World Cup Content



78%

Interact More Online With World Cup Related Posts



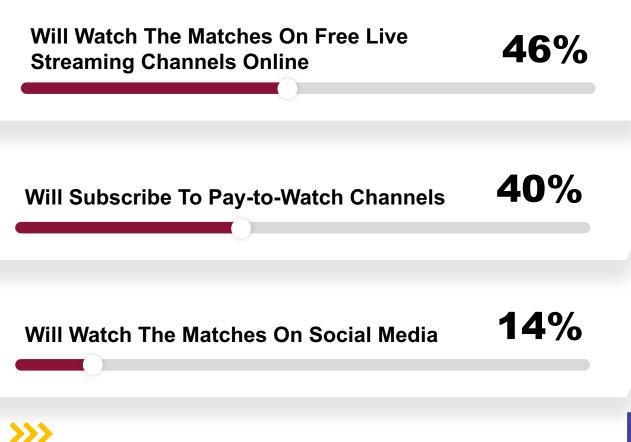




Close To Half Plan To Watch Games On Free Live Steaming Channels, 2 In 5 Plan To Subscribe To Pay-to-watch Channels

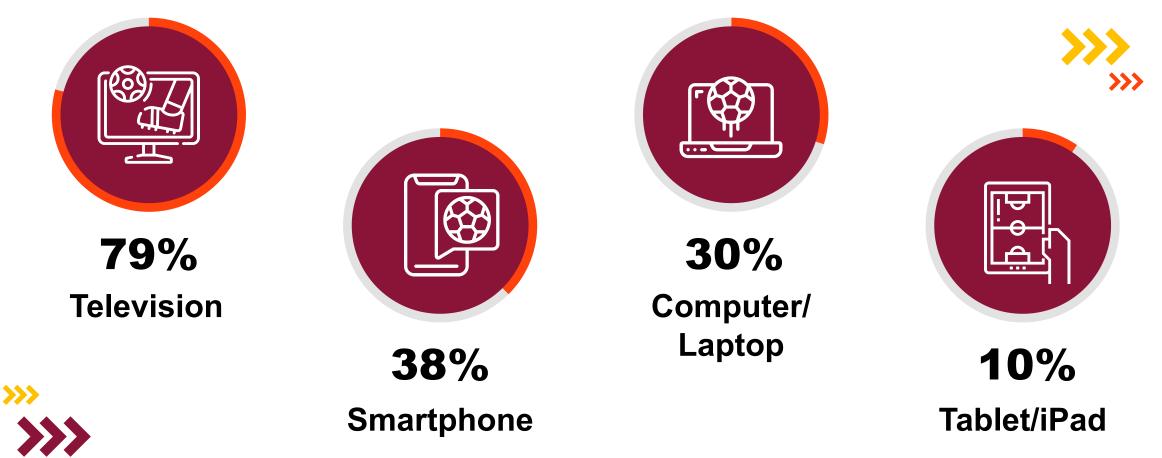
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Watching World Cup Games



# People In Morocco Prefer Watching World Cup Matches On Bigger Screens

**Devices Used To Watch Games** 





# Most People Plan To Keep Up With The Scores On A Daily Basis

Frequency of Checking Scores

Check Scores Daily

60%

**Check Scores Weekly** 

**16%** 

Check Scores for Key Matches Only **19%** 

Will Not Check Scores at All

**5%** 





### Social Media & TV Sport Highlights Are People's Go-To Sources To Check Scores

**Score Checking Sources** 



**61%** Social Media Apps



60% TV Sport Highlights



**36%** Football Score Websites

**13%** Football Score Apps



# Sample & Methodology

- 500 Respondents
- Males & Females
- 15 Years & Above
- Nationwide Coverage
- Online Interviews



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