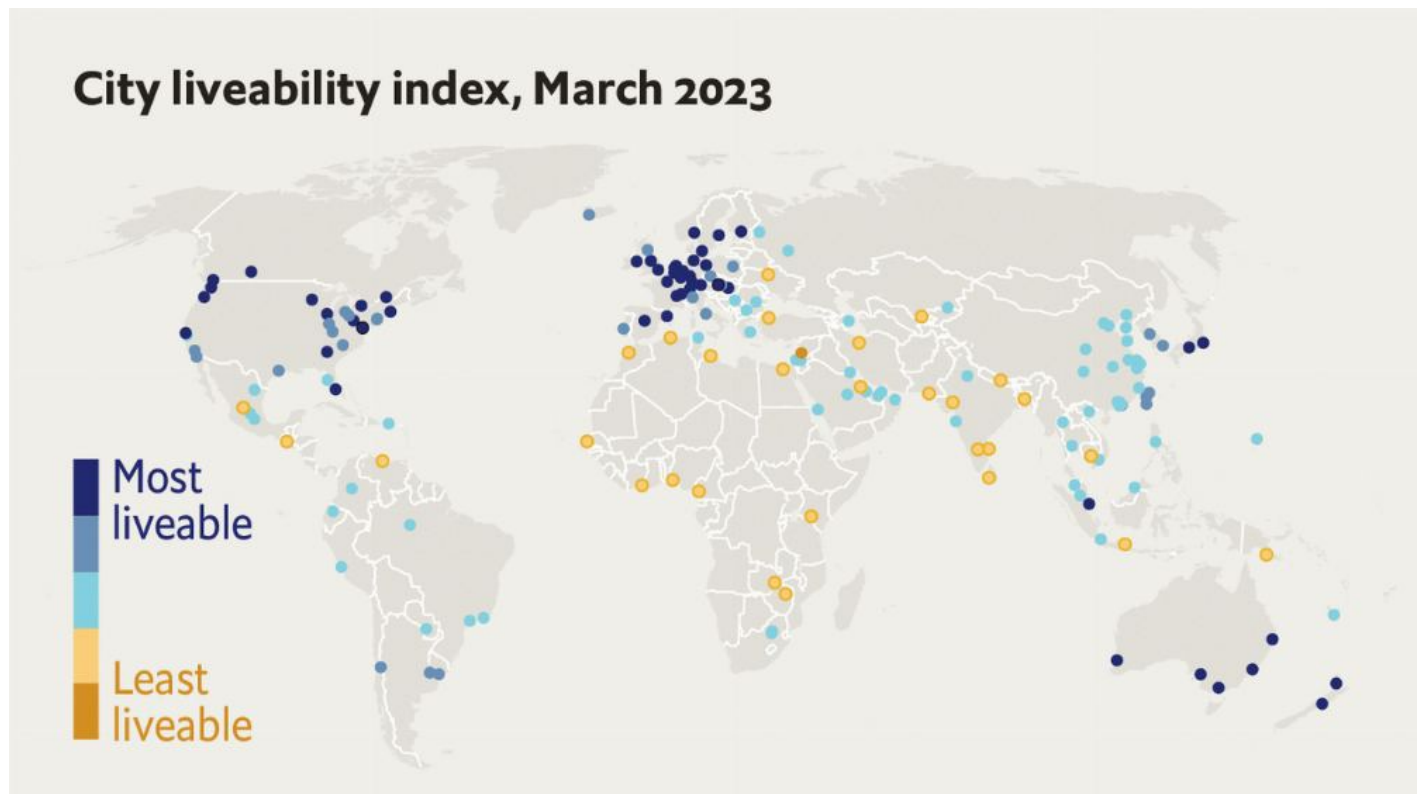


Global Liveability Index 2023

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About Global Liveability Index 2023:

- The index **quantifies the challenges presented** to an individual's lifestyle in 173 cities worldwide.
- It was given considering five metrics namely; **healthcare, culture, environment, education, and stability.**
- This ranking offers insights into the cities that excel in providing an exceptional quality of life.

Key highlights of the report

- **Top cities to live:** Vienna (Austria), Copenhagen (Denmark), Melbourne and Sydney (Australia)
- **Bottom 3 Liveable cities:** Algiers (Algeria), Tripoli (Libya) and Damascus (Syria)
- From Asia, Japan's Osaka was ranked number 10 in the rankings.
- The index rose last year to reach a 15-year high as the world recovered from the pandemic.
- The average index score is now 76.2 out of 100, up from 73.2 a year ago.
- Despite overall growth in the index score, **stability saw a marginal decline.**
- Those in **Western Europe** in particular, have slipped in rankings **due to increased instances of workers' strikes failing to** "match gains" made by cities in Asia and the Middle East.

- The cities which are plagued by ongoing civil unrest and military conflicts, amongst other issues, remained at the bottom of the list.
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Q1) What is Culture?

Culture encompasses the shared beliefs, values, customs, behaviors, and artifacts that characterize a particular group or society. It is a complex and dynamic system that shapes the way people think, behave, and interact within a community.

Source: [These are the world's most liveable cities for 2023](#)

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