

Trivia Café Presents...
“Wide World of Trivia”
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1. True or False: There is no country called Holland. True - it's a region of the Netherlands
2. What's the only U.S. state with a one syllable name? Maine
3. The Canary Islands are named after what kind of animal? Dogs (canines)
4. What sea, with the name of a country, borders England? Irish Sea
5. True or False: Switzerland is a member state of the United Nations. On 10, 2002, Switzerland became the 190th member of the United Nations
6. The number of people living in this 5 million square mile region varies from 4,000 in summer to 1,000 in winter. What region is it? Antarctica
7. What kind of small fish are named for an island in the Mediterranean, where they were once in abundance? Sardine / Sardinia
8. What percent of the earth's rainfall eventually runs back into the ocean: 50%, 70%, or 90%? 91% Source: South Florida Water Management District
9. The world's finest emeralds come from what country whose other major (legal) export is coffee? Colombia
10. What capital of a southern U.S. state is named after a President? Jackson Mississippi