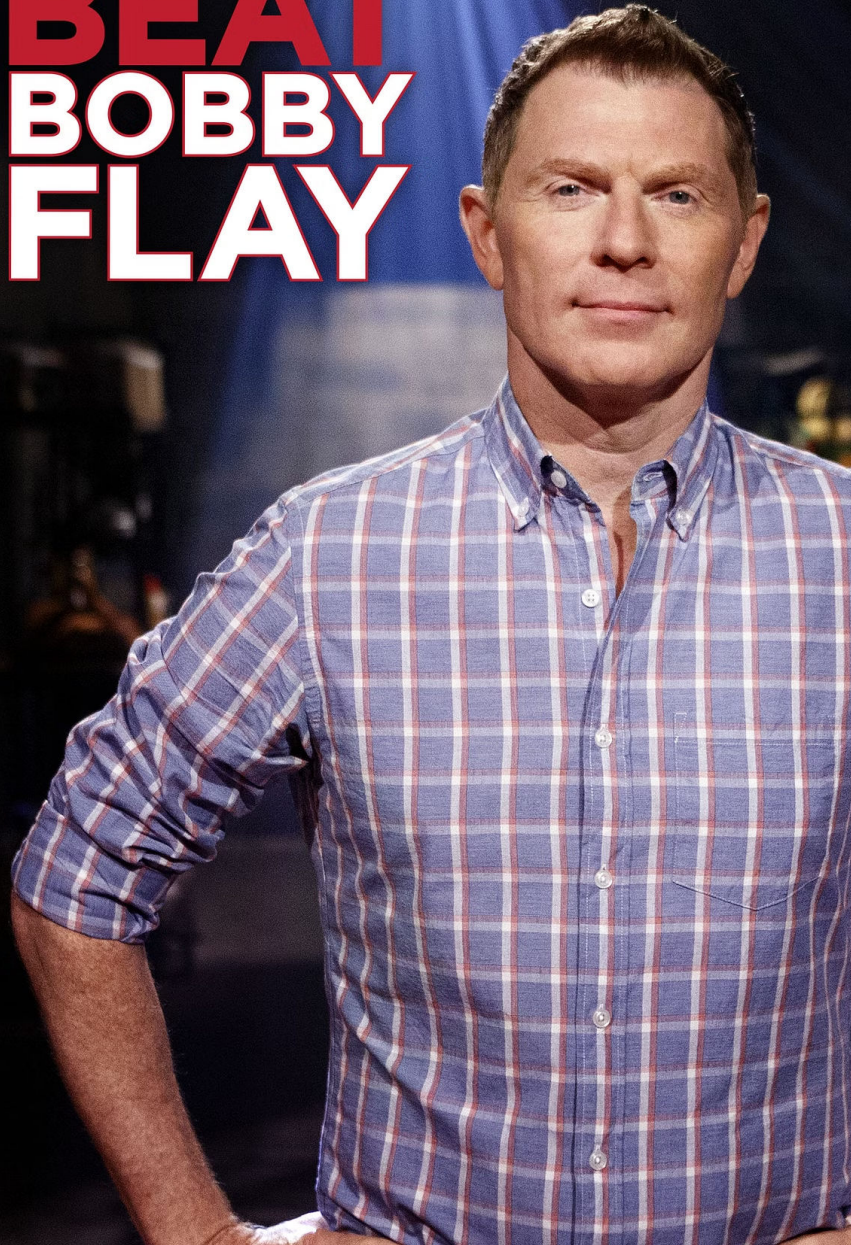


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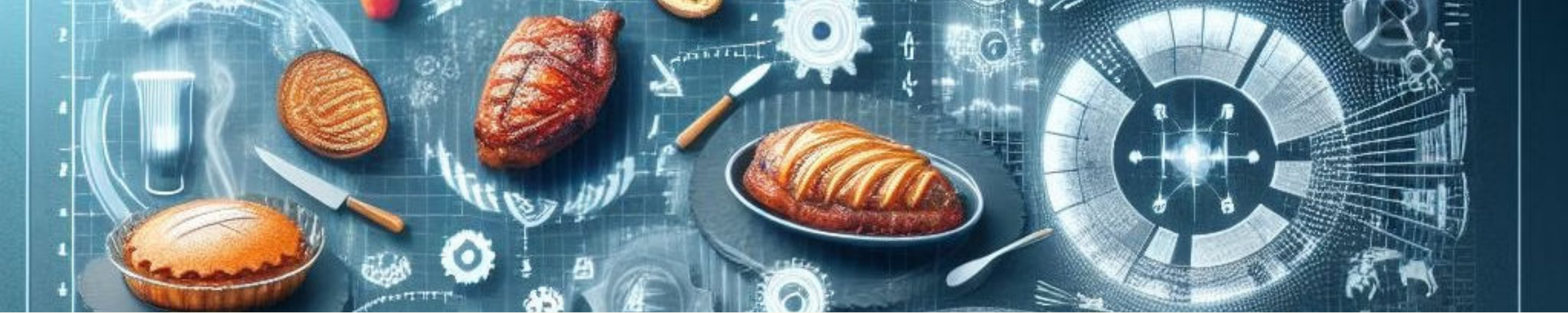
Introduction: Beat Bobby Flay

Beat Bobby Flay is a cooking competition show that airs on the Food Network. In each episode, two contestants battle it out to face Bobby Flay in the second round. The first round consists of the two contestants cooking for 20 minutes against each other using an ingredient chosen by Flay. Two guests, often a celebrity chef and a friend of Flay, then determine who cooked the better dish and will face Flay in the second round.

In the second round, the winning contestant faces Bobby Flay with their own signature dish. The goal is to see if they can beat Bobby at his own game.



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Win Rate Analysis

61.87%

Bobby Flay's win rate over the first 396 episodes.

85.71%

Bobby Flay's highest win rate in season 31.

38.46%

Bobby Flay's lowest win rate in season 24.

Show Statistics

17.99%

Deviation between each season's win rate.

1.92%

Deviation between season episode count.

Season Analysis

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Season with Most Episodes

Season 25 had the most episodes at 17.

2

Season with Least Episodes

Seasons 7 and 1 each had only 7 episodes.

3

Average Episodes per Season

The average number of episodes per season is 12.8.





Ingredient Analysis

1 Unique Ingredients

Bobby has asked his contestants to use a total of 378 different ingredients in Round 1.

2 Repeated Ingredients

18-way tie for the most repeated ingredient, including Shiitake Mushrooms, Coconut, Oysters, and more.

Dish Analysis

Dishes Won More Than Once

11-way tie for dishes that Bobby has won more than once, including pork chops and applesauce, burger, and more.

Dishes Lost More Than Once

8-way tie for dishes that Bobby has lost more than once, including wonton soup, huevos rancheros, and more.

Judge Analysis

356	Different judges have been on Beat Bobby Flay.
21	Judges Leah Cohen and Michael Psilakis have appeared on the show the most times.



Contestant Analysis

Contestants Beating Bobby

Alex Guarnaschelli stands out as she has won two times.

Guests Bringing Winning Contestants

Sunny Anderson leads with 13 contestants who have beaten Bobby Flay.

Data Collection and Processing

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Data Collection

Data was sourced from the [Wikipedia page for Beat Bobby Flay](#) and collected using Python to scrape the information from the page.

2

Data Processing

Excel was used to clean and prepare the data for analysis, including replacing special characters and extracting dates in YYYY/MM/DD format.

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Results Analysis

Various questions were answered using Excel, such as Bobby Flay's win rate, number of episodes per season, and different ingredients used in Round 1.