

Changes in My Personal Music Taste

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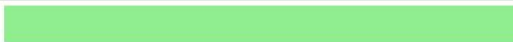




Objective

- Analyze how my listening habits have changed
- Use these findings to consider what my future music taste might be



Context: Music Phases

- Current phases: Chinese music (2+ years), sad English songs (1+ months)
- Past phases: Show tunes (almost 3 years), Kpop (about 3 years), lofi (almost 3 years)
- Listened to Kpop and lofi during show tunes phase
- Listened to Chinese music during Kpop phase

Phase	Start Date	End Date	Timeline
Show Tunes	09/2016	06/2019	
Kpop	07/2017	06/2020	
Lofi	09/2017	05/2020	
Chinese Music	05/2020	11/2022	
Sad English Songs	10/2022	11/2022	

Data Collection

- statsforspotify.com
- Top 50 songs for all time, past 6 months, past 4 weeks
- Split data by genre and language

last 4 weeks

last 6 months

all time

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愛是

連淮偉, 彭雅琦

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Fly Me Away

StreamBeats Originals, Tuonto

3



Moonlike Smile

Yu-Peng Chen, HOYO-MiX, Zach Huang

4



Never Stop

China songs

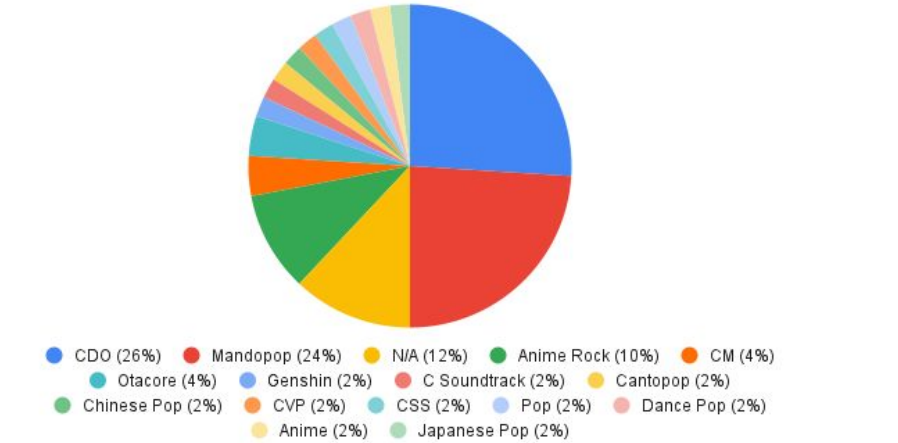
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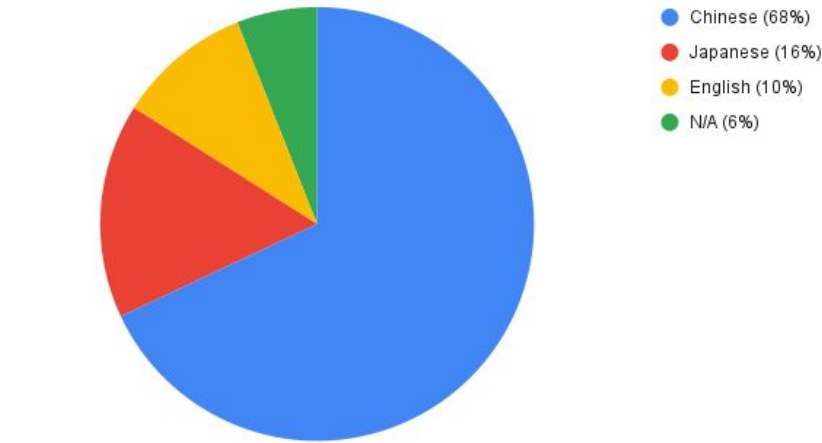
I Miss You

Joyce Chu

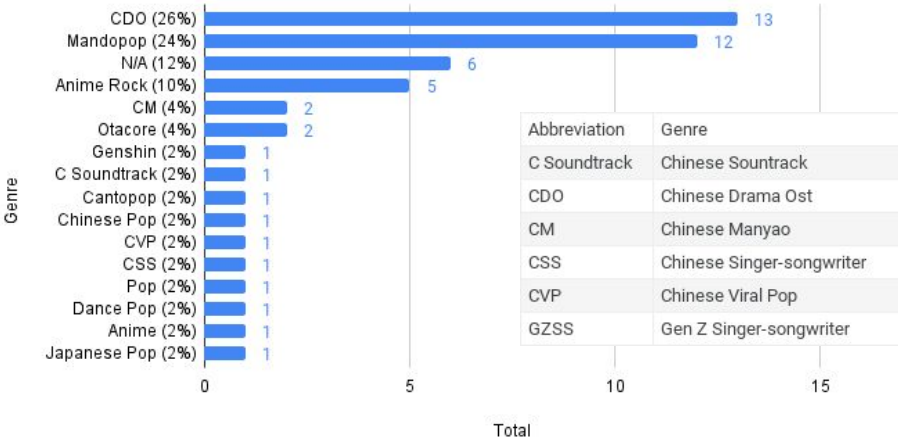
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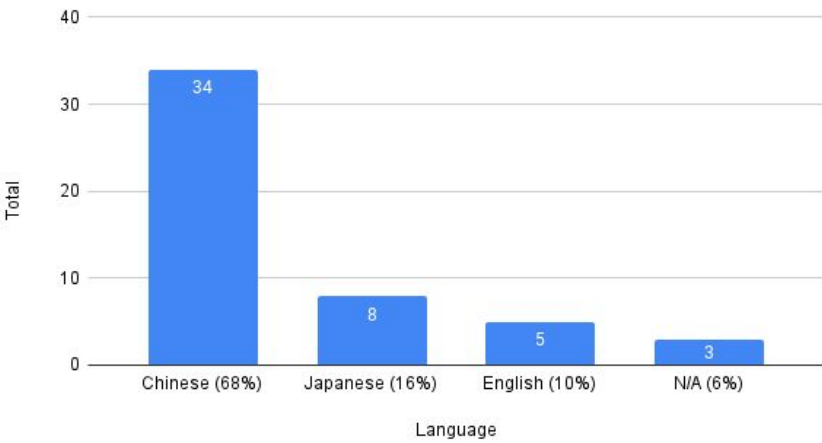
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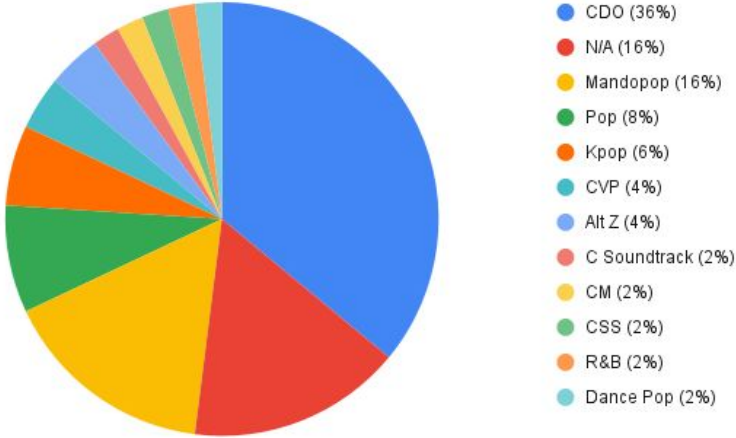
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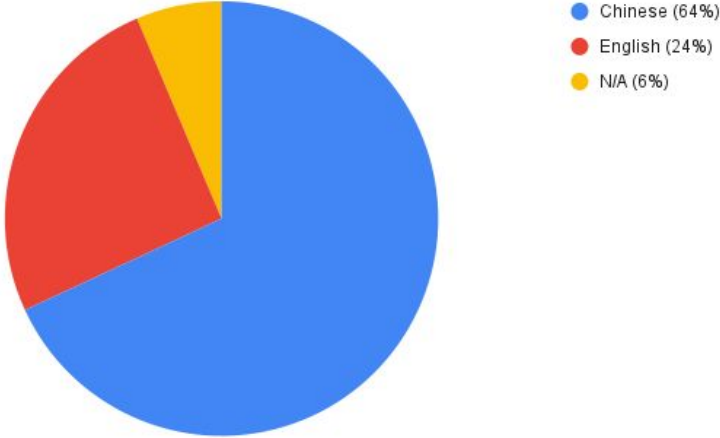
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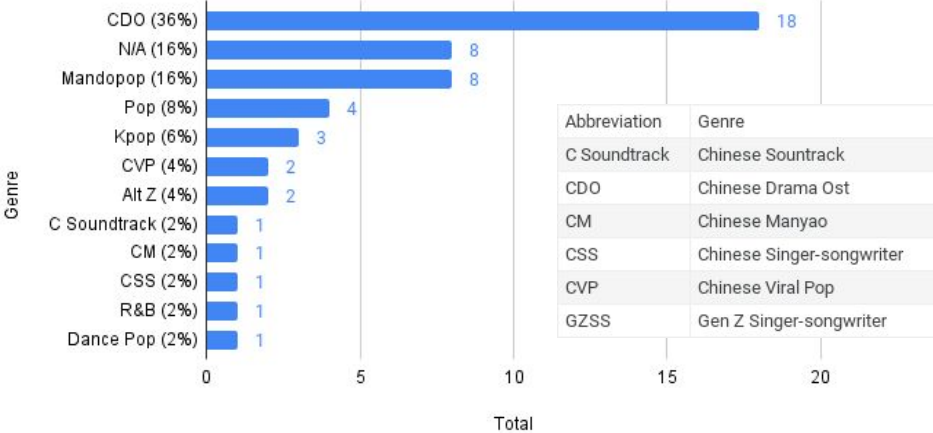
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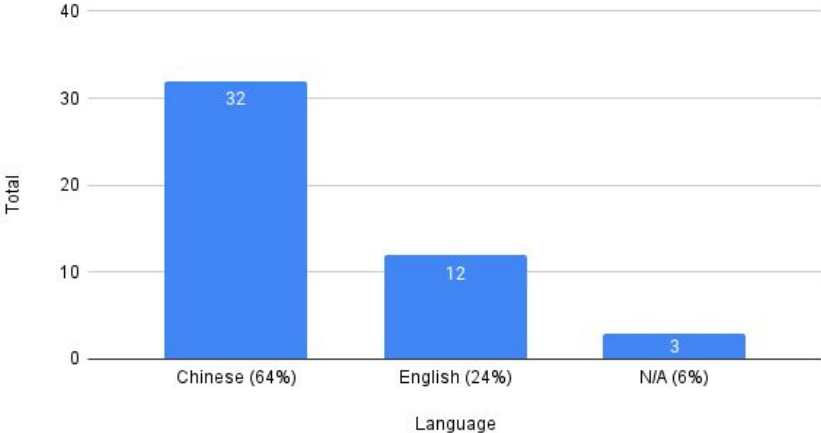
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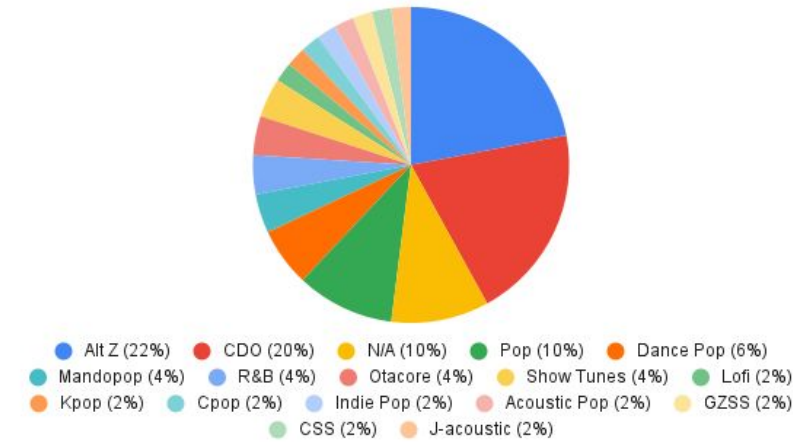
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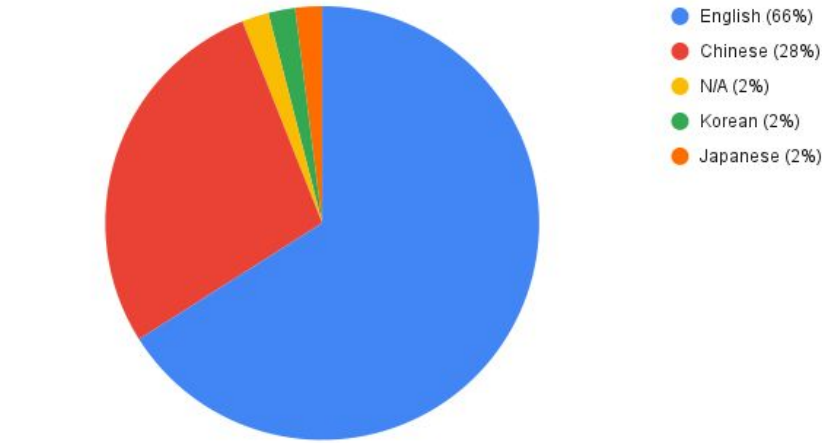
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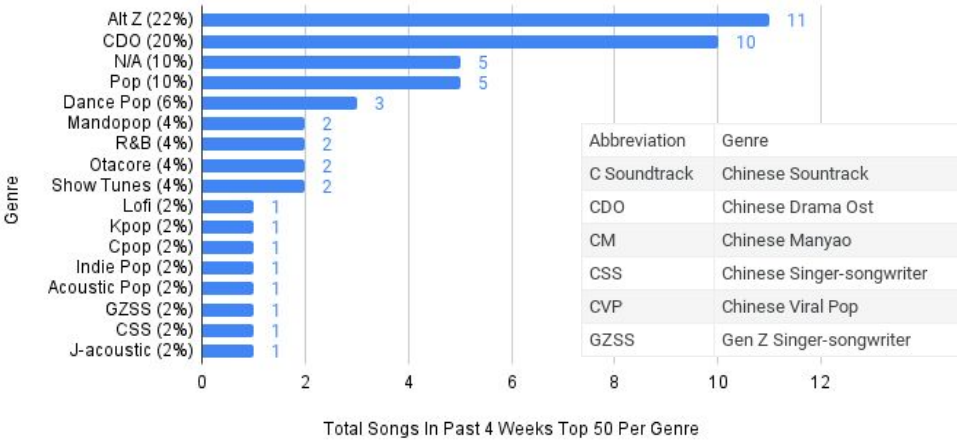
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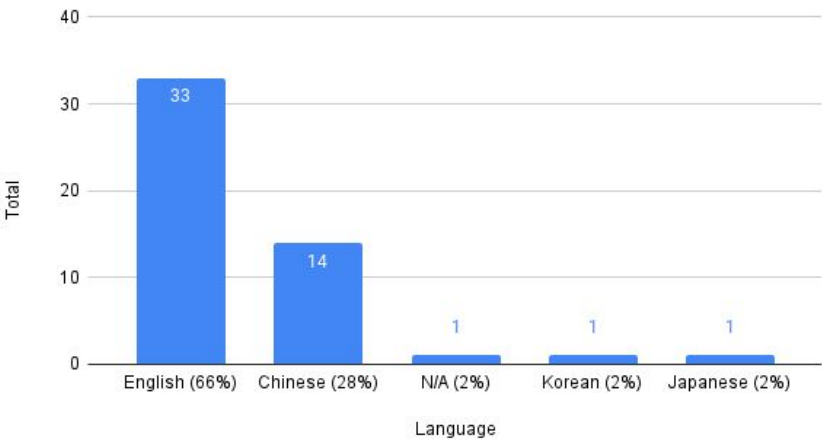
Total Songs In Past 4 Weeks Top 50 Per Language



Total Songs In Past 4 Weeks Top 50 Per Genre vs. Genre



Total Songs In Past 4 Weeks Top 50 Per Language



Data vs. Phases

Matches

Current:

- Chinese music and sad English song phases - current majority of past 4 weeks

Doesn't match

Current:

- Chinese music phase longer than sad English song phase - English majority for past 4 weeks

Past:

- Kpop and lofi phases longer than Chinese music phase - Chinese music majority for all time
- No Japanese music phase - all time contains Japanese but no Korean music

What Might Have Caused These Differences?

- Playing Chinese songs on repeat, causing higher rank in data
- New American music related to specific mood, greater current listening
- Favorite American artist, recently playing their songs on repeat



What Can I Infer About My Listening Habits?

- More than likely to continue listening to Chinese music
- Occasional other languages and genres, but not as much



Sources

<https://www.statsforspotify.com/>

Personal spotify data, containing top 50 songs for all time, past 6 months,
past 4 weeks

