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Top 10 in East Asia/Pacific with top in each country - compared to QS and THE						
NATURE YOUNG UNIVERSITY RANKINGS Asia/Pac ranks						
FC	University	Country	Founding Date	AC	QS	THE
TOP 10 Asia-Pac Ranks						
1	University Chinese Academy of Science (UCAS) *	CN	1	1	ne	ne
2	Nanyang Technological Institute (NTU) *	SG	1991	2	1	2
3	KAIST (Korean Advanced Institute of Sciences & Technology)*	KR	1971	3	3	4
4	Hong Kong University of Science & Technology (HKUST)* 	HK	1991	4	2	1
5	Southern University of Science & Technology (SUSTech)	CN	2012	5	nr	=19
6	Pohang University of Science & Technology (POSTECH)	KR	1986	6	5	5
7	Ulsan National Institute of Science & Technology (UNIST) 	KR	2009	10	81-90	8
8	City University Hong Kong(CityU)	HK	1994	7	4	3
9	Shenzhen University (SZU) 	CH	1983	8	nr	nr
10	Homi Bhabha National Institute (HBN) *	IN	2005	11	nr	nr
12	ShanghaiTech 	CN	2013	9	nr	nr
13	Curtin University *	AU	1986	12	13	19
14	Hong Kong Polytechnic U	HK	1996	14	6	7
17	Okinawa Institute of Science & Technology Graduate U(OIST) *	JP	2011	23	ne	ne
18	Queensland U Tech 	AU	1989	13	12	9
20	U Wollongong	AU	1975	16	10	11

21	University of Technology Sydney	AU	1988	21	7	6	
32	Macau University *	MO	1981	48	51-60	18	
40	The U of South Australia (UniSA)	AU	1991	22	15	10	
41	National Sun Yat-Sen University (NSYSU) *	TW	1980	39	51-60	151-200	
143	Vidyasirimedhi Institute of Science and Technology (VISTEC) *	TH	2015	164	nr	nr	
NOT IN NATURE							
	U Putra Malaysia				8	201-250	
	U Kebangsaan Malesia				9	151-200	
NOTES: * indicates top institution in country; "ne" not eligible because graduate programs only							
NATURE	🌐 - fast lane unis- Daegu Gyeongbuk Inst of Science (KR-50) https://www.nature.com/articles/d41586-019-03176-1						
	Hong Kong and Macao are treated as China (CN) .mainland China leads region with 17						
	https://www.natureindex.com/supplements/nature-index-2019-young-universities/index						
QS Top 50 under 50	(150 universities with the top 50 receiving individual ranks						
	13 regional countries represented, with Australia having the most institutions						
	https://www.topuniversities.com/university-rankings-articles/top-50-under-50-next-50-under-50/gs-top-50-under-50-2020						
THE	Australia and India have the most institutions in the region; 14 countries are represented						
	https://www.timeshighereducation.com/world-university-rankings/2019/young-university-rankings#!/page/0/length/25/sort by/rank/sort_order/asc/cols/stats						