

Sandra Hayek

Salma Hayek Jiménez is a Mexican actress, businesswoman and producer. She was born in Veracruz on 2 September 1966. After living with her aunt for part of her adolescence in the US city of Houston, Salma began studying International Relations in Mexico City, dropping out to try to become an actress. Wanting to try her luck in Hollywood, she landed in Los Angeles in the 1990's and made her first foray into film in the drama 'Mi vida loca' in 1993. The daughter of an opera singer and an oil businessman, Salma Hayek boasts a mixed



background. She has Mexican, Spanish and Lebanese blood running through her veins; it is not for nothing that her name, Salma, is of Arab origin. She has also made her mark as a



television producer thanks to the series Betty. In 2013 she also produced the animated film The Prophet, and has also participated as a dubbing actress in this genre in El gato con botas, Piratas! and La fiesta de las

salchichas. She is currently devoted to her family, she is now 55 years old, she has a 14-year-old daughter named Valentina Paloma Pinault who was born in Los Angeles, California.

Questions:

1. What year was Salma Hayek born?

- a) 1998
- b) 1966
- c) 1987

2. Who is Salma Hayek?

- a) Mexican actress, businesswoman and producer.
- b) Wither
- c) Singer

3. What did Salma start studying in Mexico City?

- a) International Business
- b) International Relations
- c) Lawyer

4. In which year did she land in Los Angeles to try her luck in Hollywood?

- a) 1990's
- b) 1980's
- c) 1970's

5. In what year did you make your first foray into film with the drama 'Mi vida loca'?

- a) 1969
- b) 1994
- c) 1993

6. What is the origin of your name?

- a) Lebanese
- b) Mexican
- c) Arabic

7. How old is Salma Hayek now?

- a) 58
- b) 60
- c) 55

8. In which country was Salma Hayek's daughter Valentina Paloma born?

- a) United States of America
- b) Los Angeles
- c) Mexico, Veracruz