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## 12 Wine Country Destinations

Lodging in Napa and Sonoma tends to fill up fast, particularly in the summer and fall, when the grapes are harvested and tourism peaks. The boundaries of the Santa Cruz appellation extend from Mt. Explore diverse cities, picturesque hamlets, family-friendly beaches, coastal parklands, and wine country, including Napa and Sonoma wine country, 1½ hours north of San Francisco.

#### California Wine Country Getaways

Micro-climates abound, with warm sunny days, nights brushed with fog and almost everything in between.

#### How to Plan a Trip to the California Wine Country

Temecula is upscale wine country. Spring 2021 will bring more opportunities to enjoy the wine country. Established as an official appellation in 1981, these mountains encompass 480,000 acres, cover three counties and rise to 2,600 feet.

#### California Wine Country

Its windswept coastline and miles of winding roads through majestic redwoods, just three hours from San Francisco, are show stoppers. The end result for winemaking has been pockets of extraordinarily diverse and distinctive terroir scattered among two mountain ranges and a valley floor, bordering the coolness of San Pablo Bay and further up valley, influenced by hotter inland territory.

#### California Wine Regions

The grapes grown on the northern side generally show more opulence, more fruit, and have softer textures and tannins. This allows cold ocean air to pour into this valley, obstructed only by topography. Spotlight on Edna Valley: Located just north of the small town of Arroyo Grande.

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