

CALIFORNIA'S WINEGROWING REGIONS



A numerical listing of AVAs* grouped by geographic region

- FAR NORTH**
 - HUMBOLDT COUNTY**
 1. Willow Creek (Also in Trinity Co.)
 - SHASTA COUNTY**
 2. Inwood Valley
 3. Manton Valley (Also in Tehama Co.)
 - SISKIYOU COUNTY**
 4. Seiad Valley
 - TRINITY COUNTY**
 5. Trinity Lakes
- NORTH COAST**
 - 6. North Coast
- LAKE COUNTY**
 - 7. Benmore Valley
 - 8. Big Valley District-Lake County
 - 9. Clear Lake
 - 10. Guenoc Valley
 - 11. High Valley
 - 12. Kelsey Bench-Lake County
 - 13. Long Valley-Lake County
 - 14. Upper Lake Valley
 - 15. Red Hills Lake County
- MENDOCINO COUNTY**
 - 16. Anderson Valley
 - 17. Cole Ranch
 - 18. Comptche
 - 19. Covelo
 - 20. Dos Rios
 - 21. Eagle Peak Mendocino County
 - 22. McDowell Valley
 - 23. Mendocino
 - 24. Mendocino Ridge
 - 25. Pine Mountain-Cloverdale Peak (Also in Sonoma Co.)
 - 26. Potter Valley
 - 27. Redwood Valley
 - 28. Yorkville Highlands
- NAPA COUNTY**
 - 29. Napa Valley (Includes 29-44)
 - 30. Atlas Peak
 - 31. Calistoga
 - 32. Chiles Valley District
 - 33. Coombsville
 - 34. Diamond Mountain District
 - 35. Howell Mountain
 - 36. Los Carneros (Also in Sonoma Co.)
 - 37. Mount Veeder
 - 38. Oak Knoll District of Napa Valley
 - 39. Oakville
 - 40. Rutherford
 - 41. Spring Mountain District
 - 42. St. Helena
 - 43. Stags Leap District
 - 44. Wild Horse Valley (Also in Solano Co.)
 - 45. Yountville
- SOLANO COUNTY**
 - 46. Solano County Green Valley
 - 47. Suisun Valley
- SONOMA COUNTY**
 - 48. Alexander Valley
 - 49. Bennett Valley
 - 50. Chalk Hill
 - 51. Dry Creek Valley
 - 52. Fort Ross-Seaview
 - 53. Fountaingrove District
 - 54. Green Valley of Russian River Valley
 - 55. Knights Valley
 - 56. Moon Mountain District Sonoma County
 - 57. Northern Sonoma (Includes 48, 50, 51, 54, 55, 60 and part of 25 and 59)
 - 58. Petaluma Gap (Also in Marin County)
 - 59. Rockpile
 - 60. Russian River Valley
 - 61. Sonoma Coast (Includes 52 and 64)
 - 62. Sonoma Mountain
 - 63. Sonoma Valley
 - 64. West Sonoma Coast
- CENTRAL COAST**
 - 65. Central Coast
- ALAMEDA COUNTY**
 - 66. Livermore Valley (Also in Contra Costa Co.)
- CONTRA COSTA COUNTY**
 - 67. San Francisco Bay (Includes all or portions of Contra Costa, San Benito, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, San Francisco and Solano counties)
 - 68. Contra Costa
 - 69. Lamorinda
- MONTEREY COUNTY**
 - 70. Arroyo Seco
 - 71. Carmel Valley
 - 72. Chalone (Also in San Benito Co.)
 - 73. Gabilan Mountains (Also in San Benito Co.)
 - 74. Hames Valley
 - 75. Monterey
 - 76. San Antonio Valley
 - 77. San Bernabe
 - 78. San Lucas
 - 79. Santa Lucia Highlands
- SAN BENITO COUNTY**
 - 80. Cienega Valley
 - 81. Lime Kiln Valley
 - 82. Mt. Harlan
 - 83. Pacheco Pass (Also in Santa Clara Co.)
 - 84. Paicines
 - 85. San Benito
- SAN LUIS OBISPO**
 - 86. Adelaida District
 - 87. Arroyo Grande Valley
 - 88. Creston District
 - 89. Edna Valley
 - 90. El Pomar District
 - 91. Paso Robles (Incl. 86, 88, 90, 92-98, 100)
 - 92. Paso Robles Estrella District
 - 93. Paso Robles Geneseo District
 - 94. Paso Robles Highlands District
 - 95. Paso Robles Willow Creek District
 - 96. San Juan Creek
 - 97. San Miguel District
 - 98. Santa Margarita Ranch
 - 99. SLO Coast
 - 100. Templeton Gap District
 - 101. York Mountain
- SANTA BARBARA COUNTY**
 - 102. Alisos Canyon
 - 103. Ballard Canyon
 - 104. Happy Canyon of Santa Barbara
 - 105. Los Olivos District
 - 106. Santa Maria Valley (Also in San Luis Obispo Co.)
 - 107. Santa Ynez Valley
 - 108. Sta. Rita Hills
- SANTA CLARA COUNTY**
 - 109. San Ysidro District
 - 110. Santa Clara Valley (Also in Alameda, San Benito and San Mateo counties)
- SANTA CRUZ COUNTY**
 - 111. Ben Lomond Mountain
 - 112. Santa Cruz Mountains (Also in San Mateo and Santa Clara counties. This AVA is not part of the San Francisco Bay AVA or Central Coast AVA)
- INLAND VALLEYS**
 - FRESNO COUNTY**
 113. Squaw Valley-Miramonte
 - KERN COUNTY**
 114. Tehachapi Mountains
 - MADERA COUNTY**
 115. Madera (Also in Fresno Co.)
 - SACRAMENTO COUNTY**
 116. Alta Mesa
 117. Borden Ranch (Also in San Joaquin Co.)
 118. Cosumnes River
 119. Sloughhouse
 - SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY**
 120. Clements Hills
 121. Jahant (Also in Sacramento Co.)
 122. Lodi (Also in Sacramento Co.)
 123. Mokelumne River
 124. River Junction
 125. Tracy Hills (Also in Stanislaus Co.)
 - STANISLAUS COUNTY**
 126. Diablo Grande
 127. Paulsell Valley
 128. Salado Creek
 - YOLO COUNTY**
 129. Capay Valley
 130. Clarksburg (Also in Sacramento and Solano counties)
 131. Dunning Hills
 132. Merritt Island
 133. Winters Highlands (Also in Solano Co.)
- SIERRA FOOTHILLS**
 - 134. Sierra Foothills
- AMADOR COUNTY**
 - 135. California Shenandoah Valley (Also in El Dorado Co.)
 - 136. Fiddletown
- EL DORADO COUNTY**
 - 137. El Dorado
 - 138. Fair Play
- YUBA COUNTY**
 - 139. North Yuba
- SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**
 - 140. South Coast
 - LOS ANGELES COUNTY**
 141. Antelope Valley of the California High Desert (Also in Kern Co.)
 142. Leona Valley
 143. Malibu Coast (Also in Ventura Co.)
 144. Malibu-Newton Canyon
 145. Saddle Rock-Malibu
 146. Palos Verdes Peninsula
 147. Sierra Pelona Valley
 - SAN BERNADINO COUNTY**
 148. Cucamonga Valley (Also in Riverside Co.)
 - RIVERSIDE COUNTY**
 149. Yucaipa Valley
 150. Temecula Valley
 - SAN DIEGO**
 151. Ramona Valley
 152. San Pasqual Valley

***WHAT'S AN AVA?**
 The geographic origins of California winegrapes are identified either by political boundaries, such as county names, or by federally-recognized growing regions, called American Viticultural Areas (AVAs). For a wine to carry an AVA on its label, at least 85% of the grapes must be grown in that AVA; for county names that number is 75%. Wine with "California" or any California AVA on the label means that 100% of the grapes are grown in the Golden State.