

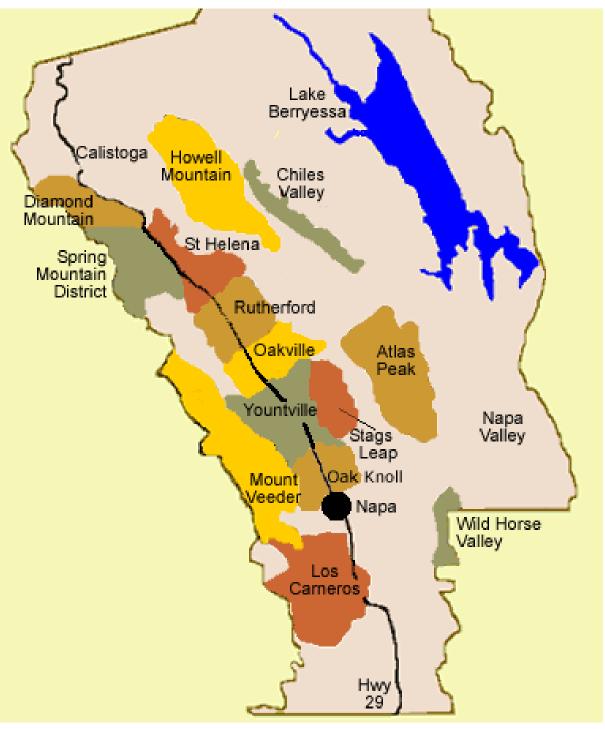
The Great Napa Valley

The Napa Valley is a name derived from the language of the area's native Wappo Indians, and has come to mean "land of plenty."

"Napa" has meant a place of natural abundance for centuries our rivers full of fish, our forests, rolling hills, wildlife, climate, and fertile land for planting crops all combine to make The Napa Valley a place of singular beauty and productivity.

California → NAPA









The Napa Valley Wine Train Napa's most unique restaurant.

The Napa Valley Wine Train is one of the most unique and best Napa restaurants. This top dining establishment is housed in an antique train that runs on 25-miles of track in the heart of the Napa Valley. The train itself has two engines, three kitchens on board and a collection of early 20th century rail cars that are pure Americana. It offers guests great regional food and fabulous, hard-to-find wines.

The Napa Valley Wine Train's winery tour packages provide a full Napa Valley experience. Learn about wine tasting and sample local Napa wines with our wine educator in the station. Board the train and enjoy a freshly prepared three course gourmet lunch. Relax as we journey alongside beautiful vineyards and world famous Napa wineries. Then disembark, and participate in private tours and wine tastings on one of our many outstanding winery tours.

Balloon Ride in the Wine Country



Napa Limo Tours



Napa Bus Tours



Napa Valley Winery Bike Tour







Valley Floor:

- Calistoga AVA (pending)
- St. Helena AVA
- Rutherford AVA
- Oakville AVA
- Yountville AVA
- Stags Leap District AVA
- Oak Knoll District of Napa Valley AVA
- Los Carneros AVA

Mayacamas Mountains:

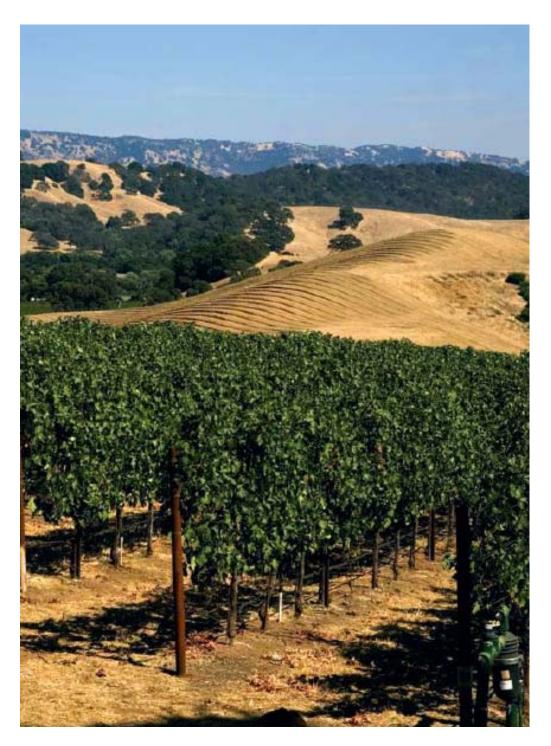
- Diamond Mountain District AVA
- Spring Mountain District AVA
- Mount Veeder AVA

Vaca Range:

- Howell Mountain AVA
- Atlas Peak AVA

And:

- Chiles Valley District AVA
- Wild Horse Valley AVA



Napa Valley AVA:

45,000 acres under vine

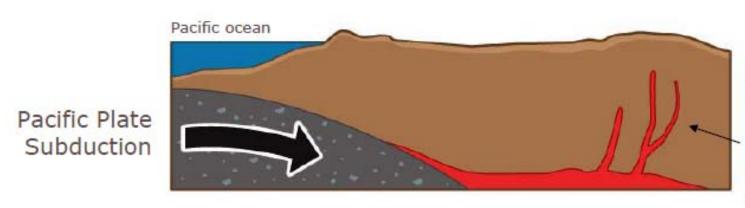
Only 4% of all California wine

About 70% of Napa Valley's 400 wineries make less than 5,000 cases of a wine a year (that's not a lot).

Adding \$42.5 billion annually to the U.S. economy

Employing over 40,000 in Napa County

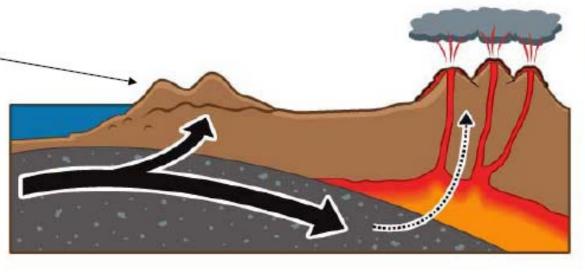
Distinct Topography



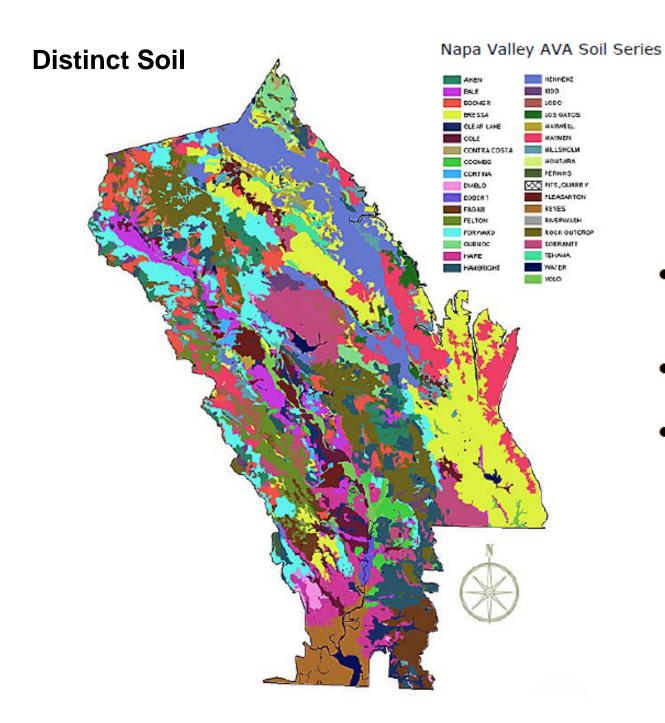
North American Plate

Magma rises to form volcanoes and mountains





Great Valley Sequence



- Over 100 soil variations
- 33 soil series
- Half the world soil orders

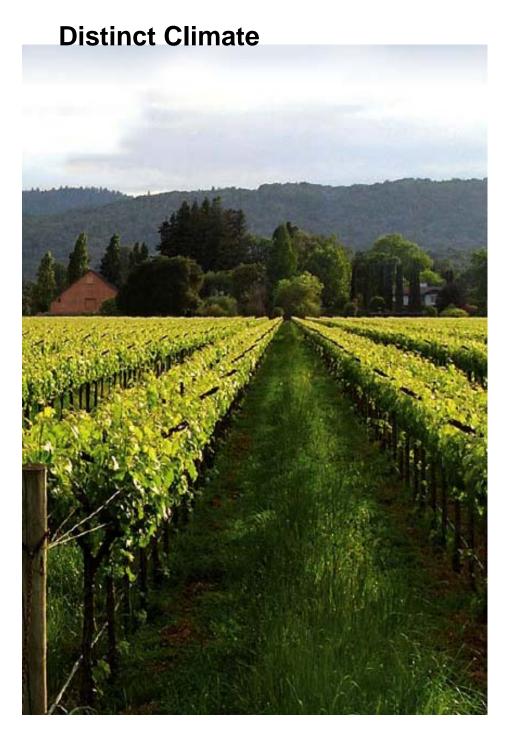
Distinct Soil



Alluvial and fluvial soils are deeper than hillside and slope locations.

Soils impart distinct character in wine grapes.

Soil depth and fertility affect character of wine grapes.



Mediterranean climate zone

- Long growing season
- Ideal for perfect ripening of wine grapes

High Temperatures, Summer

• 77° F - 85° F

Low Temperatures, Summer

• $40^{\circ} F - 50^{\circ} F$

Marine fog

Average rainfall

- north Napa 40-55 in
- south Napa 18-24 in

Wet springs, dry summers

Warm days build sugar; cool nights help develop acid structure

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