

# FINAL DCUC CONFERENCE UPDATE

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## Summer in San Francisco - What to Expect!

San Francisco summers have little in common with summers elsewhere. Marked by billowing white fog, the majestic product of sea spray, wind and Central Valley heat, San Francisco summers are characteristically overcast and cool.

San Francisco's weather is literally as changeable as the seas. Surrounded on all sides (except one) by ocean and bay, San Francisco's weather is also one of the hardest to forecast and changes drastically from neighborhood to neighborhood. Over four seasons, San Francisco's weather can be difficult for visitors to predict, save that Fog City delivers majestic skies, trademark plumes of white fog and brilliant sunsets.

You will probably want to bring a light jacket almost anywhere you go. You're much more likely to be too cool than too hot. The coastal breezes really keep the city nice, but it's rarely too hot. Definitely bring warm clothes and always dress in layers -- it gets much cooler on the water with the winds. If you aren't prepared with proper clothing, you will most likely be improving the local economy by purchasing warmer clothes during your visit!

The average high temperature in August is 67 and low is 55. So while the rest of the country is sweltering in the heat, San Francisco will keep you cool!

For anyone choosing to visit the wine country after the conference, be aware that temperatures will be much warmer after you leave the Bay area.

## What to Pack

Layers, layers, layers. Even in the warmest months, San Francisco visitors should always bring a light jacket. Unexpected breezes from the deep and frosty Pacific Ocean sweep over San Francisco without notice and can change the city's weather in an instant. Overall, jeans or slacks, light sweaters, long-sleeved shirts and close-toed shoes make up the typical San Franciscan's wardrobe.

Golfers and those who are planning to take the Sailing Tour should plan to dress appropriately with jackets, sweaters and long pants!

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