

California's Top Attractions



Top Ten California Theme Parks *(Based on 2003 attendance)*

Disneyland, Anaheim.....	12,720,000
Disney's California Adventure, Anaheim.....	5,311,000
Universal Studios Hollywood™, Universal City.....	4,576,000
Sea World, San Diego.....	4,000,000
Knott's Berry Farm, Buena Park.....	3,479,895
San Diego Zoo.....	3,085,038
Six Flags Magic Mountain, Valencia.....	3,050,000
Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk.....	3,000,000
Paramount's Great America, Santa Clara.....	1,911,000
Monterey Bay Aquarium.....	1,678,929
Six Flags Marine World, Vallejo.....	1,725,000
San Diego Zoo's Wild Animal Park.....	1,402,906
Legoland, Carlsbad.....	1,300,000

Sources: Amusement Business (Year-End Issue, 2003) Monterey Bay Aquarium, San Diego Zoo and Wild Animal Park

Top Ten National Park Facilities *(Based on 2003 attendance)*

Golden Gate National Recreation Area.....	13,833,580
San Francisco Maritime Museum.....	4,004,812
Yosemite National Park.....	3,378,662
Point Reyes National Seashore.....	2,224,880
Fort Point National Historic Site.....	1,635,976
Joshua Tree National Park.....	1,280,465
Cabrillo National Monument.....	958,689
Death Valley National Park.....	785,395
Sequoia National Park.....	979,296
Whiskeytown-Shasta-Trinity National Recreation Area.....	750,951

Source: National Park Service, 2004

Top Ten State Parks *(Based on 2002/2003 fiscal year visitation)*

Old Town San Diego State Historic Park.....	6,490,000
Huntington State Beach.....	3,769,946
Sonoma Coast State Beach.....	2,909,842
San Onofre State Beach.....	2,385,014
Seacliff State Beach.....	2,335,059
Bolsa Chica State Beach.....	2,257,957
Doheny State Beach.....	1,834,908
Carlsbad State Beach.....	1,593,639
Big Basin Redwoods State Park.....	1,554,654
Morro Bay State Park.....	1,515,506

Source: California State Parks, 2003