

**Paris** Pepper sightseeing with tasty breaks: charming bistros, dainty patisseries, teeming markets and Michelin-starred dining.

🚆 2 hrs to Lyon

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**French Alps** Feast on mountain panoramas, cheesy specialities and haute cuisine, then burn off calories by hiking or skiing.

🚆 7 hrs to Avignon

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**Lyon** Head south to France's gastronomic capital. Don't miss its food markets and the city's unique *bouchon* (bistro) culture.

🚆 4½ hrs to Chamonix

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**Avignon** Few regions are as food-driven or as resplendent with lush melons, cherries and olives as Provence. 🚆 6 hrs to Bordeaux

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**Bordeaux** An essential for wine lovers, this city promises exceptional tasting opportunities, a fantastic wine museum and ample visits to wine-producing châteaux.