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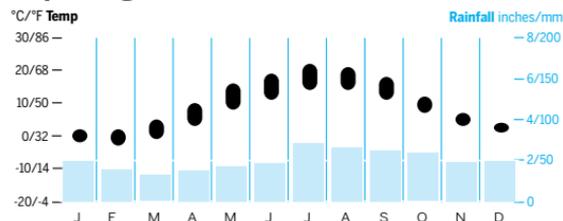
Why Go?

Denmark is the bridge between Scandinavia and northern Europe. To the rest of Scandinavia, the Danes are chilled, frivolous party animals, with relatively liberal, progressive attitudes. Their culture, food, architecture and appetite for conspicuous consumption owe as much, if not more, to their German neighbours to the south than to their former colonies (Sweden, Norway and Iceland) to the north.

Packed with intriguing museums, shops, bars, nightlife and award-winning restaurants, Denmark's capital, Copenhagen, is one of the hippest, most accessible cities in Europe. And while Danish cities such as Odense and Aarhus harbour their own urbane drawcards, Denmark's other chief appeal lies in its photogenic countryside, sweeping coastline and historic sights.

When to Go

Copenhagen



Jun & Jul Long days, buzzing beachside towns, Copenhagen Jazz and A-list rock fest Roskilde.

Sep & Oct Fewer crowds, golden landscapes and snug nights by crackling open fires.

Dec Twinkling Christmas lights, ice-skating rinks and gallons of warming *gløgg* (mulled wine).



Denmark Highlights

- 1 Copenhagen** (p306)
Lapping up the good looks of the capital of cool.
- 2 Louisiana** (p307)
Being inspired by the art and the views at the gallery in Humlebæk.
- 3 Aarhus** (p319)
Visiting the 2017 Capital of Culture

- and home of showpiece art museum ARoS.
- 4 Kronborg Slot** (p316)
Snooping around Hamlet's epic home in Helsingør.
- 5 Roskilde Festival** (p317)
Letting loose at summer music festivals around the country, including

- Scandinavia's largest music festival.
- 6 Legoland** (p322)
Marveling at the microcosmic miniland before jumping on a few rides.
- 7 Skagen** (p323)
Witnessing treasured artworks and clashing seas in the holiday haven.