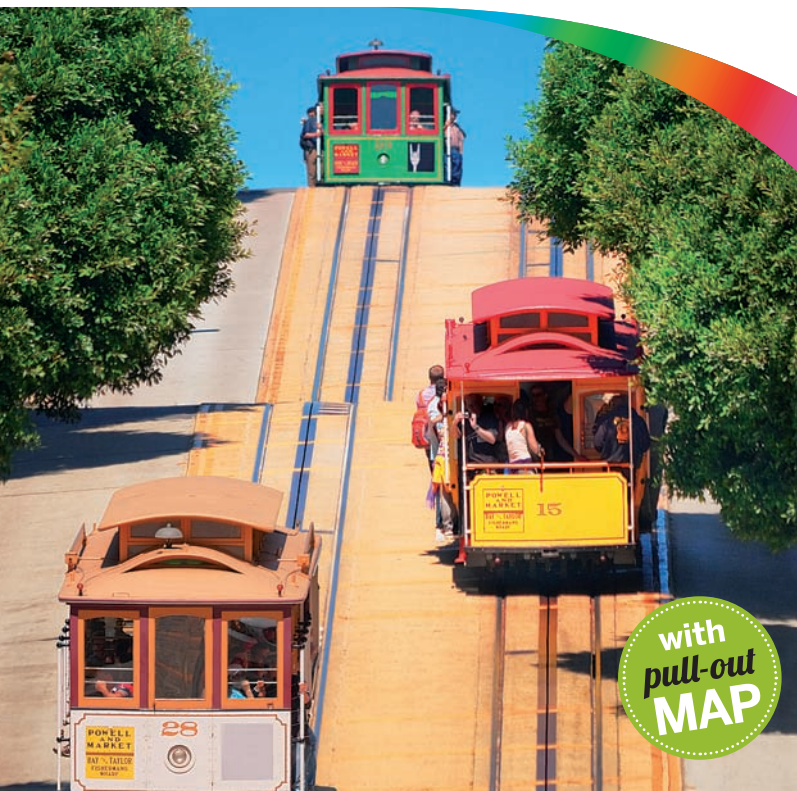


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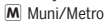
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Including where to stay







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Welcome to San Francisco

Grab your coat and a handful of glitter, and enter the land of fog and fabulousness. You're just in time for the next outlandish act here at the outer edge of California and reason – if there's a costume unworn, technology unimagined, skate move unattempted or quirk uncelebrated, it's about to happen here. So long, inhibitions; hello, San Francisco.