

# GLOBAL MEDITERRANEAN CLIMATES



California is one of the few places on earth with a Mediterranean climate perfect for growing almonds. The Mediterranean climate is characterised by mild winters with a defined rainy season and hot, dry summers, all of which are important for almond orchards.

**Source:** Kottek, M., et al. World Map of Köppen-Geiger Climate Classification. Update 2006. Meteorol. Z., 15, 259-263.