

Physical Geography of Europe: Climate and Vegetation

Main Concept	Key Details
Oceans Affect Climate	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Areas near the ocean or sea have fairly mild _____ all year round - Areas that are far from the _____ often have _____ weather - The Gulf _____ and North _____ Current affect _____ Europe <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Current brings _____ water from tropical waters of _____ o _____ blowing from the west across the _____ are warmed by the powerful _____ current - _____ blowing from the west across the _____ bring fairly _____ climate to much of _____ Europe
Mountains Affect Rainfall	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - In Europe... <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Areas _____ of the mountains receive _____ o Areas _____ of the mountains have much _____ rainfall - The _____ causes this pattern
Major Climate Zones	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - _____: Marine coast due to _____ - Countries around the Mediterranean Sea: _____ - Inland Europe: _____ - _____ most Areas of Europe and Russia: Tundra _____
Vegetation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Much of Europe is _____ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Northern Europe: _____ forests <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ _____ trees have cones that carry and protect seeds - Tundra and forest _____ zones extrent across Siberia <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Tundra: _____ - Southwestern Russia is _____ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o Grasslands are called _____ - Russian forests called _____ cover 4 million _____ miles

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