

# LAND OF WINE

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## Map - The Moravia wine region



ONE SUN SHINES on the Moravian vineyards, but they give wines of infinite variety, characterised by their fruity taste and spiciness, their broad spectrum of aromas and their typical full flavour. The diversity of Moravian wines results from a surprising number of grape varieties, the variability of the landscape and the terroir of the vineyards. If you set out to discover the magic of Moravia, you will be surprised by a multitude of varieties, experiences and inspiring encounters.

WELCOME TO MORAVIA!

### FROM HISTORY TO THE PRESENT

Viticulture in South Moravia is one of the oldest in Europe; vine has probably been grown here since the time of the Celts, and experts claim that nowhere else in the world are there as many small wine cellars as here. Moravian wines already had a good reputation in the Middle Ages; they were distributed throughout Moravia and Bohemia and supplied to aristocratic and bourgeois houses; interest in them was in Poland and Silesia.

The coats of arms of Moravian towns and villages often depicted goblets, branches, grapes, vine leaves and wine knives. Mikulov has two curved vine knives in its coat of arms, a bunch of grapes is depicted on the town seal of Hustopeče, and an original document from 1580 has been preserved authorising the municipality of Dolní Dunajovice to use the coat of arms with the theme of wine.



### VARIETIES

Moravian white wines are characterised by an interesting aroma, rich extractives and a harmonious combination of full flavour with fresh acids. Thanks to modern processing technology, red wines are full-bodied and pronounced, with fruity, soft, velvety tones in their flavour and aroma. A common feature of white and red wines is an extraordinarily diverse range of varieties.

Although vineyards with grape varieties from France and Germany have been planted in Moravia since the 13th century, only cuvées were produced at that time, which were prepared according to traditional customs. Sylvaner, also known as "Morávka", was probably the most widely cultivated white grape variety at the time. Blauer Portugieser, which Count de Fries brought to Austria from Portugal in 1772, was also very popular at the time. Rotgipfler, Jakubské or Modrý Janek are the varieties that disappeared due to the phylloxera catastrophe at the beginning of the 20th century, and since then the Grüner Veltliner, Müller Thurgau, Riesling, Welschriesling, Pinot Gris, Blaufränkisch and Saint Laurent varieties have prevailed.



### MORAVIAN WINE TRAILS



A network of more than a thousand kilometres of well-signposted cycle paths crosses the area of all Moravian wine sub-regions.

### VINEYARDS — SOIL

The Moravian wine region consists of four sub-regions: Znojemská, Mikulovská, Velkopavlovická and Slovácká. It covers about 96% of vineyards area in the Czech Republic, while the total area under vineyards in Moravia is 17,025 hectares. Different geological origins and soil composition, a climate that differs from most European wine-growing regions and a very rugged landscape relief - these are three main reasons why Moravia in particular offers unique and infinitely versatile wines that are characterised by their full-bodied taste and a particularly gentle spiciness from ripened but not overripe grapes that emphasise their freshness. Over the last twenty years, Moravian viticulture has undergone great quality development and our wines are now among the best in Europe.



The wine trails zigzag between vineyards and orchards, connecting the most beautiful places in the Moravian countryside and not missing a single sight. Thanks to them, you will get to know the Moravian countryside as a land of picturesque landscapes, unique historical monuments and excellent wines. The cycle routes generally lead along quiet roads, sometimes along field and forest paths and can be travelled on both mountain bikes and normal road bikes.

The originators of the idea of the wine trails have involved 250 wine-growing communities in this project, marked 1,300 kilometres of routes and published special maps for the individual hiking trails. On each of these maps you will find sufficient information not only about interesting places in the region, the length of the individual trails, but also about their altitude profile and surface. All hiking trails are marked with a common logo, which differs in colour depending on the trail. Interesting places and services near the hiking trails are marked with information signs, and in the wine-growing communities you will find information about open wine cellars, communal wine shops and other points of interest. Ten tourist circuits offer a range of combinations for excursions and multi-day stays full of active exercise, enjoyable experiences and adventure.



### WHERE TO GO FOR OUR WINES



The official wine website of the Czech Republic lists more than 1,000 locations with wineries, wine shops and wine cellars in Moravia. In establishments labelled with the wine tourism certification logo, you will receive a guaranteed level of service. This also includes wine-themed accommodation and restaurants with wine.



### WINE EVENTS

The complete and updated calendar of wine events can be found at [www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz](http://www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz)

- From Cellar to Cellar (Velké Bílovice, duben), [www.velkobilovictivinari.cz](http://www.velkobilovictivinari.cz)

- Open Wine Cellars Festivals (Spring and Autumn), [www.otevrenesklepky.cz](http://www.otevrenesklepky.cz)

- VOC Znojmo Wine Festival (Znojmo, May), [www.vocznojmo.cz](http://www.vocznojmo.cz)

- Valtice Wine Markets (Valtice, May), [www.vinnetryh.cz](http://www.vinnetryh.cz)

- Pálava Vintage Festival (Mikulov, September), [www.palavske-vinobrani.cz](http://www.palavske-vinobrani.cz)

- Slovácko Wine and Open Sights Festival (Uherské Hradiště, September), [www.slavnostivinauh.cz](http://www.slavnostivinauh.cz)

- Znojmo Historic Vintage Festival (Znojmo, September), [www.znojmskevinobrani.cz](http://www.znojmskevinobrani.cz)

- New Wine Celebrations (Hustopeče, October), [www.burcakoveslavnosti.cz](http://www.burcakoveslavnosti.cz)

- Open Wine Cellars Day at Pavlov (Pavlov, November), [www.otevrene-sklepy-pavlov.cz](http://www.otevrene-sklepy-pavlov.cz)

- St. Martin's Wine Tasting (Brno, November), [www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz](http://www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz)

- Open wine cellars services (Blatnice pod Svatým Antonínkem, Bořetice, Břež, Dolní Dunajovice, Čejkovice (okres Hodonín), Dolní Bojanovice, Hustopeče, Kobylí, Mikulčice, Milotice, Mutěnice, Pavlov, Rakvice, Šatov, Velké Bílovice, Velké Pavlovice, Vrbice a Vrbovec), [www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz](http://www.vinazmoravyvinazcech.cz)

### WINE SUB-REGION ZNOJEMSKÁ



Total area: **3 143 ha**  
Wine municipalities: **90**  
Vineyard sites: **217**

### WINE SUB-REGION MIKULOVSKÁ



Total area: **4 992 ha**  
Wine municipalities: **30**  
Vineyard sites: **185**

### WINE SUB-REGION VELKOPAVLOVICKÁ



Total area: **4 686 ha**  
Wine municipalities: **70**  
Vineyard sites: **321**

### WINE SUB-REGION SLOVÁCKÁ



Total area: **4 195 ha**  
Wine municipalities: **118**  
Vineyard sites: **418**

Not only the vineyards and orchards, but also the Podyjí National Park and the mediaeval castles and chateaux are famous tourist attractions of the Znojmo region. The region's main variety is Grüner Veltliner, but Riesling, Müller Thurgau, Sauvignon Blanc and Pinot Gris are also popular. The surroundings of Dolní Kounice and the Jihlava river valley are famous for the production of red wines, especially Blaufränkisch and St. Laurent.

#### Points of interest:

- Znojmo – St. Catherine's rotunda and the castle complex, the underground, the walls, the lookout tower of the town hall and Wolf's tower, the church of St. Nicholas
- Louka Monastery in Znojmo – Museum of winemaking and cooperage
- Dolní Kounice – Ruins of Gothic Rosa Coeli monastery, Jewish quarter
- Ivančice – Memorial to Art-Nouveau painter Alfons Mucha, Vladimír Menšík exhibition, torso railway viaduct
- Podyjí National Park – Nový Hrádek, Sealsfield's Rock, Šobes vineyard, Hnanice heath
- Vrbovec – fun wine educational trail Wine Goat
- Rajhrad – Benedictine monastery, Memorial of Literature
- Moravský Krumlov – The Slavic Epic of Alfons Mucha and an observation tower
- Slup – Renaissance water mill with exposition, Mill gully
- Šatov – Painted Wine Cellar, Military log cabin "Zahrada"
- Miroslav – castle with art exhibitions
- Lesná near Znojmo – museum of motorcycles
- Chvalovice – exhibition with models of dinosaurs
- Prehistorie Park



[znojmoregion.cz](http://znojmoregion.cz)

An enchanting landscape dominated by the limestone slopes of the Pálava Hills, which have always been planted with vines. This hot piece of land above the Dyje river valley is known for the best sites for growing Welschriesling grapes. Grüner Veltliner, Riesling, Chardonnay and Sauvignon Blanc also thrive here. The Vine Cultivation Station in Perná has produced the Pálava and Aurelius varieties.

#### Points of interest:

- Mikulov – chateau with wine exhibitions and a huge wine barrel, Holy Hill, Jewish quarter with synagogue and cemetery, Dietrichstein Tomb, Kozi Hrádek lookout, Geopark and Na Turolou cave
- Sedlec – nature trail and tasting stand, zoo
- Lednice – UNESCO World Heritage Site, chateau, greenhouse, Minaret, John's castle, boat rides through the chateau complex, spa
- Novosedly – wine nature trail "Stará hora"
- Pálava Nature Reserve – rare steppe fauna and flora, ruins of two castles, nature trail through the Děvín National Nature Reserve
- Pasohlávky – Aqualand Moravia
- Pavlov – preservation zone, Baroque wine-growers houses, municipal wine shop, archeopark
- Rendez-vous – hunting lodge Diana's Temple
- Valtice – UNESCO site, chateau, Wine Salon of the Czech Republic, National Agricultural Museum, Chateau wine cellar, Valtice underground, Colonnade
- at Rajstna – look-out over the Lednice-Valtice Landscape Area



[palava.cz](http://palava.cz)

Velké Pavlovice, one of the sunniest and warmest places in the Czech Republic, is a centre for the production of red wines, especially Blaufränkisch, Saint Laurent and Zweigelt, thanks to its ideal location and favourable climate and soil conditions. Among the white wines, Grüner Veltliner, Müller Thurgau and other most cultivated varieties – Welschriesling, Pinot Gris and Chardonnay – are represented.

#### Points of interest:

- Velké Bílovice – up to 680 wine cellars
- Velké Pavlovice – Nature trail "Through the region of André"
- Brno – Špilberk Fortress, Museum of the City of Brno, Moravian Museum, Villa Tugendhat – UNESCO World Heritage Site, Cathedral of St. Peter and Paul, zoo, Brno Dam
- Bořetice – Free Federal Republic of Kraví hora
- Bučovice – chateau
- Čejkovice – fortress and Templar cellars, Sonnentor
- Hustopeče – Na Hradbách and Vinařská wine streets
- Klobouky u Brna – windmill
- Kobylí – wine-growing exhibition, museum
- Kurdejov – fortified Gothic church of St. John the Baptist
- Mohyla míru (Peace Memorial) – Battle of Austerlitz Memorial, exposition of the Museum of the Brno Region
- Slavkov u Brna – chateau, synagogue, golf course
- Těšany – Baroque smithy with an exhibition
- Veverí – castle



[hustopecko.net](http://hustopecko.net)

Slovácko is a paradise for sun worshippers and those seeking relaxation; the hilly landscape with its vineyards, old pilgrimage sites and the culinary specialties of the region will revitalise your body and soul perfectly. Riesling, Müller Thurgau and Chardonnay thrive here, as well as red wines – Blaufränkisch and Zweigelt. The Moravian Muscat variety was cultivated at the Vine Cultivation Station in Polešovice.

#### Points of interest:

- Bafa Canal – boat trips, boat hire
- White Carpathians Protected Landscape Area – UNESCO Biosphere Reserve
- Blatnice pod Sv. Antonínkem – Stará hora wine cellar
- Břeclav – Jewish cemetery, synagogue, Pohansko chateau
- Buchlov – castle
- Buchlovice – chateau with a large garden
- Hodonín – spa, Masaryk Museum, zoo
- Kyjov – Renaissance chateau with expositions of the Museum of Local History
- Mikulčice – archaeological excoavation site, Slavic fortified settlement
- Mutěnice – complex of wine cellars Bůdy with folk paintings
- Petrov – complex of wine cellars Plze
- Milotice – chateau and complex of wine cellars Šidleny
- Průšánky – complex of wine cellars Nechoř
- Strážnice – Museum of the village of South-East Moravia
- Uherské Hradiště – Marfatice – urban conservation zone of wine cellars
- Velehrad – pilgrimage site
- Vičnov – complex of wine cellars in the Kojiny



[slovacko.cz](http://slovacko.cz)





## INFORMATION CENTRES

### Tourist information centre Znojmo

Obroková 10, Znojmo, tel.: +420 515 222 552  
www.znojmskabeseda.cz

### Information centre Moravský Krumlov

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### Tourist information centre Dolní Kounice

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### Tourist information centre Mikulov

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### Tourist information centre Lednice

Malinovského 25, Lednice  
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### Tourist information centre Valtice

Nám. Svobody 4, Valtice  
tel.: +420 734 256 709, www.valtice.eu

## WINE ATTRACTIVE DESTINATIONS

1. Museum of wine-growing and coopery in the Louka Monastery operated by Znovin Znojmo, a.s. Loucký klášter, Znojmo  
tel.: +420 515 267 458, 606 624 648  
www.znovin.cz
2. Šobes vineyard in Podyjí National Park with tasting of wines  
www.znovin.cz
3. Painted Wine Cellar in Šatov  
www.malovany-sklep.cz
4. Vlk Tower in Znojmo  
www.vocznojmo.cz
5. Genetic fund of the Czech Republic  
www.ampelos.cz
6. Znojmo Enotéca  
www.vinotr.cz/enoteka
7. Wine-tasting in Lampelberg castle Ječmenišť, July-August  
www.lahofer.cz
8. Wine Salon of the Czech Republic  
e-mail: salonvin@vinarskecentrum.cz  
www.salonvin.cz, www.vinarskecentrum.cz
9. Wine-growing expositions in Mikulov chateau  
e-mail: rmm@rmm.cz  
www.rmm.cz
10. Chateau wine cellar Valtice  
e-mail: sekretariat@vsvaltice.cz  
www.vsvaltice.cz
11. Permanent exposition of historical wine presses  
e-mail: nzm.valtice@nzm.cz  
www.nzm.cz
12. Municipal wine shop in Pavlov  
e-mail: info@vinotekapavla.cz  
www.obec-pavlov.cz
13. Valtice Underground  
e-mail: info@valtickepodzemi.cz  
www.valtickepodzemi.cz
14. Sedlec wine village educational trail and wine-tasting stall  
e-mail: info@sedleckavina.cz  
www.sedleckavina.cz

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### Tourist information centre Hustopeče

Dukelské nám. 42/15, Hustopeče  
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### Tourist information centre Velké Pavlovice

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### Information centre of the Hodonín

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### Tourist information centre Břeclav

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### Municipal information centre Uherské Hradiště

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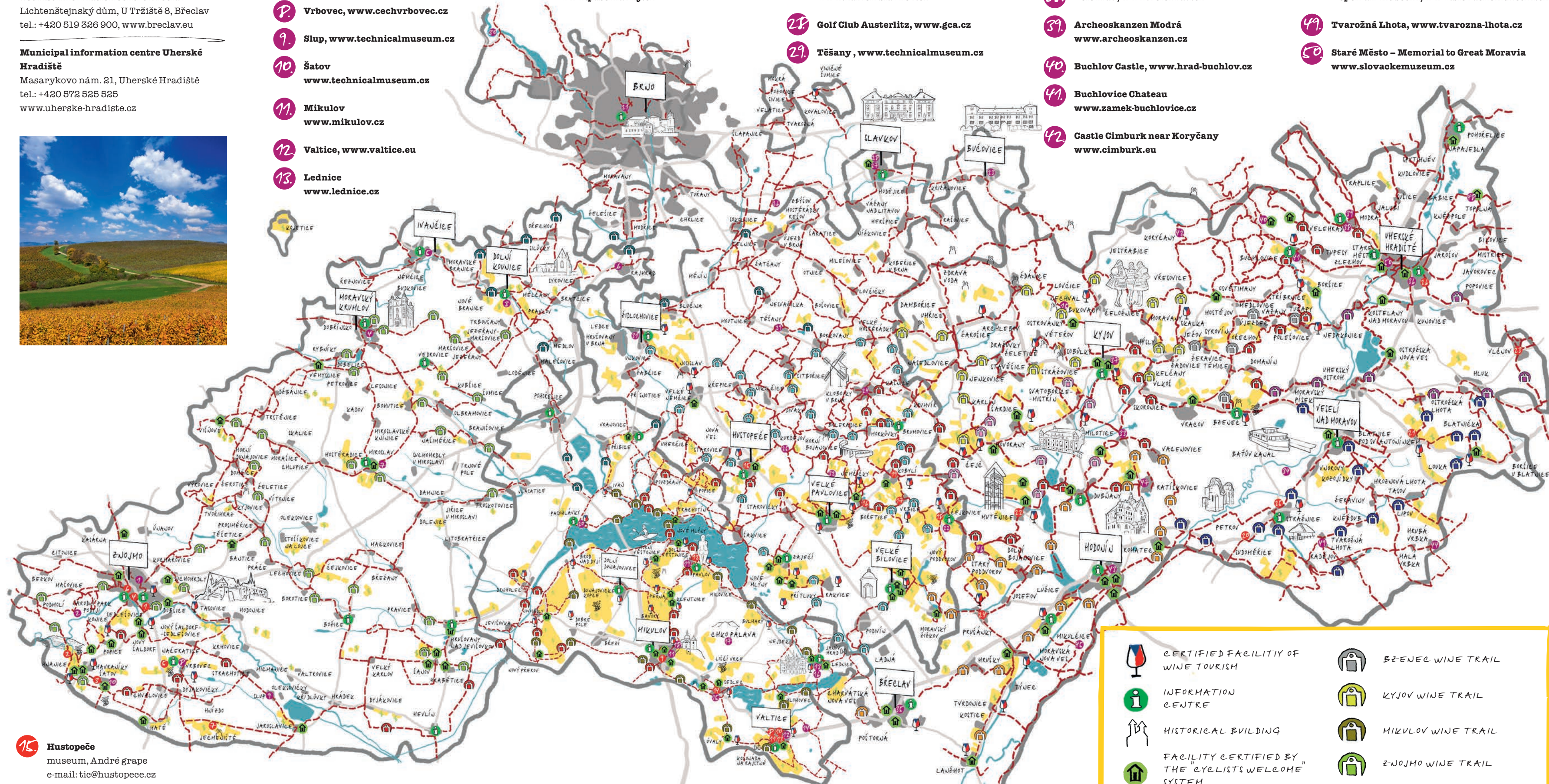
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2. Podyjí National Park, www.nppodyji.cz
3. Dolní Kounice, www.dolnikounice.cz
4. Moravský Krumlov, www.mkrumlov.cz
5. Ivančice, www.ivance.cz
6. Rajhrad, www.rajhrad.cz
7. Miroslav, www.miroslavskyzamek.cz
8. Vrbovec, www.cechvrbovec.cz
9. Slup, www.technicalmuseum.cz
10. Šatov  
www.technicalmuseum.cz
11. Mikulov  
www.mikulov.cz
12. Valtice, www.valtice.eu
13. Lednice  
www.lednice.cz

14. Rendez-vous (Diana's Temple)  
www.zamek-valtice.cz
15. Zoo Sedlec, www.zoosedlec.cz
16. Boat trips through the chateau park, Lednice, www.plavby-lednice.cz
17. Pálava Protected Landscape Area  
www.palava.cz
18. Na Turoidu cave, www.caves.cz
19. Archeopark Pavlov  
www.archeoparkpavlov.cz
20. Holiday resort Pasohlávky  
www.pasohlavky.cz

21. City of Brno, www.brno.cz
22. Čejkovice – SONNENTOR  
www.sonnentor.cz
23. Chateau Bučovice, www.zamek-bucovice.cz
24. Klobouky u Brna – wind mill  
www.kloboukyubrna.eu
25. Kurdějov, www.obec-kurdejov.cz
26. Mohyla míru (Peace Memorial) – Battle of Austerlitz Memorial  
www.muzeumbrnenska.cz
27. Chateau Slavkov u Brna  
www.zamek-slavkov.cz
28. Golf Club Austerlitz, www.gca.cz
29. Těšany, www.technicalmuseum.cz

30. Veverí Castle, www.veveri.cz
31. Židlochovice, www.zidlochovice.cz
32. Němčičky, www.sportnemcicky.cz
33. Milotice Chateau, www.npu.cz
34. Baťa Canal, www.batacanal.cz
35. Břeclav, www.dobreclavi.cz
36. Uherské Hradiště  
www.slovackemuzeum.cz
37. Kyjov, www.mestokyjov.cz
38. Velehrad, www.velehrad.cz
39. Archeoskanzen Modrá  
www.archeoskanzen.cz
40. Buchlov Castle, www.hrad-buchlov.cz
41. Buchlovice Chateau  
www.zamek-buchlovice.cz
42. Castle Cimburk near Koryčany  
www.cimburk.eu

43. Hodonín, www.laznehodonin.cz  
www.masaryk.info  
www.zoo-hodonin.cz
44. Kuželov – wind mill  
www.technicalmuseum.cz
45. Mikulčice – Slavonic fortified settlement and nature trail, www.mikulcice.cz
46. Starý Poddvorov – wind mill  
www.poddvorov.cz
47. Ratiškovice – Ratiškovice railway  
www.ratiskovice.com
48. Topolná – rural architecture complex – open-air museum, www.slovackemuzeum.cz
49. Tvarožná Lhota, www.tvarozna-lhota.cz
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www.slovackemuzeum.cz



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