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The 15 Best Rooftop Bars in the U.S.

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Well-made cocktails and skyline views go hand-in-hand at our favorite spots around the country.



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Charmaine's at San Francisco Proper Hotel, San Francisco

Thanks to its unpredictable weather, **San Francisco** isn't a major player in the U.S. rooftop scene. But that's all changing with the debut of **this new all-weather stunner** above the **San Francisco Proper Hotel** on Market Street. The rooftop bar and lounge is divided into four distinctive spaces: Bar, Fireplace, Lounge, and Point. The latter is a chic outdoor terrace, strewn with glass-rimmed firepits and oversized, zebra-striped couches and end-chairs—arguably the best spot on a balmy or clear day in the Bay area. On foggier days, chill in one of indoor areas and order bar snacks like the mushrooms quesadilla frita and house-made tater tots, and choose from a selection great beers (all of which hail from Cali), and beautifully garnished artisan cocktails.