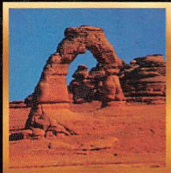


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ARCHES NATIONAL PARK

MOAB, UTAH

Spectacular sandstone arches are the hallmark of the park, located in southeastern Utah canyon country. With more than 2,000 known arches, the park contains one of the greatest densities of arches in the world.

The La Sal Mountains provide a gorgeous backdrop to Delicate Arch, one of the more famous arches. Landscape Arch is one of the world's longest natural spans with a measurement of 306 feet from base to base.

In addition to the hundreds of unique rock formations, the high desert country is home to pinons, junipers, and cottonwoods. A variety of wildlife inhabits the region, though predominantly nocturnal due to high daytime temperatures.

SPECIAL INFORMATION

Sandstone slickrock crumbles easily, be extremely careful climbing. Stay on trails. To see arches, spires and balanced rocks closehand, walking the park's 11 trails is recommended. • Superintendent, Arches National Park, P.O. Box 907, Moab, UT 84532 (801) 259-8161.