

# High winds fan California wildfires

Thousands of people are being forced to evacuate their homes due to massive wildfires across California that have left millions without power



**Sonoma County:**  
Wine country  
blaze now covers  
300,000 sq km.  
About 156,000  
people still under  
evacuation orders,  
mostly from city  
of Santa Rosa

Some 2.2 million  
people lacking  
electricity after  
power shut off  
by Pacific Gas  
& Electric in  
northern part of  
state to prevent  
equipment from  
sparking blazes

**Southern California:** Blaze sweeps through star-studded hills of Los Angeles, destroying at least eight homes and forcing thousands to flee

