

Portuguese Wine Tours

ECO TRILHA VIAGENS E TURISMO

Portuguese wine tours are an amazing experience.

Portugal has fantastic wine that is a great value for money, wonderful food and friendly people.

Itinerary

Day 1: Portugal

Flight to Portugal.

Day 2: Lisbon

Today at the appropriate time, an Eco Trilha representative will be met you at the airport to assist and transfer you to your hotel. There are no activities planned for this day. Overnight in Lisbon.

Day 3: Lisbon – Sintra – Lisbon

See the 16th-century Jeronimo's Monastery (UNESCO); the Monument to the Discoveries, honoring intrepid Portuguese explorers and their patrons; and the impressive Belem Tower (Tickets are not included). Visit an old patisserie that has managed to hold on to the secret recipe of Portugal's finest pastry for over 100 years and enjoy a demonstration and tasting of the famous 'pastéis de Belem'.

Its unique narrow streets, lined with whitewashed chapels and white houses edged in blue, are the perfect place for thoughtful wandering. Continue to the town of Sintra, a UNESCO site and the favorite summer house of Portuguese kings for six centuries. Here, peruse specialty shops filled with Portuguese handicrafts. Lunch and dinner are not included. Overnight in Lisbon.

Day 4: Lisbon – Setubal

We will visit two wine farms Casa Museu José Maria da Fonseca and Adega da Bacalhôa. Lunch and dinner are not included. Overnight in Lisbon.

Day 5: Lisbon – Óbidos – Fátima – Porto

Your day on Portugal's "Silver Coast" begins in the medieval walled town of Óbidos village – surrounded by medieval walls and by its whitewashed houses. Don't forget to drink Ginja. It is a Portuguese liqueur made by infusing ginja berries, and it's the second most popular alcoholic drink in Portugal after the Port wine. This tour also features the imposing sanctuary of Fátima, a centre of Catholic faith and destination for pilgrims from across the world. Lunch and dinner are not included. Overnight in Porto.

Day 6: Porto

Elected Best European Destination 2012 by the European citizens, Porto, is history, architecture, culture, gastronomy, trade, encounters and discoveries. Walking tours in Porto, visits to the city's

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historical centre of world heritage and monuments of Porto. Itinerary: Torre dos Clérigos, Livraria Lello e Irmão, Avenida dos Aliados, Estação de S. Bento, Ponte Luís I, Sé Catedral (optional: entrance in museum), Bairro da Sé and Ribeira. On the afternoon a Port Wine tasting and a Fado performance. Lunch and dinner are not included. Overnight in Porto.

Day 7: Douro Valley

Some of the best vineyards in Portugal opens the doors for you to the culture and community that are behind a country's history. This is an unforgettable journey through the beautiful landscapes of scenic mountains and wonderful views. Lunch is included. Overnight in Porto.

Day 8: Braga and Guimarães

Guided tour in the city of Braga, known as the "Portuguese Rome", for its concentration of religious architecture, as the oldest Cathedral of the country. Founded in Roman times, with the name of Bracara Augusta, this city has over 2000 years of history. We will visit The Sanctuary of Our Lady of Sameiro, Bom Jesus and a special wine farm near the centre of Braga (Vinho Verde). On the afternoon we visit Guimarães. A historic town, exceptionally well-preserved and an authentic example of the evolution of a medieval settlement into a modern town. (Optional: visit the museums and monuments). Overnight in Porto.

Day 9: Porto Airport

Transfer to the airport. End of the program. There are no activities planned for this day. Lunch and dinner are not included.

Hotels

Hotel HF Ipanema (4 stars - Porto);

Olissippo Marquês de Sá ou similar (4 stars Lisboa).

Twin rooms.

Prices

Twin room: 1589 € per person

Single room: 1879 € per person

Notes

- Minimum number: 2 persons;
- Maximum number: 18 persons;

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- Transfer Lisbon - Porto on request.
- Please note that while we operate successful trips in this region throughout the year, some changes may occur in our itineraries due to inclement weather and common seasonal changes to timetables and transport routes. This can happen with little notice so please be prepared for modifications to the route.
- Departure: January to December;
- Validity: 2017. Please ask special rates for National Holidays (25/April, 10/June, 12/June, 24/June, 29/June, 15/August, and 08/December), Carnival, Easter, Christmas and New Year's Day.

Departure Dates

- 02 August 2017 to 10 August 2017;
- 01 September 2017 to 09 September 2017;
- Other departure dates on request.

Included

- Transfer Airport – Hotel – Airport;
- 7 Nights in a double/twin room;
- Breakfast is included every morning in all multi-day tour packages;
- City tour in Lisbon, Porto, Fátima, Óbidos, Braga, Douro Valley, Guimarães and Sintra;
- Wine tasting;
- Lisbon: Enjoy a demonstration and tasting of the famous 'pastéis de Belém';
- 1 Lunch;
- Port Wine tasting and Fado performance;
- Private Transfer and Guide throughout the tour.

Not Included

- Flight;
- Airport taxes, security and fuel;
- Travel insurance;
- Drinks and meals not specified;
- Entrances other than mentioned;
- Tourist tax in Lisbon. From 1 January 2016, you will pay 1 euro per person / per night up to a maximum of 7 euros;
- Telephone and personal expenses.