

PREMIUM

15D12N

MOROCCO + SPAIN & PORTUGAL

TOUR CODE: ESPMA

Set off on a journey of discovery and get to know the stories behind cities moulded by diverse people of various religions, each leaving their mark to form the distinctive character that we see today.



HASSAN II MOSQUE, CASABLANCA, MOROCCO



EXTENSIVE COVERAGE

HIGHLIGHTS

MOROCCO

TANGIER

- Caves of Hercules
- Grand Socco

RABAT

- Oudayas Kasbah
- Mausoleum of Mohamed V

CASABLANCA

- Hassan II Mosque
- Ain Diab corniche

SPAIN

GRANADA

- Alhambra (Entrance included)
- Generalife garden (Entrance included)

RONDA

- Puente Nuevo (New Bridge)
- El Tajo Canyon
- Plaza de Toros de Ronda (Entrance included)

SEVILLE

- Seville Cathedral (Entrance included)
- Giralda Bell Tower (Entrance included)
- The Tomb of Christopher Columbus
- Plaza de Toros
- Plaza de España

SALAMANCA

- University of Salamanca
- Plaza Mayor
- Salamanca

MADRID

- Royal Palace of Madrid (Entrance included)
- Cibeles Fountain
- Santiago Bernabéu Stadium
- Puerta del Sol

TOLEDO

- Toledo Cathedral
- Aqueduct of Segovia
- Segovia Cathedral
- Alcazar of Segovia

BARCELONA

- Casa Batlló and Casa Milà
- La Sagrada Familia (Entrance included)
- Columbus Monument
- Montjuïc Hill
- Las Ramblas

PORTUGAL

FATIMA

- Religious Sanctuary of Fatima
- Chapel of Apparitions
- Berlin Wall

LISBON

- Rossio Square
- The Alfama
- Castle of São Jorge
- Cristo Rei
- Port of Lisbon
- Belem Tower
- Jeronimos Monastery
- Discoveries Monument

4★ HOTELS

CASABLANCA Atlas Almohades

FEZ Hotel Sofia

TANGIER El Oumnia Puerto

COSTA DEL SOL Melia Costa del Sol

GRANADA Abades Nevada Palace

SEVILLE Hilton Garden Inn

LISBON Açores Lisboa

SALAMANCA Vinicci Ciudad de Salamanca

MADRID Holiday Inn Alcalá

BARCELONA Fira Congress

*Note: Hotels subject to final confirmation. Should there be changes, customers will be offered similar accommodations as stated in this list.



DELICACIES

Meal Plan

12 Breakfasts, 4 Lunches, 10 Dinners

Specialities

- Spanish Tapas
- Segovia's Famous Roast Suckling Pig
- Portugal's Piri-Piri Chicken

DAY 1 HOME > CASABLANCA

Meals on Board

Assemble at the airport and take-off to the cosmopolitan city of Morocco, **Casablanca**.

DAY 2 CASABLANCA

Meals on Board, Lunch, Dinner

Upon arrival, proceed on to **Casablanca** for the **Hassan II Mosque**, the largest mosque in Morocco and Africa with the world's tallest minaret; and stroll along the **Ain Diab corniche**.

DAY 3 CASABLANCA > RABAT > FEZ

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Travel to the capital of Morocco, **Rabat** for a tour of the city. Pay a visit to the **Oudayas Kasbah**, a massive ancient fortress quarter built in the 12th century and its beautiful white and blue interior of Mediterranean flavour. Stop by the **Mausoleum of Mohamed V** and delight in the artistic design of the mosque, complete with detailed motifs and dazzling chandeliers. Later, proceed on to Casablanca for the **Hassan II Mosque**, the largest mosque in Morocco and Africa with the world's tallest minaret; and stroll along the **Ain Diab corniche**. Journey

to Morocco's cultural and spiritual centre, **Fez**. Learn about the city through an exploration of the medersas, caravanserais, palaces, mosques, residences and fountains in the medina dating back to the 13th century.

DAY 4 FEZ > TANGIER

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Depart to **Tangier**. Continue with the city tour that takes you to the mythical **Caves of Hercules** of Greek lore; and the **Grand Socco**, a dynamic mixture of contrasting lifestyles, colours and architecture where old and new meet.

DAY 5 TANGIER > COSTA DEL SOL

Breakfast, Dinner

Free at leisure till board a ferry to Spain. If time permits, you may wish to take part in an optional excursion to the city of **Gibraltar**. As night falls, head to **Costa del Sol** to spend the night at a seaside resort.

DAY 6 COSTA DEL SOL > GRANADA

Breakfast, Dinner - Spanish Tapas

Make your way to **Granada** and Embark on a city tour as a local guide brings you to

visit the **Alhambra Palace**, a UNESCO World Heritage Site where varying transformations come about as the light and water create different decorative effects on the special clay walls. Then, move on to the **Generalife** and be wowed by the lush greenery and sprinkling fountains in the extensive gardens of the leisure residence that belonged to former Arab kings.

Note: The entrances of Alhambra Palace and Generalife are subject to availability.

DAY 7 GRANADA > RONDA > SEVILLE

Breakfast, Dinner

Make your way to **Ronda**, an ancient city located about 750 meters above sea level, and make a beeline for the **Puerto Nuevo** bridge to enjoy a thrilling view of the 100-metre deep El Tajo gorge and a breathtaking panorama over the **Serranía de Ronda mountains**. Pay a visit to the **Plaza de Toros de Ronda**, one of the oldest bullrings in Spain and learn more about the bullfighting sport at the in-house museum. As night falls, head down to **Seville** to spend the night.

DAY 8 SEVILLE > LISBON

Breakfast, Dinner - Portugal's Piri-Piri Chicken

Set off on an introductory city tour and take in the sights of the **Plaza de Toros**, an impressive bullring that took several decades to construct, and the Plaza de Espana, a building complex that is a beautiful work of Spanish Renaissance Revival style in architecture. Also, visit the majestic **Seville Cathedral**, where the burial tomb of **Christopher Columbus** is also located, and enter the **Giralda Bell Tower**, one of the three remaining Almohad minarets in the world. Enjoy a smooth drive as we continue our journey to the capital of Portugal, **Lisbon**.

DAY 9 LISBON

Breakfast

Home to the world's greatest explorers such as Vasco de Gama, Magellan and Prince Henry the Navigator, embark on an adventure through Europe's second oldest capital to discover some of its famous historical treasures. Stop by Lisbon's most iconic monument, the World Heritage **Belem Tower**, and also not forgetting the **Jeronimos Monastery** with its exquisite cloisters, the **Discoveries Monument** built in honour of Henry the Navigator. Enjoy the lively atmosphere of **Rossio Square**, the medieval alleyways of

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PLAZA DE ESPAÑA, SEVILLE, SPAIN

the **Alfama quarter**, the impressive view of the **Castle of São Jorge**, the outstanding **Cristo Rei**, and the scene of swaying cruise boats docked at the **Port of Lisbon**. If time permits, you may wish to indulge in an optional treat at the famous egg tart confectionary, **Pasteis de Belem**; or join an optional tour to the towns of **Sintra**, **Cascais** and **Estoril** as well as the **Cabo Da Roca**.

DAY 10 LISBON ► FATIMA ► SALAMANCA

Breakfast, Dinner

Embark on a stroll through **Fátima** to arrive in one of the most important Catholic shrines in the world, the **Sanctuary of Fátima**. Here, you will be greeted with the sight of the **Berlin Wall** at the entrance, followed by the **Chapel of Apparitions** at the very heart of the sanctuary where four million pilgrims converge yearly. Depart to **Salamanca**, Enjoy an idle walk through the university town for a close-up view of the splendid Baroque architecture in **Salamanca's Plaza Mayor**, the **Old and New Cathedral**, the **University of Salamanca** and the **House of Shells**.

DAY 11 SALAMANCA ► AVILA ► SEGOVIA ► MADRID

Breakfast, Lunch - Segovia's Famous Roast Suckling Pig

Head northwest to **Segovia** for an orientation tour of the historic city and visit the 2000-year-old **Aqueduct of Segovia**, one of the most significant and best-preserved ancient Roman monuments on the Iberian Peninsula. Whip out your camera

for the magnificent sights of the **Segovia Cathedral** and the **Alcázar of Segovia**, before settling down for a sumptuous meal of Segovia's famous **Roast Suckling Pig** for lunch. Continue to **Las Rozas Village Chic Outlet** for shopping before reach **Madrid**, capital of Spain.

DAY 12 MADRID ► TOLEDO ► MADRID

Breakfast, Dinner

Kick off the day with an exciting tour of **Toledo**, also known as the city of three cultures – Arabic, Christian and Jewish – and a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Wander through the narrow maze of streets to arrive at the **Toledo Cathedral**, a sacred site that houses important masterpieces such as a stunning baroque high altar and two El Greco paintings. Then, proceed to Madrid for a guided city tour which includes the **Royal Palace** and its lavish gold and scarlet throne room as well as the **Cibeles Fountain** which is one of Madrid's most prominent symbols. Also, drive past **Santiago Bernabéu Stadium** – home to the Real Madrid football club, for a fleeting glimpse into the heart of Madrid culture.

Note: If Royal Palace is closed, it will be replaced by a visit to Prado Museum.

DAY 13 MADRID ► ZARAGOZA ► BARCELONA

Breakfast, Dinner

Revel in the majestic architecture of the **Nuestra Señora del Pilar Basilica** in the city of **Zaragoza**, reputed to be the first church in

history that is dedicated to the **Blessed Virgin Mary**. Thereafter, proceed to **Barcelona** to retire for the night.

DAY 14 BARCELONA ► HOME

Breakfast

Experience Barcelona in its full splendour through a tour, where you can view the lauded art nouveau style buildings such as **Casa Batlló** and **Casa Milà** along the elegant **Passeig de Gràcia** avenue and enter the statuesque **La Sagrada Família** church and be wowed by the stunning interior. Marvel at the towering **Columbus Monument** and the impressive **Monumental Bullring** before heading up to **Montjuic Hill** for a spectacular vista of the city and its harbour. Then, make your way to **Las Ramblas**, a tree-lined pedestrian mall that stretches for 1.2km along the street in central Barcelona. You may also wish to pay an optional visit to the **Monastery of Montserrat** located in Catalonia. Enjoy the rest of the day at leisure till it is time to transfer to the airport for your flight home.

Note: If La Sagrada Familia is closed, it will be replaced with a visit to Park Güell.

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DAY 15 HOME SWEET HOME

We hope you enjoyed your vacation with EU Holidays and we look forward to seeing you again for your next trip.

Suggested Excursions:

Additional activities that complement your holidays will be at your own discretion and is entirely optional.

**minimum group size may apply*

- **Sanctuary of Montserrat:** €60
- **Gibraltar:** €70
- **Cabo Da Roca + Cascais + Sintra:** €80
- **Flamenco:** €45

Tipping Guideline: (based on 15D12N)

- €105 per person

Note:

- A minimum group size of 15 passengers is required for a confirmed departure.
- The sequence of the itinerary, flight schedules and hotels are subject to change without prior notice in the event of unforeseen circumstances.
- Activities are subject to weather conditions.
- During major events and festivals, accommodation may be re-located to outside of the city or in another city without prior notice.
- Upgrades of hotels are subject to hotel room availability.
- Wi-Fi on board service is currently available in Spain only. Service is strictly subject to availability by the coach and service provider, it cannot be guaranteed.