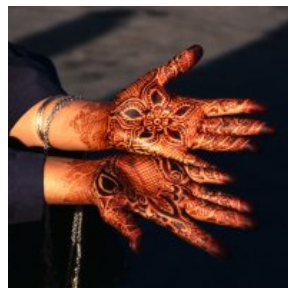


## Country Introduction - MOROCCO

Located in North Africa, it is the third most populous Arab country and shares the largest part of its border with Algeria to the East and Western Sahara Desert to the South. The capital of Morocco is Rabat and its largest city is Casablanca.

Morocco is rich in natural beauty and unforgettable places. There are hundreds of medinas, mosques, palaces and historical places to visit. Some of these places include the ancient city of Asilah (which was under Portuguese authority during the 14th and 15th centuries), the Grottoes of Hercules (in Tangier), the Sahara Desert and amazing mountains such as the High Atlas, the Chefchaouen Mountains and the Oregano Mountains. There are also incredible beaches like the popular Plage Quemada (in Al Hoceima) and the beautiful and popular, yet dangerous, beach of Lalla Fatma (in Safi).

Like the country, Moroccan food is exquisite and rich in tastes, scents and colours. The famous dishes are *couscous*, a mixture between spices, meat and vegetables, and the *pastille*, a delicate pie with vegetables, meat, almond, honey, cinnamon and sugar all accompanied by the traditional mint tea...



## Moroccan Cities – ESSAOUIRA

Essaouira, located next to the sea, was found by the Portuguese in the 15<sup>th</sup> century. It mixes old and historical sites with the tranquility of 10 km of immaculate sand beaches, and was once the refuge of several artists like Orson Wells and Jimi Hendrix. It is nowadays considered one of the best spots in Morocco to surf.

Like all the other Moroccan cities, Essaouira has an amazing medina, which can be seen from "The Sqala of the Kasbash", an ancient maritime fortification facing the sea, and listed as an UNESCO World Heritage Site.



### ESSAOUIRA – Mini Packages

#### **05 Nights / 07 Days Tour on 3\* Basis**

Valid from 01<sup>st</sup> July to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2009

##### **Includes:**

04 Nights accommodation at Hotel Ibis Moussafir (**3 stars superior**) on HB basis.

01 Half Day City Tour in Essaouira.

01 Night accommodation in Lisbon at Hotel Roma (**3 stars**) on BB basis.

Round-Trip transfer from Marrakech

Round-Trip transfer in Lisbon

**Price per Person from \$ 437**

#### **05 Nights / 07 Days Tour on 5\* Basis**

Valid from 01<sup>st</sup> July to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2009

##### **Includes:**

04 Nights accommodation at the Hotel Atlas Essaouira (**5 stars**) on BB basis.

01 Half Day City Tour in Essaouira.

01 Night accommodation in Lisbon at Hotel Lisboa Plaza (**5 stars**) on BB basis.

Round-Trip transfer from Marrakech

Round-Trip transfer in Lisbon

**Price per Person from \$ 1150**

## Moroccan Cities – FEZ

The oldest Moroccan imperial city, Fès El Bali (Fès the Ancient) dates from the 11th century while Fès El Jedid (Fès the New) dates from the 13th century.

The city is actually a medina that has been designated Unesco World Heritage of Humanity Site and looks like it still lingers in the middle Ages.

Fez has several mosques, medersas (koranic schools) and mausoleums in honour of the founder of Fez; The medina has almost 1000 alleys and many souks: the Henné souk (cosmetics made of Henna), the Jeld souk (leather works), the Haïk souk (wool works) and the Taneer's Quarter (which exhibits the enormous coloured pools where the clothes are tinted).



### FEZ – Mini Packages

#### **05 Nights / 07 Days Tour on 4\* basis**

Valid from 01<sup>st</sup> July to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2009

##### **Includes:**

- 04 Nights accommodation at the Hotel Royal Mirage (**4 stars**) on BB basis.
- 01 Half Day City Tour in Fez.
- 01 Night accommodation in Lisbon at a Hotel Fénix Lisboa (**4 stars**) on bb basis.
- Transfer IN/OUT in Fez and Lisbon

**Price per Person from \$ 525**

#### **05 Nights / 07 Days Tour on 5\* basis**

Valid from 01<sup>st</sup> July to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2009

##### **Includes:**

- 04 Nights accommodation at the **Hotel Les Merinides (5 stars)** on BB basis.
- 01 Half Day City Tour in Fez.
- 01 Night accommodation in Lisbon at Hotel Lisboa Plaza (**5 stars**) on bb basis.
- Transfer IN/OUT in Fez and Lisbon

**Price per Person from \$ 877**



## FEZ – Body & Soul

### 05 Nights / 07 Days Tour on 5\* basis

Valid from 01<sup>st</sup> July to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2009

#### Includes:

04 Nights accommodation at the Riad Maison Bleue & SPA (**5 stars**) on BB basis.

01 Half Day City Tour in Fez.

01 Night accommodation in Lisbon at Hotel Lisboa Plaza (**5 stars**) on bb basis.

03 Days SPA treatments

Transfer IN/OUT in Fez and Lisbon

**Price per Person from \$ 1,269**

## Moroccan Cities – TANGER

Tanger, the White City, is one of the most historically rich cities in Morocco due to its strategic position in front of the Gibraltar Strait. It was influenced by many civilisations like the Phoenicians (in the 5<sup>th</sup> century BC), the Spanish and the Portuguese. It was only in the 1950's that it finally gained its independence, and became a Moroccan city.

Tanger has a Medina with 2 different markets: the Grand Socco and the Petit Socco (socco is the Spanish word for "souk"). The Grand Socco has a square with cafés, while the Petit Socco has little souks with food and antiques.

Next to the Medina, there's the most famous garden in Tanger: the The Mendoubia Garden, located next to the Grand Socco, which has a fascinating tree that has more than 800 years old.

Tanger is also well known for the Caves of Hercules. They are located 14 km west of Tanger near Cap Spartel. Apart from their great beauty and archaeological interest, legend says that this was the dwelling place of HERCULES who founded Tanger and made the Straits of Gibraltar, with one blow from his sword...



## TANGER – Mini Packages

### **05 Nights / 07 Days Tour on 4\* basis**

Valid from 01<sup>st</sup> July to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2009

#### **Includes:**

- 04 Nights accommodation at the Hotel Atlas RIF (**4 stars**) on BB basis.
- 01 Half Day City Tour in Tanger.
- 01 Night accommodation in Lisbon at Hotel Fénix Lisboa (**4 stars**) on bb basis.
- Transfer IN/OUT in Tanger and Lisbon

**Price per Person from \$ 616**

### **05 Nights / 07 Days Tour on 5\* basis**

Valid from 01<sup>st</sup> July to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2009

#### **Includes:**

- 04 Nights accommodation at the Hotel El Minzah (**5 stars**) on BB basis.
- 01 Half Day City Tour in Tanger.
- 01 Night accommodation in Lisbon at Hotel Lisboa Plaza (**5 stars**) on bb basis.
- Transfer IN/OUT in Tanger and Lisbon

**Price per Person from \$ 827**

## Moroccan Cities – MARRAKECH

Marrakech, one of the four imperial cities, is a symbol of Morocco for its charm, splendor and simplicity.

It has an enormous medina, in a 12<sup>th</sup> century fortification, with souks that are a travelers dream: from food, clothes, jewellery and antiques, to storytellers, musicians, snake charmers and beautiful Riads, all can be found here.

From every location of this medina you can see the minaret of the ancient and beautifully ornamented Koutoubia Mosque. This mosque was built in the 12<sup>th</sup> century and is the largest mosque in Marrakech.

Outside the medina, there are many museums, palaces and hidden gardens waiting for your visit. One of these gardens is the "Ménara", considered one of the most romantic places in Marrakech, with a lake beside it and spots suited for romantic picnics.



## MARRAKECH – Mini Packages

### 05 Nights / 07 Days Tour on 4\* basis

Valid from 01<sup>st</sup> July to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2009

#### Includes:

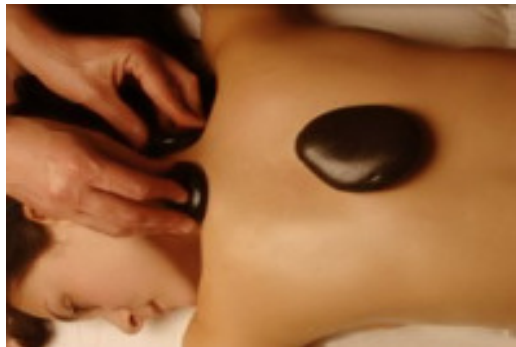
- 04 Nights accommodation at the Hotel Atlas Asni (**4 stars**) on BB basis.
- 01 Half Day City Tour in Marrakech.
- 01 Night accommodation in Lisbon at Hotel Fénix Lisboa (**4 stars**) on bb basis.
- Transfer IN/OUT in Marrakech and Lisbon
- Price per Person from **\$ 436**

### 05 Nights / 07 Days Tour on 3\* basis

Valid from 01<sup>st</sup> July to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2009

#### Includes:

- 04 Nights accommodation at the Hotel Palmeraie Golf Palace (**5 stars**) on BB basis.
- 01 Half Day City Tour in Marrakech.
- 01 Night accommodation in Lisbon at Hotel Lisboa Plaza (**5 stars**) hotel.
- Transfer IN/OUT in Marrakech and Lisbon
- Price per Person from **\$ 990**



## MARRAKECH - BODY & SOUL

### 05 Nights / 07 Days SPA Program

Valid from 01<sup>st</sup> July to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2009

#### Includes:

- 04 Nights accommodation at the Octogone Earth, Terre Resort and SPA (**5 stars**) on BB basis.
- 01 Half Day City Tour in Marrakech.
- 01 Night accommodation in Lisbon at Hotel Lisboa Plaza (**5 stars**) hotel.
- 03 Days SPA Treatment
- Transfer IN/OUT in Marrakech and Lisbon
- Price per Person from **\$ 1,456**

### 05 Nights / 07 Days SPA Program

Valid from 01<sup>st</sup> July to 31<sup>st</sup> October 2009

#### Includes:

- 04 Nights accommodation at the Hivernage Hotel & SPA (**5 stars**) on BB basis.
- 01 Half Day City Tour in Marrakech.
- 01 Night accommodation in Lisbon at Hotel Lisboa Plaza (**5 stars**) on bb basis.
- 03 Days SPA Treatment
- Transfer IN/OUT in Marrakech and Lisbon
- Price per Person from **\$ 1,072**

## Moroccan Tours



### **Imperial Cities Tour – Weekly departure every Sunday, from Casablanca**

#### **Program – 07 Nights / 9 Days**

Valid from July to October 2009

Includes:

06 Nights accommodation at **4 star** hotels on HB basis.

01 Night accommodation in Lisbon at Hotel Fénix Lisboa (**4 stars**) on bb basis.

Transfer IN/OUT in Casablanca and Lisbon

Visiting: Casablanca / Rabat / Meknes / Fez / Beni-Mellal / Marrakech

**Price per Person from \$ 838**



### **Oasis, Dunes & Desert Tour on 4X4 – Weekly departure every Sunday from Marrakech**

#### **Program – 07 Nights / 9 Days**

Valid from July to October 2009

Includes:

06 Nights accommodation at **4 stars** hotels on HB basis.

01 Night accommodation in Lisbon at Hotel Fénix Lisboa (**4 stars**) on bb basis.

Transfer IN/OUT in Marrakech and Lisbon

H/D City Tour to Marrakech

4X4 Transportation with Driver from the 3<sup>th</sup> to the 7<sup>th</sup> day.

Visiting: Marrakech / Ouarzazate / Zagora / Erfoud / Ouarzazate

**Price per Person from \$ 1,046**