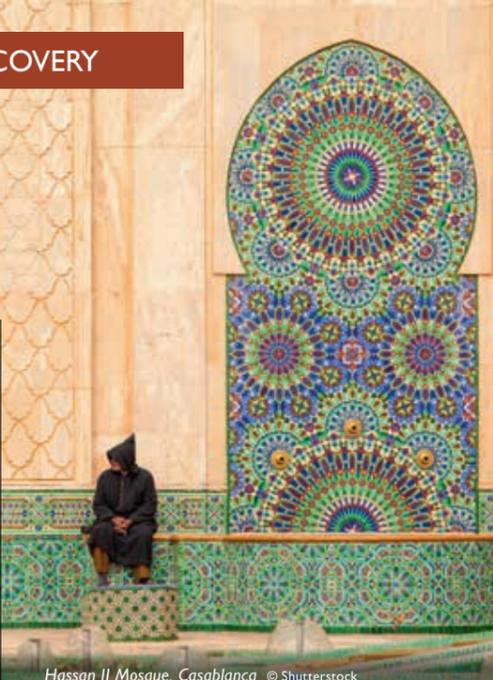


MOROCCO
 With its rich history and fascinating heritage Morocco exudes mystery and romance. Featuring a unique blend of the African Berber, Arab and Mediterranean cultures, for centuries travellers have crossed shifting sands and braved mountain passes seeking out the exotic wonders and marvels of this unique country. Discover landscapes rich in graceful Arabic architecture, colourful souks, palaces, traditional riads, rugged gorges and bustling medinas full of traders.



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MOROCCO DISCOVERY

10 days/9 nights
 From \$5326 per person twin share*
 Ex Casablanca

Tour cost per person from:*

	A	B
	\$5859	\$5326

Option A: Le Doge, Riad Maison Bleue, Gold Sand Camp, Ksar El Kabbaba, La Maison Arabe

Option B: Novotel Casa City Centre, Riad Myra, Gold Sand Camp, Ksar El Kabbaba, Riad Ilayka

*Based on two people sharing, single prices on request.

INCLUSIONS

9 nights accommodation on B&B basis and HB basis on days 5 & 6, dinner with Fantasia show on day 9, transport in air conditioned deluxe car throughout, English speaking guide, entrance fees to monuments and sites and mineral water in the car.

This private guided tour takes in the highlights of Morocco, from historical Meknes and Fes, to the sand dunes of Erg Chebbi and the ancient medina of Marrakech. Encased in old fortified walls, these marvellous medieval cities are a hub for trade, bustling with countless souks and artisan workshops. Visit age-old hilltop kasbahs in the dramatic Dades Valley and Todgha Gorge, as well as scenic Ouarzazate, location for many movies.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Casablanca

Arrive Casablanca airport where you are met by your guide. Transfer to your hotel.

Days 2-4 Fes

Head to the capital, Rabat, featuring a wealth of stunning colonial architecture. Highlights include the 12th century Hassan Tower, Mohammed V Mausoleum and Kasbah of the Oudayas. Continue to Fes for overnight. On day 3 drive to 17th century Meknes, one of Morocco's imperial cities, and the Roman ruins at Volubilis. The following day explore Fes, including the medieval walled district of Fes el Bali, with its beautiful mosaics, souks and tanneries. B

Day 5 Merzouga Desert Camp

Drive to Erfoud at the edge of the Sahara. In the afternoon, explore the vast desert landscapes of Erg Chebbi, take a camel ride and climb the dunes to watch the sunset. Overnight at a traditional desert camp. BD

Day 6 Skoura

Travel by road to the Musée des Oasis, gateway to the beautiful Todgha Gorge and Dades Valley. Overnight at Skoura Oasis. BD

Days 7-9 Marrakech

Visit the magnificent kasbahs of Ouarzazate before continuing on to Marrakech. Explore the many sites of this city including Koutoubia Mosque and Djemaa el-Fnaa Square. Enjoy a 'Fantasia Extravaganza' show and dinner at Chez Ali (day 9). B/B/BD

Day 10 Tour ends Casablanca

Transfer to Casablanca airport. Tour ends. B



Ancient fortified city, outside Ouarzazate © Shutterstock



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PRIVATE TOURING

These tours are just a sample of what you can do in Morocco. For expert advice please contact us on (03) 9249 3777 or 1300 363 302.



Picturesque sand dunes of Erg Chebbi © Travel Link

MOROCCO'S BLUE CITY

3 days/2 nights
 From \$1079 per person twin share*
 Departs daily ex Casablanca

*Based on two people sharing, single prices on request.

INCLUSIONS

2 nights' accommodation on a B&B basis, transfers, meals and sightseeing as per itinerary.

In northern Morocco, Chefchaouen is one of the country's prettiest towns, renowned for its blue-white washed stone walls and cobblestone streets. The medina is small and uncrowded compared to the hustle and bustle of Fés and Marrakech, making it a joy to explore. In the centre of town is the picturesque Uta El Hammam Plaza shadowed by the red-hued Kasbah, an ancient walled fortress that contains a lovely garden and fascinating ethnographic museum. The beautifully decorated Riad Cherifa sits overlooking the town, a mere 600 metres from the ancient Kasbah.

ITINERARY

Day 1 Chefchaouen

Today you will be met and transferred by road to Riad Cherifa in Chefchaouen.

Day 2 Chefchaouen

This morning enjoy a walking tour of Chefchaouen, visiting the ancient Kasbah. Explore the ethnographic museum which houses numerous pieces of clothing including the traditional djellaba and visit a local oil mill. B

Day 3 Tour Ends

After breakfast transfer to Casablanca. Tour ends. B



Riad Cherifa Lobby © Riadcherifa

ESSAOUIRA EXTENSION



Visit the famous port city of Essaouira on this 3 day extension from Marrakech. Founded in the 18th century by the Portuguese, the city was rebuilt and fortified to take advantage of the Trans-Saharan trade route. The fortifications are a fascinating mix of Portuguese and Moroccan architecture, whilst the city is renowned for its pretty whitewashed houses, art galleries and markets. Explore this vibrant city with your local guide and see the famous spice souks, jewellery markets and carpentry workshops.

3 day/2 night tour cost from: \$633 p.p. twin staying at the Villa De L'ô (standard room). Please contact us for further details.

KASBAH DU TOUBKAL



This community built lodge, 60km from Marrakech in the Atlas Mountains came to fruition when two British hikers came across the ruined building in 1989. Completely refurbished, it is now one of National Geographic's Unique Lodges of the World, a fusion of Berber and European cultures. The hotel has 14 beautiful rooms all with terraces and gardens that give incredible views of the Atlas peaks. The restaurant provides a genuine Berber experience offering authentic healthy meals. There is also a traditional hammam (steam bath) and guided walking excursions to enjoy.

3 day/2 night tour cost from: \$678 p.p. twin Please contact us for further details.



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