

## Morocco - The Imperial Cities (M-ID: 2158)

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**from €2,680.00**

Dates and duration (days)

On request

9 days

04/05/2024 - 04/13/2024 9 days

04/26/2024 - 05/04/2024 9 days

09/20/2024 - 09/28/2024 9 days

10/11/2024 - 10/19/2024 9 days

### Motorcycle Tour in Morocco - Fez, Marrakech, Rabat, Middle Atlas, and the Atlantic Coast

In addition to the good mood on the motorbike, our hand-picked tour also awaits you with numerous little moments that will put a smile on your face. Watching Berber monkeys playing in the cedar forests of Ifrane, gigantic waterfalls in Ouzud, the sunset at the square of the jugglers in Marrakech, or a fresh lamb cutlet from the grill at the lunch stop in the Atlas - the riding days are full of all kinds of unique instants.

#### Highlights:

On this motorbike tour in Morocco, motorbike pleasure at its best awaits you on the unique mountain and panoramic routes in the Middle and High Atlas mountains.

Discover the fascinating valleys in the Rif Mountains with their exciting routes to the "Blue Pearl" Chefchaouen.

Discover the imperial city of Fez and its medina (UNESCO World Heritage Site).

After the breathtaking ride over the mountain passes in the High Atlas, you stay with the Berbers and spend a very special night in a Kasbah.

2 days in Marrakech give you enough time to immerse yourself in the colorful market hustle and bustle and to explore the city in front of the Atlas panorama.

Visit the Hassan Tower in Rabat and the majestic mausoleum of the royal family.

Your motorbike tour is rounded off with a ferry crossing over the Straits of Gibraltar with its magnificent views of Africa and Europe.

#### Daily stages:

##### Day 1 - Arrival in Málaga

A crew member of our team awaits you at the airport in Málaga and will transfer you to the tour hotel. In the afternoon, after the handover of your motorbike, a detailed tour briefing takes place followed by a joint dinner where you meet the other riders and get in the mood for your Moroccan adventure.

Destination: Málaga

Accommodation: 4\* tour hotel in Málaga

##### Day 2 - From Málaga to the blue city of Chefchaouen

Your motorbike tour to Morocco starts in the morning on the coastal road from Málaga to Tarifa, the southernmost point of Spain, from where you take the ferry to Africa and reach the legendary port of Tangier through the Straits of Gibraltar. Beautiful motorbike routes await you in the Rif Mountains in the north of the country and you enjoy the first impressions of your journey in the blue city of Chefchaouen, where you spend the night.

Destination: Chefchaouen

Distance / duration: 300 km / 6 h

Accommodation: Typical Riad in Chefchaouen

Highlights: Tarifa, ferry crossing to Tangier, Strait of Gibraltar, Rif Mountains

### Day 3 - The Imperial City of Fez

The fields in the plains around the ancient imperial and university town of Fez are surprisingly green and fertile. At the Laou river, you pass the checkpoint of the former Franco-Spanish colonial border and later you cross the Oued Sebou, the biggest river in North-western Morocco. Once you have arrived at the old town of Fez, you will quickly realize why this place over centuries was a hub for most caravans from all over Africa.

Destination: Fez

Distance / duration: 200 km / 4 h

Accommodation: 5\* Hotel in Fez

Highlights: Guided Tour in Fez, Visit leather tannery and Medresa

### Day 4 - The impressive Atlas Mountains and Ouzoud

Today, a long and very eventful day of scenic riding awaits you. You will reach the high plateaus of central Morocco, where you can feel the wideness and beauty of this country, while the first foothills of the High Atlas Mountains appear on the horizon. You stay for the night in a small village in the heart of the Atlas Mountains.

Destination: Ouzoud

Distance / duration: 420 km / 7 h

Accommodation: Typical Riad in Ouzoud

Highlights: High Atlas, Ifrane, cedar forests, Berber villages

### Day 5 - The waterfalls of Ouzoud and Marrakech

In the morning, after a ride through wild and romantic valleys, you reach a gorgeous natural sight, the "Cascades d'Ouzoud", the largest and most striking waterfalls in the country. Westwards, the route takes you past old Kasbahs and you arrive at your destination at the "largest oasis in Morocco" - in Marrakech, considered by many to be the most beautiful and oriental city in Morocco, the "Pearl of the South".

Destination: Marrakech

Distance / duration: 340 km / 6.5 h

Accommodation: 4\* Hotel in Marrakech

Highlights: Waterfalls d'Ouzoud, Kasbahs, Marrakech marketplace

### Day 6 - Rest Day in Marrakech

Due to a large number of architecturally significant buildings, including the Koutoubia Mosque dating from 1162, the 12th-century Kasbah, and the 14th-century Ben-Jusuf Medersa, the old town was declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1985, along with the Agdal Gardens and the Menara Gardens. The city's main attraction is the Djemaa el Fna (literally: Square of the Beheaded), the world-famous medieval market and executioner's square, today a lively place of oriental storytellers, snake charmers, and

jugglers. In the new town is the Jardin Majorelle, which impresses with its variety of plants and peculiar architecture. It's a good idea to take a break in one of the countless cafés in the medina and take in the colorful hustle and bustle. Don't miss the call to prayer of the muezzin at sunset on the Djemaa el Fna square.

Accommodation: 4\* Hotel in Marrakech

### Day 7 - On curvy roads to Rabat

Today's stage takes you north to the long Atlantic coastline, where the cities of Casablanca and Rabat are located. On the winding roads of Morocco's fertile northern hills, you enjoy sheer riding pleasure and your motorcycle to the fullest. Along the coastal road, you reach Rabat, the capital of Morocco, and visit its icon, the Hassan Tower, the unfinished minaret of the Great Mosque.

Destination: Rabat

Distance / duration: 360 km / 6.5 h

Accommodation: 5\* Hotel in Rabat

Highlights: Visit the mausoleum of the royal family and Hassan Tower

### Day 8 - Along the coastal road to Málaga

From Rabat, you head to Tangier, where the ferry to Europe is waiting and your Moroccan adventure gradually comes to an end. After arrival at the tour hotel, the motorbikes are returned and you say goodbye to the other tour participants during dinner.

Stage destination: Málaga

Distance / duration: 410 km / 7 h

Accommodation: 4\* tour hotel in Málaga

Highlights: Lunch on the Atlantic Ocean, ferry crossing to Europe

### Day 9 - Departure

The luggage is packed and according to your flight time, our transfer service is ready to take you to the airport. We say goodbye and hope to see you again soon on one of our future motorbike adventures.

Please note: We reserve the right to make small changes to the tour schedule.

Countries	Morocco
	Spain
Category	Motorcycle Tour
Terrain	Onroad
Vehicle	your own motorcycle motorcycle rent optional
Tourguide / Coach	yes (guided)
Accommodation	Hotel / B&B or similar 4 star hotel 5 star hotel
Flight to / from	no, not incl.
Ferry	yes, incl.
Support vehicle (luggage/service)	yes
Customer payment protection	yes
* PRICING	Minimal without optional extras, see pricing

## Pricing

Per rider in shared twin/double room with his/her own motorcycle:	€2,680.00
Per rider in shared twin/double room with BMW F700GS:	€3,290.00
Per rider in shared twin/double room with BMW F750GS:	€3,360.00
Per rider in shared twin/double room with BMW F850GS:	€3,430.00
Per rider in shared twin/double room with BMW F800GS ADVENTURE:	€3,430.00
Per rider in shared twin/double room with BMW F900XR:	€3,430.00
Per rider in shared twin/double room with BMW R1250R:	€3,530.00
Per rider in shared twin/double room with BMW R1250GS:	€3,530.00
Per rider in shared twin/double room with BMW R1250GS ADVENTURE:	€3,630.00
Per rider in shared twin/double room with BMW R1250RT:	€3,630.00
Per rider in shared twin/double room with BMW S1000 XR:	€3,630.00
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per pillion passenger in shared twin/double room (pillion passengers cannot book without an accompanying rider)	€1,980.00
per person single room (surcharge - only available with an additional selection of the basic price "per rider in shared twin/double room")	€400.00
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VIP fully comprehensive insurance for BMW F700GS with retention of EUR 350,-	€140.00

VIP fully comprehensive insurance for all other BMW models with retention of EUR 500,- €210.00

## Included

Airport transfer, ferry ticket Algeciras - Tangier Med

7 days rental motorcycle incl. comprehensive insurance

8 x nights in selected, comfortable hotels and riads

8 x breakfast and 7 x dinner (dinner not included on the rest day in Marrakech)

Tour bus (luggage transfer, spare bike)

German-Spanish speaking tour guide on the motorcycle

Info package / maps

Souvenir gift

## Not included

Flight, drinks, snacks, tips for porters/hotel service/tour guides, travel protection insurance

Gasoline and toll costs

Everything that is not explicitly listed in the included services.

## More details

Highlights: Fez, Marrakech, Rabat, Middle Atlas, and the Atlantic Coast

Duration: 9 Days / 7 Riding days

Mileage: 2400km

Daily stages: 6 - 8 h

Arrival day:

Airport: Málaga, Spain - Airport code AGP

Transfer: Airport - Tour hotel (When you travel with us from Málaga, the airport transfer is included at the following times: From Málaga Airport AGP to the tour hotel: On the day of arrival of the tour, only between 9:00-18:00)

Briefing time: 18.00 h

Departure day:

Airport: Málaga, Spain - Airport code AGP

Transfer: Tour hotel - Airport (When you travel with us from Málaga, the airport transfer is included at the following times: From the tour hotel to Málaga Airport AGP: On the day of the end of the tour, only between 9:00-18:00)

Departure time: possible all-day

Accommodation on tour:

Top-notch hotels - Full comfort for you and your passenger! Enjoy our hand-picked and first-class hotels that guarantee a relaxed atmosphere in which you can unwind after your days of riding. We see our accommodation not only as a place to rest but rather as a vital part of the touring experience. Whether it's a 5\* luxury hotel or an authentic Kasbah in the oasis...our selection of hotels knows to inspire! The accommodations are selected for their excellent quality, stunning location, and outstanding service.

Gastronomic delights on the tour:

After the adventure of the day comes the highlight of the evening. Time to try out the diverse Moroccan cuisine and enjoy delicious oriental dishes including tajine, couscous, pastries, and sweet honey biscuits.

Private Tour requests:

We are also happy to organize this tour as a private tour! Your group, your private tour date.

PLEASE DO NOT FORGET TO BRING THE FOLLOWING ITEMS:

**MOTORCYCLE EQUIPMENT** - For your own safety, we recommend that you wear protective motorcycle clothing. If you do not have motorcycle clothing, you can rent it from us. We ask for a timely reservation of motorcycle clothing, helmets, and boots when booking the tour.

- Motorcycle helmet
- Motorcycle protective clothing
- Rain cover!
- Kidney belt
- Motorcycle boots
- Gloves and bandana
- Warm socks
- Long underwear

**TRAVEL UTENSILS**

- Sunglasses
- Sunscreen
- Body purse
- Cell phone and charger
- Photo camera
- Clock/Alarm clock
- Earplugs
- Notebook/Reading book
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**LEISURE WEAR**

- Casual clothing (warm/cold)
- Good shoes and sandals
- Swimsuit
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**PERSONAL**

- Personal documents
- Personal medication
- (Reading) visual/hearing aid

#### TRAVEL DOCUMENTS

- Identity card/passport valid for at least 6 months and 3 blank pages. (Non-EU citizens: Please clarify entry requirements with the competent authority of the country).
- Travel insurance for accident, illness, theft, liability
- Health insurance certificate
- Driver's license/International driver's license, if applicable
- Credit card (VISA, MasterCard, Euro Card)
- Cash for petrol, lunch, drinks, personal expenses/shopping
- For own motorcycle: green insurance and vehicle registration certificate; for third-party use: power of attorney

For organizational reasons, we ask you to bring only one bag or suitcase per person on the tour, as we have to store all the luggage in the support vehicle. Luggage that is not needed on the tour can be stationed in our office. The motorcycle is equipped with two side cases and a top case (inside bags gladly on request).

#### Motorcycle insurance:

All motorcycles are fully comprehensively insured with € 3.000,- excess (exception: BMW F700GS = € 2.000,- excess). With the VIP insurance for € 30,- per rental day the excess can be reduced to € 500,- (exception: BMW F700GS = € 20,- per rental day and the excess is then reduced to € 350,-).

#### Meals:

The tour price includes daily breakfast and most of the dinners during the trip; alternately we dine at the hotel or out in local restaurants.

We know how important a healthy water balance is for the motorcyclist, so we provide you with sufficient drinking water on tour.

#### Activities:

As described in the tour itinerary. Appropriate entrance fees are included.

#### Service and equipment:

Tour accompaniment by experienced tour guide with extensive local knowledge

Rental motorcycle (booking dependent) incl. comprehensive insurance. Additional equipment and clothing can be booked on request.

Tour bus with escort motorcycle and second tour guide (route escort, carpooling if necessary)

Daily tour briefing

Roadbook + maps + gift pack