



AC4 Discover Cádiz - The province of light

The province of Cadiz, steeped in history, though not famed for grand monuments or important museums, has more variety than any other in Andalucia. Eminently maritime, with 250 kilometres of coastline, boasting stunning sandy beaches making up La Costa de La Luz (Coast of Light), it offers so much more.

The historic port and city of Cadiz, the fascinating "sherry towns" of Jerez de la Frontera, Sanlucar de Barrameda and Puerto Santa Maria, the dramatic "pueblos blancos" (white towns), the stunningly beautiful sierras of Grazalema and Alcornocales and part of the very special Natural Park of Coto Donana are just some of its attractions.

Itinerary Overview:

Stage	Itinerary	Nights	Location	Services	Drive Time
1	Day 1 to 3	2 nights	Cádiz, city and port, Cádiz	HCAD2, Boutique-style hotel 1 x Twin/Double	40mins from Jerez airport / 1hr 30mins from Sevilla airport
2	Day 3 to 5	2 nights	Cádiz, The Sherry towns, Sanlúcar de Barrameda	HSDB2, Boutique-style hotel 1 x Twin/Double	50mins
3	Day 5 to 7	2 nights	Cádiz, Pueblos Blancos - Sierra de Grazalema, Grazalema	HGZL1, Family-run Posada 1 x Twin/Double	1hr 40mins
4	Day 7 to 9	2 nights	Cádiz, Los Alcornocales, Castellar de la frontera	HCDF1, 4-star Hotel 1 x Twin/Double	2hrs 10mins
5	Day 9 to 11	2 nights	Cádiz, Costa de la Luz, Vejer de la Frontera	HVEJ1, 3-star Hotel 1 x Twin/Double	1hr 10mins

Includes:

- Accommodation in our listed hotels 2 sharing 1 std. double ensuite, B&B
- · Economy 4-door car hire
- Guide book to Andalucia
- Personal Travel App including highlights, weather forecast and restaurant suggestions for all areas en-route
- · Instructions to find all accommodation

Excludes:

- Flights but we are able to advise
- One-way car hire charges, where applicable (see your quote email)
- The following car hire extras these can be added at pick-up point
 - extra driver
 - · child seats
 - GPS
- Parking fees where applicable (mostly city stops, unless specifically included) - please ask us about parking charges
- Local tourist taxes where applicable

Stage 1

Cádiz, city and port



Highlights

Catedral de Santa Cruz, with its iconic dome

Delicious seafood dishes. Try the famous "pescaíto frito"

La Caleta Beach - located between two castles

Climb the Tavira Tower for a panoramic view of the city

Castles of San Sebastian and Santa Catalina

HCAD2, Cádiz

See full details

Accommodation: 1 x Twin/Double, Bed and Breakfast



Recently restored, taking great care to maintain the charm and character of the original XVIII building, this stylish, comfortable hotel is the perfect base from which to explore atmospheric Cadiz, with a great choice of bars, restaurants and shops, and even beaches - within easy reach. The lovely Plaza de Espana with its pretty park and its grand Monumento a la Constitucion 1812 and the port of Cadiz are just around the corner.

The use of materials from stone walls to stunning tiled floors to noble woods gives the hotel an unmistakable mix of colonial, Moorish and Andalucian styles and makes the most of that magical light unique to the Costa de la Luz!







Main facilities	• 24 hour reception • Activity/tour booking service • Wi-Fi all areas
Room facilities	• En-suite bathroom • Air conditioning • Tea/coffee making facilities
Dining	Breakfast only Bars/restaurants within walking distance of the hotel
Room types	• Standard doubles, superior single and superior doubles and suites; some with balcony. • Not suitable for guests with reduced mobility
Other	• Garage parking (extra charge) • Public parking nearby (pay locally) • Pets allows by prior arrangement - please consult

Stage 2

Cádiz, The Sherry towns



Highlights

Fascinating sherry bodegas in Jerez, Sanlucar & 'El Puerto'

World famous dancing horses in Jerez

Amazing seafood & the finest jamón

Doñana National Park - amongst Europe's most important wetland reserves

Check out the local Flamenco culture

HSDB2, Sanlúcar de Barrameda

See full details

Accommodation: 1 x Twin/Double, Bed and Breakfast



Right in the heart of the old quarter of Sanlucar de Barrameda, this delightful hotel started life as a bodega in the C17th. Lovingly and meticulously restored, preserving many original features.

With a cosy reading room and cafeteria, you are a very short walk to the town's main square "Plaza del Cabildo" lined with atmospheric bars and restaurants offering Sanlucar's culinary delights.

The beach and the old fishing quarter "Bajo De Guia" on the estuary of the Rio Guadalquivir where Columbus set off on his third voyage are less than a kilometre away.







Main facilities	Activity/tour booking service • Wi-Fi all areas
Room facilities	• En-suite bathroom • Air conditioning • Tea/coffee making facilities
Dining	Breakfast only • Bars/restaurants within walking distance of the hotel
Room types	Standard, Superior and Junior Suites
Other	Garage parking (extra charge) • Public parking nearby (pay locally)

Stage 3

Cádiz, Pueblos Blancos - Sierra de Grazalema



Highlights

Arcos de la Frontera with its 'eagle's nest' viewpoint
Sierra de Grazalema - magnificent hiking and birdwatching
Medina Sidonia dating back to Phoenician times
Grazalema, delightful white village at the heart of the Sierra
Setenil de las Bodegas and Olvera - two more pearls...

HGZL1, Grazalema

See full details

Accommodation: 1 x Twin/Double, Bed and Breakfast



Tucked away in a quiet cul-de-sac in the upper part of Grazalema, this charming and special rural hotel is a real home from home.

Spanning over three floors with a beautiful garden of olives, palms and roses and a swimming pool, its lofty position provides wonderful views of the magnificent rocky hillsides that surround the village.

The cosy drawing room with a fireplace and television on the ground floor is a relaxing place to be on cooler days whilst the breakfast gallery and sunny terrace with stunning vistas are perfect to chill out in the warmer months







Main facilities	• Wi-Fi all areas • Swimming pool (outdoor, all year)
Room facilities	• En-suite bathroom • Air conditioning
Dining	Breakfast only • Bars/restaurants within walking distance of the hotel
Room types	Double / Twin Rooms
Other	• On-street parking • Public parking nearby (pay locally) • No pets allowed

Stage 4

Cádiz, Los Alcornocales



Highlights

A natural paradise, unspoilt by tourism

Spain's most extensive cork oak woodlands

Wonderful walks, cycling, horse riding and donkey trips

Castellar de la Frontera - the gateway to the park

Dramatic caves, rock formations and waterfalls

HCDF1, Castellar de la Frontera

See full details

Accommodation: 1 x Twin/Double, Bed and Breakfast



Built in 1603 by the Duke of Medinacelli and then later home to an order of monks has recently been converted into a country hotel.

With comfortable and elegant bedrooms, there is an inviting sitting room and an attractive dining room with a very good restaurant and superb views of the surroundings along with a swimming pool and tennis court and a billiard room.

In the heart of Los Alcornacales Natural Park, the last remaining subtropical rainforest in Europe, you are surrounded by 14.000 hectares of estate, there for you to explore on foot or on horseback.







Main facilities	• 24 hour reception • Wi-Fi all areas • Swimming pool (outdoor, seasonal)
Room facilities	• En-suite bathroom • Air conditioning
Dining	Restaurant, open to the public
Room types	Room(s) adapted for guests with reduced mobility
Other	On-site parking (free) • No pets allowed

Stage 5

Cádiz, Costa de la Luz



Highlights

Vejer de la Frontera, the best preserved of the Arab towns
The Cape of Trafalgar, scene of Nelson's famous victory
Stunning, dune-backed beaches, cooled by Atlantic breezes
Playa Bolonia, with the Roman ruins of Baelo Claudia
Tarifa - Europe's wind-surfing capital

HVEJ1, Vejer de la Frontera

See full details

Accommodation: 1 x Twin/Double, Bed and Breakfast



Hugely evocative, this delightful small hotel really brings to life the Moorish past of Al Andalus. Composed of many little casitas with narrow arched alleyways and stairways ducking and diving between, the result is a magical labyrinth on many levels.

The perfect example of the Andalucian white village, Vejer de la Frontera occupies a hilltop position just 15 minutes' drive from the beach and is well placed to explore Costa de la Luz from Tarifa, the wind-surf capital of Europe, to historic Cadiz. One of the main gateways to Africa, each civilisation has left its mark on the area from Roman ruins right on the beach at Playa Bolonia and in Medina-Sidonia to a Moorish Alcazar and a 15th century castle.

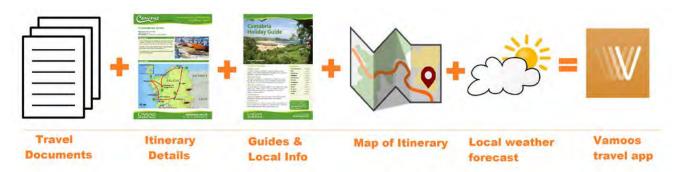






Main facilities	Wi-Fi all areas
Room facilities	• En-suite bathroom • Air conditioning • Tea/coffee making facilities
Dining	• Restaurant, open to the public • Bars/restaurants within walking distance of the hotel
Room types	Not suitable for guests with reduced mobility
Other	On-site parking (extra charge) • No pets allowed

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