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Gastronomy Itinerary Region Valpaços Traditional Bacalhau Assado Ref. 25426



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Description

This 8-hour circular route departs Porto and heads to Valpaços, offering a journey rich in natural landscapes, history, and traditional flavors of the northeastern Trás-os-Montes region, with a special emphasis on the region's famous baked cod.

Departing Porto early in the morning, you'll follow the A4 highway inland. The first suggested stop is at the iconic Miradouro de São Leonardo de Galafura, near Peso da Régua, which offers a majestic view of the Douro Valley and its vineyard terraces. It's the ideal place for a short break and to capture unique photographs.

Next, the journey continues to Vila Real, where we recommend a visit to the Mateus Palace, one of the most beautiful examples of Baroque architecture in Portugal, with elegant gardens and historic interiors. Resuming the journey along the IP2, the road passes through mountain scenery and vineyards until reaching the tranquil town of Valpaços, in the heart of Trás-os-Montes. The highlight of the tour is lunch at a typical restaurant, where grilled or oven-baked cod is served with smashed potatoes, sautéed greens, and generous amounts of local olive oil. The meal is paired with full-bodied wines from the Valpaços sub-region, renowned for their quality.

After lunch, it's worth visiting the Valpaços Wine House, an interactive space that showcases local products, such as wine, olive oil, and nuts. If time permits, a stroll through the town center allows you to explore the main church, the market, and the public garden, taking in the city's calm and welcoming atmosphere.

The return to Porto takes a different route, passing through Murça and Alijó, with the possibility of a brief stop at a typical pastry shop to enjoy a regional sweet. Arriving in Porto in the late afternoon marks the end of a full and well-lived day, filled with culture, scenery, and the authentic flavors of Trás-os-Montes.



Restaurante Quinta Valle de Passos Valpaços

The Quinta Valle de Passos restaurant, in Valpaços, offers an authentic and refined gastronomic experience, with highlights including grilled cod, roast goat and regional sausages. It uses local products such as olive oil from Trás-os-Montes and chestnuts, always in well-presented dishes. The rural and peaceful atmosphere complements the flavors, making it ideal for enjoying traditional cuisine with elegance.



Restaurante Terra Quente Valpaços

Cantinho do Tito, in Abraveses (Viseu), is known for its traditional Portuguese cuisine, with an emphasis on the authentic homemade chicken stew rice. In a cozy, family-friendly atmosphere, it also serves stewed broad beans, fillets with migas and seasonal dishes. It is a place that honors regional flavors with simplicity, quality and an unmistakable homemade touch.

Region



The trip from Porto to Valpaços is a discovery of the intense and authentic landscapes of Trás-os-Montes. The route crosses valleys, mountains and vineyards, revealing the beauty of the northern interior. In Valpaços, visitors will find living traditions, rich cuisine, excellent olive oils and wines. The surrounding nature offers trails, typical villages and serene rivers. The return to Porto brings with it the memory of a genuine region, where hospitality, flavors and landscape merge into a remarkable experience. Ideal for cultural and gastronomic getaways, this tour combines the best of the rural world with the charm of Portuguese origins.

Route

PORTO
VALPAÇOS
PORTO

- Aprox. 375 km
- 10h trip

Departure from Hotel
8am Estimated Arrival
6pm at Hotel

Price

Price per
person:
375€ For 1 person
205€ For 2 people
185€ For 3 people

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