

Coastal Route Portuguese Camino

12 km/7.4 mi - Walking stages + Accommodation

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The Coastal Route from Porto to Santiago de Compostela - 274 km/170 mi.

Average stage - 12 km/7.4 mi

Longest stage - 16 km/10 mi

Porto - Accommodation

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Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Albergue de peregrinos de Porto	albergueperegrinosporto.pt	\$
Easy Host Porto	book here *	\$
O2 Hostel	book here	\$
Porto Spot Hostel	book here	\$
Change The World Hostels	book here	\$
SUPERNOVA Hostel	book here	\$
Portuense Alojamento Local	book here	\$\$
A Portuguesa Guest House	book here	\$\$
Best Guest Porto Hostel	book here	\$\$
Oporto Santa Catarina Residence	book here	\$\$
The Poets Inn	book here	\$\$
Hotel Peninsular- Porto	book here	\$\$
Aparthotel Oporto Sol	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$
Utopian - Design Suites Porto	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$
Oporto Comfort Dom Hugo Apartment	book here	\$\$\$

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Porto tours and activities

1. [Discover Porto's Highlights on a 2-Hour Private Electric Tuk Tuk.](#)
2. [Porto: Douro River Boat Cruise with Port Wine Tasting.](#)
3. [Douro Valley Tour: 2 Vineyard Visits, River Cruise, Winery Lunch.](#)
4. [Porto: An Intimate Fado Show in a Historical Tavern.](#)

Stage 1. Se Cathedral, Porto to Matosinhos, 10.5 km/6.5 mi

- Distance – 10.5 km/6.5 mi
- Time – 3 hours (moving time)
- Ascent – 60 m
- Descent – 90 m
- Walking surface – 9.5 km/5.5 mi – tar road; 1 km/0.6 mi - boardwalk.
- Walking along the coast – 10 km/6.2 mi, along the Douro River and the coast.

Highlights

- Se Cathedral and the historical center of Porto.
- Walking along the Douro River.
- Beautiful beaches and seaside.

Challenges

- The first 10 km from the Cathedral are not marked. It's not difficult to find the route; you follow the Douro River for 10 km till you get to the information office in Matosinhos. From there you can follow the yellow arrows.

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Stops along the route stage 1

Distance	Name	Facilities
0-6 km/0-3.7 mi	Porto	Along the Douro River, restaurants and cafes. You can skip the first 6 km by taking a tram #1 or #18 from the Cathedral to Passeio Alegre.
6 km/3.7 mi	Foz de Douro	São João Baptista Fortress and Barra do Douro Lighthouse
10.5 km/6.5 mi	Matosinhos Information office	You can get a stamp and find out where to buy a Credential. The first official Camino sign since the Cathedral.

Matosinhos - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Oportocean Hostel	book here	\$-\$\$
Caruma Surf Hostel	book here	\$-\$\$
Fishtail Sea House	book here	\$-\$\$
Slow Being Apartment Stays	book here	\$\$
Hotel Senhor de Matosinhos	book here	\$\$
Pensao Central	book here	\$\$
Chill and Fun - Matosinhos	book here	\$\$
VYBE Matosinhos Centro	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$
São Francisco	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$
Ocean Boutique Guesthouse	book here	\$\$\$

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Stage 2. Matosinhos to Labruge, 14 km/8.7 mi

- Distance – 14 km/8.7 mi
- Time – 4 hours (moving time)
- Ascent – 70 m
- Descent – 54 m
- Walking surface – 6 km/3.7 mi – tar road; 8 km/5 mi - boardwalk.
- Walking along the coast – 11 km/6.8 mi.

Highlights

- Walking past beautiful sandy beaches.
- Farol de Leça, an impressive lighthouse with a museum.
- Boardwalk along the coast with spectacular scenery.

Challenges

- Nothing in particular, a beautiful walking day along the coast.

Stops along the route stage 2

*MA - Municipal (public) albergue

Distance	Name	Facilities
0-2.5 km/ 0-1.5 mi	Through Matosinhos	Restaurants, shops, cafes, ATMs
2.5 km/1.5 mi	Tourism information office	You can get a stamp or find out where to get a Credential
2.7 km/1.6 mi	Leça da Palmeira	Hotels, restaurants, bars, shops
2.5-13.5 km/ 1.5-8.3 mi	Along the coast	Several cafes and restaurants along the beach. Some of them are closed in winter
4.5-13.5 km/ 2,7-8,3 mi	On the boardwalk	
6.5 km/4 mi	Aldeia Nova	Guesthouses, restaurant, bar

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9.5 km/5.9 mi	Agudela	A big supermarket, 400 m away from the Camino. It's the last big shop for the day.
12.5 km/7.7 mi	Praia de Angeiras	Orbitur Campsite, guesthouse
13.5 km/8.3 mi	Labruge, a small town	MA* (900 m away from the route, inland), guesthouse, cafes, restaurants

Labruge - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Albergue de Peregrinos São Tiago de Labruge	+351 961 180 256	\$
Estúdio praia Labruge	book here	\$\$
Casa de Praia Guest House	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$
Smiling Places - Guest House	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$

Stage 3. Labruge to Vila do Conde, 9.5 km/5.9 mi

- Distance – 9.5 km/5.9 mi
- Time – 3 hours (moving time)
- Ascent – 56 m
- Descent – 50 m
- Walking surface – 1.5 km/0.9 mi – tar road; 8 km/5 mi - boardwalk.
- Walking along the coast – 8 km/5 mi.

Highlights

- Spectacular coastal scenery and beaches.
- The historical center of Vila do Conde (Aqueduct Santa Clara, Santa Clara Convent and Church).

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Challenges

- Nothing in particular, a short and easy walking day.

Stops along the route stage 3

*PA - public albergue

Distance	Name	Facilities
2 km/1.2mi	Vila Chã, a small town	MA (800 m from the Camino, inland), guesthouses, campsite, cafes, restaurant
2-8 km/1.7mi		Along the coast on the boardwalk
4.5 km/2.8 mi	Praia de Mindelo	Hotels, restaurants, a shop
6.8 km/4.2 mi	Praia do Árvore	Hotels, restaurants, cafes, a shop
7.5 km/4.6 mi	Praia da Azurara	A guesthouse, cafes
9.5 km/5.9 mi	Vila do Conde	MA, PA*, hotels, restaurants, cafes, supermarkets, ATMs, pharmacies

Vila do Conde - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Albergue de Peregrinos Santa Clara	+351 252 104 717	\$
HI Vila do Conde - Pousada de Juventude	book here	\$
Albergue Casa da Laura	+351 935 470 990	\$
Laranjal Guesthouse	book here	\$\$
Venceslau Wine Boutique Hostel	book here	\$\$
B&B HOTEL Vila do Conde	book here	\$\$
Vila do Conde - Os Maias	book here	\$\$
Residencial Princesa do Ave	book here	\$\$
A Rendilheira Boutique Hotel	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$

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Hotel Brazão	book here	\$\$\$
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Stage 4. Vila do Conde to Aguçadoura, 10.5 km/6.5 mi

- Distance – 10.5 km/6.5 mi
- Time – 3 hours (moving time)
- Accumulated ascent – 100 m
- Accumulated descent – 105 m
- Walking surface – 1.5 km/0.9 mi – boardwalk; 6 km/3.7 mi – tar road; 3 km/1.8 mi – cobblestones.
- Walking along the coast – 5.5 km/3.4 mi

Highlights

- A picturesque coastal walk between Espozende and Aguçadoura.

Challenges

- An easy walking day first through the towns and then along the coast.

Stops along the route stage 4

Distance	Name	Facilities
3.5 km/2.1 mi	Póvoa de Varzim	MA (donation), hostel, hotels, restaurants, shops, ATMs, pharmacies
4-10.5 km/ 2.4-6.5 mi		The route goes along the coast
6.5 km/4 mi	O Ver a Mar	Hostel, hotels, restaurants, cafes
10.5 km/6.5 mi	Aguçadoura	MA, guesthouses, a shop, a restaurant, a bar

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Aguçadoura - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Albergue de Peregrinos de Aguçadoura	info here	\$
Blue Ocean	+351 926 194 558	\$\$
Alojamento Tapa	+351 968 718 091	\$\$
Hotel Santo Andre	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$
Vivenda pé n'areia	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$
Casinha da Praia	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$
Refúgio do Mar Apartment (4+ people)	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$
Pé na Areia (2-bedroom house)	book here	\$\$\$

Stage 5. Aguçadoura to Esposende, 13 km/8 mi

- Distance – 13 km/8 mi
- Time – 3 hours
- Accumulated ascent – 50 m
- Accumulated descent – 48 m
- Walking surface – 6 km/3.7 mi – boardwalk; 3 km/1.8 mi – tar road/asphalt; 2 km/1.2 mi – cobblestones; 2 km/1,2 mi – footpath
- Walking along the coast – 7 km/4.3

Highlights

- A beautiful walk along the beach for the first 4 km/2.4 mi.
- A beautiful small church in Apulia.
- The small historical center of Fao.
- The historical center and the promenade in Esposende.

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Challenges

- Another easy and beautiful walking day along the coast.

Stops along the route stage 5

Distance	Name	Facilities
0-4 km/0-2.4 mi		On a boardwalk along the beach
4 km/2.4 mi		A bar
7.5 km/4.6 mi	Apúlia	PA, hotels, restaurants, cafes, shops
10.5 km/6.5 mi	Fão	Hostels, guesthouses, restaurants, cafes, shops
11.5 km/7.1 mi		A cafe
12.3 km/7.6 mi		Hotel/restaurant
13 km/8 mi	Esposende	Hostels, hotels, restaurants, bars, supermarkets, ATMs, pharmacies

Esposende - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Hostel Eleven	book here	\$
InnEsposende Sports Hostel	book here	\$
EsposendeGuesthouse	book here	\$\$-\$
Sea Soul Esposende	book here	\$\$-\$
Clube Pinhal da Foz	book here	\$\$
Casa Rural	book here	\$\$
Hotel Mira Rio	book here	\$\$
Hotel Suave Mar	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$
Aconchego do pelourinho	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$

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Stage 6. Esposende to Castelo do Neiva, 13 km/8 mi

- Distance – 13 km/8 mi
- Time – 3 hours
- Accumulated ascent – 150 m
- Accumulated descent – 174 m
- Walking surface – 8 km/5 mi – tar road/asphalt; 2 km/1.2 mi – cobblestones; 3 km/1.8 mi – footpath.
- Walking along the coast – 1 km/0.6 mi along the promenade in Esposende.

Highlights

- A picturesque promenade with a lighthouse and a fort in Esposende.
- A spectacular forest with a river between 11 km/6.8 mi and 12.5 km/7.7 mi. One of the most beautiful forest walks on the Portuguese Camino.
- Several beautiful churches where you can get stamps.

Challenges

- Several short ascents and descents along the route.

Stops along the route stage 6

Distance	Name	Facilities
5 km/3.1 mi	Marinhas	
8-10 km/ 5-6.2 mi		Several cafes and bars
9 km/5.6 mi	Belinho	Guesthouses, cafes, a shop
11.4-12.7 km/ 7-7.9 mi		On a footpath through the forest

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13 km/8 mi	Castelo do Neiva	MA
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Castelo do Neiva - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Albergue de Peregrinos Don Nausti	+351 962 471 251	\$
Minho at home	book here	\$\$
Quinta do Monteverde	book here	\$\$\$
Santiago 1 (1-bedroom apartment)	book here	\$\$\$

Stage 7. Castelo do Neiva to Viana do Castelo, 13 km/8 mi

- Distance – 13 km/8 mi
- Time – 3 hours
- Accumulated ascent – 190 m
- Accumulated descent – 210 m
- Walking surface – 9 km/5.5 mi – tar road/asphalt; 2 km/1.2 mi – cobblestones; 2 km/1.2 mi – footpath.
- Walking along the coast – 0 km/0 mi

Highlights

- A nice forest walk between 1 km/0.6 mi and 2.5 km/1.5 mi.
- The historical center of Viana do Castelo.
- Sanctuary of the Sacred Heart of Jesus - a beautiful sanctuary on the top of the mountain with spectacular views. You can take a funicular to get there and back.

Challenges

- Several ascents and descents throughout the day.

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- Walking on the sidewalk along a busy road for the last 2 km/1.2 mi to Viana do Castelo.

Stops along the route stage 7

Distance	Name	Facilities
1 km/0.6 mi		The church of St.lago (stamp)
1.2-2.6 km / 0.7-1.6 mi		A beautiful forest walk
2.5 km/1.5 mi		A food stop
5.5 km/3.4 mi	Chafe	Guesthouses and a cafe
8 km/5 mi	Anha	
10.5-12.5 km/ 6.5-7.7 mi		Walking along a busy street with many cars
12 km/7.4 mi		The Eiffel Bridge to Viana do Castelo
13 km/8 mi	Viana do Castelo	MA, PA, hotels, restaurants, bars, supermarkets, ATMs, pharmacies

Viana do Castelo - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Albergue de peregrinos São João da Cruz dos Caminhos	+351 258 822 264	\$
Albergue de Santa Luzia	book here	\$
Villa Margarida	book here	\$
Hotel Jardim Viana do Castelo	book here	\$-\$\$
HI Viana do Castelo - Pousada de Juventude	book here	\$\$
Rua Grande Hotel	book here	\$\$
Valentim House	book here	\$\$

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Alex Point - Guest House	book here	\$\$
Hotel Margarida Da Praça	book here	\$\$
Pensao O Laranjeira	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$
AP Dona Aninhas	book here	\$\$\$

Stage 8. Viana do Castelo to Carreço, 10 km/6.2 mi

- Distance – 10 km/6.2 mi
- Time – 3 hours
- Accumulated ascent – 160 m
- Accumulated descent – 140 m
- Walking surface – 5.5 km/3.4 mi – tar road/asphalt; 3.5 km/2.1 mi – cobblestones; 1 km/0.6 mi – footpath.
- Walking along the coast – 0 km/0 mi

Highlights

- Narrow cobbled streets with high stone walls in the first half of the walk.

Challenges

- An easy walking day through the countryside.

Stops along the route stage 8

Distance	Name	Facilities
0-4 km/ 0-2.4 mi		The Camino goes through Viana do Castelo and its neighbourhoods
4-10 km/ 2.4-6.2 mi		The route goes through small villages and fields
10 km/6.2 mi	Carreço, a small town	PA, guesthouses, restaurants, a shop, a pharmacy

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Carreço - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Albergue Casa do Sardão	book here	\$
Albergue Casa do Adro	book here	\$
Morada do Ultramar	book here	\$\$
Casa do Avô Horácio	book here	\$\$
Casa da Varanda	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$

Stage 9. Carreço to Moledo, 13 km/8 mi

- Distance – 13 km/8 mi
- Time – 3 hours
- Accumulated ascent – 210 m
- Accumulated descent – 180 m
- Walking surface – 8 km/5 mi – tar road/asphalt; 3 km/1.8 mi – cobblestones; 2 km/1.2 mi – footpath.
- Walking along the coast – 4 km/2.4 mi

Highlights

- The 6th-century convent Sao Joao de Cabanas, about 30-minutes walk from Carreço.
- A wonderful cafe in the middle of the forest with outside tables and chairs at 4 km/2.4 mi.
- A walk through a beautiful forest.
- The coastal town of Vila Praia de Âncora.
- The walk along the coast between Vila Praia de Âncora and Moledo.

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Challenges

- A steep ascent, 150 m up at the beginning of the day.
- A subsequent steep descent, 200 m down.

Stops along the route stage 9

Distance	Name	Facilities
1 km/0.6 mi		PA
2-3 km/ 1.2-1.9 mi		Walking through the forest
4 km/2.5 mi		A cosy cafe in the forest
7 km/4.3 mi	Âncora	A guesthouse, cafes
8 km/5 mi	Vila Praia de Âncora	Hostels, hotels, restaurants, bars, supermarkets, ATMs, pharmacies, beach
8-9.5 km/ 4.9-5.9 mi		Walking along the promenade
9 km/5.5 mi		The Litoral Way and the Coastal Route merge
9-13 km/ 5.5-8 mi		A stunning coastal walk
13 km/8 mi	Moledo, a small town	A hostel, guesthouses, restaurants, cafes, shops, ATM, a beach

Moledo - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Casa Moledo	book here	\$
Casas dos Seixos	book here	\$\$
SUNSET house	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$
Paralelos Moledo Beach Suite	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$

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Stage 10. Moledo to Portecelo, 15 km/9.3 mi

Today you cross from Portugal to Spain. The Minho River serves as a natural border between the two countries. You cross it by boat. The boats leave regularly throughout the day depending on the tide. You can book a spot and check the timetable [online](#).

- Distance – 15 km/9.3 mi
- Time – 4 hours
- Accumulated ascent – 180 m
- Accumulated descent – 160 m
- Walking surface – 10 km/6.2 mi – tar road/asphalt; 5 km/3.1 mi – footpath.
- Walking along the coast – 6 km/3.7 mi

Highlights

- A beautiful forest walk from the pier in A Pasaxe.
- The historical center and beaches in A Guarda.
- The spectacular coastal scenery on the route from A Guarda.

Challenges

- The change of time once you are in A Pasaxe. Spain is 1 hour ahead of Portugal.
- A steep ascent from the pier in A Pasaxe to A Guarda.

Stops along the route stage 10

Distance	Name	Facilities
1-3 km/ 0.6-1.8 mi		A long stretch along the road
4 km/2.4 mi	Caminha	MA, PA, hotels, restaurants, cafes, supermarkets, ATM, pharmacy
	Caminha pier	A boat ride from Caminha (Portugal) to A Pasaxe

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		(Spain). Check departure times and book your ticket online
	A Pasaxe	A small pier
4-6.2 km/ 2.4-3.8 mi		The route goes up through the forest
7 km/4.3 mi	A Guarda	MA, PA, hotels, restaurants, cafes, supermarkets, ATM, pharmacy, beach
7-9 km/ 4.3-5.5 mi		Walking through the town
9 km/5.5 mi		A small beach
9.2 km/5.7 mi		A restaurant
12-13.5 km/ 7.4-8.3 mi		On a cycling route along the road
15 km/9.3 mi	Portecelo, a small town	Hotels, a bar with a seaview

Portecelo - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
LOFT AS CASETAS PEREGRINOS	book here	\$\$
Apartamento Loft A Estivada Bajo	book here	\$\$
Apartamento Loft A Estivada	book here	\$\$
CASA MAR DA LAXE (1-bedroom house)	book here	\$\$\$

Stage 11. Portecelo to Porto Mougas, 12.6 km/7.8 mi

- Distance – 12.6 km/7.8 mi
- Time – 3 hours (moving time)
- Accumulated ascent – 90 m
- Accumulated descent – 85 m

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- Walking surface – 8.6 km/5.3 mi – tar road/asphalt; 4 km/2.4 mi – footpath.
- Walking along the coast – 7 km/4.3 mi

Highlights

- The Monastery of Oia.
- The spectacular coastal scenery along the route.

Challenges

- Nothing in particular, a pleasant walking day mostly along the coast.

Stops along the route stage 11

Distance	Name	Facilities
1.5 km/0.9 mi		Guesthouse
3 km/1.9 mi	A Mariña	Guesthouse
6 km/3.7 mi	Oia	Hotels, restaurants, cafes, a shop, a monastery, a beach
9 km/5.6 mi		Hotel
10 km/6.2 mi	Viladesuso	PA, hotels, restaurants, cafes, a shop
12.6 km/7.8 mi	Porto Mougas	PA, guesthouses

Porto Mougas - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Albergue Turístico Aguncheiro	info here +34 986 361 571	\$
A de Bego	book here	\$\$
A casa do Cabezo	book here	\$\$

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A CASA de FLORINDA	book here	\$\$
Casa do Civil	book here	\$\$

Stage 12. Porto Mougas to Sabaris, 14.5 km/9 mi

- Distance – 14.5 km/9 mi
- Time – 4 hours (moving time)
- Accumulated ascent – 220 m
- Accumulated descent – 234 m
- Walking surface – 12.5 km/7.7 mi – tar road/asphalt; 2 km/1.2 mi – footpath.
- Walking along the coast – 2 km/1.2 mi

Highlights

- Beautiful coastal views.
- A picturesque forest walk between 5.5 km/3.4 mi and 7 km/4.3 mi.
- The historical center of Baiona.
- The promenade and Monterreal Castle in Baiona.
- Baiona Beach.

Challenges

- Several steep ascents throughout the day.

Stops along the route stage 12

Distance	Name	Facilities
1.4 km/0.8 mi	Pedra Rubia	A campsite/restaurant
4.4 km/2.7 mi	A Ermida	A hotel/cafe, campsite
5.4-6.9 km/ 3.4-4.3 mi		Through the forest over the hills

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8.4 km/5.2 mi		A restaurant
11.4 km/7.1 mi	Baiona	PA, hotels, restaurants, cafes, supermarkets, ATM, pharmacy, castle, beach
14.5 km/9 mi	Sabaris	PA, hotels, campsite, restaurants, cafes, supermarkets, ATM, pharmacy, beach

Sabaris - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Albergue playa de sabaris	book here	\$
Camping Bayona Playa	info here	\$-\$-\$
Glamping Kampaoh Bayona Playa	book here	\$\$
Hotel Vasco Da Gama	book here	\$\$
Hotel Arce	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$
ATICO muy luminoso e increíbles vistas (2-bedroom apartment)	book here	\$\$\$

Stage 13. Sabaris to Saians, 9.5 km/5.9 mi

- Distance – 9.5 km/5.9 mi
- Time – 3 hours (moving time)
- Accumulated ascent – 120 m
- Accumulated descent – 103 m
- Walking surface – 8.5 km/5.2 mi – tar road/asphalt; 1 km/0.6 mi – footpath.
- Walking along the coast – 0 km/0 mi

Highlights

- The Old Bridge at the entrance to A Ramallosa.
- The historical center of A Ramallosa.

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Challenges

- An easy and short walking day with some ascents and descents.

Stops along the route stage 13

Distance	Name	Facilities
1.5 km/0.9 mi	A Ramallosa	PA, hotels, restaurants, cafes, supermarkets, ATM, pharmacy, beach
2.5-13.5 km / 1.6-8.3 mi		The route goes through the forest and villages
3.1 km/1.9 mi		A bar
3.5 km/2.2 mi	Nigran (300 m from the Camino)	Hotels, restaurants, cafes, shops, ATM, pharmacy
5.5 km/3.4 mi		A cafe, a restaurant
9.5 km/5.9 mi	Saians	PA, a cafe

Saians - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Albergue San Xurxo	+34 689 133 973	\$
Paradise in Vigo	book here	\$\$
Alojamiento peregrinos al pie del camino	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$

Stage 14. Saians to Vigo, 13.5 km/8.3 mi

- Distance – 13.5 km/8.3 mi
- Time – 4 hours (moving time)
- Accumulated ascent – 240 m
- Accumulated descent – 228 m

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- Walking surface – 7.5 km/4.6 mi – tar road/asphalt; 6 km/3.7 mi – footpath.
- Walking along the coast – 0 km/0 mi

Highlights

- A forest walk between 2 km/1.2 mi and 4 km/2.4 mi.
- A beautiful waterfall at 3 km/1.8 mi.
- The historical center of Vigo.

Challenges

- Several ascents and descents throughout the day.
- Walking along a busy road between 4 km/2.4 mi and 6 km/3.7 mi.
- Walking through the city for 4 km/2.4 mi at the end of the stage.
- The lack of route marking in Vigo. The best is to find your accommodation on Google.maps and once you're in the city walk there.

Stops along the route stage 14

Distance	Name	Facilities
2-4 km/ 1.2-2.5 mi		The Camino goes through the beautiful forest
3 km/1.9 mi		A route split; the right route goes through the forest, the left route goes closer to the road
3.3 km/ 2 mi		A small waterfall
3.6 km/2.2 mi		A route split; the right route goes towards Albergue de O Freixo (5 km/3 mi away from the Camino route)
4-6 km/ 2.5-3.7 mi		Along a busy road with a couple of cafes and restaurants
6.3-9.5 km / 3.9-5.9 mi		Along the river
9.5-13.5 km / 5.9-8.4 mi	Vigo	Through the city of Vigo and its suburbs

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13.5 km/8.4 mi	The Cathedral of Vigo	MA, hostel, hotels, restaurants, cafes, supermarkets, ATM, pharmacy
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Vigo - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Albergue de Peregrinos de Vigo	+34 650 812 048	\$
R4Hostel	book here	\$
Hotel Nautico	book here	\$
Hostal Real	book here	\$-\$
Hostal Ancla Dorada	book here	\$-\$
U Hotel Ogalia Vigo	book here	\$
Hotel Pantón	book here	\$
Hotel Atlántico Vigo	book here	\$
Apartamentos Alda Porta do Sol	book here	\$-\$-\$
Hotel Compostela Vigo	book here	\$-\$-\$

Stage 15. Vigo to Redondela, 16.5 km/10.2 mi

- Distance – 16.5 km/10.2 mi
- Time – 3-4 hours (moving time)
- Accumulated ascent – 203 m
- Accumulated descent – 210 m
- Walking surface – 11.5 km/7.1 mi – tar road/asphalt; 5 km/3.1 mi – footpath/gravel road.
- Walking along the coast – 8 km/5 mi with the spectacular coastal view.

Highlights

- Stunning views of the coast from the Camino route.

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- Walking through a beautiful forest with small creeks and waterfalls.

Challenges

- Finding the route in Vigo without using any sort of navigation.
- A couple of steep ascents in the first half of the Litoral Way.
- A steep descent 2 km/1.2 mi before Redondela.

Stops along the route stage 15

Distance	Name	Facilities
0-3 km/ 0-1.8 mi	Vigo	The Camino goes through the city
5-13 km/ 3.1-8 mi		On the slope of the hill, through villages and forest
9 km/5.6 mi		A beautiful waterfall
14 km/8.6 mi		The beginning of a steep descent
16.5 km/ 10.2 mi	Redondela (the Litoral and Central routes merge)	MA, PA, hotels, restaurants, cafes, supermarkets, ATM, pharmacy

Redondela - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Albergue de Peregrinos Casa da Torre	+34 618 338 045	\$
Santiago de Vilavella	book here	\$
Albergue Parroquial Santiago Apostol de Redondela	book here	\$
Alfonso XII	book here	\$
Pilgrim Rooms	book here	\$-\$-\$
La Casa de la Abuela Boticaria	book here	\$\$
Anabel Home	book here	\$\$

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A Casa da Herba	book here	\$\$
As Mimosas d'Cross Apartment	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$
A Solaina (2-bedroom apartment)	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$

Stage 16. Redondela to Pontsanpaio, 9 km/5.6 mi

- Distance – 9 km/5.6 mi
- Time – 2-3 hours (moving time)
- Ascent – 212 m
- Descent – 200 m
- Walking surface – 6 km/3.7 mi – tar road; 3 km/1.8 mi – footpath/gravel road.
- Walking on the road - 0.5 km/0.3 mi

Highlights

- Walking through a beautiful forest throughout the day.
- The Medieval Bridge de Pontesanpaio over the River Verdugo with spectacular views.

Challenges

- A steep ascent between 1.7 km/1 mi and 4.7 km/2.9 mi, around 140 m up.
- A steep and short descent between 4.7 km/2.9 mi and 6 km/3.7 mi, around 100 m down.

Stops along the route stage 16

Distance	Name	Facilities
2 km/1.2 mi	Cesantes	PA, hotel, bar
2.7 km/1.6 mi		PA
6.5 km/4 mi	Soutoxuste	Hotel, restaurant, bar, shop

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7.5 km/4.6 mi	Arcade	PA, hotel, restaurants, bars, shops, ATM
9 km/5.5 mi	Pontesanpaio	Hotel, bar, ATM

Pontsanpaio - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Hostel Albergue O Mesón	book here	\$
Chousiña - one bedroom house	book here	\$\$
Casa Héroes de Pontesampaio (one bedroom apartment)	book here	\$\$
Hostel Albergue O Mesón - Habitación superior Luxury	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$

Stage 17. Pontsanpaio to Pontevedra, 11 km/6.8 mi

- Distance – 11 km/6.8 mi
- Time – 3 hours (moving time)
- Ascent – 200 m
- Descent – 195 m
- Walking surface – 7.5 km/4.6 mi – tar road; 3.5 km/2.1 mi – footpath/gravel road.

Highlights

- Walking through a beautiful forest.
- The historical center of Pontevedra.

Challenges

- Another steep ascent between 1 km/0.6 mi and 3 km/1.8 mi, around 130 m up.

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Stops along the route stage 17

Distance	Name	Facilities
0.6-2.6 km / 0.4-1.6 mi		Walking through the forest
6.5 km/4 mi		A bar, a shop, a chapel where you can stamp your Credential
6.8 km/4.2 mi		A split on the Central Route. Most people take the complementary route because it goes through the forest instead of the "official" route along the road
7-10 km/ 4.3-6.2 mi		Walking on a footpath through the forest
11 km/6.8 mi	Pontevedra	MA, PA, hotels, restaurants, cafes, supermarkets, ATMs, pharmacy

Pontevedra - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Albergue de Peregrinos Virgen Peregrina	+34 986 844 045	\$
Bulezen Urban Hostel	book here	\$
Acolá Hostel	book here	\$
Slow City Hostel Pontevedra	book here	\$
Albergue Nacama Hostel Pontevedra EXCLUSIVO PEREGRINOS PILGRIMS	book here	\$
CASA MARUXA pensión	book here	\$\$
PENSIÓN SANTA CLARA	book here	\$\$
Acolá Rooms	book here	\$\$
Hotel Boa Vila	book here	\$\$-\$\$\$
Galicia Palace	book here	\$\$\$

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Stage 18. Pontevedra to Briallos, 16.5 km/10.2 mi

- Distance – 16.5 km/10.2 mi
- Time – 4 hours (moving time)
- Ascent – 184 m
- Descent – 175 m
- Walking surface – 11 km/6.8 mi – tar road; 5.5 km/3.4 mi – footpath/gravel road.

Highlights

- A walk through a beautiful forest between 6 km/3.7 mi and 9 km/5.5 mi.

Challenges

- No places to stop for food/coffee for the first 9 km/5.5 mi.

Stops along the route stage 18

Distance	Name	Facilities
0-1.4 km / 0-0.8 mi	Pontevedra	Cafes, restaurants, shops, hotels, ATMs
3 km/1.8 mi	The route splits	The optional route of the Portuguese Camino - the Spiritual Variant
9 km/5.5 mi	A Portela	Cafe Pousada Peregrino
9.5 km/5.9 mi	A Portela	Private Albergue
9.5-10.5 km / 5.9-6.5 mi		Walking next to the road on a footpath
11.5 km/7.1 mi		A vending machine, a bar
15 km/9.3 mi		A couple of cafes
16.5 km/10.2 mi	Briallos	Municipal Albergue (300 m from the Camino follow the signs)

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Briallos - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Municipal Albergue de Briallos	info here +34 986 536 194	\$

Stage 19. Briallos to O Cruceiro, 10 km/6 mi

- Distance – 10 km/6 mi
- Time – 3 hours (moving time)
- Ascent – 250 m
- Descent – 100 m
- Walking surface – 3.5 km/2.1 mi – tar road; 6.5 km/4 mi – footpath/gravel road.

Highlights

- The historical center of Caldas de Reis.
- The picturesque Galician forest with small creeks and rest areas.

Challenges

- Nothing in particular, an easy and pleasant walking day.

Stops along the route stage 19

Distance	Name	Facilities
1.5 km/0.9 mi		Cafe
3 km/ 1.9 mi	Tivo	Private Albergue/bar Vintecatro
4.5 km/ 2.8 mi	Caldas de Reis	PA, hotels, guesthouses, supermarkets, restaurants, cafes, ATMs, pharmacies
6.5-9.5 km/ 4-5.9 mi		Walking through the forest

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9.5 km/ 5.9 mi		A 40-kilometers to Santiago sign
10 km/ 6.1 mi	O Cruceiro	Bar, guesthouse

O Cruceiro - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Pension Sevi	+34 986 534 260	\$-\$\$

Stage 20. O Cruceiro to Padron, 13 km/8.1 mi

- Distance – 13 km/8.1 mi
- Time – 3-4 hours (moving time)
- Ascent – 250 m
- Descent – 100 m
- Walking surface – 3.5 km/2.1 mi – tar road; 6.5 km/4 mi – footpath/gravel road.

Highlights

- A beautiful church of Santa Mariña de Carracedo.
- A picturesque forest.
- The historical center of Padron (the Church of Santiago, the Convent of Santo Antonio de Herbon).

Challenges

- An easy walking day with plenty of places to stop for rest.

Stops along the route stage 20

Distance	Name	Facilities
0.4 km/0.2 mi		Church of Santa Mariña de Carracedo
1.8 km/1.1 mi		Cafe

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3.1 km/1.9 mi		Bar
4.2 km/2.6 mi	O Pino	Municipal Albergue
4.4 km/2.7 mi		A rest area in the forest
4.6-6.1 km/ 2.8-3.8 mi		Walking through the forest
6.6 km/4.1 mi	San Miguel de Valga	Cafe, restaurant
9.2 km/5.7 mi		Rest area
10 km/6.2 mi		A water fountain
10.2 km/6.3 mi		A coffee stall
11 km/6.8 mi	Pontecesures	MA, hotels, shops, restaurants, cafes, ATMs, pharmacies
13 km/8 mi	Padron	MA, PA, hotels, supermarkets, restaurants, cafes, ATMs, pharmacies

Padron - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Municipal Albergue de Padron	info here +34 673 656 173	\$
Albergue and rooms Murgadan	book here	\$
Albergue con encanto d'camino	book here	\$
Albergue and rooms O Pedron	book here	\$
Albergue Camino do Sar	book here	\$
Albergue Corredoiras	book here	\$
Ecorooms Padron	book here	\$\$
Primavera	book here	\$\$
Sleep Padrón	book here	\$\$
Arteleira2 Rooms Apartment	book here	\$\$

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Hotel Pazo de Lestrove	book here	\$\$\$
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Stage 21. Padron to Pedreira (Teo), 14.2 km/8.8 mi

- Distance – 14.2 km/10.2 mi
- Time – 4 (moving time)
- Ascent – 170 m
- Descent – 150 m
- Walking surface – 12.7 km/7.8 mi on tar road/asphalt; 1.5 km/0.9 mi on a footpath/gravel road.

Highlights

- The beautiful Galician forest.

Challenges

- Walking next to a busy road between 2 km/1.2 mi and 3 km/1.8 mi

Stops along the route stage 21

Distance	Name	Facilities
2-3 km/ 1.2-1.8 mi		Along a busy road
2.2 km/1.3 mi		Restaurant, cafe
2.7 km/1.6 mi		Hotel, restaurant
3-4 km/ 1.8-2.4 mi		Walking through villages
5.5 km/3.4 mi		Private Albergue O Logar de Jesus
6.2 km/3.8 mi	A Esclavitude	Guesthouses, shop, restaurant, bar,
8.9 km/5.5 mi		A rest area

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9 km/5.6 mi	Areal	Guesthouse
9.5 km/5.9 mi	Picaraña	Several hotels and restaurants along the route
10-11 km / 6.2-6.8 mi		Walking through the forest
11 km/6.8 mi	O Faramello	MA, PA, restaurant, bar
12.4 km/7.7 mi	Teo	Hotel/restaurant
13.8 km/8.5 mi		Cafe/shop
14.2 km/8.8 mi	Pedreira (Teo)	Private Albergue, hotel, cafe

Pedreira (Teo) - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Albergue Aldea da Pedreira	book here	\$
Albergue Calm Stay	book here	\$-\$\$
Casa Aurora (3-bedroom house)	book here	\$\$
Casa da Braña (3-bedroom house)	book here	\$\$\$

Stage 22. Pedreira (Teo) to Santiago de Compostela, 11.5 km/7.1 mi

- Distance – 11.5 km/7.1 mi
- Time – 3 hours (moving time)
- Ascent – 410 m
- Descent – 196 m
- Walking surface – 7.5 km/4.6 mi – asphalt; 4 km/2.4 mi – footpath/gravel
- Walking on the road – 600 m/0.3 mi on a quiet road

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12 km/7.4 mi - Walking stages + Accommodation

Highlights

- The historical center of Santiago de Compostela.
- Arriving at Obradoiro Square and seeing the Cathedral and hundreds of other pilgrims.

Challenges

- Several ascents throughout the day.

Stops along the route stage 22

Distance	Name	Facilities
3.5 km/2.1 mi	O Milladoiro	PA, hotels, supermarkets, restaurants, cafes, ATMs, pharmacies
6.5 km/4 mi		Cafe/souvenir shop
9 km/5.6 mi		A route split both routes go to the Cathedral, one is a bit longer
10 km/6.2 mi	Santiago de Compostela	MA, PA, hotel, ATM, supermarket, pharmacy, restaurant, bar
11.5 km/7.1 mi	Cathedral and Obradoiro Square	The end of the Camino Portuguese

Santiago de Compostela - Accommodation

Hotel/albergue	Booking info	Price range
Albergue San Lazaro (3 km/1.8 mi from the cathedral)	+34 981 571 488	\$
Albergue Seminario Menor	book here	\$
Dream in Santiago	book here	\$
Albergue O Fogar de Teodomiro	book here	\$
Albergue Porta Real	book here	\$
Albergue The Last Stamp	book here	\$
Santiago KM-0	book here	\$

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Hostal San Pelayo	book here	\$\$
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