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Madeira at an easy pace

8 days: Funchal, the Monte cable car, gardens and level levadas

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Madeira for parents and anyone who likes spring all year round: a week in Funchal, cable cars to Monte and the botanical garden, a market full of fruit, the glass-floored Cabo Girão viewpoint, one level levada walk through the forest and a trip to the north coast with a driver. Around 17–25 °C all year. Book everything yourself and keep this guide on your phone: it works offline.

At a glance

ID card is enough

Portugal is in the EU and Schengen: Czech citizens need only a valid ID card or passport (Czech MFA)

Checked

Free airport assistance

passengers with reduced mobility, including because of age, are entitled to free assistance in the EU from check-in to the gate; request it from the airline at least 48 hours ahead (EU Regulation 1107/2006)

Checked

Insurance and age

check your travel insurance for age limits and cover for existing conditions and repatriation

Checked

Funchal is hilly

the seafront and centre are level but the town above is very steep: choose a hotel by the sea or the centre

−1 h

time difference from Central Europe

EHIC

the European Health Insurance Card is valid; travel insurance is still recommended

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Day by day

1 **Arrival**

Transfer to Funchal and an evening walk along the seafront and marina.

2 **Funchal**

The Mercado dos Lavradores with its fruit and fish, the cathedral, and the Zona Velha's painted doors. A break in the afternoon.

3 **Monte**

The cable car from the seafront to Monte, the Monte Palace garden and the church. Down by the wicker toboggan, or the cable car back.

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... and 5 more days, day by day, in the full guide

What you will see



Funchal

The capital, with a market and an old town by the sea.

Time: 1 day



Monte

Up by cable car: the Monte Palace garden and the toboggans.

Time: half a day

+ 4 more places with photos and tips in the full guide

The full guide: Madeira at an easy pace

11 pages, in English and Czech. Checked on the date on the cover.

- The whole route day by day, with nights in each place
- When to go, month by month
- Every place with photos and how long to spend
- Getting around, where to stay, money and food
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