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THE SOUTHWEST ROUTE
Enviably beaches and palm groves

The south of Gran Canaria can basically be summed up in just two words: sun and sand. The tourist attraction of the dunes of the Maspalomas Dunes, miles of golden sandy beaches, the all year round practice of sailing sports, and a mild and stable climate throughout the twelve months of the year, have helped the south and west of Gran Canaria to become the place chosen by thousands of tourists a year to relax and sunbathe. It is for this reason that towns in the south of the island are those with the largest hotel development.

But the southwest route of Gran Canaria also offers visitors a tour of the interior of the island, with a more traditional flavour and where rural tourism takes a leading role in the tour.

If the route starts from the capital of the Island, Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, take Avenida Marítima of the city and join the southern motorway (GC1), a fast road that allows visitors to travel to the towns of Santa Lucía de Tirajana, San Bartolomé de Tirajana, Mogán and Aldea de San Nicolás.
THE SOUTHWESTERN ROUTE

1. SANTA LUCÍA DE TIRAJANA
2. SAN BARTOLOMÉ DE TIRAJANA
3. MOGÁN
4. LA ALDEA DE SAN NICOлас

**SANTA LUCÍA DE TIRAJANA**

**Most Important Tourist Resources**
1. THE FORTRESS OF ANSITE
2. CASTLE MUSEUM OF "THE FORTRESS "EL HAO"
3. SORRILLODA RESERVOIR
4. TERCIE SALT MINES
5. HARVEST MUSEUM

**Major Fiestas**
Fiesta of Santa Lucia, Patron Saint
Fiesta de los Labradores (Day of the Labourer)

**Cuisine**
BREAD OF SANTA LUCÍA, CANARIAN STEW
THE "WEJUNJUT" (LOCAL LIQUEUR) AND WINE OF SANTA LUCÍA

**Buses to the town from the south**
www.globalsa.net

**Kilometres to the town from the south:**
To Veguariado: Approx. 25 kms. and another 16 kms. to Santa Lucia old town.

**SAN BARTOLOMÉ DE TIRAJANA**

**Most Important Tourist Resources**
1. THE DUNES AND POOL OF MASPALOMAS
2. NECROPOLIS OF ARTÉJARA
3. MASPALOMAS LIGHTHOUSE
4. CHURCH OF SAN BARTOLOMÉ
5. ROUTE OF PITAGA AND TUNITE OLD TOWNS

**Major Fiestas**
Fiestas of Apostle Santiago
Fiestas of San Bartolomé

**Cuisine**
WINE, CHEESE, OLIVES WITH MOJO SAUCE
STEW AND FRESH FISH

**Buses to the town from the south**
Numbers 3D, 5, 1 to LAS PALMAS DE GRAN CANARIA
Number 1 to the PORT OF MÓGÁN
Number 18 SAN BARTOLOMÉ DE TIRAJANA, TEJEDA TO SAN MATEO

**Kilometres to the town from the south:**
51 kms. from San Agustín to Las Palmas de Gran Canaria

**MOGÁN**

**Most Important Tourist Resources**
1. BURNT MILL
2. CHURCH OF SAN ANTONIO
3. PORT OF MÓGÁN
4. RESERVOIR OF SONIA
5. RESERVOIR OF AULATO

**Major Fiestas**
Fiestas in honour of San Antonio
Fiestas in honour of Our Lady of Carmen

**Cuisine**
AVOCADO FROM MÓGÁN
MANGO

**Buses to the town from the south**
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**Kilometres to the town from the south:**
18 kms.

**LA ALDEA DE SAN NICOлас**

**Most Important Tourist Resources**
1. LIVING MUSEUM
2. LA ALDEA BEACH AND "EL CHAICO" (THE POND)
3. LOS CASERONES SITE AND VILLAGE
4. GECHÉL REACH
5. RAMBLING ROUTE TO GUIGÜI, INAGUA AND ALTAVISTA

**Major Fiestas**
El Chareo (The Peel)
La Bajada de la Rama (Bringing down of the Branch)

**Cuisine**
ROPA VIEJA DE PULPO
(a traditional stew containing shredded baby octopus and chickpeas)
A VARIETY OF FRESH FISH

**Buses to the town from the south**
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**Kilometres to the town from the south:**
Approx. 66 kms.