

THE SOLAR BRANCO ECO ESTATE GUIDE TO CORVO

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#WELOVEAZORES: THE #WELOVEAZORES campaign and website was created in the aftermath of the Covid-19 crisis. Tourism is the key driver of employment in the Azores and the impact cannot be understated on the islands.

This guide aims to highlight the best local restaurants, experiences and activities on each island. Helping the recovery through sustainable tourism.

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ABOUT THE SOLAR BRANCO ECO-ESTATE

ABOUT THE PROPERTY: Solar Branco or The White Mansion in English, is located just above the historical town of Livramento on the biggest island of the Azores, Sao Miguel. The estate has 9 individual accommodation units. The main building originates from the 1800s.

OUR UNIQUE EXPERIENCES: From vegan cozido to a gin tasting masterclass we have Azorean themed experiences for you to enjoy. Check these out by visiting our website [here](#).

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CORVO

(THE BLACK ISLAND)

The smallest and northernmost island is Corvo, a name that means “of the crow” and linked to the native cormorant bird species.

The nickname “the Black Island” is believed to come from the lava-darkened soil and rocks that were used to border fields, although some say that the nickname refers to the island’s appearance as a black dot on maps (due to its small size).



WHAT TO SEE, EAT & DO

Corvo or Crow Island is the smallest and northernmost island of the Azores.

It is just 17.45 km² in area and has only 425 inhabitants. There is one very small town called Vila Nova do Corvo with narrow streets and charming buildings.

From Flores you can go to Corvo by airplane, or go by a small boat which runs twice a day from Santa Cruz (about 75 minutes).

If you visit Flores you should go for a day trip to this desolate island, where time stood still.

More coming soon.

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