



*Amanjena*

Fact Sheet



Surrounded by palm and olive trees, Amanjena (peaceful paradise) is situated just outside Morocco's Unesco-protected city of Marrakech, adjacent to the lush fairways of the Amelkis Golf Course. Moorish heritage is reflected throughout the pisé-walled resort, including the 40 guest Pavilions and Maisons that radiate from an ancient bassin, echoing the style of a sultan's palace. Amanjena offers a variety of guided excursions into the Medina, the famous Djemaa el-Fna square, and the palaces, gardens and craft shops of ancient Marrakech.

#### **Location**

- On the outskirts of Marrakech
- Adjacent to the Amelkis Golf Course
- 45-minute drive from the foothills of the High Atlas Mountains
- Three-hour drive from Morocco's Atlantic Coastline

#### **Complimentary Inclusions**

- Daily breakfast served at the restaurant
- Daily afternoon tea by the lobby area
- Custom itinerary planning
- Use of the gym and tennis courts
- In-room coffee and tea making facilities
- Wireless Internet

#### **Getting There**

- 20-minute drive from Marrakech Menara International Airport
- Direct flights available from Paris, London, Munich, Lisbon, Madrid, Barcelona, Geneva, Frankfurt, Istanbul, Zurich and other major European cities
- Other flights are available via Casablanca which is a approx. 2.5 hours' drive to Amanjena



## Accommodation

Amanjena's 40 Pavilions and Maisons radiate from the reflective bassin (irrigation pool) that lies at the heart of the property.

10	Pavilions	175m <sup>2</sup>	1,883ft <sup>2</sup>
6	Pavilions Bassin	175m <sup>2</sup>	1,883ft <sup>2</sup>
16	Pavilions Piscine	220m <sup>2</sup>	2,368ft <sup>2</sup>
4	Maisons	360m <sup>2</sup>	3,875ft <sup>2</sup>
3	Maison Jardin	572m <sup>2</sup>	6,157ft <sup>2</sup>
1	Al-Hamra Maison	1,130m <sup>2</sup>	12,163ft <sup>2</sup>

### Pavilion and Pavilion Bassin

- Combined bedroom and living area with king-size bed
- Garden courtyard complemented with pillared *minzah* pavilion for outdoor lounging

### Pavilion Piscine

- Heated swimming pool (25m<sup>2</sup>/270ft<sup>2</sup>)
- Combined bedroom and living area with king-size bed
- Garden courtyard
- Pillared *minzah* pavilion for outdoor lounging

### Maison

- First floor views over central *bassin*
- Heated swimming pool (26m<sup>2</sup>/280ft<sup>2</sup>)
- Two bedrooms over two storeys
- Ground floor living area and guest bedroom
- Upstairs master bedroom and en-suite bathroom
- King-size beds
- Garden courtyard

### Maison Jardin

- First floor views over central bassin
- Heated swimming pool (26m<sup>2</sup>/280ft<sup>2</sup>)
- Two bedrooms over two storeys
- Ground floor living area and guest bedroom
- Upstairs master bedroom and en-suite bathroom
- King-size beds
- Large private garden with open fireplace
- Pillared *minzah* pavilion for outdoor lounging
- Private host service upon request

### Al-Hamra Maison

- Heated swimming pool (36m<sup>2</sup>/387ft<sup>2</sup>)
- Expansive private garden with open fireplace
- Two ground-floor Master bedrooms with king-size beds
- Main pavilion with indoor living and dining areas
- Two *minzah* pavilions for outdoor lounging
- Private host service
- King-size beds



## Dining

### Celebrations and Events

Savour authentic local dishes at Amanjena's Moroccan Restaurant, which also serves dishes from Arva, Aman's signature Italian restaurant which celebrates seasonal family favourites, or delight in exquisite Japanese fare at poolside Nama. Close to Marrakech, our restaurants are open to guests and non-residents with reservation and private dining experiences can be arranged in a host of atmospheric locations on and off the property.

#### The Moroccan Restaurant

- Open for dinner
- Two different menus available
- Berber culinary traditions and Moorish, Andalusian and Middle Eastern influences meet on the menu
- Italian menu by signature Aman restaurant, Arva
- Centred around a marble fountain
- Housed within the elegant Lobby

#### Nama Restaurant

- Serves Washoku style traditional Japanese cuisine (Dinner menu only)
- Features a robata grill
- Situated near the main swimming pool
- Open for breakfast during the cold and hot months of the year (à la carte menu)

#### The Pool Terrace and Olive Grove

- Open for lunch and breakfast when pleasant temperature allows it
- Serves a wide variety of Mediterranean inspired dishes
- Enjoy the finest pizzas in Marrakech, masterfully crafted and freshly made in our wooden oven
- Situated alongside the main swimming pool
- Enjoys views of olive groves, fairways and the High Atlas Mountains

#### The Lounges

- Open throughout the day
- Two Lounges frame the gracious Lobby
- Afternoon tea served in one Lounge
- Glass-enclosed with open fire in winter
- Open to cooling breezes in summer

#### The Bar and Bassin Terrace

- Atmospheric setting for pre and post-dinner drinks
- Shisha available at the Lounge

#### Caidal Tent

- Available for romantic private dining or special events
- Serves traditional Moroccan fare
- Set in an olive grove over a bed of carpets
- Live music accompanied by a Moroccan trio of musicians

#### Agafay Desert Dining Experience

- Travel by camel across the lunar-landscaped desert to a secret destination.
- Dine in a private tent and savour a traditional Berber dinner under the stars



## Aman Spa & Wellness

Dedicated to personal wellness, Amanjena's spa facilities are serene and timeless, designed to calm, soothe and rejuvenate while expert therapists work on restoring optimal wellbeing.

Treatments include massages, facials scrubs and wraps, as well as manicures and pedicures.

### Spa

- Four private treatment rooms offer a peaceful sanctuary for relaxation
- Extensive spa menu of therapies and beauty treatments
- Chemical-free Aman skincare product range

### Hammams (Steambaths)

- Two Moroccan-style *hammams*, one for men and one for women
- Stepped, two-chamber rooms with vaulted ceilings
- Complemented by showers, washrooms and dressing areas
- Glassed-in whirlpool opens onto private fountain courtyard

### Fitness Centre

- Cardiovascular and weight-training equipment, including a TRX cable and boxing bag

### Additional amenities

- Relaxing private yoga classes available at the Gazebo
- 33m outdoor heated pool
- Separate heated children's pool

### Tennis Courts and Activity Center

- Two clay tennis courts floodlit for night play
- Complimentary racquets and balls provided
- One *minzah* pavilions for refreshments
- LUX Tennis academy provides private tennis coaching and clinics available upon request
- Other activities include Table Tennis, Badminton, Archery and the use of Petanque Court

### Golf

- The Amelkis Golf Course surrounds Amanjena
- The Royal and Al Maaden Golf Courses are just a few minutes' drive from the resort

### Library

- Two-storey, double-volume structure
- Balcony runs the perimeter of second floor
- Moroccan daybeds frame open fireplace
- Selection of reading materials and games

### Boutique

- Located within the colonnade adjacent to the swimming pool
- Locally-crafted products include hand-woven caftans and shawls as well as art, jewellery and brass lanterns all available for purchase
- Bespoke resort, swim and active wear by Aman Essentials



## Activities & Excursions

The local sites and activities mentioned below are just a few of the area's many attractions, all easily accessible from Amanjena.

### Medina

This 'fully preserved historic town', as UNESCO has called it, is a World Heritage Site. It presents a captivating world of winding lanes, fondouks (inns), hammams (steam baths) and souks (shops) of every kind.

### Place Djemaa el-Fna

One of the busiest squares in Africa bustles with vendors, dancers, acrobats and musicians by day, and transforms into an open-air restaurant at night.

### Palaces

The 12th-century El Makhzen is the formal royal palace, while the ruins of the 16th-century El Badi Palace host the annual National Festival of Popular Arts. The 19th-century Dar Si Said is now home to the Museum of Moroccan Arts.

### High Atlas Mountains

A 45-minute drive from Amanjena and home to ancient mosques, kasbahs (forts) and cliffside Berber villages, the foothills are ideal for hiking and picnicking.

### Gardens

*Majorelle Gardens* - with its electric-blue walls, Majorelle Gardens are the home of the Yves-Saint Laurent Museum which houses an important collection of clothing, haute couture accessories, as well as sketches and assorted objects.

*The Secret Garden* - most popularly known as Riad Loukrissi. It comprises of two large gardens and one of the highest towers of the Medina. The museum provides you with a wealth of historical information about Marrakech's architecture and gardens.

*Anima Garden* - set against the backdrop of the Atlas Mountains, Anima is a magical botanical experience. Wander down paths lined with African plants, trees, flowers and shrubbery, vivid with colours and rich scent, coming across sculptures and pavillions along the way.

### Agafay Desert

From local camel rides, to exhilarating journeys via quadbike or E-bike, or learning more about the stars, with a special stargazing experience, embark on a unique journey in one of Morocco's most mesmerizing locations.

### Home-cooked meal at a Berber house

A ritual at the heart of Morocco's rich hospitality tradition, Aman guests are invited to join a Berber family for a home-cooked meal in their mud-walled home, and on Wednesdays, explore the markets of the village.

### Hot Air Balloon Experience

Embark on the airborne adventure of a lifetime and discover all the beauty of Marrakech's landscapes while gracefully cruising through the skies by hot air balloon.

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