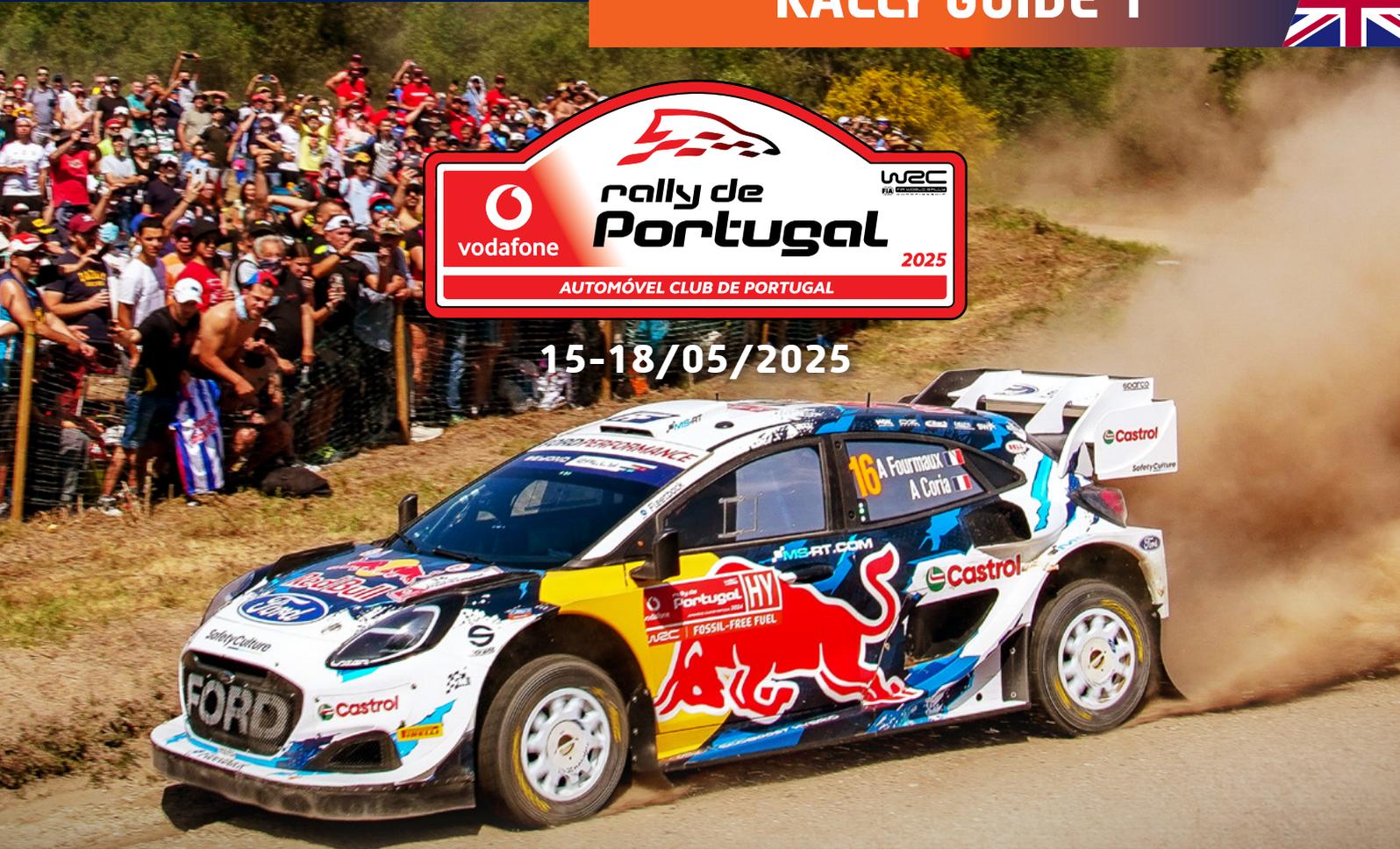


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1 INTRODUCTION AND WELCOME

Welcome to the WRC Vodafone Rally de Portugal!

To celebrate the 58th edition of the event organized by the Automóvel Club de Portugal, we have prepared a program full of exciting new features, designed to meet the expectations of the thousands of fans who follow us throughout the year.

The fifth round of the FIA World Rally Championship will take place in the North and Center regions of Portugal from May 15 to 18.

The operational base of the event remains at Exponor in Matosinhos, where rally headquarters, teams, and drivers will be based.

Following the Shakedown in Baltar, Paredes, the ceremonial start will once again be held in Coimbra, and the opening day will conclude with a Super Special Stage in Figueira da Foz.

On Friday, the rally will move to the Central region, featuring two runs through the classic stages of Lousã, Góis, Arganil, and Mortágua. Additionally, two new stages, Águeda/Sever do Vouga and Sever do Vouga/Albergaria-a-Velha, will debut at the WRC Vodafone Rally de Portugal.

The excitement continues on Saturday with the rally's return to Vieira do Minho, followed by two runs through the Cabeceiras de Basto and Amarante stages. The day will end with a grand celebration at the newly refurbished Eurocircuito de Costilha in Lousada.

Sunday, the day of decisions, will feature the stages of Paredes, Felgueiras, and Fafe, with the final run of Fafe serving as the Power Stage.

The WRC Vodafone Rally de Portugal counts internationally for the FIA World Rally Championship with Rally1 cars and for the WRC2 Championship with Rally2 cars.

We would like to extend our gratitude to all the municipalities involved in the event's itinerary: Águeda, Albergaria-a-Velha, Amarante, Arganil, Cabeceiras de Basto, Coimbra, Fafe, Felgueiras, Figueira da Foz, Góis, Lousã, Lousada, Matosinhos, Mortágua, Paredes, Sever do Vouga, and Vieira do Minho. A special thank you also goes to our sponsors—Turismo de Portugal, Turismo do Porto e Norte, Turismo do Centro, Vodafone, BP, Hertz, and KP World—for their indispensable support.

We are also deeply grateful to the various entities ensuring the safety of the event, without which it would not be possible: the National Republican Guard (GNR), Public Security Police (PSP), Civil Protection, and INEM emergency medical services. Additionally, we thank our essential partners—the Portuguese Environmental Agency (APA), the Army's Geospatial Information Center (IGEOE), Exponor, Brisa, Infraestruturas de Portugal, and ACP Assistance—for their critical contributions.

In line with the FIA Environmental Accreditation Program, the ACP, as the organizer of the WRC Vodafone Rally de Portugal, has been certified since 2017 with the "Achievement of Excellence" accreditation and later with the 3-Star Environmental Accreditation, the highest level of recognition for environmental sustainability.

As one of the largest national sporting and tourism events, the rally plays a significant role in positioning Portugal as a tourist destination and fostering territorial cohesion. The ACP's strong commitment to this event is also its contribution to society, promoting activities that combat seasonality and support the interior regions of the country.



Carlos Barbosa
Chairman of the Organising Committee

2 CONTACTS

2.1 Permanent Contact Details

Permanent Secretariat (Monday to Friday from 09h00 to 13h00 and from 14h00 to 18h00):

ACP Motorsport

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Tel: +351 219 429 187

E-mail: acpmotorsport@acp.pt

Website – www.rallydeportugal.pt

During the Rally

Exponor Feira Internacional do Porto

Av. Dr. António Macedo, 574

4454-515 Matosinhos

2.2 Rally HQ Contact details

See Supplementary Regulations.

2.3 Media Contact Details (Monday to Friday – Before the Rally)

	Tel.	e-mail
Press Office	+351 962 109 852	press.motorsport@acp.pt



3 PROGRAMME AND CRITICAL DEADLINES

Schedule before the Rally Week

Wednesday, January 15th 2025		
	Rally Guide 1 published	Website
Saturday, March 15th 2025		
	Supplementary Regulations published	Website
	Entries open	https://registrations.fia.com/
	Helicopter registrations open	Website
	Media Accreditation open	Website
Tuesday, April 15th 2025		
23.59h	Entries close	https://registrations.fia.com/
Thursday, April 17th 2025		
	Road Books and Maps available for competitors	Website
	Close date for Hankook tyre orders	See Art 7
	Closing date for FIA fuel orders	See Art 8
	Rally Guide 2 published	Website
Wednesday, April 23rd 2025		
	Entry list published	DNB
Thursday, April 24th 2025		
	Media accreditation closes for national media	Website
Monday, April 28th 2025		
18:00h	Closing date for submitting Service area additional requests	Website
	Closing date for nominating competitor's official representative	See Art 2.9
Wednesday, April 30th 2025		
	Media accreditation closes for international media	Website
Thursday, May 01st 2025		
	Media Safety Book published	Website
Saturday, May 10th 2025		
09.00h	Service Park opens to Manufacturers	Exponor
	Closing date for helicopter registrations	Rally Office
Sunday, May 11th 2025		
09.00h	Service Park opens to all Competitors	Exponor

Schedule during the Rally Week

Monday, May 12th 2025		
12.00h / 21.00h	Administrative checks and collection of materials and documents for FIA P3, P4 and non-priority drivers (schedule to be published in a Bulletin).	Rally HQ
	Reconnaissance registration. Collection of individual event access codes (and smartphones, if opted) for reconnaissance tracking app, RS lite.	Exponor
14.00h / 20.00h	Reconnaissance, Day 1 - Optional (according to schedule)	

Tuesday, May 13th 2025		
08.00h / 22.00h	Reconnaissance, Day 2 (according to schedule)	
08.00h / 12.00h	Administrative checks and collection of materials and documents for P1 and P2 drivers (by appointment)	Rally HQ
14.00h / 20.00h	FIA Rally Tracking Device collection – SAS Workshop	Exponor
21.00h	Deadline for all drivers and co-drivers to have completed the FIA e-learning online course for the FIA Safety Tracking Device.	Online

Wednesday, May 14th 2025		
07.00h / 17.30h	Reconnaissance, Day 3 (according to schedule)	
08.00h / 12.00h	Sealing for P1 competitors (schedule to be published)	Service Park
13.00h / 23.00h	Technical scrutineering and component sealing for all other competitors (schedule to be published in a Bulletin)	Exponor
15.00h	Team Managers meeting (by invitation only)	Rally HQ
17.00h	Photographers safety briefing	Media Center
17.00h / 21.00h	Return of reconnaissance smartphones (if rented) – SAS Workshop	Exponor
17.30h	Helicopter pilots briefing	Rally HQ
18.00h	Publication of Start List for Shakedown (P1 and invited drivers)	DNB
20.00h	Drivers and Co-drivers Safety Briefing (mandatory for all drivers and co-drivers participating in their first WRC competition in 2025)	Rally HQ
20.30h	WRC Promoter Driver and Co-driver photoshoot. Helmet and overalls required (mandatory for all Priority crews participating in their first WRC competition in 2025)	Rally HQ

Thursday, May 15th 2025		
08.01h / 09.30h	Shakedown for P1 and invited drivers	Baltar
09.31h / 11.00h	Shakedown for P1, P2, P3 and P4 drivers	See Art. 12.2
11.01h / 12.30h	Shakedown for non-priority drivers	
10.30h / 12.00h	FIA Media Pen	Service Park
14.00h	Start lists for Ceremonial Start / Section 1 published	DNB
14.00h / 16.00h	Rally cars enter Coimbra holding area.	Coimbra

16.00h / 16.30h	Autograph signing	Coimbra
16.20h / 16.30h	Meet the Crews (P1 Drivers)	Coimbra
16.30h / 16.40h	Meet the Crews (Selected P2 and P3 Drivers)	Coimbra
16.40h / 16.45h	WRC Drivers Official photograph	Coimbra
16.40h / 16.50h	Meet the Crews (Team Managers)	Service Park
17.00h	Ceremonial Start / Start of Section 1	TC0 - Coimbra
18.35h / 18:45h	Meet the Crews (selected P1 crews)	Figueira da Foz
19.05h	SSS1 Figueira da Foz (SSS)	Figueira da Foz
23.00h	Start List for Section 2 published	DNB

Friday, May 16th 2025

06.00h	Start of Section 2	TC1C - Figueira da Foz
22.15h	Meet the Crews (P1 Team Principals + Top 3 drivers)	Exponor
22.30h	Start List for Section 5 published	DNB

Saturday, May 17th 2025

06.00h	Start of Section 5	TC11D - Exponor
21.00h	Meet the Crews (P1 Team Principals + Top 3 drivers)	Exponor
22.00h	Start List for Section 7 published	DNB

Sunday, May 18th 2025

06.10h	Start of Section 7	TC18D - Exponor
13.15h	Start of Wolf Power Stage	SS24 - Fafe 2
14.00h	Rally Finish	TC24A - Fafe
15.15h	FIA Post-rally Press Conference	Fafe
15.45h	Trophies presentation – Podium	Fafe
16.30h	Final scrutineering	Fafe
19.00h	Publication of the Provisional Classification	DNB

3.1 Opening Hours HQ & Media Centre

OPENING HOURS - HQ & MEDIA				
Date	Day	Rally HQ	Media Accreditation	Media Center
May 12 th	Monday	09.00h - 21.00h	-	-
May 13 th	Tuesday	08.00h - 21.00h	14.00h - 19.00h	14.00h - 19.00h
May 14 th	Wednesday	07.00h - 22.00h	08.00h - 20.00h	08.00h - 20.00h
May 15 th	Thursday	08.00h - 21.00h	08.00h - 20.00h	08.00h - 22.00h
May 16 th	Friday	06.30h - 23.00h	-	08.00h - 23.00h
May 17 th	Saturday	06.30h - 22.00h	-	07.00h - 23.00h
May 18 th	Sunday	05.30h - 20.00h	-	06.30h - 22.00h

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ENTRY DETAILS

4.1 Titles for which the Rally counts

- FIA World Rally Championship for Drivers and Co-Drivers
- FIA World Rally Championship for Manufacturers
- FIA World Rally Championship for Teams
- FIA WRC2 Championship for Drivers and Co-Drivers
- FIA WRC2 Challenger Championship for Drivers and Co-Drivers
- FIA WRC2 Championship for Teams
- FIA WRC Masters Cup for drivers and co-drivers
- FIA WRC3 Championship for Drivers and Co-Drivers
- FIA JWRC World Championship for Drivers and Co-Drivers
- Portuguese National Rally Championship

4.2 List of Entry Fees

4.2.1 WRC Teams

Manufacturers, other WRC cars and support championships as per 2025 FIA WRC Sporting Regulations.

4.2.2 With the optional advertising proposed by the Organisers

a) Legal entrant	6.500 €
b) Private entrants	5.500 €
c) Legal Portuguese entrants*	4.500 €
d) Private Portuguese entrants*	4.000 €

* To encourage Portuguese drivers to participate in the Portuguese round of the World Rally Championship, the sponsors of the event will assume the remaining amount of the entry fees to competitors with a Portuguese licence.

4.2.3 Without the optional advertising proposed by the Organisers

– Legal entrants	8.500 €
– Private entrants	7.500 €

4.2.4 Other fees

– “Only Reconnaissance”	2.500 €
– “Auxiliary” Plate	500 €

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SERVICE PARK

5.1 Information about the service park

The Service Park will be located in the Exponor Exhibition Centre, in Matosinhos, by the A28 and only 6.5 km away from the Francisco Sá Carneiro International Airport.

The address and GPS location details are as follows:

Exponor Feira Internacional do Porto
Av. Dr. António Macedo, 574 • 4454-515 Leça da Palmeira - Matosinhos
GPS: 41°11.972' N – 8°41.535 W

Manufacturer teams, WRC teams, and FIA support Championships teams will benefit from the FIA recommended area. Remaining competitors will be attributed an area of 80m².

For additional space please refer to point 5.3.

WRC Teams will be able to access the Service Park from 09.00 a.m. on Saturday, 10th May, 2025. Should any team need to access the park before this or should they arrive at night, when normal access is closed, please contact the Rally Organisers, by e-mail service.park@acp.pt or call +351 963 929 021.

Service vehicles arriving at Service Park on Sunday, 11th May, in the morning, i.e., before teams have attended the administrative checks to get the corresponding documents and necessary vehicle plates, will be able to access the Park without a plate. From Tuesday, 13th May, at 09.00h, all vehicles will have to be duly identified with the corresponding plates. From that moment on, there will be an exhaustive control in order to guarantee that all vehicles parked or trying to access the Service Park carry the necessary plate.

Trailers are not allowed to park inside the Service Park.

Only vehicles with "SP – Service Park" plate will be authorised to stay inside the Service Park.

5.2 Facilities at Service Park

- General Lighting in the whole Service Park
- Toilets for public use
- Waste containers – Selective waste collection
- Collection of: used oil tanks, brake fluid, polluted containers
- General security in the whole Service Park
- Spare parts and wheels washing area

Additional services may be provided to teams in the service area upon request. Information on costs of these services will be provided upon reservation. Teams requiring these services are requested to complete the Service Park Application Form. This form will be available on the rally website www.rallydeportugal.pt under the section "Competitors/Docs".

Additional services are the following:

- Chemical Toilet for the team's private use
- Water
- Power
- Motorhome / Hospitality Unit liquid waste
- Chemical Toilet cleaning
- Exclusive security service for the team
- Rental of Forklifts, Generators and Cherry pickers

Telephone lines (ISDN / ADSL / Analogue) must be requested to the Rally Organisers.

5.3 Space Requests

Teams that, due to logistics, need to stay together or have any special request must send them by e-mail to service.park@acp.pt. The Organiser will make all reasonable efforts in order to satisfy the needs of all Teams. Additional space requests, when available, are subject to a fee whose amount shall be indicated directly to interested parties.

To request additional services and/or spaces please complete the forms at the end of this Rally Guide.

Forms must be sent until 28th April 2025.

No further changes will be accepted after this date, once the layout of the Service Park has been declared as definitive.

5.4 Service Park Contents

- TC in / TC out
- Parc fermé
- Technical zone
- Tyre marking zone
- Refuel area
- Emergency services: fire brigade, medical centre, etc.
- Auxiliary parking areas
- Press and VIP parking areas
- Rally office / Information centre
- Helicopter pad

5.5 Service Park Coordinator

For any questions and further information please contact the Service Park Co-ordinator:

Nuno Vieira

service.park@acp.pt

Tel: + 351 219 429 187 • Mobile: +351 963 929 021

6 ON BOARD CAMERA (OBC) REGISTRATION

The competitor of any car which carries an on-board camera must have the prior agreement of the Promoter. Authorised cameras will be identified by an adhesive decal and must be mounted in the car at the time of scrutineering. The fixings of the camera and camera recorder must comply with the 2025 FIA International Sporting Code, Appendix J, Art.253.2.

Competitors wishing to use an on-board camera must apply via the WRC Accreditation Portal at least one week before the start of reconnaissance. Any requests presented after this date will not be considered therefore, the competitor will not be authorized to install an OBC on their car.

Those registering for an OBC for the first time should first use this link: <https://qrco.de/WRCOBCRegistration>

Those who have already applied for an OBC in the last 12 months should use their e-mail address to register via this link (no password required): <https://qrco.de/OBCForm2025>

An authorization sticker, which must be affixed to the car in the vicinity of the authorized camera prior to Scrutineering, must be obtained from the HQ when collecting documents and other materials (Art 10.2).

Any contacts about OBC prior to the event should be addressed to Miguel Fonseca, miguel.fonseca@wrc.com

7 TWO-WAY RADIO

7.1 Application Procedure

Permission to use a radio transmitter must be requested to the Portuguese authorities in charge ANACOM.

7.2 Contact details to person / authority in charge

ANACOM

Rua Ramalho Ortigão, 51
1099-099 Lisboa
Portugal

Tel: +351 217 211 000
E-mail: edge@anacom.pt

The respective application form can be found at the end of this guide.

8 FUEL / TYRES

See Supplementary Regulations.

9 IMPORT OF VEHICLES AND SPARE PARTS

Competitors from the European Union do not need to make any special custom clearance for temporary import of cars and equipment for the purpose of participating in the 2025 Vodafone Rally de Portugal.

Vehicles from outside the European Union must show their ATA (Admission Temporaire/Temporary Admission) carnet, which normally is applied for at the Chamber of Commerce in the country of origin.

10 HELICOPTERS

10.1 Registration Procedure

Complying to the requisites imposed by FIA on the safety and use of helicopters at the Rally, helicopters wishing to operate at the rally will have to register with the Organization. A protocol for controlling the restricted airspace over the SS's (Special Stages) prevents any unregistered helicopter of operating in that airspace. The registration fee for each helicopter is € 3000,00 +VAT. Registration deadline is the 10th of May 2025.

Send registration form to:

ACP Motorsport

Rua General Humberto Delgado, nº3 - 2685-340 Prior Velho - Portugal

Tel: +351 21 942 91 87

E-mail: acpmotorsport@acp.pt - Website: www.rallydeportugal.pt

The Helicopter registration form is included at the end of this guide.

10.2 Contact details for national helicopter rental companies

Name	Website	E-mail	Tel
Helibravo	www.helibravo.com	geral@helibravo.com	+ 351 214 451 145
Heliportugal	www.heliportugal.pt	info@heliportugal.pt	+ 351 214 447 230
Hta	www.htahelicopteros.com	geral@htahelicopteros.com	+ 351 289 435 112
Nortavia	www.nortavia.com	geral@nortavia.com	+ 351 229 683 176
Omni	www.omni.pt	info@omni.pt	+ 351 219 457 560

11 HOSPITALITY ARRANGEMENTS

11.1 Vodafone Rally de Portugal official travel agency:

ACP - VIAGENS E TURISMO, LDA

Paula Rodrigues

Rua Rosa Araújo, 24-26, 1250-195 LISBOA - Portugal

Tel: +351 213 841 070

E-mail: paula.rodrigues@acp-viagens.pt • www.acp-viagens.pt



11.2 Corporate Hospitality Exponor Service Park

For special arrangements contact:

Marta Barbosa

Tel: +351 213 180 257

Mobile: +351 917 600 223

E-mail: hospitality@acp.pt

11.3 Rent-a-car

As the **Official Car Rental Company of the Automobile Club of Portugal (ACP)**, Hertz offers **special rates** to all the **participants of the WRC Vodafone Rally de Portugal**.

Hertz provides a wide range of small, medium, large cars and cargo vans, perfect for your needs and mobility plans. Plus, with **convenient rental locations throughout Portugal**, Hertz is nearby and waiting for you whenever you need.

[Book now](#) your Hertz car. If you prefer a tailored service, please reach Hertz Contact Center and quote the **CDP 759874**:

Reservas@Hertz.pt / 808 202 038* (from Portugal) / +351 219 426 385** (from other countries)

*The maximum price to be paid is set at 8.61 cents for the first minute, and for subsequent minutes at a maximum price of 3.41 cents per minute, during normal hours (weekdays from 9:00 am to 9:00 pm), and 1 cent per minute, during off-peak hours, defining the billing per second from the first minute (values with VAT).

**Cost of a local call for national network.

Terms & Conditions:

- Special rates valid for car rentals in Portugal.
- Valid Car Groups: A (Fiat 500 or similar), A1 (KIA Picanto or similar), Y (Renault Clio or similar), C (Ford Focus or similar), D (Peugeot 308 SW or similar), W (Renault Captur or similar), M (Fiat Tipo HB or similar), E (Ford Kuga or similar), E1 (Nissan Qashqai or similar), I (Ford Focus or similar), I1 (BMW 116d or similar), U (Dacia Jogger or similar), G (Volkswagen Multivan or similar), Q (Mercedes-Benz Vito 9 Lugares or similar), B4 (Citroen Berlingo or similar), C4 (Mercedes-Benz Vito or similar) e D4 (Volkswagen Crafter or similar).
- Rates include Unlimited Kilometers, Collision Damage Waiver (CDW), Vehicle License Fee (VLF), Theft Protection (TP), Airport Service Surcharge (ASC) and VAT.
- Rates do not include any additional fees and extra services (such as but not limited to e-Toll service plus tolls, SuperCover, Young Driver Surcharge, child seats, Additional Drivers (AD), Glass & Tyre Protection (G&T), Personal Accident Insurance (PAI) GPS and/or fuel), which are charged at normal rates.
- All rentals are subject to fleet availability.
- Hertz Standard Terms and Conditions apply, including minimum age restrictions and mandatory credit card.

12 HOTEL / ACCOMODATION RESERVATION

ACCOMMODATION				
15.05 – 18.05.2025				
Hotel	Location	Category	Twin	Single
ARGANIL	Arganil	3	85€	72€
AEMINIUM COIMBRA AFFILIATED BY MELIA	Coimbra	4	169€	156€
COSTA DE PRATA	Figueira da Foz	3	100€	95€
UNIVERSAL BOUTIQUE	Figueira da Foz	4	90€	82€
OCTANT LOUSÃ	Lousã	4	215€	175€
HD DUECITANIA DESIGN	Penela	4	105€	100€
CONDE DE ÁGUEDA	Águeda	4	108€	90€
NAVARRAS	Amarante	3	92€	82€
FLAG HOTEL FAFE	Fafe	3	125€	118€
OPEN VILLAGE SPORTS & SPA	Guimarães	4	112€	100€
OPORTO AIRPORT & BUSINESS	Maia	4	125€	118€
EUROSTARS OPORTO	Porto	4	180€	160€
AXIS PORTO	Porto	4	185€	180€

Conditions:

Indicative prices subject to adjustment. Reservations subject to availability.

All prices are per standard room per night including breakfast and taxes.

All reservations must be requested to ACP Viagens by email to paula.rodriques@acp-viagens.pt

Payments by bank transfer or credit card.

City tax not included (payment at check-in).

Payment and cancellation conditions:

40% until 28 January + 40% until 25 February + 20% until 31 March

Changes/Cancellation:

Any changes and/or cancellations depend on each hotel's rules.

13 RECONNAISSANCE

See Supplementary Regulations.

14 SCRUTINEERING SEALING AND MARKING

See Supplementary Regulations.

15 SHAKEDOWN

See Rally Guide 2.

16 START PROCEDURE

See Supplementary Regulations.

17 FINISH PROCEDURE

See Supplementary Regulations.

18 PR ACTIVITIES

See Rally Guide 2.

19 MEDIA

19.1 Contact Details Before the Rally

José Manuel Fonseca
Automóvel Club de Portugal
Rua General Humberto Delgado, nº 3
2685-340 Prior Velho • Portugal

Tel: +351 210 947 1 26
Mobile: +351 913 772 088
E-mail: accreditation@acp.pt
Web: www.rallydeportugal.pt

19.2 Accreditation procedure / criteria and deadline

Accreditation requests for the 2025 Vodafone Rally de Portugal must be made online from March 15th and until April 24th, for the National Press, and until April 30th for the International Press.

- Accreditation requests for nationally-based media must be sent until April 24th, 2025
https://eventhos.com/pt-PT/event/vodafone-rally-de-portugal-2025/form/registration?role_group_id=3&signature=64f8ff9d825371d0bff9fc641eb73a22a4c1c61f2652e8af835d55f08123291e
- International media (news and photo agencies, print and web media) based outside of the event's country, as well as national news agencies, must apply through the FIA AMS platform: <http://wrc.ams.fia.com/>
- International radio and TV media must apply through WRC Promoter:
TV and Licensed Broadcasters:
https://eventhos.com/en/event/vodafone-rally-de-portugal-2025/form/registration?role_group_id=14&signature=14f990880e733851b3c5637ff8034fa7d7445b6e27efedc73598803e44fc929b
Other Press:
https://eventhos.com/en/event/vodafone-rally-de-portugal-2025/form/registration?role_group_id=34&signature=f5ad7818742095f74f4b9534a32af68bd4795c70f40f05da851d2843c68cbac6

19.3 Media room – location and opening hours

See Supplementary Regulations and Rally Guide 2.

19.4 Press conferences – time and location

See Supplementary Regulations and Rally Guide 2.

19.5 Team's media contacts

See Rally Guide 2.

19.6 Expected media coverage (TV & radio, times, channels and frequencies)

See Rally Guide 2.

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MEDICAL AND SAFETY SERVICE

See Rally Guide 2.

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LIST OF USEFUL FACTS AND SERVICES

See Rally Guide 2.





ACP – Automóvel Club de Portugal, as organiser of WRC Vodafone Rally de Portugal, is committed to the FIA Sustainability Programme and the FPAK Environmental Sustainability Code, with the aim of continuing to improve and minimise the environmental impact of the event and, as one of the WRC events that welcomes a large number of spectators, WRC Vodafone Rally de Portugal maintains its aim of being a benchmark in environmental issues, both nationally and internationally.

According to FIA Environmental Accreditation Programme, WRC Vodafone Rally de Portugal has been certified since 2017 with the Achievement of Excellence level and subsequently with the Three-Star Environmental Accreditation, the highest level of environmental sustainability recognition. In 2019, it was also recognised by the International Olympic Committee as the first motorsport success case for environmental sustainability.

To fulfil our objectives, we have established partnerships with Portuguese Environment Agency, all the municipalities involved in the event, environmental authorities and local waste management entities. We have also defined a programme to offset greenhouse gas emissions, and we promote actions to plant native species in the areas surrounding the event.

Therefore, WRC Vodafone Rally de Portugal, through its Environmental Management System, will be guided by the following principles:

- Comply with applicable environmental legislation, as well as other obligations voluntarily assumed, including the FIA Environmental Accreditation Programme and the FPAK Environmental Sustainability Code;
- Inform and train everyone involved in the organisation about its environmental policy;
- Promote environmental awareness among our stakeholders (organisation, drivers, teams, volunteers, media, spectators, partners and external suppliers) and encourage them to fulfil and enforce good environmental practices;
- Take into account the environmental impact when choosing partners and suppliers, as well as in the process of selecting and purchasing products and services;
- Reduce the environmental impact in terms of transportation, as far as possible, encouraging carpooling and car sharing, as well as the use of public transport;
- Promote responsibility in preserving the environment by managing and monitoring the direct and indirect impacts of the event, in particular energy consumption and associated greenhouse gas emissions, water consumption and other natural resources, and proper waste management;
- Encourage adequate and proactive management of environmental risk, in particular pollution prevention and emergency response to accidents and/or disasters;
- Promote the continuous improvement of processes, practices and environmental developments by defining and evaluating progressively more ambitious environmental objectives.

This Environmental Policy, supported by a strong “performance against objectives” attitude, will regularly be reviewed and updated, ensuring continuous improvement of the entire Environmental Management System.

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