

# Download Tunisia History

Tunisia: Tunisia, country of North Africa situated between Algeria and Libya along the Mediterranean Sea. The country's capital is Tunis and it has long been a popular tourist attraction. Learn more about Tunisia's geography, people, culture, economy, and history in this article. With the decline of the local Berber dynasties in the 15th and 16th centuries, the valuable coastal strip of north Africa (known because of the Berbers as the Barbary coast) attracts the attention of the two most powerful Mediterranean states of the time - Spain in the west, Turkey in the east. Tunisia (officially the Republic of Tunisia) is a country in the Maghreb region of North Africa, covering 165,000 square kilometres (64,000 square miles). Then, there is the history. This is arguably an even bigger pull for visitors; Tunisia has some of the most intriguing historical sites in the world and on the whole, these have been preserved fantastically well.