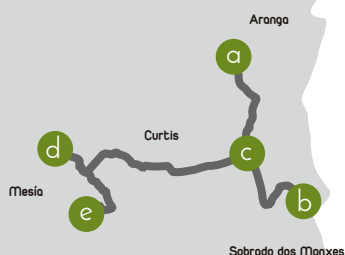


# THE MANDEO'S SWEET AND DAIRY PRODUCTS

We invite you to know a product as sweet as innovative, stevia. Also, to visit ethnographic centres where you will learn the history of important productive activities in the area, and visit two dairy companies through which you will learn how some products with the best quality reinvented. You will be amazed!



- a. Artexana Mondri
- b. Queixos Brexeo
- c. Mandeo River's Ethnographic Centre
- d. Brañas de Valga Nature Centre and Ethnographic Museum
- e. Casa Grande de Xanceda



**2 DAYS** (2 days - 1 night)



**74 KM**



**4 MUNICIPALITIES**

Arango, Curtis, Sobrado dos Monxes, Mesía.

# DAY 1

## ARTEXANA MONDI

The visit to this company, which is dedicated to the production, harvesting, drying, packaging and distribution of stevia, will let you know many facts about this exotic plant, very much present in our daily diet. The visit includes a tour through the plantation, the drying and packaging process. A tasting will top it all off.

 **Interesting facts:** N°28, 15317 Aranga, A Coruña. Phone number: 636 890 664.  
**More information:** <http://turismo.dicoruna.es/industrial/en/reinventando-la-alimentacion/artexana-mondi>  
**Approximate duration of the visit:** 30 min  
**Distance to the next point of visit:** 23 km





## b. QUEIXOS BREXEO

The Brexeo Cheese is a small family business dedicated to livestock production and the sale of dairy products, primarily the two kinds of cheese included in the protected denomination of origin: the Tetilla and the Arzúa - Ulloa. However, you will also find the innovative careno cheese, with a point of maturation that will surprise you. Enjoy a guided tour to its production line and a tasting with the star products. In addition, if you wish, you can extend your visit to neighbouring farm - House of the Grixalba Cheese School. This company that collaborates with the Brexeo cheese, and where you can also take a guided visit to its facilities, and even make your own cheese!

 **Interesting facts:** Calle O Casal de Abajo, s/n - Grixalba, 15815 Sobrado, A Coruña. Phone number 981 195 242. More information: <http://turismo.dicoruna.es/industrial/en/caminos-de-tierra-y-agua/quesos-brexeo>  
**Approximate duration of the visit:** 40 min.  
**Distance to the next point of visit:** 13 km

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## MANDEO RIVER'S ETHNOGRAPHIC CENTRE

This Centre, which received an Honorable Mention at the Barbara Cappochin International Architecture Prize, in 2013, has an interactive museography and different artistic installations depicting the reality during the visit to the Roman camp of Cidadela, located in its vicinity. In addition, if there is any time left you can visit the Sobrado dos Monxes monastery, a gem of religious Galician architecture.

 **Interesting facts:** Camiño do Centro Etnográfico. Teixeiro, 15310 Curtis, A Coruña. Phone number 981 000 000.  
**More information:** <http://turismo.dicoruna.es/industrial/en/reinventando-la-alimentacion/mandeo-rivers-ethnographic-centre>  
**Distance to the next point of visit:** 26 km

# DAY 2

## **d** BRAÑAS DE VALGA NATURE CENTRE AND ETHNOGRAPHIC MUSEUM

This old source of clay extraction has been recovered as a natural lagoon where many species thrive. For many years clay was extracted for use in the ceramic industry. You will be able to find out about the curious story of this place in your classroom-Museum, which features an exhibition of the grassland natural environment and a clay Museum. Do enjoy in the surroundings of this beautiful lagoon during a walk along the paths that surround it, and make your own clay pieces in a ceramic workshop. A complete and recommendable visit!

 **Interesting facts:** Xanceda, s/n, 15685 Mesía, A Coruña. Phone number 981 687 241. More information: <http://turismo.dicoruna.es/industrial/en/reinventando-la-alimentacion/aula-de-la-naturaleza-y-museo-etnografico-branas-de-valga>  
**Distance to the next point of visit:** 12 km

## **e** CASA GRANDE DE XANCEDA

And in the afternoon, you will get to know small and wonderful milk organic farm which is home to 380 cows grazing freely and happy on a surface of 200 has. In your eco-visit you will know about all its inhabitants, and learn many facts about the more responsible way of producing milk. Yes, you will! If you do not you believe it, try asking any of the cows!

 **Interesting facts:** Lugar Casa Grande de Xanceda, s/n, 15685 Mesía, A Coruña. Phone number 981 687 007. More information: <http://turismo.dicoruna.es/industrial/en/reinventando-la-alimentacion/casa-grande-de-xanceda>  
**Distance to the next point of visit:** 1h 30 min

