



*A C Freddo. Fortaleza de Itaipu, Praia Grande, SP  
Forte dos Andradas, Guarujá, SP*

The fortifications from the Republic period- the **Itaipu Fortress** (1902) in Praia Grande and **Fort Andradas** (1942) in Guarujá- host modern Brazilian Army units, and weekend visits must be scheduled in advance.

For participants who wish to learn about this same history through the lens of the sugar economy, we suggest a visit to the **Engenho dos Erasmos**, the first manufacturing project in Brazil, created by **Martim Afonso de Souza**. The first donee of the captaincy of São Vicente began economic exploitation of sugar, as his expedition not only evangelized but also established settlers to economically exploit Portugal's largest overseas colony.



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