

## **Turbat**

The town is situated on the left bank of Kech stream. It is a market for dates. The dates of Turbat compare well with Basra dates. A date processing factory has been set up at Turbat.

The main buildings are the palace of the Nawab of Makran, the Nazim's Mosque and the Turbat Rest House. Punnu, the hero of the romance of Sassi Punnu, belonged to Turbat. The remains of Punnu's fort can still be seen at Turbat. The traditions of the Fikri faith cluster round Turbat. Places sacred to the sect include Shirin Kurm stream, Koh-e-Murad and Barre Kabur.

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