

Bodrum, Aegean, Turkey

A 15th-century crusader castle watches over a glittering Aegean bay where ancient Halicarnassus once stood — one of the ancient world's greatest cities, and a ruin worth every step.

 Docked (finger pier)  Typical call: 7-10 hrs  Turkish Lira (TRY)  Turkish

MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date:	Arrive:	All aboard:
Excursion:	Notes:	

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Finger pier, up to 2 large ships; no tendering

Walk to center: ~1.5 km, 20 min along the waterfront promenade

Best For: Ancient history, gulet boat trips, bazaar shopping

Don't Miss: Museum of Underwater Archaeology inside Bodrum Castle

 Getting around:  Taxi  €10–€15 short ride / metered fares ·  Rideshare  Uber

TOP THINGS TO DO

- Bodrum Castle & Museum of Underwater Archaeology** — The 15th-century Castle of St Peter, built by the Knights Hospitaller, houses one of the world's best underwater...
- Mausoleum at Halicarnassus** — Ruins of the original Mausoleum — one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World and the tomb of King Mausolus (d.
- Bodrum Peninsula Gulet Cruise** — Spend half a day on a traditional wooden gulet sailing the Bodrum Peninsula's secluded bays, including Kara Ada (Black...
- Orak Island Boat Trip** — Called the 'Turkish Maldives' by locals, Orak Island's turquoise water and white rocky shores make for one of the...
- Ephesus Full-Day Tour** — A popular full-day excursion (roughly 2.5 hrs each way) to the great ruins of ancient Ephesus, including the Library of...

BEST WALKS

- Waterfront Promenade to Bodrum Castle** 1.5 km · 20 min · Easy · Flat — Walk west along the promenade from the cruise terminal past the marina to reach Bodrum Castle.
- Old Town & Mausoleum Loop** 2.5 km · 45 min · Easy · Some gentle slopes — From the castle head north into the bazaar streets, then continue to the Mausoleum at Halicarnassus ruins, and loop back via the main...
- Bodrum Amphitheatre Viewpoint** ~3 km · 1 hr · Moderate · Uphill — The ancient Hellenistic amphitheatre on the hillside above town offers sweeping views over the bay.

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

 **CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)**

Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr	68°	57°	6d
Jun	83°	71°	3d
Aug	90°	77°	0d
Sep	84°	72°	2d
Oct	76°	65°	4d

 **DAYLIGHT &  MONEY**

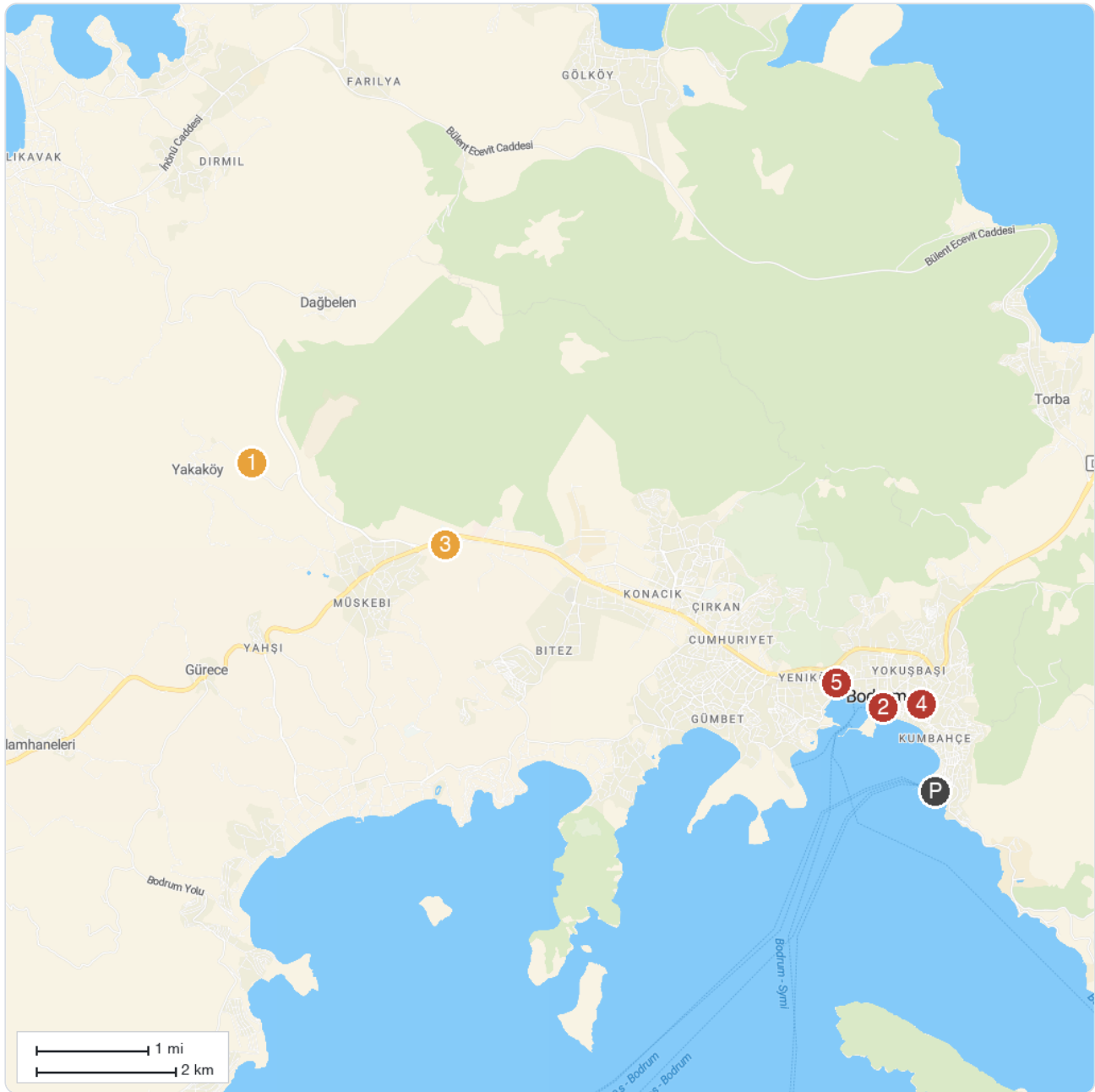
Apr 6:36AM–7:44PM · Jun 5:50AM–8:31PM · Aug 6:27AM–8:01PM · Sep 6:52AM–7:17PM · Oct 7:18AM–6:33PM

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

Bodrum, Aegean, Turkey — Port Map

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Red = walkable sights · Amber = excursions farther out · P = cruise terminal. Numbers match the order you'd typically visit.



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| 1 Dibeiklihan Culture and Art Village | A village showcasing traditional Turkish culture, art, and crafts. | 2 Bodrum Maritime Museum | Explore Bodrum's rich seafaring history and marine life. |
| 3 Bodrum Aquapark | A large water park with slides and pools for all ages. | 4 Historical (Turkish bath) Tarihi Bardakçı Hamamı | Experience a traditional, historical Turkish bath for relaxation. |
| 5 Mausoleum at Halicarnassus | Visit the ruins of an ancient wonder, King Mausolus' tomb. | P Cruise port / terminal | |