

Málaga, Andalusia, Spain

Picasso's birthplace sits beneath a Moorish fortress, Roman theatre at its base — and you're already in the thick of it. The Alhambra is two hours away if you plan ahead; Ronda's clifftop gorge is closer.

- Docked (pier — no tendering)
- Typical call: 8–10 hrs
- Euro (EUR)
- Spanish · English widely spoken

MY DAY IN PORT

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

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Terminals A/B (Muelle de Levante) or Palmeral/Muelle Uno

To Calle Larios: 10 min (Muelle Uno) · 25 min or shuttle (Terminals A/B)

Best For: History · Art · Andalusia day trips

Don't Miss: Alcazaba, Picasso Museum, Atarazanas Market

Getting around: **Taxi** ✓ €9–€12 · **Rideshare** ✓ Uber, Bolt, Cabify · **Hop-on hop-off** ✓ City Sightseeing Málaga

TOP THINGS TO DO

- Alcazaba & Gibralfaro Castle** — Málaga's 11th-century Moorish fortress is one of the best-preserved in Spain, with layered ramparts, garden courtyards...
- Picasso Museum & Casa Natal** — The Museo Picasso Málaga occupies the 16th-century Palacio de Buenavista and holds 200+ works donated by Picasso's...
- Granada & the Alhambra** — The Alhambra palace complex — Nasrid palaces, Generalife gardens, Alcazaba fortress — is 90 minutes by road.
- Ronda — Clifftop City & Puente Nuevo** — Perched above a 100-metre gorge, Ronda is one of Andalusia's most dramatic towns.
- El Caminito del Rey** — A spectacular restored cliff path through the El Chorro gorge, about 50 km north of Málaga.

BEST WALKS

- Waterfront to Alcazaba loop** ~3 km · 1.5–2 hrs · easy to moderate (uphill at end) — Walk west along the Palmeral promenade into Plaza de la Marina, up Calle Marqués de Larios to the Cathedral square, then east along...
- Old town art & tapas circuit** ~2.5 km · 1.5 hrs · easy — From Calle Larios through the Cathedral square, to the Picasso Museum on Calle San Agustín, then to his birthplace on Plaza de la...
- Seafront stroll to La Malagueta** ~1.5 km · 30 min · easy, flat — A flat walk east from Muelle Uno along the Paseo Marítimo to Málaga's main urban beach.

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)				DAYLIGHT & MONEY	
Mon	High	Low	Rain	Apr 7:43AM–8:52PM · Jun 6:58AM–9:37PM · Aug 7:35AM–9:08PM · Sep 8:00AM–8:24PM · Oct 8:25AM–7:40PM	
Apr	69°	56°	8d	Euro (EUR)	
Jun	82°	68°	2d		
Aug	87°	74°	1d		
Sep	81°	69°	4d		
Oct	75°	63°	5d		

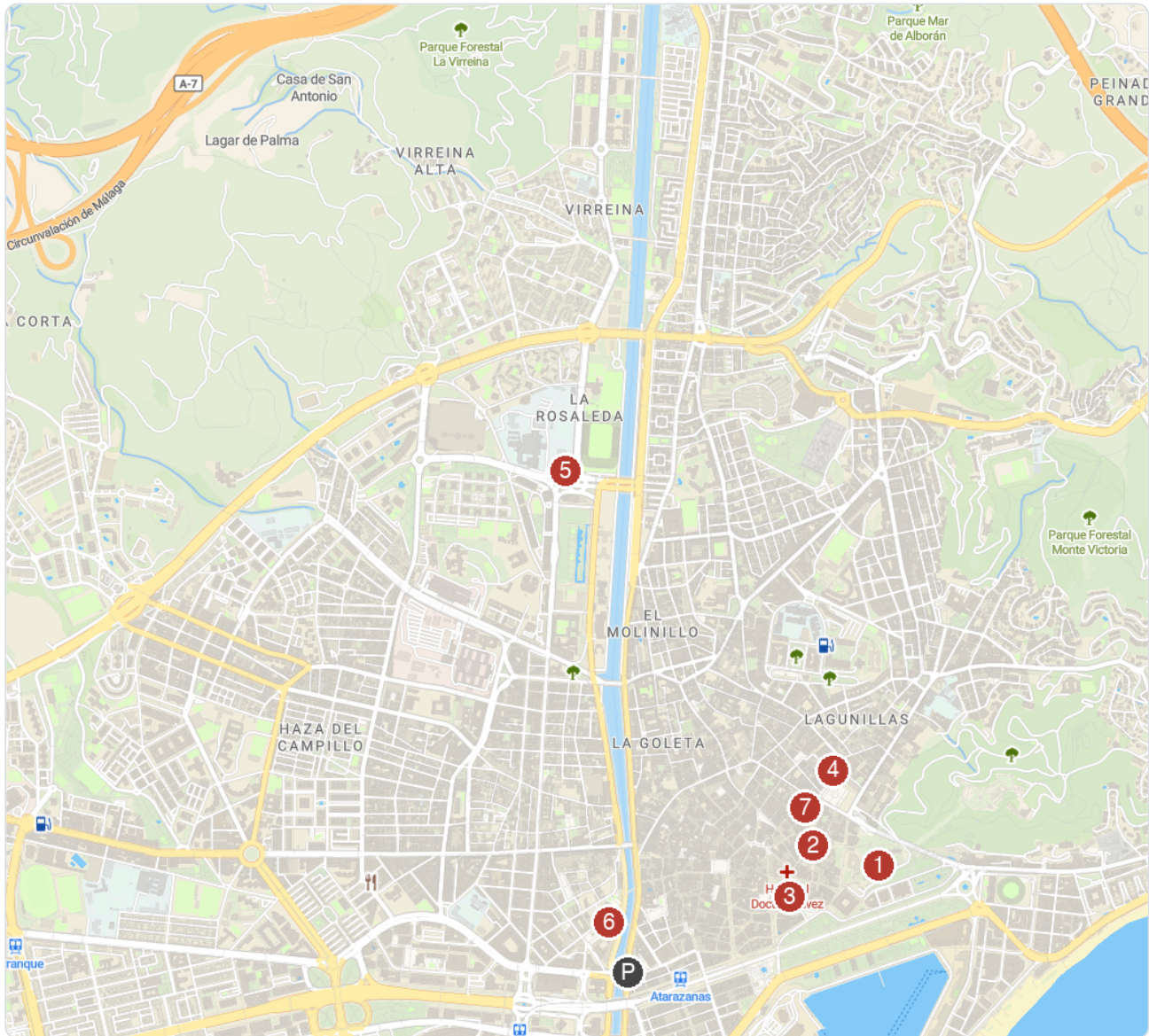
KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Alhambra tickets must be booked months ahead — not days. If you don't have them before boarding, join a ship excursion with pre-booked access. Some day tickets are essentially...

Málaga, Andalusia, Spain — 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 Alcazaba | Ancient Moorish fortress-palace offering stunning city views. | 2 Museo Picasso Málaga | Museum showcasing Picasso's art in his birth city. |
| 3 Santa Iglesia Catedral
Basílica de la Encarnación de Málaga | Málaga's grand Renaissance cathedral, known as "La Manquita." | 4 Museo Casa Natal de Picasso | Picasso's birthplace, now a museum with personal artifacts. |
| 5 Principia Science Center | Interactive science museum with hands-on exhibits for all ages. | 6 Iglesia de Santo Domingo de Guzmán | Historic church with beautiful altarpieces and religious art. |
| 7 El Hammam Open Space & SPA | Traditional Arab baths offering a relaxing spa experience. | 8 Museo Automovilístico de Málaga | Vintage car museum featuring fashion and automotive history. |
| P Cruise port / terminal | | | |