

Portland, Maine

The Hub of the North

Working Waterfront

Lobster Culture

Artsy Vibe

Casco Bay

👉 MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date: _____ Arrive: _____ All aboard: _____

Excursion: _____ Notes: _____

GETTING ASHORE

Currency: US Dollar (USD)Language: English

Climate: Maritime / Humid ContinentalKey Attraction: Portland Head Light

🚗 Getting around: 🚗 **Taxi** ✅ Metered (varies) · 📱 **Rideshare** ✅ Uber, Lyft · 🚌 **Hop-on hop-off** ✅ Gray Line Portland (Big Pink Trolley)

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Old Port District Exploration** — Wander the historic cobblestone streets that once formed the city's trading hub.
 - **Portland Head Light & Fort Williams Park** — Visit America's most photographed lighthouse at Fort Williams Park.
- **Casco Bay Island Hopping** — Take the Casco Bay Ferry to Peaks Island.
 - **Foodie Tour of the Old Port** — Sample fresh Maine lobster rolls and local oysters.

BEST WALKS

- **The Waterfront Walk** Easy — A flat, scenic walk along Commercial Street, watching fishing boats and lobster traps.
- **Old Port Cobblestone Wander** Moderate — A loop through historic brick-paved streets, visiting local shops and cafes.
- **Cape Elizabeth Coastal Path** Easy — A gentle walk around the lighthouse and surrounding preserve.

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)

	Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr		51°	37°	12d
Jun		71°	57°	10d
Aug		77°	63°	10d
Sep		71°	57°	8d
Oct		59°	47°	10d

DAYLIGHT & MONEY

Apr 5:58AM–7:24PM · Jun 4:59AM–8:24PM · Aug 5:46AM–7:43PM · Sep 6:20AM–6:50PM · Oct 6:55AM–5:56PM

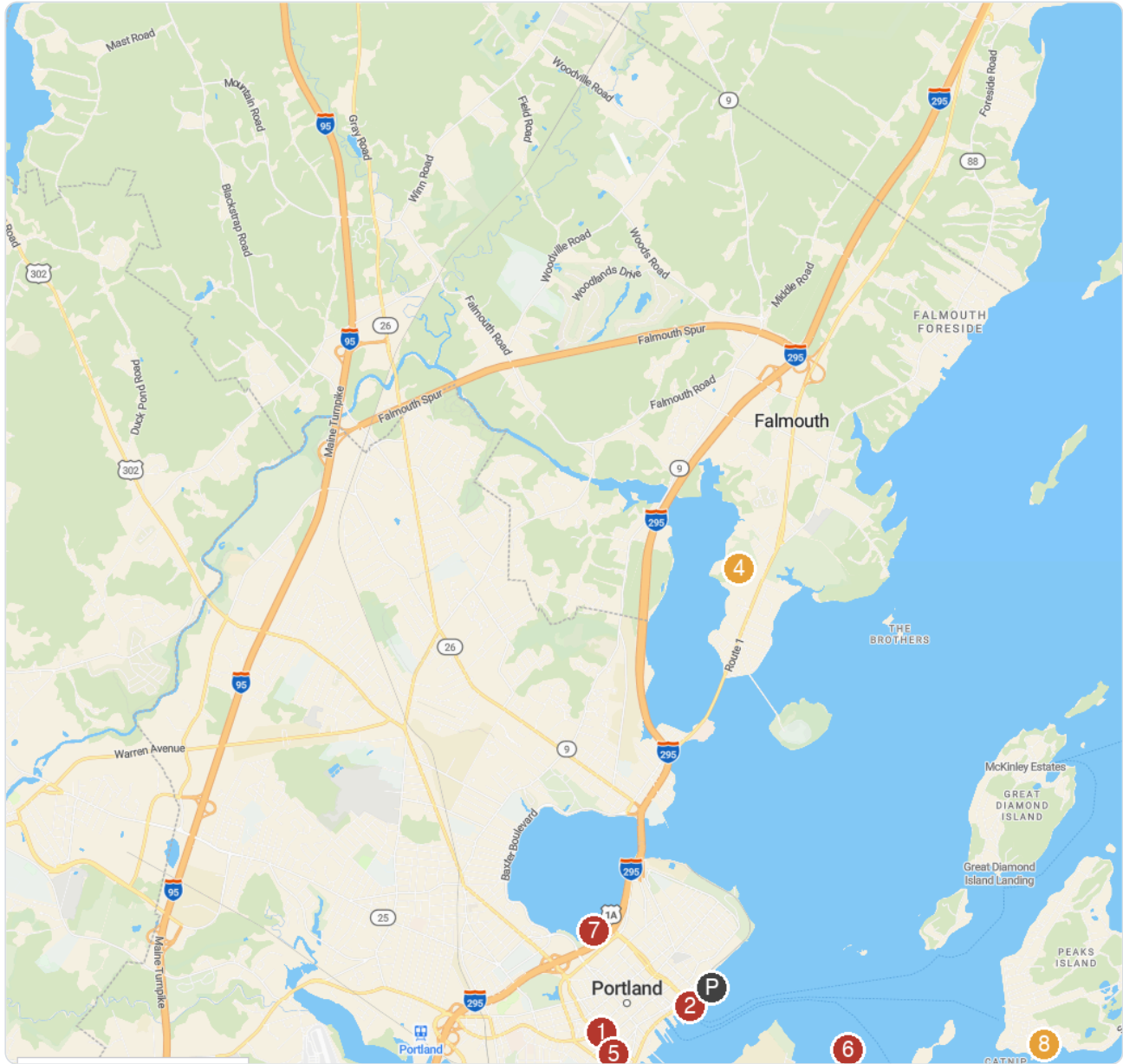
KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Try a Maine lobster roll: it's a must-do in Portland.
- The Old Port is beautiful, but cobblestones can be tricky for heels; wear flats.
- If heading to the lighthouse, book your Uber or taxi in advance when the ship is large.

Portland, Maine — 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 Portland Museum of Art | A museum showcasing American, European, and contemporary art. | 2 Casco Bay Lines | Ferry service to Casco Bay islands and scenic cruises. |
| 3 Crescent Beach State Park | A beautiful sandy beach state park for swimming and relaxation. | 4 Maine Audubon | Nature center and wildlife sanctuary with trails and birdwatching. |
| 5 Victoria Mansion | An elaborately preserved 19th-century historic house museum. | 6 Spring Point Ledge Lighthouse | Walkable breakwater to a historic cast-iron lighthouse. |
| 7 Back Cove Park | A scenic urban park with a popular walking/biking trail. | 8 Fifth Maine Museum | A Civil War museum on Peaks Island, honoring veterans. |
| P Cruise port / terminal | | | |