

Stykkishólmur, Snæfellsnes, Iceland

A compact fishing town ringed by basalt islands and fjord views, Stykkishólmur punches well above its size — freshest scallops in Iceland, an eerie art installation made of glacier water, and day trips to one of the country's most dramatic peninsulas.

Pier (small/expedition ships) or Tender (larger vessels)

Typical call: 6–8 hrs

Icelandic Króna (ISK) — virtually cashless; card accepted everywhere

Icelandic; English widely spoken

Gateway to Snæfellsnes Peninsula

🚢 MY DAY IN PORT

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

Excursion: _____ Notes: _____

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Pier for small/expedition ships; larger vessels tender to harbour pontoon

Best For: Viking Sushi boat tours, scenic coastal walks, Snæfellsnes Peninsula excursions

Walk to centre: 1–3 min from harbour — town wraps directly around the quay

Don't Miss: Viking Sushi Adventure (Seatours) — fresh scallops dredged and eaten on deck

🚗 Getting around: 🚕 **Taxi** ✅ ~2,500–5,000 ISK (short local trip) · 📱 **Rideshare** ❌ not available

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Viking Sushi Adventure (Seatours)** — Board a boat into Breiðafjörður Bay, where a dredge hauls up live scallops and sea urchins from the seabed.
- **Snæfellsnes Peninsula Highlights** — A half-day bus tour hits Kirkjufell (the Game of Thrones arrowhead mountain), Kirkjufellsfoss waterfall...
- **Library of Water (Vatnasafn)** — American artist Roni Horn filled 24 floor-to-ceiling glass columns with meltwater from Iceland's major glaciers.
- **Norska Húsið — The Norwegian House** — Built in 1832, this is the oldest two-story wooden house in Iceland.
- **Breiðafjörður Bay Kayaking & Island Hopping** — Paddle or boat among the thousands of small basalt islands in Breiðafjörður Bay, spotting eider ducks, puffins (in...

BEST WALKS

- **Harbour to Súgandisey Lighthouse** 1 km round-trip | 20–30 min | Easy paved path with stairs — Walk out along the causeway to Súgandisey Island, a basalt outcrop that shelters the harbour.
- **Old Town Stroll** 1.5 km loop | 30–45 min | Flat, easy — Wander the preserved 19th-century streets — Aðalgata and Frúarstígur — lined with brightly painted Norwegian-style timber houses.

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)

	Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr		44°	34°	1d
Jun		55°	44°	0d
Aug		56°	47°	0d
Sep		52°	43°	1d
Oct		45°	38°	1d

DAYLIGHT & 🌳 MONEY

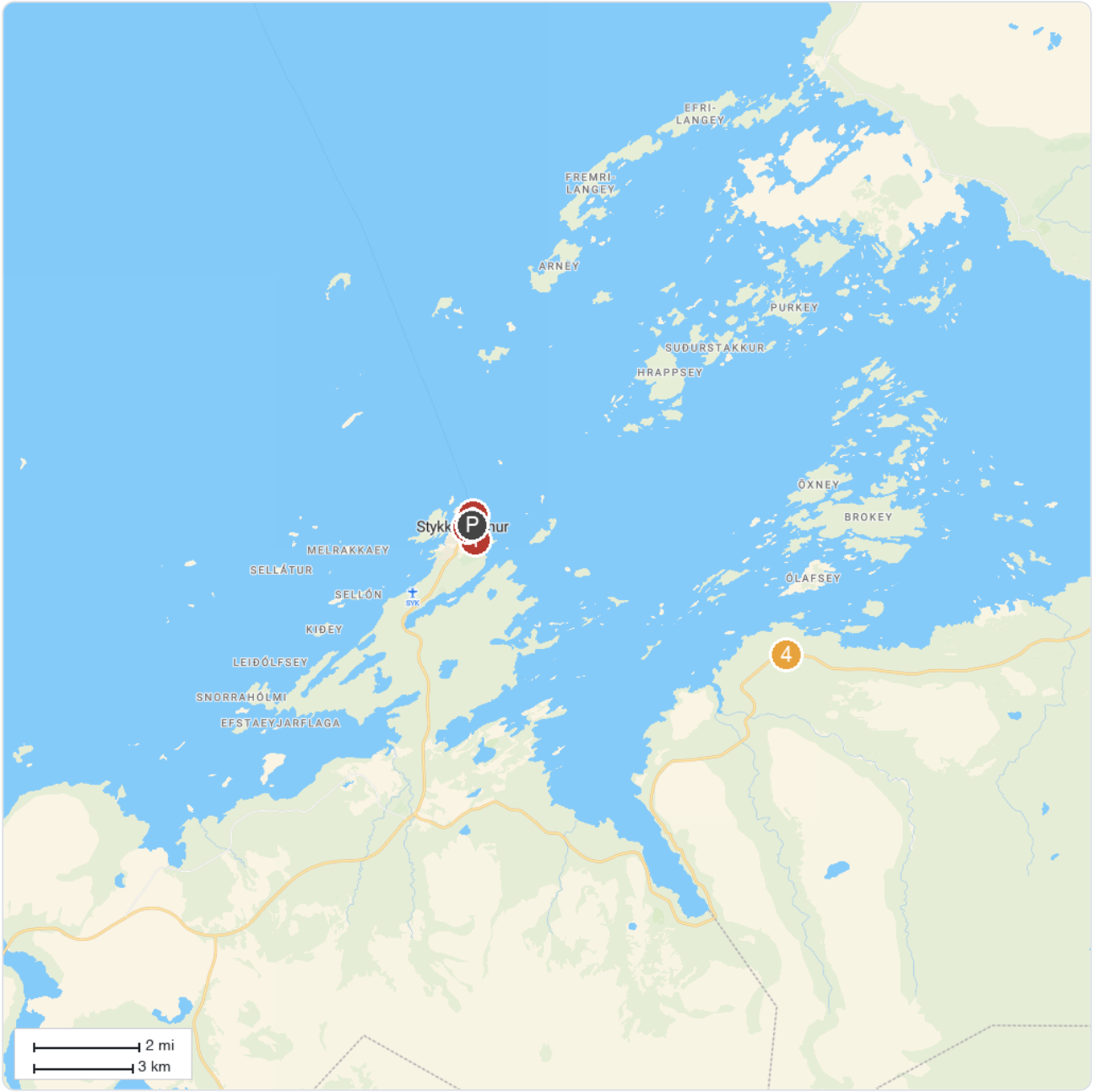
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KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

Stykkishólmur, Snæfellsnes, Iceland — Port Map

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



- 1

Stykkishólmskirkja Church Modern, striking church with unique architecture overlooking the harbor.
- 2

Norwegian House Historic Norwegian-style house now a regional museum and cultural center.
- 3

Súgandisey Island Light Beacon Walk to this iconic light beacon for panoramic harbor views.
- 4

Good view Elevated viewpoint offering stunning panoramic vistas of the town and harbor.
- P

Cruise port / terminal