

Surabaya, Java, Indonesia

Indonesia's gritty, proud second city — a place of colonial heritage, diverse mosques, a vintage submarine in the river, and the smoking volcanoes of East Java just a long drive away.

 Docked (Tanjung Perak port)  Typical call: 8–10 hrs  Indonesian Rupiah (IDR)  Indonesian / Javanese

🚢 MY DAY IN PORT

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

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Tanjung Perak terminal

Walk to center: Transfer needed (~20–40 min)

Best For: History · Culture · Religion

Don't Miss: House of Sampoerna

 Getting around:  **Taxi**  IDR 50,000–80,000 (~\$3–5 USD) ·  **Rideshare**  Grab, Gojek

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **House of Sampoerna** — A beautifully preserved Dutch colonial complex that was once a cigarette factory — now a museum tracing the Sampoerna...
- **Monkasel — Submarine Monument** — A decommissioned Soviet-era submarine (KRI Pasopati 410) permanently docked on the Kalimas River, now a museum you can...
- **Arab Quarter & Ampel Mosque** — The Ampel district is one of Indonesia's oldest Islamic neighborhoods, centered on the revered Masjid Ampel mosque...
- **Cheng Hoo Mosque & Chinatown** — The Muhammad Cheng Hoo Mosque is a striking red-and-gold Chinese-style mosque built to honor the Muslim admiral Zheng He.
- **Mount Bromo — Full-Day Volcano** — One of Indonesia's most dramatic landscapes: the smoldering caldera of Bromo inside the vast Tengger sand sea, with...

BEST WALKS

- **Old City Walk: Sampoerna to Ampel** ~2 km · 1.5 hrs · easy (flat, hot) — Start at the House of Sampoerna in the Dutch colonial quarter, walk through the old harbor district past the red-brick warehouses, and...

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

🌤️ CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)				🇮🇩 DAYLIGHT & 💰 MONEY	
Mon	High	Low	Rain	Apr 5:30AM–5:27PM · Jun 5:38AM–5:20PM · Aug 5:37AM–5:29PM · Sep 5:22AM–5:25PM · Oct 5:07AM–5:22PM	
Apr	86°	78°	24d		
Jun	87°	77°	11d		
Aug	88°	75°	2d		
Sep	90°	76°	4d		
Oct	91°	77°	9d		

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Use Gojek or Grab. Ride-hailing is cheap, reliable, and avoids negotiation hassles. Download both apps before you arrive — regular taxis can overcharge tourists.
- Dress for serious heat. Surabaya sits at sea level near the equator — expect 30–35°C with high humidity year-round. Light, loose, and modest clothing is ideal.
- Dress modestly for mosques. Shoulders and knees should be covered at Masjid Ampel and Cheng Hoo Mosque. Sarongs are usually available at the entrance if needed.

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The map displays the city of Surabaya, Indonesia, and its surrounding regions. Key features include:

- Coastal Area:** The city is located on the northern coast of Java, with the Surabaya-Banjarmasin port and the Bay of Surabaya (Teluk Lamong) visible.
- Major Roads:** The map shows a network of roads, including the main highway (Jalan Tol) and several arterial roads.
- Districts and Landmarks:** Labeled districts include Gresik, Bangkalan, Sidoarjo, and various urban areas within Surabaya like Perak Utara, Ujung, Wonokusumo, and Gubeng.
- Transportation:** The map includes icons for train stations (blue train icons) and bus stations (yellow bus icons).
- Geographical Features:** The map shows the city's proximity to the sea and the presence of several islands and smaller bodies of water.

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