

Visby, Gotland, Sweden

The 'Town of Roses and Ruins' offers the best-preserved medieval city wall in Northern Europe — UNESCO-listed and entirely walkable from the cruise pier.

 Pier (Kopparsvik terminal)

 Typical call: 8–10 hrs

 Swedish Krona (SEK)

 Swedish (English widely spoken)

 UNESCO World Heritage Site

MY DAY IN PORT

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

Excursion: _____ Notes: _____

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Pier at Kopparsvik, ~1.5 km south of the city walls

Walk to center: 20–25 min walk or shuttle bus to the Old Town gates

Best For: Medieval history, rose-lined streets, church ruins, coastal views

Don't Miss: The 3.4 km Ringmur city wall and the Viking silver at Gotlands Museum

Getting around:  Taxi  80–95 SEK (~\$8–10) ·  Rideshare  Uber ·  Hop-on hop-off  City Sightseeing Visby

TOP THINGS TO DO

- Visby City Wall (Ringmur) Walk** — The 3.4 km Ringmur is the best-preserved medieval city wall in Northern Europe.
- Gotlands Museum** — Home to the world's largest cache of Viking silver treasure, plus picture stones, medieval weaponry, and Gotland's...
- Fårö Island Sea Stacks Day Trip** — Drive or tour 45 km north to the island of Fårö, famous for its otherworldly raukar limestone sea stacks jutting from...
- Coastal Bike Tour** — Rent bikes at the pier area or join a guided tour to cycle the scenic coastal path south toward Höglint cliffs, with...
- Church Ruins & Cathedral Walk** — Visby has more medieval church ruins per square kilometer than almost anywhere in Europe.

BEST WALKS

- Medieval Wall Circuit** 3.4 km loop | 1.5–2 hrs | Easy–moderate — Start at Söderport gate and walk the full Ringmur circuit, passing towers and viewpoints.
- Old Town Lanes & Ruins Loop** 2 km | 1–1.5 hrs | Easy — From the cathedral, wander south through cobblestone lanes past the St.

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

 CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)

Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr	49°	36°	7d
Jun	68°	53°	8d
Aug	70°	58°	11d
Sep	63°	53°	10d
Oct	53°	46°	12d

 DAYLIGHT &  MONEY

Apr 5:37AM–7:57PM · Jun 3:46AM–9:48PM · Aug 5:12AM–8:29PM · Sep 6:17AM–7:05PM · Oct 7:21AM–5:42PM

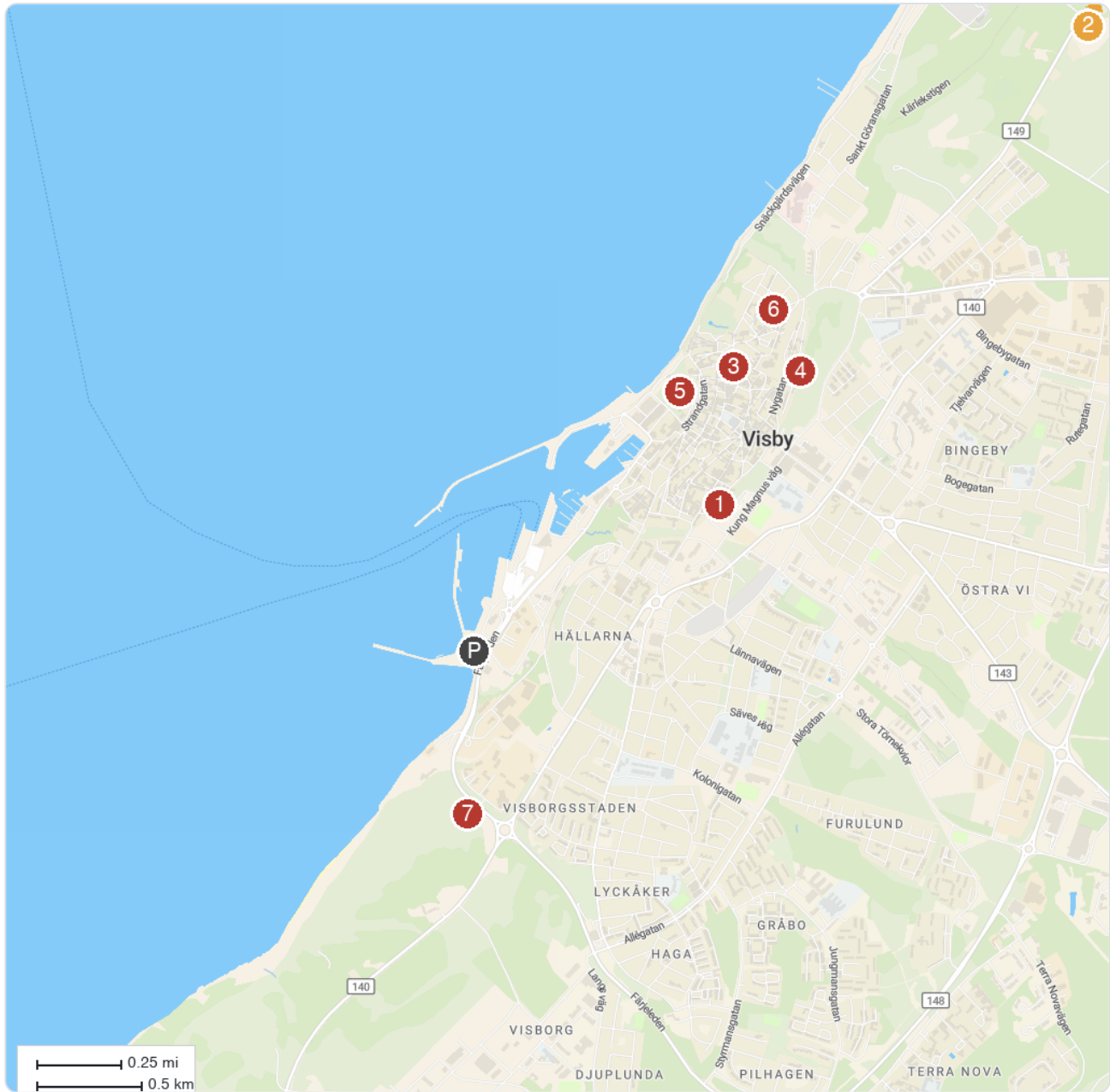
KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Wear real shoes. The Old Town is paved with uneven medieval cobblestones — sandals or flip-flops make for a miserable day.
- Shuttle vs walk. The pier shuttle is convenient and worth it in heat or rain; the seafront walk to the walls is scenic if the weather

Visby, Gotland, Sweden — 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 Kajsar Tower** Visby's tallest medieval defensive tower, part of the city wall.
- 3 Drottens ruin** Ruins of a medieval church in central Visby.
- 5 Almedalen** Historic park and political meeting place by the sea.
- 7 South Hällarna Nature Reserve** Coastal nature reserve with unique flora and sea views.

- 2 Brucebo naturreservat** Coastal nature reserve with cliffs, forest, and sea views.
- 4 Dalmansporten** A well-preserved medieval city gate in Visby's wall.
- 6 St. Nicolai Ruin** Large medieval church ruin, often hosting concerts and events.
- P Cruise port / terminal**