

Aschach an der Donau, Upper Austria, Austria

A quiet Upper Austrian market town where river cruise ships tie up alongside the Danube cycle path. The medieval center is a short stroll from the pier, and the flat Eferding Basin stretches invitingly into farm country beyond.

 Docked (river pontoon)  Typical call: 5–8 hrs  Euro (€)  German

👉 MY DAY IN PORT

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

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Pipe pontoon pier on the right bank, km 2160 — ships tie up directly in town

Best For: Cycling the Danube path, easy river walks, Schopper & Fishermen's Museum

Walk to center: 2–5 min on foot from the pier along the Danube promenade

Don't Miss: Beer garden along the promenade and a side trip by coach to Linz or St. Florian Monastery

 Getting around:  **Taxi**  Metered, ask locally

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Danube Cycle Path Ride** — Roll out directly from the pier onto the flat, well-marked Danube cycle path.
- **Schopper & Fishermen's Museum** — A compact local museum 500 m from the pier devoted to the traditional Schopper boat-builders who once shaped the river economy of Upper Austria, plus...
- **St. Florian Monastery Day Trip** — An Augustinian abbey of staggering baroque grandeur about 40 km from Aschach (via Linz) — closely associated with composer Anton Bruckner, who is...
- **Mauthausen Memorial** — A sober and important visit to the former Nazi concentration camp, now a national memorial and museum, located roughly 45 km downstream (east) of...
- **Linz City Discovery** — Austria's third city is just 25 km away — home to the spectacular Mariendom cathedral, the AEC (Ars Electronica Center) on the riverbank, the Linz...

BEST WALKS

- **Danube Promenade Stroll** 30–60 min | Flat | Paved riverside path — From the pier, walk the Danube promenade into the medieval market town.
- **Cycle Path Loop to Puppung** 2–3 hrs by bike | Flat | Marked cycle path — Head west/upstream on the Danube cycle path through the Eferding Basin farmland to the village of Puppung, where farm shops and quiet riverside meadows make a pleasant...

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

🌦️ CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)				🇺🇸 DAYLIGHT & 💰 MONEY	
Mon	High	Low	Rain	Apr 6:14AM–7:54PM · Jun 5:02AM–9:06PM · Aug 5:58AM–8:17PM · Sep 6:41AM–7:16PM · Oct 7:24AM–6:14PM	
Apr	59°	41°	11d	Euro (€)	
Jun	76°	58°	12d		
Aug	77°	60°	12d		
Sep	69°	53°	11d		
Oct	59°	46°	10d		

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Rent a bike at the pier. The Danube cycle path starts right at the gangway — a bike unlocks the whole Eferding Basin without needing a bus or taxi.
- Bring euros in cash. Aschach is a small town; the few local shops and beer gardens may not accept cards. ATMs are available in the town center.
- Coach excursions fill fast. Linz and St. Florian are the most popular ship tours from this port — book on board before your call or they sell out.
- Upper Austrian summers are warm but changeable. A light layer and a small umbrella are useful — afternoon showers are common from June through August.
- Try a beer garden along the promenade. Aschach's riverside Gastgärten are a highlight — order a Märzen or Zwickl and watch the Danube traffic drift by.

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This map shows the region around Eferding, Austria, with the Danube river flowing through it. The map includes a scale bar (3 mi / 5 km) and a legend for the numbered locations. The Danube river flows through the center, with towns like Eferding, Hartkirchen, and Walding marked. Numbered locations 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 are indicated by red circles. A black 'P' symbol is also present near location 1.

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