

Emmerich am Rhein, North Rhine-Westphalia, Germany

Germany's westernmost Rhine town sits just 4 km from the Dutch border — ships dock directly on the famous promenade, steps from Germany's longest road suspension bridge and a relaxed riverfront gastronomic mile.

- Docked (riverside quay)
- Typical call: 6–8 hrs
- Currency: Euro (€)
- German / Dutch widely spoken
- Flat, cycling-friendly town

👉 MY DAY IN PORT

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

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Docked on Rhine Promenade — no tender required

Walk to center: 0–10 min; promenade is directly at the gangway

Best For: Riverside strolling, Rhine bridge views, maritime history

Don't Miss: Rheinmuseum and the iconic red Emmerich Rhine Bridge

Getting around: **Taxi** €10–20

TOP THINGS TO DO

- Emmerich Rhine Bridge Walk** — Germany's longest road suspension bridge stretches 803 metres across the Rhine (500 m main span).
- Rheinmuseum (Rhine Museum)** — Just steps from the promenade, this engaging museum covers 2,000 years of Rhine shipping with 150+ ship models, a WWII one-man submarine, and...
- PAN Kunstforum Poster Museum** — The former Lohmann chocolate factory now houses one of Europe's great poster-art collections — around 95,000 graphic works from 19th-century...
- Elten Hill & St. Vitus Church** — A short taxi ride takes you to Hoch-Elten, a rare hilltop above the flat Rhine plain, where a Romanesque church offers sweeping panoramas across the...
- Bike to the Dutch Border** — The flat Rhine cycle path (*Rheinradweg*) leads across the border in under 30 minutes to the Dutch market town of 's-Heerenberg, home to the medieval...

BEST WALKS

- Rhine Promenade Stroll** 2 km · 30–40 min · Flat · Free — Walk the full length of the Lower Rhine's longest riverside promenade from the town center westward toward the suspension bridge.
- Old Town Loop** 1.5 km · 25 min · Flat · Free — From the promenade, cut inland to St.

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)				DAYLIGHT & MONEY	
Mon	High	Low	Rain	Apr 6:38AM–8:32PM · Jun 5:15AM–9:55PM · Aug 6:20AM–8:57PM · Sep 7:10AM–7:49PM · Oct 8:00AM–6:40PM	
Apr	55°	38°	10d	Currency: Euro (€)	
Jun	71°	54°	12d		
Aug	73°	57°	12d		
Sep	66°	51°	9d		
Oct	57°	45°	12d		

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

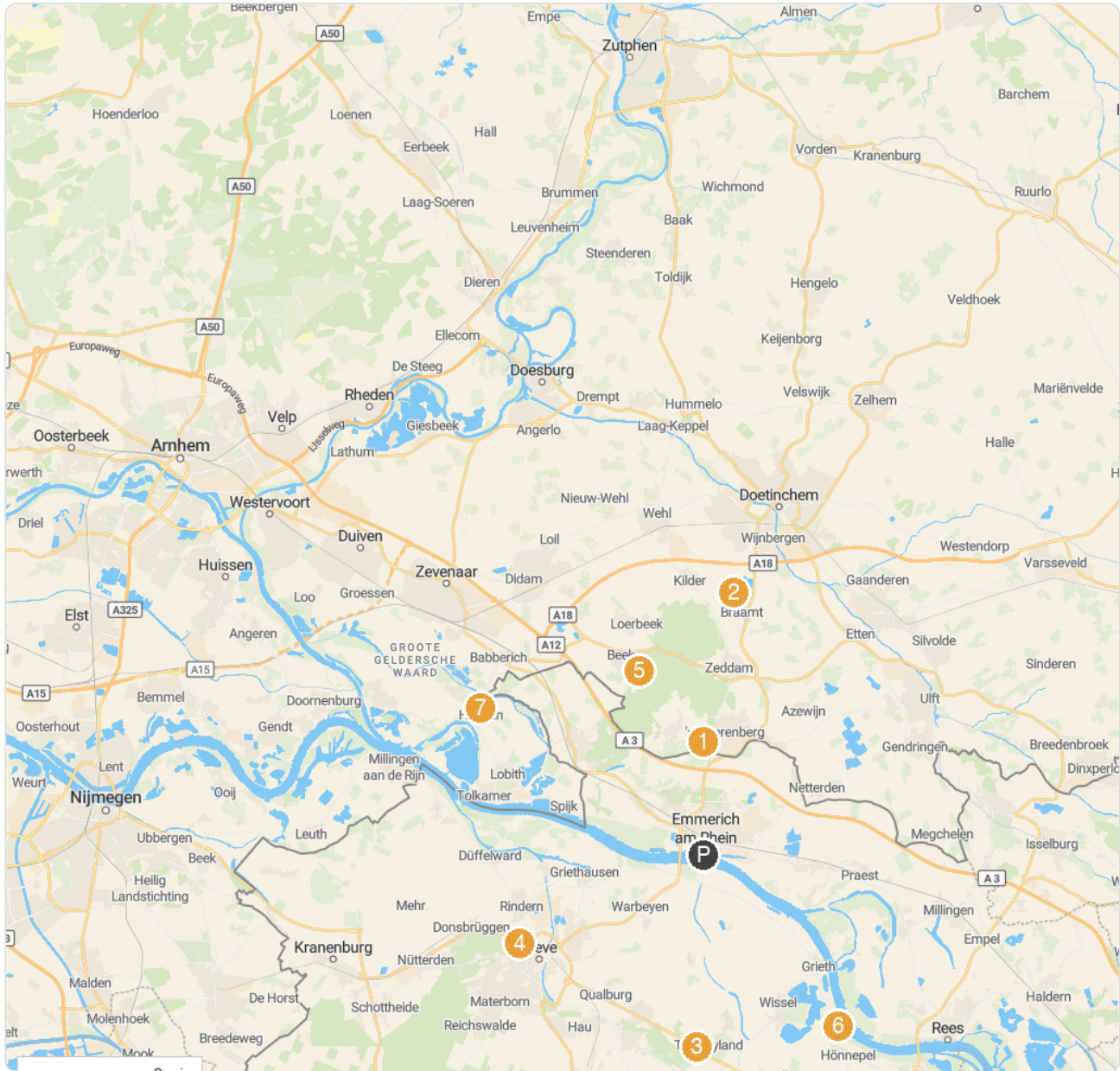
- Promenade at your feet: You step off the gangway directly onto the Rhine Promenade — no transport needed to start exploring.
- Bring or rent a bike: The Rhine cycle path is superb here. Many river ships carry bikes; if yours does, take one — the Dutch border crossing is flat and rewarding.
- Sunday shopping is out: German retail shops are closed on Sundays. Cafes, restaurants, the Rheinmuseum, and the promenade stay busy regardless.
- Carry some cash: Cards are widely accepted, but smaller bakeries and cafes may have a minimum or prefer cash.
- Dutch influence is real: Emmerich is 4 km from the Netherlands — expect Dutch signage, matjes herring stalls, thick-cut Friet Speciaal (fries with mayo), and bilingual menus.
- Evening bridge light: If your ship overnights, the Emmerich Rhine Bridge is illuminated at dusk — a spectacular sight from the promenade.

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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 Kasteel Huis Bergh | Explore a magnificent medieval moated castle. | 2 Land Jan Klaassen | Children's indoor and outdoor adventure playground. |
| 3 Museum Schloss Moyland | Art museum housed in a historic moated castle. | 4 Museum Kurhaus Kleve | Modern and contemporary art museum. |
| 5 Bergherbos | Enjoy hiking and nature in this beautiful forest. | 6 Wunderland Kalkar Freizeitpark | Amusement park built on a former nuclear power plant. |
| 7 Huis Aerdt | Discover a charming historic manor house. | P Cruise port / terminal | |