

Salerno, Campania, Italy

Southern Italy's most underrated cruise stop — the Amalfi Coast without the chaos. Salerno pairs a medieval old town with ferry access to Positano and Amalfi, fast trains to Pompeii, and a futuristic terminal designed by Zaha Hadid.

Docked (pier)

Typical call: 8–10 hrs

Currency: Euro

Italian (some English in tourist areas)

MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date:

Arrive:

All aboard:

Excursion:

Notes:

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Pier — Molo Manfredi, Zaha Hadid Stazione Marittima

Best For: Amalfi Coast day trips, Pompeii, Greek temples at Paestum

Walk to center: 10–15 min to historic center; 5 min to seafront promenade

Don't Miss: Cathedral crypt of St Matthew & ferry to Amalfi — skip the bus

Getting around: Taxi €8–€10

TOP THINGS TO DO

- Amalfi Coast by Ferry** — Walk to the ferry dock and hop a Travelmar hydrofoil to Amalfi (35 min) and optionally continue to Positano (70 min).
 - Pompeii by Train** — Board a direct train from Salerno Centrale (35–40 min) to the Pompeii Scavi station.
 - Paestum Greek Temples** — Three of the world's best-preserved ancient Greek temples sit 30 minutes south of
- Salerno by train — far less crowded...

 - Salerno Historic Center Walk** — Explore the medieval Duomo di Salerno (crypt of St Matthew, remarkable Baroque frescoes), wander Via dei Mercanti, and...
 - Vietri sul Mare & Ceramics** — A 10-minute taxi or train ride west brings you to Vietri sul Mare, the gateway town of the Amalfi Coast famous for its...

BEST WALKS

- Lungomare to Duomo & Old Town** 3.5 km round trip · Flat · 90 min — From the Stazione Marittima, walk the Lungomare Trieste seafront promenade past Villa Comunale park, then turn inland through the old...
- Giardino della Minerva & Castle View** 1.5 km one-way · Moderate uphill · 1 hr — From the Duomo, climb through medieval alleyways to the Giardino della Minerva (~€3), Europe's first botanical garden, used by the...

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)

	Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr		64°	50°	12d
Jun		80°	65°	6d
Aug		86°	71°	6d
Sep		79°	65°	8d
Oct		71°	59°	10d

DAYLIGHT & MONEY

Apr 6:22AM–7:40PM · Jun 5:29AM–8:33PM · Aug 6:11AM–7:58PM · Sep 6:41AM–7:09PM · Oct 7:12AM–6:20PM

Currency: Euro

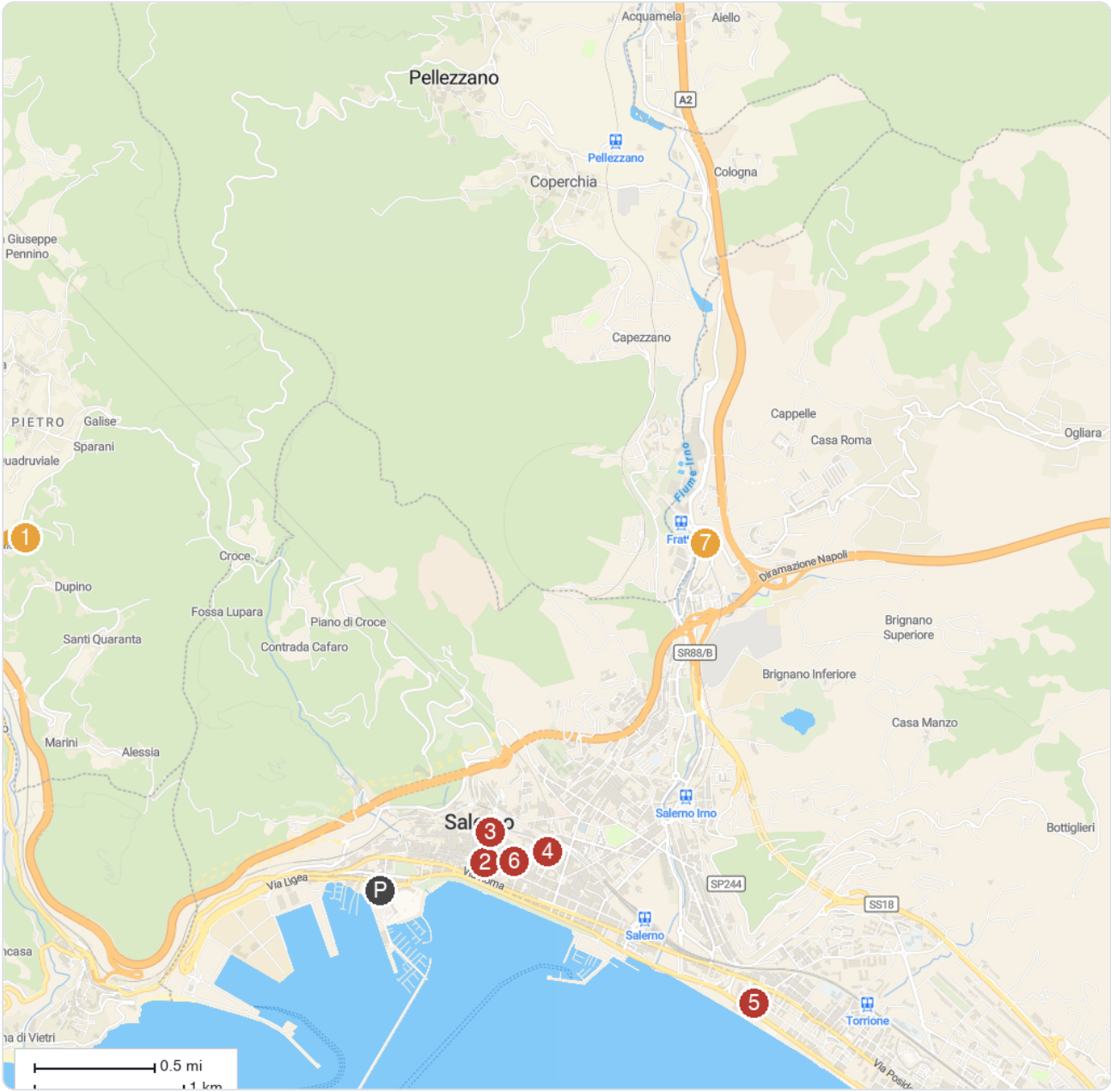
KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Ferry over bus for the Amalfi Coast. The SS163 Amalfi Drive gets brutally congested — buses and coaches can sit for hours. The Travelmar ferry from Salerno is faster, cheaper than...
- Afternoon siesta is real. Many shops, small churches, and family restaurants close 13:30–16:30. Plan cathedral and shopping

Salerno, Campania, Italy — 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 Art of the Nativity | Museum showcasing traditional Neapolitan nativity scenes. | 2 Provincial Art Gallery of Salerno | Art gallery featuring works from the Salerno province. |
| 3 Diocesan Museum of San Matteo | Religious art and artifacts from Salerno's diocese. | 4 Medieval Aqueduct | Historic medieval aqueduct, a marvel of engineering. |
| 5 Chiesa di Santa Maria ad Martyres | Ancient church dedicated to Saint Mary of the Martyrs. | 6 Provincial Archaeological Museum of Salerno | Museum displaying archaeological finds from Salerno province. |
| 7 Area Archeologica Etrusco-Sannitica di Fratte | Ancient Etruscan-Samnite archaeological site with ruins. | P Cruise port / terminal | |