

Shimizu, Shizuoka, Japan

On a clear morning, snow-capped Fuji towers above the bay as your ship ties up at Hinode Pier — and the city's legendary bluefin tuna is just a five-minute walk away.

 Pier (Hinode Pier)  Typical call: 8-10 hrs  Japanese Yen (JPY)  Japanese  Mount Fuji views

MY DAY IN PORT

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

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Pier — Hinode Pier, no tender required

Walk to center: S-Pulse Dream Plaza 5 min; Shimizu Station 25-30 min

Best For: Mt. Fuji views, fresh tuna, Japanese culture

Don't Miss: Miho no Matsubara pine grove, Kunozan Toshogu Shrine

 Getting around:  **Taxi**  ¥1,400–¥1,800 ·  **Rideshare**  Uber

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Nihondaira & Mt. Fuji Panorama** — Ride to the Nihondaira plateau for 360° views of Fuji, Suruga Bay, and the Izu Peninsula from Kengo Kuma's sleek... iconic view of Mt.
- **Kashi no Ichi Fish Market & Tuna Lunch** — Shimizu lands more bluefin tuna than anywhere in Japan.
- **Kunozan Toshogu Shrine** — Japan's original shrine to Tokugawa Ieyasu, the shogun who unified the nation.
- **Chibi Maruko-chan Land** — The beloved manga character was born in Shimizu — her museum inside S-Pulse Dream Plaza celebrates the town's most...
- **Miho no Matsubara Pine Grove** — A UNESCO World Heritage landscape: 7 km of ancient pine trees framing an

BEST WALKS

- **Pier to S-Pulse Dream Plaza Boardwalk** 0.5 km · 5-10 min · Flat — A restored historic boardwalk along the waterfront passes preserved rail tracks, moored yachts, and bay views.
- **Boardwalk to Shimizu Station** 2 km · 25-30 min · Flat — Continue from S-Pulse toward JR Shimizu Station through the harbor district, passing local shops and the entrance to Kashi no Ichi...

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

 CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)				 DAYLIGHT &  MONEY	
Mon	High	Low	Rain	Apr 5:14AM–6:18PM · Jun 4:31AM–7:01PM · Aug 5:06AM–6:34PM · Sep 5:28AM–5:53PM · Oct 5:51AM–5:11PM	
Apr	65°	50°	12d		
Jun	77°	66°	16d		
Aug	86°	76°	16d		
Sep	81°	70°	18d		
Oct	72°	60°	14d		

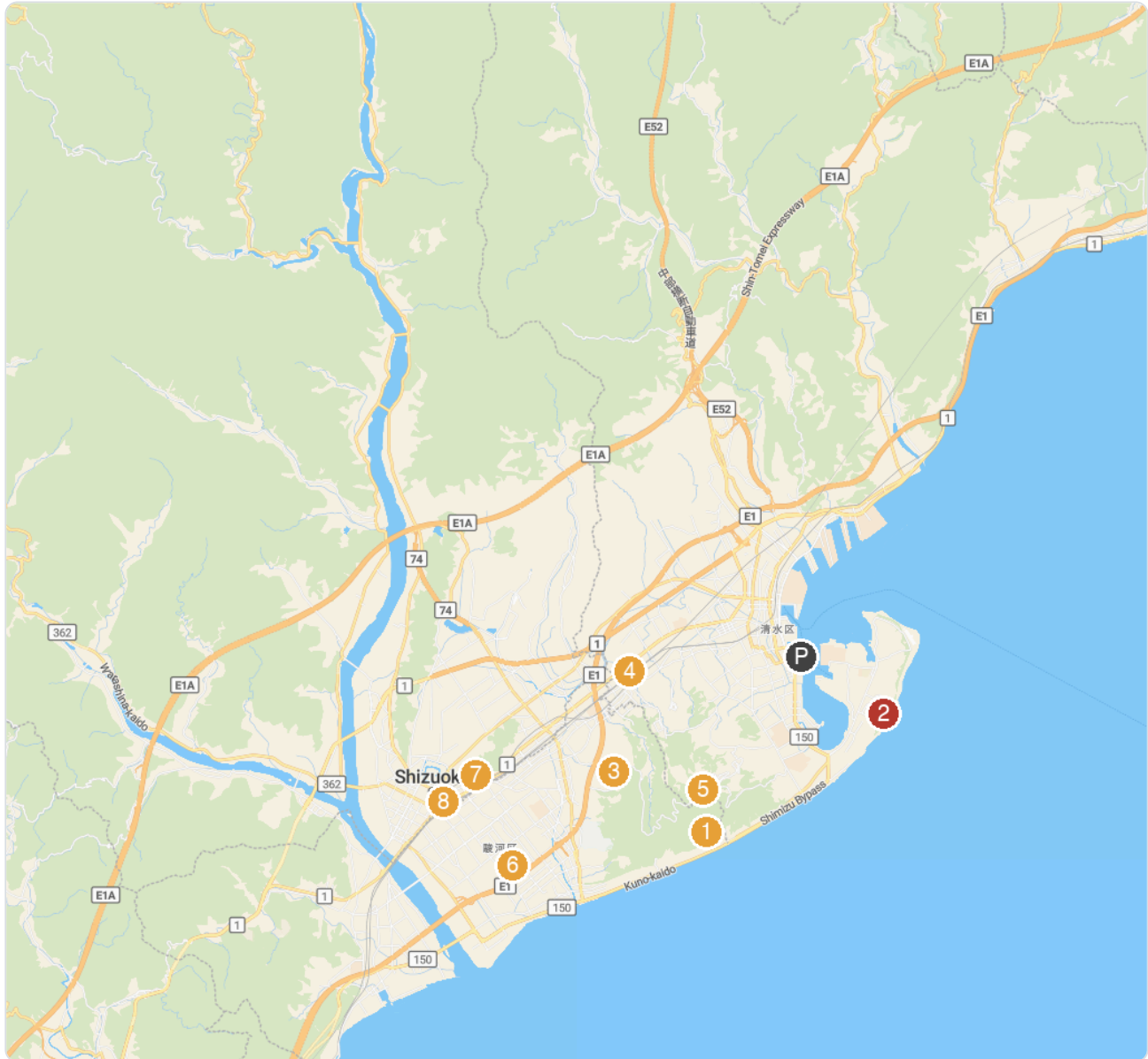
KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Check Fuji first. The mountain hides behind clouds most afternoons. Look for the live-cam boards at the terminal on arrival — if it's clear, head to Nihondaira or Miho Beach...
- Bring cash in yen. Japan is still cash-heavy for buses, small shrines, and street food. A 7-Eleven ATM near the pier accepts foreign

Shimizu, Shizuoka, Japan — 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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| <p>1 Kunōzan Tōshōgū</p> <p>3 Nihondaira Zoo</p> <p>5 Nihondaira Prefectural Natural Park</p> <p>7 Kiyomizudera</p> <p>P Cruise port / terminal</p> | <p>Historic Shinto shrine dedicated to Tokugawa Ieyasu.</p> <p>Large zoo on Nihondaira plateau, home to diverse animals.</p> <p>Natural park offering panoramic views of Suruga Bay and Fuji.</p> <p>Ancient Buddhist temple with scenic views and historic buildings.</p> | <p>2 Miho no Matsubara (Miho Pine Forest)</p> <p>4 Aoi Hot Spring Kusanagi no Yu</p> <p>6 Toro Archaeological Site</p> <p>8 Aoi Tower</p> | <p>Scenic pine grove with Mt. Fuji views, a World Heritage site.</p> <p>Relaxing public hot spring bathhouse with various pools.</p> <p>Reconstructed Yayoi Period village and archaeological museum.</p> <p>Skyscraper with shops, restaurants, and a city observation deck.</p> |
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