

Thasos Island, Northern Aegean, Greece

Greece's Emerald Island rewards cruise passengers with ancient ruins steps from the tender dock, dazzling white-marble beaches, and pine forests that spill straight into turquoise water.

Tender port

Typical call: 6–8 hrs

Currency: Euro (€)

Language: Greek

Most authentic Greek island (2025)

🚤 MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date: _____

Arrive: _____

All aboard: _____

Excursion: _____

Notes: _____

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Tender — ships anchor in the bay; 10-min tender ride to Old Harbor, Limenas

Best For: Ancient ruins, marble-pebble beaches, authentic Greek taverna dining

Walk to center: Immediate — tender lands on the historic waterfront of Limenas town

Don't Miss: The Ancient Agora right behind the harbor and a jar of Thassian pine honey

 Getting around: **Taxi** €3–€7 · **Rideshare** not available

TOP THINGS TO DO

- Ancient Agora & Archaeological Museum** — Walk two minutes from the tender dock to the well-preserved Ancient Agora of Thasos, then visit the adjacent museum to...
 - Saliara Marble Beach by Boat** — Thasos's most iconic beach is lined with smooth white marble pebbles instead of sand, making the water glow turquoise.
 - Acropolis & Ancient Theater Hike** — A 20–40 minute uphill walk from the harbor leads first to the 5th-century BC Ancient Theater — which overlooks the...
- Giola Lagoon & Beach Safari** — Giola is a natural seawater pool carved into coastal rock — one of the Aegean's most photographed natural wonders.
 - Golden Beach (Chrysi Akti)** — The island's most popular beach: a 3 km crescent of golden sand with shallow, calm water, sunbeds, water sports, and...

BEST WALKS

- Limenas Harbor Loop — Ruins & Waterfront** ~2 km · 45–60 min · easy, flat — From the Old Harbor, walk to the Ancient Agora (3 min), then continue around the coastal path to Karnagio viewpoint — a rocky...
- Uphill to the Ancient Theater & Acropolis** ~1.5 km · 1.5–2.5 hrs · moderate uphill — Head uphill from the Agora through the ancient city walls to the partially restored Ancient Theater (15–20 min walk), which faces the...

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)

Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr	64°	47°	2d
Jun	82°	64°	1d
Aug	89°	69°	0d
Sep	81°	62°	0d
Oct	71°	53°	0d

DAYLIGHT & MONEY

Apr 6:42AM–8:00PM · Jun 5:49AM–8:54PM · Aug 6:31AM–8:18PM · Sep 7:02AM–7:29PM · Oct 7:32AM–6:40PM

Currency: Euro (€)

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Tender timing matters. Board an early tender to maximise your day — afternoon waits can be long if several ships are in port simultaneously.

Thassos Island, Northern Aegean, Greece — 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 | Sanctuary of Heracles | Ancient ruins of a sanctuary dedicated to the hero Heracles. |
| 2 | Gate of Zeus & Hera | Ancient monumental gate dedicated to the gods Zeus and Hera. |
| 3 | Ancient Odeon | Small ancient Roman theatre used for musical performances. |
| 4 | Ancient Agora of Thasos | The ancient marketplace and civic center of Thasos town. |
| P | Cruise port / terminal | |