

Thionville, Moselle, France

A compact French Moselle city where medieval towers, Maginot Line fortresses, and mirabelle plum tarts converge at the Luxembourg border — all walkable from the river quay.

Docked (river quay)

Typical call: 6-8 hrs

Euro (€)

French (German & English understood)

🚢 MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date: _____

Arrive: _____

All aboard: _____

Excursion: _____

Notes: _____

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Moored alongside the Moselle quay; town center 5-10 min walk

Best For: History buffs, Maginot Line visits, Lorraine food & wine

Walk to center: ~5 min to Place du Marché; Tour aux Puces 10 min

Don't Miss: Tour aux Puces medieval museum & authentic Quiche Lorraine at lunch

🚗 Getting around: 🚗 **Taxi** ✅ €7–€10 · 📱 **Rideshare** ✅ Uber, Bolt

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Ouvrage du Hackenberg (Maginot Line)** — The largest Maginot Line fortress still open to visitors.
 - **Tour aux Puces Archaeological Museum** — Thionville's medieval keep — a striking 14-sided tower dating to the 11th century — houses eight rooms of...
 - **Day Trip to Luxembourg City** — A quick 25-minute train ride drops you in the heart of one of Europe's most scenic
- capitals — the old Casemates, Grand...

 - **Rodemack — La Petite Carcassonne Lorraine** — One of France's 'Most Beautiful Villages,' Rodemack is a medieval walled village about 16 km from Thionville with 700 m...
 - **Fort de Guentrange** — A German Imperial-era fort on the hill above Thionville, built between 1899 and 1906, now open for guided visits.

BEST WALKS

- **Old Town Heritage Walk** 1.5 km · Easy · 30-45 min — A circular stroll through Thionville's compact medieval centre, taking in the market belfry, St-Maximin's Church, the Tour aux Puces...
- **Moselle Riverside Promenade** 2 km · Easy · 40 min — Walk north along the Moselle towpath from the cruise quay, crossing at the bridge to see the 18th-century Pont Écluse locks — a...

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)

Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr	62°	34°	0d
Jun	77°	51°	1d
Aug	79°	53°	1d
Sep	72°	46°	1d
Oct	61°	42°	1d

DAYLIGHT & MONEY

Apr 6:43AM–8:27PM · Jun 5:29AM–9:42PM · Aug 6:27AM–8:51PM · Sep 7:12AM–7:47PM · Oct 7:56AM–6:44PM

Euro (€)

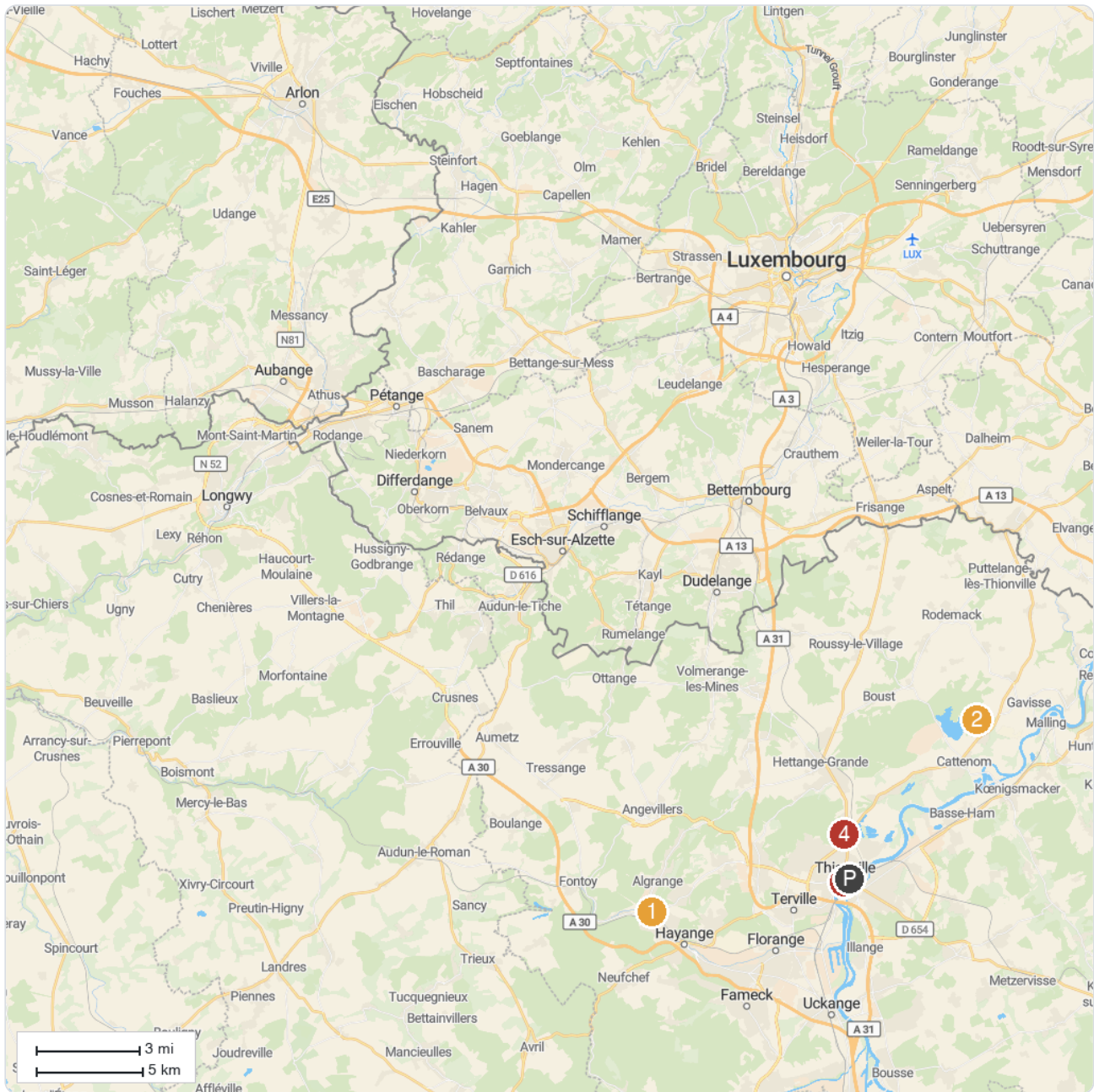
KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Take the train to Luxembourg City or Metz. Both are under 30 minutes and cost just a few euros. Tickets from machines at Thionville Gare — no booking required.
- Quiche Lorraine here is the real thing. No cheese — just cream, eggs, and smoked lardons. If a menu shows cheese in their

Thionville, Moselle, France — 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 Château de Nilvange | Nilvange Castle is a historic, privately-owned fortress. | 2 The Maginot Line - Large Artillery Fortress Galgenberg | Explore a large Maginot Line artillery fortress. |
| 3 Église catholique Saint-Maximin à Thionville | Saint-Maximin Catholic Church is a historic Thionville landmark. | 4 Chateau La Grange | Chateau La Grange is a beautiful historic castle. |
| P Cruise port / terminal | | | |