

Vernon, Normandy, France

A picture-perfect Norman town on the Seine, Vernon is the doorstep to Giverny — where Monet painted his water lilies — and a gentle slice of authentic French life all its own.

River dock (no tender)

Typical call: 7-9 hrs

Currency: Euro (€)

Language: French

Seasonal: Giverny open Apr–Oct

👉 MY DAY IN PORT

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

Excursion: _____ Notes: _____

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: River berth alongside quay; ships dock in the town center

Walk to center: 5 min stroll from dock to Vernon's historic core

Best For: Monet's Giverny gardens, Impressionist art, Norman architecture

Don't Miss: The Old Mill (Vieux-Moulin) straddling the medieval bridge on the Seine

Getting around: **Taxi** ~€15–20 one-way to Giverny

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Monet's House & Gardens, Giverny** — Walk through the Clos Normand flower garden and the famous Japanese-bridge Water Garden that inspired Monet's Water...
- **Museum of Impressionism, Giverny** — A world-class museum devoted to the Impressionist movement and the American artists who flocked to Giverny in Monet's...
- **Château Gaillard & Les Andelys** — Richard the Lionheart's dramatic cliff-top castle towers above the Seine just 30 km upriver.
- **Rouen — Gothic City on the Seine** — Joan of Arc's city and home to one of France's finest Gothic cathedrals — the same façade Monet painted 30 times.
- **Seine Valley Bike Ride** — Rent a bicycle near Vernon station and pedal the flat greenway to Giverny along the Seine — a 5 km scenic ride through...

BEST WALKS

- **Vernon Old Town & Seine Waterfront** 1.5 km · ~45 min · Easy — From the quay, walk along the riverfront to the iconic Vieux-Moulin (Old Mill) on the medieval bridge piers, then loop through the...
- **Bike or Walk to Giverny** 5 km one way · ~25 min by bike · Flat — A dedicated cycle/walking path traces the Seine valley from Vernon's train station area straight to Giverny village.

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)

Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr	59°	42°	10d
Jun	72°	56°	12d
Aug	75°	58°	9d
Sep	70°	54°	9d
Oct	62°	49°	12d

DAYLIGHT & MONEY

Apr 7:02AM–8:46PM · Jun 5:49AM–10:00PM · Aug 6:46AM–9:09PM · Sep 7:30AM–8:06PM · Oct 8:15AM–7:03PM

Currency: Euro (€)

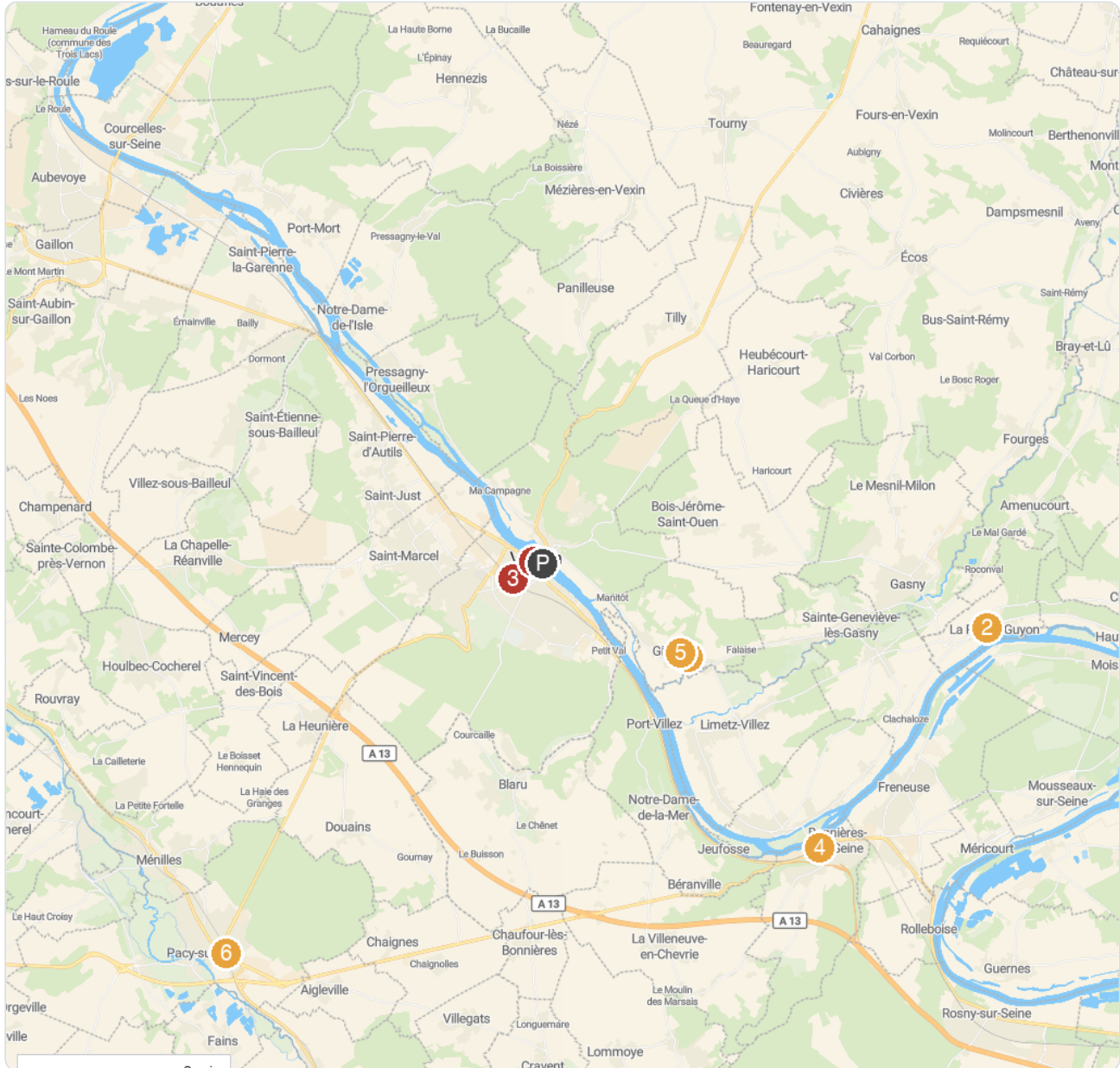
KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Book Giverny tickets weeks ahead. Monet's Foundation uses timed entry and sells out May–September. Don't rely on buying at

Vernon, Normandy, 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 Claude Monet's House and Gardens - Giverny | Monet's home and gardens, inspiration for his famous paintings. | 2 Castle of La Roche-Guyon | Historic castle with a unique troglodyte keep and stunning views. |
| 3 Monet's Train - Givernon | Tourist train connecting Vernon to Monet's Giverny gardens. | 4 House Agutte-Semhat VIVHAS | Historic house museum of artists Agutte and Sembat. |
| 5 Museum of Impressionism Giverny | Museum showcasing Impressionist art, its history, and influence. | 6 Chemin de Fer de la Vallée de l'Eure | Heritage railway offering scenic rides through the Eure Valley. |
| 7 Blanche Hoschedé-Monet Museum | Museum dedicated to the Impressionist painter Blanche Hoschedé-Monet. | P Cruise port / terminal | |