



Southampton



ABP Port of Southampton has been voted the 'UK's number one departure port' by Cruise Critic UK Editors' Picks Awards for seven consecutive years. Year-on-year Southampton welcomes some of the world's largest and newest cruise ships. In 2015, Southampton played host

to three stand-out events; hosting the launch of the UK's biggest-ever purpose-built cruise ship, P&O Cruises' Britannia; Royal Caribbean's second Quantum-class ship, Anthem of the Seas; and Norwegian Cruise Lines' Norwegian Escape, the first in the company's new Breakaway Plus class.

It is Southampton's strategic location on the UK's south coast, excellent transport infrastructure and over 3,000 hotel beds in the city and surrounding area that ensures Southampton remains the premier venue for cruise lines to showcase their vessels to the UK and European markets.

The port is well located in the city, with superb transport links locally and further afield, making it the ideal place from which to experience the plethora of activities in the South of England. The region boasts a wide variety of fabulous attractions and outdoor pursuits. From a day trip absorbing the hustle and bustle of London, to afternoon tea in the New Forest National Park, or a visit to world-famous Stonehenge, there is something for everyone in the region.

In 2018 the port is expecting to welcome over 500 cruise ship calls from cruise line customers including Aida, Celebrity Cruises, Cunard, Fred. Olsen Cruise Lines, MSC Cruises, P&O Cruises, Princess Cruises, Royal Caribbean and Saga. To cater for the growing demand of the cruise passenger trade the port owner and operator, ABP, continues to invest heavily with its customers in state-of-the-art shoreside and marine facilities. Southampton provides four dedicated cruise terminals able to turn around the largest cruise ships afloat smoothly and efficiently. It is the intention of Southampton's port community that each of the 1.8 million guests passing through the port's modern cruise terminals continue to receive a superior service providing effortless cruise calls and a 'hassle free' start and end to a passenger's holiday.

Rebekah Keeler
Commercial Manager

Top Five Facts About Southampton

1. Voted the 'UK's number one departure port' by Cruise Critic UK Editors' Picks Awards for 7 consecutive years.
2. National Transport Awards 'Port of the Year' 2015
3. Southampton welcomes 1.8 million cruise passengers to the port annually.
4. Southampton is the home of the Spitfire Aircraft. It was devised by R.J. Mitchell, built and tested in Southampton and it saved the country during the Battle of Britain.
5. London, the UK's capital, is less than an hour and half from Southampton.

Experience Southampton

Isle of Wight

Link: <http://www.visitisleofwight.co.uk>

London

Link: <http://www.visitlondon.com>

New Forest

Link: <http://www.thenewforest.co.uk>

Stonehenge

Link: <http://www.english-heritage.org.uk/visit/places/stonehenge>

Winchester

Link: <http://www.visitwinchester.co.uk>

Port Info

Time Zone : GMT

Operational Hours : 24 hours a day , 7 days a week

Latitude & Longitude : North 50° 54' 17" West 1° 22' 1"

Prevailing Weather : Winds: SW

Berth Information : Southampton is a deep water, sheltered port with 24/7 access for all passenger vessels. All four cruise terminals are located on deep water berths, dredged to depths that can accommodate the largest cruise ships afloat.

Vessel Length : Unrestricted

Vessel Width : Unrestricted

Air Draft Restrictions : Unrestricted

Vessel Draft : Unrestricted

Depth on Berth : Ocean Cruise Terminal 10.5m QEII Cruise Terminal 10.5m City Cruise Terminal 10.5m Mayflower Cruise Terminal 11.7m

Largest ship to call : Oasis at 360m in 2015 , which will be overtaken by Harmony of the Seas at 361.8m in 2016

VTS - Channel : Available 24hrs per day / 365 days per year. Channel 12 for VTS.

Max Ship Dimension : Unrestricted

Pilotage : Compulsory

Tugboat : Two tug companies offer services within the port: Svitzer (5 x Tugs at 40-70t bollard pull) and

Itchen Marine (3 x Tugs at 18-32t bollard pull) . All Tug bookings should be made via the local Agent and 24 hours notice is recommended but not a requirement. Tugs can be booked at very short notice.

Security Facilities : Fully compliant with ISPS regulations.

Gangway : A variety of port owned conventional gangways are available to use at all terminals. In lengths varying from 30 ft to 65 ft, stepped and ramped. Ocean Cruise Terminal – 1 Airbridge QEII Cruise Terminal – 1 Airbridge City Cruise Terminal – 1 Airbridge Mayflower Cruise Terminal – 1 Airbridge

Fresh Water : Available

Power Supply : No

Fuel Supply : Available

Hot works / painting/ lifeboats : All may only occur with prior approval from Port Authority

Waste Handling : All waste can be accommodated by barge or landside

Facilities

Cruise Terminal Building : Four dedicated Cruise Terminals offer the below facilities. Temporary facilities are also available for specific vessels, allowing Southampton to handle over 5 cruise ships on a given day. Ocean Cruise Terminal Check in desks: 40 Passenger lounge seating: 1,100 Dedicated baggage hall: Yes Coach bays: 26 Dedicated drop off lanes: Yes Short and long stay car Parking: Yes Secure stores facilities: Yes QEII Cruise Terminal Check in desks: 36 Passenger lounge seating: 1,200 Dedicated baggage hall: Yes Coach bays: 18 Dedicated drop off lanes: Yes Short and long stay car Parking: Yes Secure stores facilities: Yes City Cruise Terminal Check in desks: 50 Passenger lounge seating: 450 Dedicated baggage hall: Yes Coach bays: 25 Dedicated drop off lanes: Yes Short and long stay car Parking: Yes, including 4 dock levellers Secure stores facilities: Yes Mayflower Cruise Terminal Check in desks: 36 Passenger lounge seating: 700 Dedicated baggage hall: Yes Coach bays: 28 Dedicated drop off lanes: Yes Short and long stay car Parking: Yes Secure stores facilities: Yes

Currency Exchange : Numerous outlets are located in the city

Internet Access : Wifi is available in City Cruise terminal and free Wifi is available in numerous cafés located close by.

Telephones : Located in the city

Mailbox : Located in the city

Taxi Rank : All four Cruise Terminals have dedicated taxi ranks directly outside the terminal building.

Distance to Railway Station : Southampton Central Station is approx 2 miles from all cruise terminals and approx 6 minutes by taxi.

Distance to Airport : Four Airports are regularly used by our cruise passengers: Southampton Airport 6 miles – 15 minute drive Bournemouth Airport 30 miles – 45 minute drive Heathrow Airport 68 miles – 1 hr 15 minutes drive Gatwick Airport 91 miles – 1 hr 45 minutes drive

Banks / ATM Machines : Located in the city within a 10 minute walk

Restaurant/Café : Café Ceanos have outlets in all four Cruise Terminals offering a selection of hot and cold food and beverages. Numerous cafes and bars are located within a 10 minute walk of the Port.

Contacts & Info

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Tourist Information

Websites : www.cruisesouthampton.com www.visit-hampshire.co.uk www.southamptonvts.co.uk
www.abports.co.uk

For ancillary services such as waste management, agency, stevedoring and towage please contact the port directly for the appropriate details.

Parking : ABParking (0)23 8048 8870 www.abparking.co.uk