

DESTINATION SERVICES

VALLETTA , MALTA



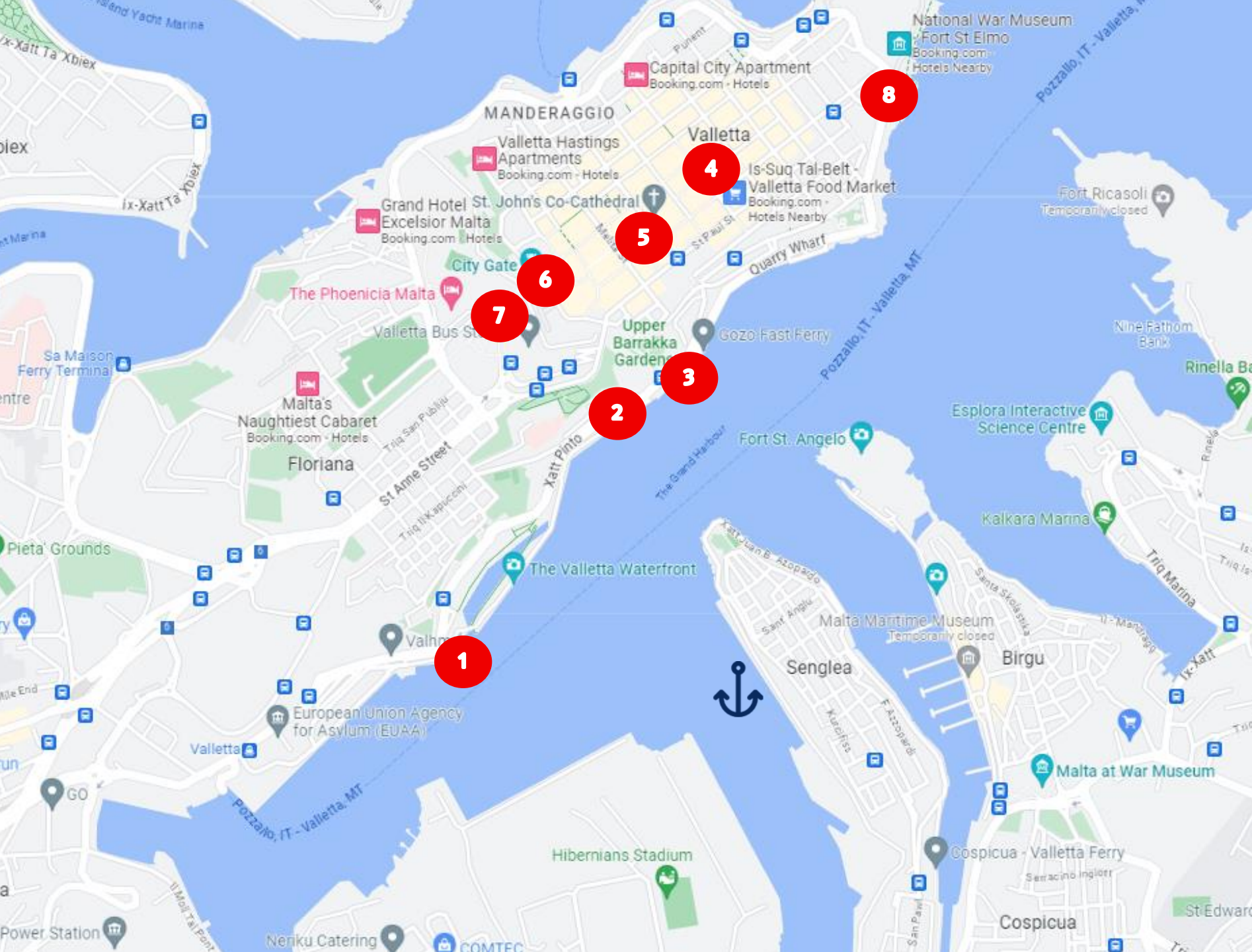
Ship's Location

1. Port Shuttle Boat Drop Off Point
2. Glass Lift
3. Upper Barrakka Gardens
4. Grand Master's Palace
5. St John's Cathedral
6. Triton Fountain
7. City Gates
8. Fort St Elmo

Distance to the town: 20 minute walk

For more information please see the team at Destination Services

Source- [google.co.uk/maps](https://www.google.co.uk/maps)



EXPLORE ASHORE VALLETTA



LOCAL CURRENCY:
EURO



LANGUAGE SPOKEN:
MALTESE



PHOTO ID:
NOT REQUIRED



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AT A GLANCE

As the ship cruises into Valletta, a magical skyline of soaring steeples and bulbous church domes rises to greet you. This is Malta's quintessential capital, a captivating city steeped in history.

To reach the old town, you will need to board a free shuttle boat that will run approximately every 10-15 minutes. From here there is a lift for easy access. The charge is €1 return and the elevator is 300 metres from the cruise terminal. The cruise port is about 1.5km away from the city centre by foot.

You'll find the main bus station at the Triton Fountain which is about 10 minutes uphill walk from the port. There is also the public bus, number 130 or 133, that makes a stop right outside the port that goes around Valletta. You will also find plenty of taxis outside the port.

There is a Hop-On Hop-Off bus with a stop outside the cruise port. This costs about €25pp for the day.

DON'T MISS OUT ON

Blue Grotto: Located in the south east of the island, this is a impressive system of 7 caves. You can enjoy the views, a nice lunch or take a boat trip to explore the numerous sea caverns you will find here.

Marsaxlokk: A famous fishing village mainly known for its unique harbour, fine fish restaurants and peaceful walks around the coast. It's around a 20 minute drive away.

Church of St Lawrence: The church displays fine baroque architecture and beautiful paintings from the past centuries. Approximately a 15 minute drive & free entry.

The Upper Barrakka Gardens: The gardens offer impressive views and a peaceful way to spend a sunny afternoon. Free entry and approx. a 20 minute walk

Beach: The best sandy beaches are in the north of Malta. Golden Bay beach is a 30 minute drive from the port. There are also a few restaurants and bars close by.

Shopping: The city centre is where you need to head to shop. Here, you will discover all of the authentic goods, best outlets, malls, boutiques & markets.

EXCURSION OF THE DAY

Three Islands—Land & Sea: It's all about seeing Malta's scenery from land and sea. First off, you'll climb aboard a motorboat, which will whiz you along Malta's east coast.. It's onwards to the island of Comino, where you'll get to see the Comino caves, before crossing the Gozo channel and heading for the Mgarr Harbour. Here, you'll disembark and climb into a 4x4 vehicle, this time, though, you'll be driving along Gozo's terrain. First on the sightseeing agenda is the Xewkija Dome, which is perched on top of a rotunda church that can hold a congregation of 3,000 people. Then it's onwards past the Sanap cliffs and Xlendi Bay. Your next stop is Victoria, Gozo's capital city. This place is full of impressive Baroque and medieval architecture, so have your camera ready. Lastly, you'll make tracks for Hondoq Bay, where you'll enjoy some free time to relax.

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