

# KOREA CRUISE PORT SALES

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# Welcome to Korea Cruise Port Sales



The Republic of Korea is a peninsula located in the center of Northeast Asia facing seas on three sides. Korea lies at the center of cruise travel in Asia, with cruise routes extending to Southeast Asia, including Japan and Russia to the east, China to the west, and Taiwan and Hong Kong to the south.

The Republic of Korea is an attractive cruise tourist destination and the epicenter of K-culture, including K-POP, K-drama, and K-food, which are gaining tremendous attention from all over the world.

In addition, Korea has a traditional culture with time-honored 5,000 years of history and magnificent tourist attractions, as well as a variety of shopping facilities and clean, comfortable accommodations, providing an optimized environment for cruise travelers to enjoy sightseeing, experiences, shopping, and relaxation.

Busan, Jeju, Incheon, Yeosu, and Sokcho are well-equipped with infrastructure, including cruise piers and passenger terminals that can accommodate large cruise ships of 100,000 to 220,000 GT, and Pohang, Seosan, Gyeongnam Masan and Saemangeum are expected to soon have the same level of infrastructure.

Haeundae, the most popular summer resort in Korea, as well as pleasurable tourist attractions and various marine activities, including Jagalchi Fish Market and beautiful beaches are the beauty of Busan.

You can access Seoul, the capital, within an hour through the world-class Incheon International Airport and Incheon Port, as well as Seoul's four major palaces and Songdo New Town from the city of Incheon, where you can enjoy both tradition and modernity.

As a UNESCO World Natural Heritage site, 15 million domestic and foreign tourists visit annually to see its unique natural environment and traditional culture of Jeju, Asia's most beloved cruise port of call.

A picturesque maritime city with clean seas and over 300 islands is the beauty of Yeosu with unmissable unique and delicious food.

Beautiful Seorak Mountain trekking, surfing is what makes Sokcho with unique food, diverse marine leisure experiences and fresh seafood.

With nickname of city of light, Pohang serves as the gateway to the thousand-year-old city of Gyeongju and offers beautiful night views of Space Walk and POSCO.

Hidden treasures such as the Haemi Martyrdom Holy Ground, an international holy site designated by the Vatican, and the Rock-carved Buddha Triad, a masterpiece of Baekje are grabbing tourists' attention in the city of Seosan.

A romantic harbor city and gateway to UNESCO World Heritage sites, where you can experience the breath of a thousand years of history Gyeongnam Masan, leading to Haeinsa Temple and the Gaya Tumuli.

A new marine tourism hub connecting Jeonbuk's traditional culture, the sea, and gastronomy in one seamless journey Saemangeum New Port.

Korea's major ports of call will offer a variety of fascinating experiences to travelers visiting Korea via cruise ships. We are looking forward to your visit to Korea as country of destination, the center of cruises in Northeast Asia.



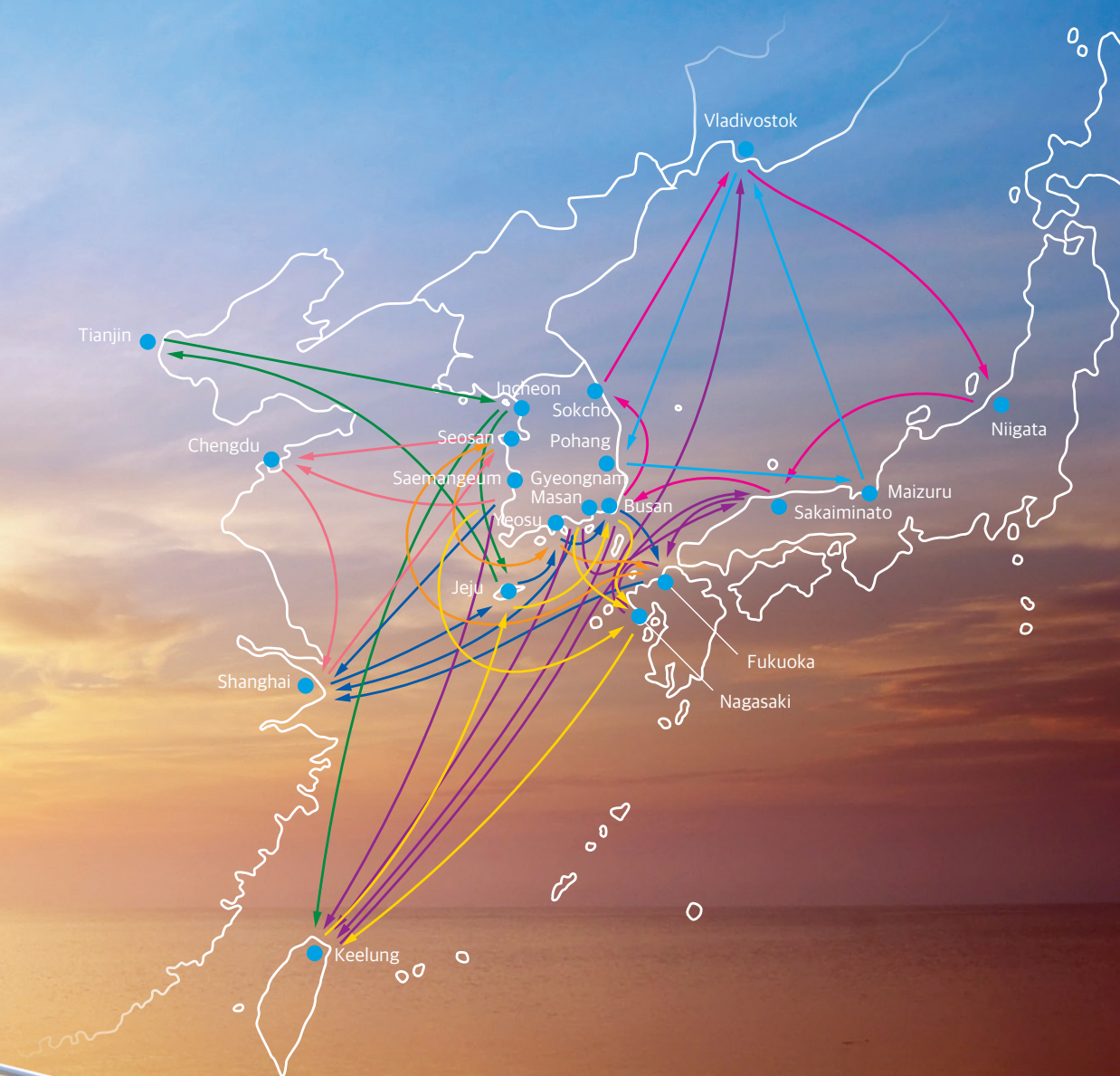


# Korea Cruise Port Sales

Special Beauty of Northeast Asian Cruise Travels that Bring You Romantic and Touching Experiences

Northeast Asian cruise travels will include comfortable, exciting and special time on a ship equipped with cutting-edge facilities and endless tours and attractions that await you at various ports of call.

## Northeast Asian Cruise Routes





# Busan Cruise

## A City Always Exciting 365 Days a Year - Busan

Busan, a city filled with attractions and festivals to enjoy in all four seasons  
Enjoy the beautiful coastal attractions in Busan!

Busan is the second largest city in South Korea after Seoul and Korea's largest port city. The city attracts people from all over the world with its beautiful natural landscape, picturesque old streets, historic sites and modern skyscrapers.

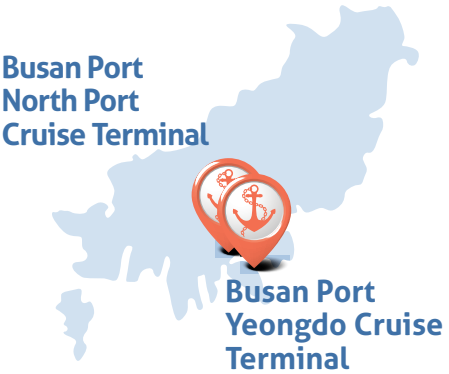


### Busan Port

Busan Port, the world's seventh-largest container port and the largest cruise port of call in Korea, opened the nation's first cruise terminal in 2007 to become a maritime tourism hub in Northeast Asia. Also in 2015, the international passenger terminal was built in downtown Busan in close proximity to the Busan Station to provide cruise tourists easy access to attractions across the city.

World's major cruise lines have Busan Port as one of the major ports of call in their sailings that connect China, Japan, Taiwan, Russia as well as Southeast Asian countries and Oceanian regions.

Busan Port is also the largest transshipment port in Northeast Asia. Using Busan Port's advanced network system, cruise ships can conveniently refuel, get the food and ship parts they need and use the port services. Busan Port also has an exclusive cruise lounge where crew members can rest and enjoy entertainment.



### Cruise Wharf Specifications

| Berth Name                            |        | Berthing Capacity | Quay Length | Depth Along-side | Facilities                                                                                                                                                              | Distance from Pier to Terminal |
|---------------------------------------|--------|-------------------|-------------|------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Busan Port North Port Cruise Terminal | MBF-01 | 170,000 GT        | 360m        | 11m              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Fender : Cell Fenders (1,250H X 2unit) X 25</li><li>• Bollard : 100-ton Curved Posts X 18, 200-ton Straight Posts X 3</li></ul> | In front of the pier           |
|                                       | MBF-02 | 50,000 GT         | 240m        | 9m               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Fender : OV Fenders (1,000H X 1,500L) X 25</li><li>• Bollard : 100-ton Curved Posts X 13</li></ul>                              | In front of the pier           |
|                                       | MBF-14 | 120,000 GT        | 240m        | 9m               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Fender : OV Fenders (1,000H X 1,500L) X 25</li><li>• Bollard : 100-ton Curved Posts X 12</li></ul>                              | In front of the pier           |
| Busan Port Yeongdo Cruise Terminal    |        | 220,000 GT        | 440m        | 11m              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Fender : Cell Fenders (1,400H X 2unit) X 18</li><li>• Bollard : 200-ton Curved Posts X 19</li></ul>                             | In front of the pier           |

### Facility Overview

| Classification                        | Key Facilities                                                                                                                                                       |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Busan Port North Port Cruise Terminal | 18 immigration gates, 6 security gates, Waiting area, Crew lounge, Duty free store, Restaurant, Convention center, Pharmacy each for arrival hall and departure hall |
| Busan Port Yeongdo Cruise Terminal    | 6 immigration gates, 2 security gates, Waiting area, Pop-up markets                                                                                                  |



## Top Attractions in Busan



### Gwangandaegyo Bridge

Gwangandaegyo Bridge is the largest suspension bridge in Korea. This 3-part bridge is connected to a 360m-long, double-deck, truss bridge on each side. Gwangandaegyo Bridge is one of the greatest landmarks in Busan and it is equipped with an outstanding lighting system that create more than 100,000 colors according to the time of day, day of week and seasons.



### Beomeosa Temple

Beomeosa Temple was built during the reign of King Munmu of Silla and is historically famous as a temple of training monks that cultivated many monks. In particular, the temple is located at the foot of Geumjeong Mountain, which boasts a beautiful valley and outstanding mountain scenery, which is a magnet to many visitors all year round.



### Sky Capsule

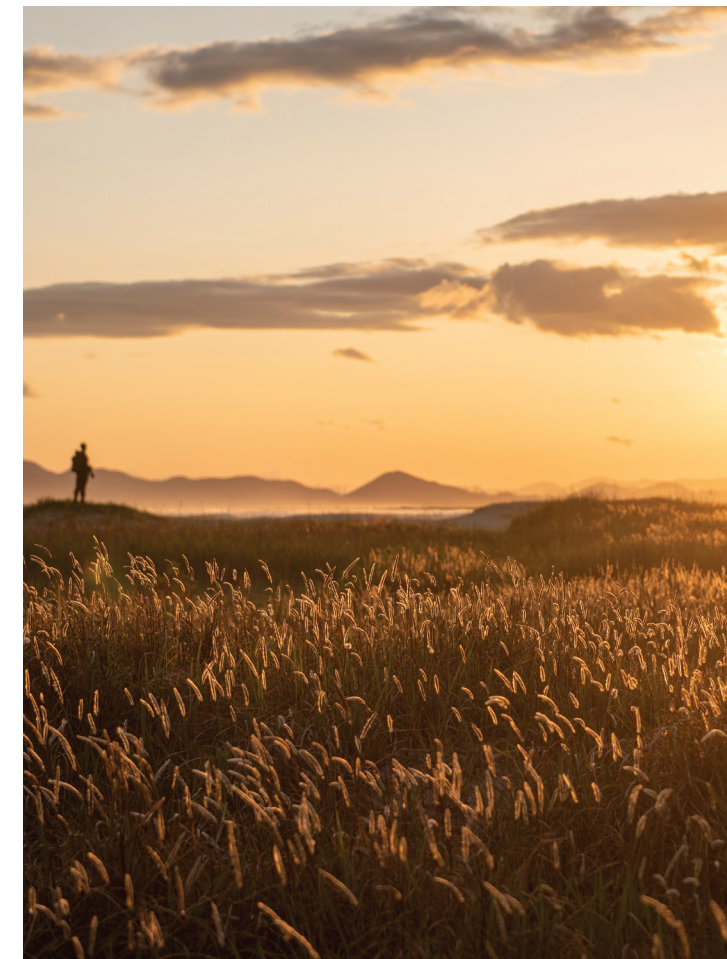
Sky Capsule is where visitors feel romantic vibe that automatically runs the 2km section from Haeundae Mipo to Cheongsapo while viewing the mysterious coastal scenery from a 7~10m aerial rail.

### Haedong Yonggungsa Temple

Haedong Yonggungsa Temple is home to dream-come-true where if you pray with all your heart, your wish will come true. How about quietly praying in front of the Buddha statue that holds each person's wish, such as the Buddha of good luck that may help married couple to give birth to a son, or the Buddha of academic success, which is said to help prayers get good grades.

### Dadaepo Beach

The wide and shallow water makes Dadaepo Beach a great summer vacation spot for families. Dadaepo's red sunset and sunset fountain are also source of inspiration that cannot be missed.



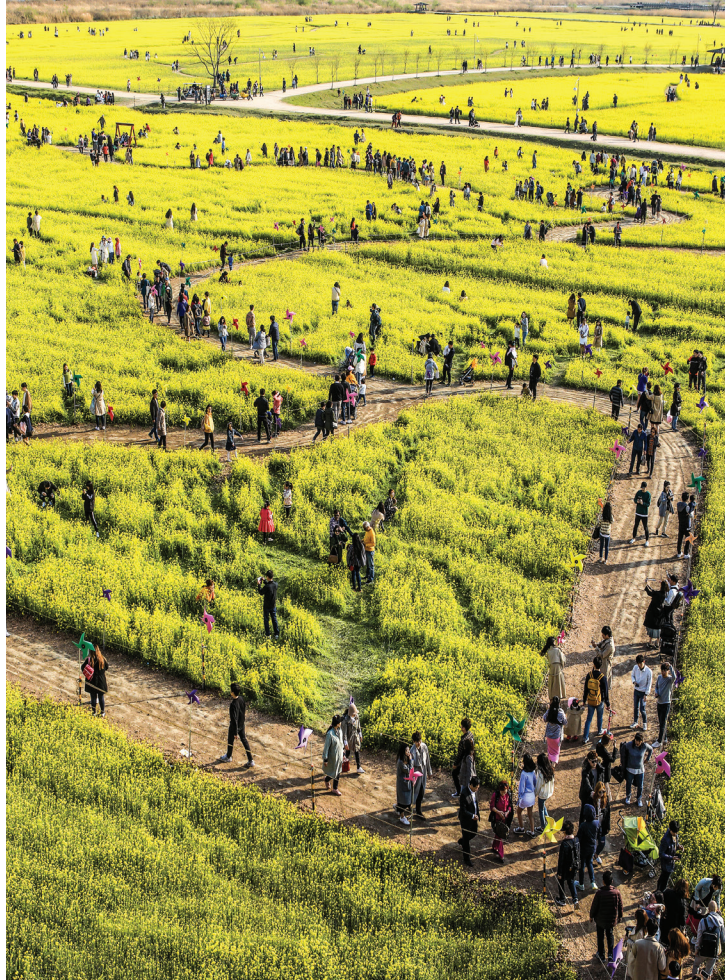
### Gamcheon Culture Village

Gamcheon Culture Village is called Korea's Machu Picchu. The terraced housing, maze-like alleys, and stamp-receiving mission tour are one of the reasons that make you aspire to visit Gamcheon Culture Village again.

### Huinnyeoul Culture Village

Huinnyeoul Culture Village is a village created by refugees after the Korean war. In December 2011, vacant and abandoned houses were remodeled and reborn as a unique culture and arts village.





## Busan Nakdong River Rape Flower Festival

Rape Flower Festival is a representative spring flower festival organizing Korea's largest rape flower complex within Daejeo Ecological Park.

## Busan Port Festival

Busan Port Festival is a marine tourism and experience-oriented festival held in Busan Port, where the cruise terminal is located.



## Haeundae Light Festival

You can see fantastic waves of light on Haeundae's white sand beach and eye-catching light sculptures located on Haeundae street.

## Busan Fireworks Festival

Busan Fireworks Festival is Asia's largest fireworks festival held at Gwangan Bridge every November, attracting more than 1 million visitors each year.



## Best Food in Busan



## Ssiat Hotteok

Busan's famous hotteok called ssiat hotteok, or 'seed hotteok' stuffed with a spoonful of pine nuts, sunflower seeds and pumpkin seeds served in a paper cup is truly the best street food you can have in Busan.



## Seafood

Busan lives up to its title as the largest port city in Korea with its great seafood. The raw fish center and fish market closely located to the ocean offer the freshest seafood you can have at wonderful prices. At the Millak-dong Raw Fish Center located next to Gwanganli Beach, you can enjoy all kinds of fresh seafood while enjoying the great view of Gwangandaegyo Bridge.



## Geumjeongsanseong Makgeolli

Among a diversity of makgeolli in Korea, Geumjeongsanseong Makgeolli is the only one designated as a local authentic liquor and still follows the traditional brewing method. Makgeolli made in the pristine area of Geumjeongsanseong Village, located 400 meters above sea level, is made with natural malt and Geumjeongsan rock water, giving it a deeper and richer taste.



## Busan Eomuk (Fish Cakes)

Fish cakes are made by mashing, seasoning and frying filleted fish or other seafood and Busan has created a number of fish cake brands that offer the traditional fish cake style of Busan. The most popular brands among them are Samjin Eomuk and Goraesa.



## Dongnae Pajeon

Put a generous amount of cooking oil on to the preheated grill, put pancake mixture, fresh seafood, beef, water celery and spring onions, pour the beaten egg over the pancake and wait until its soft inside and crispy outside. This is how you make true Dongnae Pajeon Pancake. Enjoy the pancake with some vinegar-added Korean red chili pepper paste to bring out the flavors of seafood to the fullest.



# Incheon Cruise

## Gateway to Korea's Capital Area - Incheon (Seoul)

Seoul, the city foreign tourists most want to visit.  
Incheon, the gateway to Korea's capital area and a city becoming not just Northeast Asia's but World's hub port!

The vast transportation network and railway network in this city connect you conveniently and quickly to anywhere across Korea and allows you to enjoy your travels without wasting any time.



### Incheon International Cruise Terminal

Incheon Port, the gateway port to the metropolitan area where 50% of the population of Korea lives, is growing into a new cruise hub port in Northeast Asia. Incheon International Cruise Terminal puts a special focus on designing a gangway installed to overcome the tidal differences in Incheon Port, allowing passengers to use the terminal with convenience.

#### Cruise Wharf Specifications

| Berth Name         | Berthing Capacity | Quay Length | Depth Alongside | Distance from Pier to Terminal |
|--------------------|-------------------|-------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| Cruise Ship Pier 1 | 225,000 GT        | 430m        | 12m             | In front of the pier           |
| Cruise Ship Pier 2 | 150,000 GT        | 300m        | 12m             | 300m                           |

#### Facility Overview

| Classification        | Area and Key Facilities                                                                                                                                      |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Total floor area      | Approx. 7,364.38m <sup>2</sup>                                                                                                                               |
| Platform              | 1 fixed gangway, 2 mobile gangways                                                                                                                           |
| Number of floors      | Two-story building(arrival on 1 <sup>st</sup> floor, departure on 2 <sup>nd</sup> floor)                                                                     |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor | Immigration office, Immigration waiting area, CIQ office, Baggage handling area, Quarantine and inspection area - 14 immigration booths, 3 quarantine booths |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor | Immigration office, CIQ office, Duty-free pickup, Departure waiting area, Gangway - 11 immigration booths, 6 medium-sized x-ray scanners                     |
| Parking capacity      | 200 vehicles (156 large buses, 36 small vehicles, and 8 for people with disabilities)                                                                        |



## Top Attractions in Incheon



### Wolmi Sea Train & Wolmi Park

From the track of the Wolmi Sea Train situated as high as 18m above the ground, Wolmido Island, Incheon Inner Harbor, the West Sea, and Incheon Bridge can be seen in the distance. The Wolmi Park offers a panoramic view of Korea's representative gardens and provides various experiences.



### Songwol-dong Fairy Tale Village

Songwol-dong Fairy Tale Village is a wonderful place where you can meet the characters from all the famous fairy tales like the Snow White, Pinocchio and Wonderful Wizard of Oz at one place. The village is just 10-minute walk away from Incheon Station and is right next to Incheon Chinatown. The streets have colorful murals and interesting structures perfect for taking pictures with your friends, family and loved ones.



### Incheon Chinatown

Incheon's Chinatown was established around the time of the opening of Incheon Port in 1883, when Chinese immigrants started to arrive with their unique culture. Incheon Chinatown is famously known for its wonderful restaurants that offer various Chinese cuisines that have evolved and adapted to satisfy the Korean palette. The place and its surrounding areas hold various well-preserved architecture and cultural remains and are always bustling with tourists from all over the world.

### Sinpo International Market

Sinpo International Market is the most popular market in Incheon and the first modern market established in Incheon. The market shares a 100-year history with Incheon Port. Sinpo International Market is always bustling with people from all over the country who come to enjoy the famous sweet and sour chicken here. The market is also filled with an endless amount of shops that sell five-color dumplings, sundae (Korean blood sausage), gonggalbbang (hollow honey bread), crafts, rice, accessories, clothes and fruit. You can also meet many shops that sell exotic, foreign goods.



### Gyeongwonjae

Gyeongwonjae is the largest hanok hotel in Korea and it lies on a 28,005m<sup>2</sup> land inside Songdo Central Park. 5 master Korean architects have collaborated to build a hotel that shows the true beauty of traditional Korean houses. The hotel has a total of 30 rooms including 2 royal suites, 12 deluxe suites and 16 deluxe rooms. The place has beautiful squares across the hotel and the rooms are decorated with beautiful, plain hanji (traditional Korean paper that is made from the bark of the mulberry trees) on the walls, antique furniture and traditional interior ornaments that bring out hanok's warmth and coziness. The hotel also has a banquet area called Gyeongwonru, a traditional Korean restaurant, lounge, business space and a trail.

### Songdo Central Park

Songdo Central Park is an educational, leisure park situated at the center of Songdo International City. The park boasts a natural trail, sculpture park, ecology space, natural learning space and a terrace park. You can also get on a water taxi that services passengers up and down the 1.8km-long waterway and look around the corners of Songdo International City.





### G-Tower

G-Tower is where the Office of Incheon Free Economic Zone (IFEZ), Green Climate Fund and various international organizations are based at. The Sky Garden located outside the 29th floor is one of the best spots for looking over Songdo International City. The PR Center of the Office of Incheon Free Economic Zone (IFEZ) on the 33rd floor offers a media show on graphic and symbolic images of the past, present and future of Incheon and, a VR travel room for the visitors.



### Ganghwa Island

TheGanghwa Peace Observatory is located at the northernmost tip of Ganghwa Island. From the observatory, you can see the waters of the Han River, Imjin River, and Yeseong River facing each other with the sea like a river that meets the West Sea. In Ganghwa Island, you can also see Jeondeungsa, the oldest temple in Korea, and the remains of a dolmen, a representative tomb of the Bronze Age.

### Songdo Shopping Complex and Cultural Space

Songdo Triple Street is a lifestyle shopping area filled with famous restaurants, a VR theme park, hologram theater and various interesting shops. Songdo Hyundai Premium Outlet is a popular shopping spot that has luxury Korean and international brand shops for men and women of all ages. NC Cube Canal Walk is an exotic shopping street with numerous shops lined up on both sides of a 750m-long artificial canal.



## Best Food in Incheon



### Dakgangjeong (Crispy fried chicken with sweet and spicy sauce)



Dakgangjeong at Sinpo International Market in Incheon that retains 30-year-old traditional taste and spicy flavors mixed with chili oil and starch syrup. Located in Sinpo-dong, Jung-gu, Incheon, the market includes Dakgangjeong Alley with 30 years of tradition which is famous for chili tastes. Dakgangjeong is done when fried chicken in oil is glazed with spicy and sweet sauce made with red pepper oil and malt. It looks spicier by adding chopped red pepper into red chili sauce which already seems spicy.



### Jogae Gui (Grilled Clams)

The clams, which are caught in the tidelands at the sea of Incheon, have long been known for good tastes as they are full of high-quality clam meat. The jogae gui is a dish that is eaten by dipping it in vinegar added red pepper paste. The clams are first soaked in salty water to remove sands, washed well, and grilled in shells. You can enjoy plump clam meats and taste excellent as they are grown at the coast where the seawater is fresh and the sands are clean. The cheese-topped jogae gui is another delicacy.



### Haemul Kalguksu (Korean Seafood Noodle Soup)

The broth for Incheon haemul kalguksu which is boiled with dried yellow pollack and clams has a deep and thick flavor and unique taste of the pollack. Noodles from flour are boiled in the broth which contains plenty of seafood such as scallops, mussels, clams, and seasoned with soy sauce.



### Sinpo Market Five-colored Dumplings (Called Mandu)

Sinpo Market, a birthplace of 'Sinpo Mandu' one of major brands of Korea's dumplings, is well-known for large five-colored dumplings stuffed with meat and vegetable fillings. It also boasts various specialties such as curry mandu, jajang mandu, nokcha mandu (green tea dumpling), kimchi mandu and gogi mandu (meat dumpling). The mandu fully stuffed with the fillings looks tasty and tastes excellent, which is enough food for a meal.



### Incheon Chinatown Jajangmyeon (Noodles in Black Bean Sauce)

Jajangmyeon is Korean-style Chinese cuisine. The dish is eaten by mixing the sauce, which is made by stirring fry black soybean paste, vegetables and meat in oil, with noodles. Jajangmyeon originating from China has been localized in Korea.



# Jeju Cruise

## Cruise Hub in Asia - Jeju

Jeju is a treasure island of the world! It has many sites designated as a UNESCO World Natural Heritage, Biosphere Reserve, and World Geopark!

Volcanic island Jeju is an island of healing where you can enjoy vacation and leisure sports in a pleasant environment with outstanding natural scenery. It is one of Asia's famous tourist destinations visited by more than 15 million people a year. It is also a key Asian cruise port of call to more than 1.2 million cruise tourists.



### Jeju Port

Opened in 2012, Jeju Port is located in the northern coast of Jeju close to downtown Jeju and Jeju Traditional Market. Jeju Cruise Port can service up to 2 cruise ships simultaneously. The port also offers magnificent view of Jeju's natural landscape.



### Seogwipo Gangjeong Cruise Port

Seogwipo Gangjeong Cruise Port, which opened in 2017 on the southern coast of Jeju, is enough to accommodate 2 large cruise ships. Around the port, Jungmun Tourism Complex known as the mecca of Jeju tourism and downtown Seogwipo are located, which bring a variety of fun and satisfaction to tourists.

#### Cruise Wharf Specifications

| Berth Name                                 |                  | Berthing Capacity | Quay Length | Depth Along-side | Facilities                                                                                                                                       | Distance from pier to terminal |
|--------------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------|------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Jeju Port International Passenger Terminal | Main Berth       | 80,000 GT         | 360m        | 12m              | • Fender : 67-ton Hyper Cell type X 29<br>• Bollard : 100-ton Curved Posts X 16<br>• Gangway : None<br>Moving Walkway : None                     | 100m                           |
| Seogwipo Gangjeong Cruise Port             | Western Seawall  | 150,000 GT        | 420m        | 15.8m            | • Fender : Fill-form type with a diameter of 2.4, 73tons<br>• Bollard : 150-ton Curved Posts X 25<br>• Gangway : 2 units<br>Moving Walkway : Yes | 500m                           |
|                                            | Southern Seawall | 150,000 GT        | 690m        | 17.4m            | • Fender : Fill-form type with a diameter of 2.4, 73tons<br>• Bollard : 150-ton Curved Posts X 18<br>• Gangway : 2 units<br>Moving Walkway : Yes | 1,100m                         |

#### Facility Overview

| Classification                             |                       | Key Facilities                                                                                                                     |
|--------------------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Jeju Port International Passenger Terminal | 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor | Waiting area, Arrival hall, CIQ facilities, Tourist informationcenter, Amenities(convenience store,currency exchange), Pickup area |
|                                            | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor | Waiting area, Departure hall, CIQ facilities, Tax refund                                                                           |
| Seogwipo Gangjeong Cruise Terminal         | 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor | Waiting area, Arrival hall, CIQ facilities, Tourist information center                                                             |
|                                            | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor | Waiting area, Departure hall, CIQ facilities                                                                                       |



## Top Attractions in Jeju



### Manjanggul Lava Tube

Designated as UNESCO's World Heritage, Manjanggul Lava Tube is one of the largest and longest natural caves formed from volcanic lava flow. The cave boasts magnificent stalactites and columns.

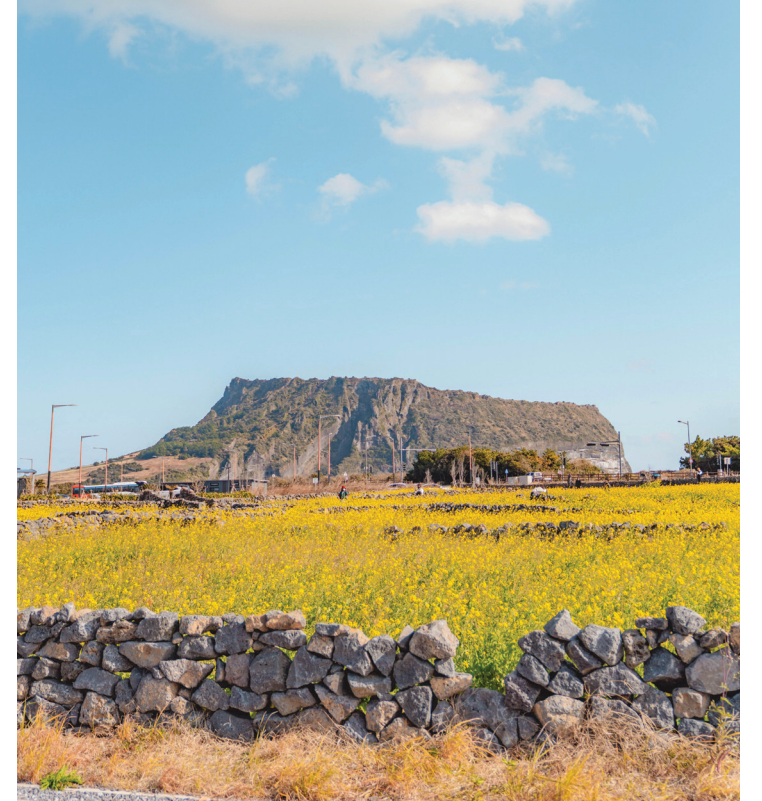


### Jeju Haenyeo Museum

Jeju Haenyeo Museum is a place where you can experience the traditional culture of Jeju's female divers which was designated as UNESCO's Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity in November 2016.

### Seongsan Ilchulbong Tuff Cone

Seongsan Ilchulbong Tuff Cone which boasts marvelous coastal view, is designated as Korea's Natural Monument No. 420 and was designated as UNESCO's World Natural Heritage in 2007 and as UNESCO's Global Geopark in 2010.



### Woljeongri Beach

At Woljeongri Beach, where the beautiful emerald sea spreads out like a picture, you can enjoy various marine leisure activities such as surfing and kayaking. Around the beach, there are various restaurants and cafes, which brings a variety of excitement.



### Seongeup Folk Village

Seongeup Folk Village was designated as No.188 National Folk Cultural Heritage in June 1984 where the Village has kept the traditional life and its remnants intact along with multiple tangible and intangible cultural heritages. Youngju-san Mountain is with the Village and Chenmicheon Stream is flowing nearby. Pasture and silver grass are wide open in the Village.







## Arte Museum

It is the largest immersive media art exhibition hall in Korea presented by a world-class digital design company 'd'strict'. Various exhibitions created by light and sound are unfolded in a magnificent space renovated from a speaker manufacturing plant.



## Eco Land Theme Park

It is a theme park where you can experience the 300,000 pyeong of the Gotjawal Primeval Forest on the Lincoln train of England, modeled after a steam locomotive in the 1800s. Trees grown on lava rocks form a forest, allowing you to feel the mystery and the greatness of nature. You can see various insects, animals, and plants that live in this forest, too.



## Dongmun Traditional Market

Visit to Dongmun Market, the largest and oldest traditional market in Jeju offers a variety of foods that symbolizes Jeju. You can also enjoy a variety of street food and souvenirs such as omegi rice cake, Hallabong juice, tangerines, and black pork skewers. Jeju Dongmun Traditional Market, full of warmth and affection, is close to Jeju Port, so don't forget to stop by.



## Jeju Tangerines

Thanks to the warm climate of Jeju, tangerines grown in Jeju are very sweet and they were one of the most precious gifts even in the ancient Goryeo and Joseon Dynasty periods in Korean history.



## Grilled Black Pork

Jeju's Black Pork is famous for its high quality meat. Black pork can be best enjoyed in thick grilled slices.



## Obunjagi (mollusk) Stew

Obunjagi is a special regional product that can be found only in Jeju. Obunjagi stew prepared by simmering soybean paste, fresh obunjagi and a variety of other seafood is rich in healthy nutrients like iron and calcium and offers a unique sea flavor.



## Pork Noodle Soup

Pork noodle soup served in rich broth topped with braised pork slices is the traditional dish in Jeju.



## Carrot Cake (Carrot Dessert)

When it comes to Jeju, tangerines are first thing that comes up to your mind, but 'carrots', which are as sweet and delicious as tangerines, are also unmissable. Jeju is Korea's largest carrot producer, and there are a variety of desserts such as sweet carrot juice, carrot cake, and carrot shaved ice, so don't miss out.



## Braised Beltfish

Braised beltfish is a traditional Korean cuisine prepared by braising beltfish pieces, potatoes, radish and red chili pepper paste. The freshest beltfish come from Jeju and they can be also enjoyed raw.

## Best Food in Jeju





# Sokcho Cruise

## City of Home Port for Pan East Sea Cruise Tourism - Sokcho

A clean city that embraces a beautiful blue ocean and mountains high and deep.  
A city that preserves the nature, history and culture as they were.  
Sokcho is Korea’s top tourist city that offers unlimited sights, food and activities to enjoy!

Sokcho is Korea’s best cruise home port city with excellent geographical advantages, making it accessible to 25 million people in the metropolitan area. Let’s start an attractive cruise trip in Sokcho.



### Sokcho Port

Gangwon-do Sokcho Port International Cruise Terminal is the optimal cruise port connecting Korea, China, Japan, and Russia, having consistently successfully attracted domestic and foreign cruise ships since its opening in 2017.

#### Cruise Wharf Specifications

| Berth Name                                |                  | Berthing Capacity | Quay Length | Depth Alongside | Facilities                                                                                                                | Distance from pier to terminal |
|-------------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Sokcho Port International Cruise Terminal | Passenger Pier   | 80,000 GT         | 300m        | 10~11m          | • Fender : CV Fender (sc-101) 700H X 2000L, 28 units<br>• Bollard : 150-ton Straight Posts X 2, 100-ton Curved Posts X 10 | In front of the pier           |
|                                           | Cruise Ship Pier | 160,000 GT        | 360m        | 10~11m          | • Fender : Cone-type 800H X 13<br>• Bollard : 200-ton Straight Posts X 2, 100-ton Curved Posts X 12                       | In front of the pier           |

#### Facility Overview

| Classification        | Key Facilities                                                                                        |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor | Arrival Hall : 8 seats for immigration, 3 x-ray checkpoints at customs, 3 door patterns, waiting area |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor | Departure Hall : 8 seats for immigration, 4 x-ray checkpoints, 5 door patterns, waiting area          |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> Floor | Offices of related organizations, Conference rooms                                                    |



## Top Attractions in Sokcho



### Seoraksan National Park

Seoraksan Mountain is the third highest mountain in Korea and its highest point, Daecheongbong Peak, is located 1,707 m above ground. Seoraksan Mountain welcomes tourists and mountaineers all over the country with its vibrant green in the spring, marvelous thick forests in the summer, mesmerizing autumnal colors in the fall and snow-covered range in the winter.



### Ulsanbawi Rock

Legend has it, that a rock from Ulsan was on its way to become one of the 12,000 peaks of Geumgangsan Mountain and when it stopped to take a rest at Seoraksan Mountain, the scenery was as magnificent as that of Geumgangsan Mountain so the rock settled and became a rock in Seoraksan Mountain. Ulsanbawi Rock is a marvelous peak that sits like a beautiful folding screen and it is known as the peak that symbolizes Seoraksan Mountain.



### Sokcho Lighthouse Observatory

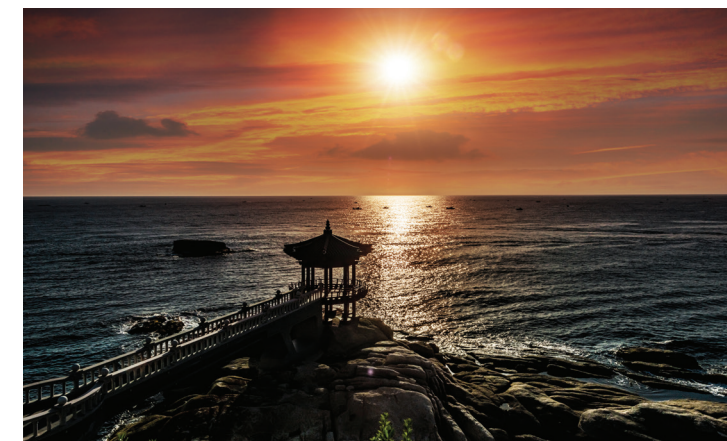
Sokcho Lighthouse Observatory offers a great view of downtown Sokcho and Seoraksan Mountain that lies behind the city. It also symbolizes Sokcho Port, brightening the dark ocean of Sokcho at night.

### Sokcho Expo Tower

Sokcho Expo Tower is a 74m-high observation tower. The spiral shape of this tower which symbolizes the future of Gangwon Province's nature, environment and tourism industry, resembles women's beautiful figure. Expo Tower is located inside the park near Sokcho Cheongcho Lake, harmoniously surrounded by the mountains and a beautiful lake.

### Yeonggeumjeong Pavilion

Yeonggeumjeon Pavilion which sits on a coastal rock was named after a type of traditional Korean string instrument called Geomungo because the sound of the waves hitting the rocks resemble the stringing of the instrument.



### Abai Village & Gaetbae Boat

People from North Korea's Hamgyeong-do area fled their homes during the Korean War and came here to take refuge. After the war, they couldn't go back so they made this place their home. The gaetbae boat which transports people from Sokcho Tourist & Fishery Market to Abai Village became a popular attraction in Sokcho.

### Sokcho Tourist & Fishery Market

Sokcho Tourist & Fishery Market is a famous traditional market in Sokcho that has all the freshest seafood and special regional products Sokcho is famous for such as salted seafood and dried seafood.





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## Gyeongpodae Pavilion

Gyeongpodae Pavilion is a historically, culturally and scenically valuable site that offers a beautiful view of Gyeongpo Lake and the East Sea over the lake. It also holds a lot of fascinating legends related to the Geumnanjeong House located nearby and other famous ancient houses. A master poet named Songgang Jeong Cheol (1536-1593) who lived during the Joseon Dynasty Period described Gyeongpodae Pavilion in his poem, 'Gwandong Byeolgok (the Song of the Sceneries of the Gwandong)' as the best among the eight most scenic sites in Gangwon Province.

## Naksansa Temple

Naksansa Temple located in the northern seashore at Yangyang-gun is at the backdrop of Obongsan Mountain where MonkUisang during Silla established the Temple with the revelation from the Buddhist Goddess of Mercy. Naksansa Temple faces the endless, crystal-clear blue ocean in the East Sea and faces Naksan Beach below the cliff on the right side with the backdrop of abundant pine tree on the back. With its majestic scenery nearby, Naksansa Temple is one of the most attractive sunrise sightseeing places in Korea.



## Goseong Unification Observatory

The Unification Observatory is where you can feel the agony of separation between two Koreas below your feet, which was established in 1984 with the aspiration for achieving reunification. The Observatory is 16km at the minimum and 25km at the maximum from Geumgangsan Mountain. You can see the most of Haegeumgang at a glance along with nearby islands surrounding Haegeumgang, Manmoolsang(Lion Rock) and Buddha Rock with the magnificent landscape.



## Red Snow Crab

Here in Sokcho you can have red snow crabs that are just as delicious as Yeongdeok Snow Crabs but in a more generous amount and at better prices. Sokcho is home to a lot of dishes made with red snow crabs and is continuously working on developing the red snow crab industry.



## Dried Pollack Dishes

Sokcho is famous for its wonderful dishes prepared with soft tofu made with clean seawater and delicious dried pollacks from Inje. You will be simply amazed by the large variety and flavors of Sokcho soft tofu and dried pollack dishes.



## Mulhoe (Cold Raw Fish Soup)

Sokcho has always been famous for its delicious mulhoe restaurants that prepare its cold raw fish soup with a generous amount of squid. These restaurants still exist all across Sokcho and nowadays, you can also find restaurants offering mulhoe with more different seafood other than squid.



## Raw Fish

The raw seafood here in Sokcho prepared with freshly caught seafood offer a whole another level of freshness you can't experience anywhere else.



## Squid Sundae

Unlike squid sundae mass produced in factories, many of Sokcho's squid sundae restaurants make their blood sausages by hand. Since the taste is proportionate to the efforts put in to preparing the food, Sokcho's squid sundae will offer you a flavor you can experience anywhere else.

## Best Food in Sokcho



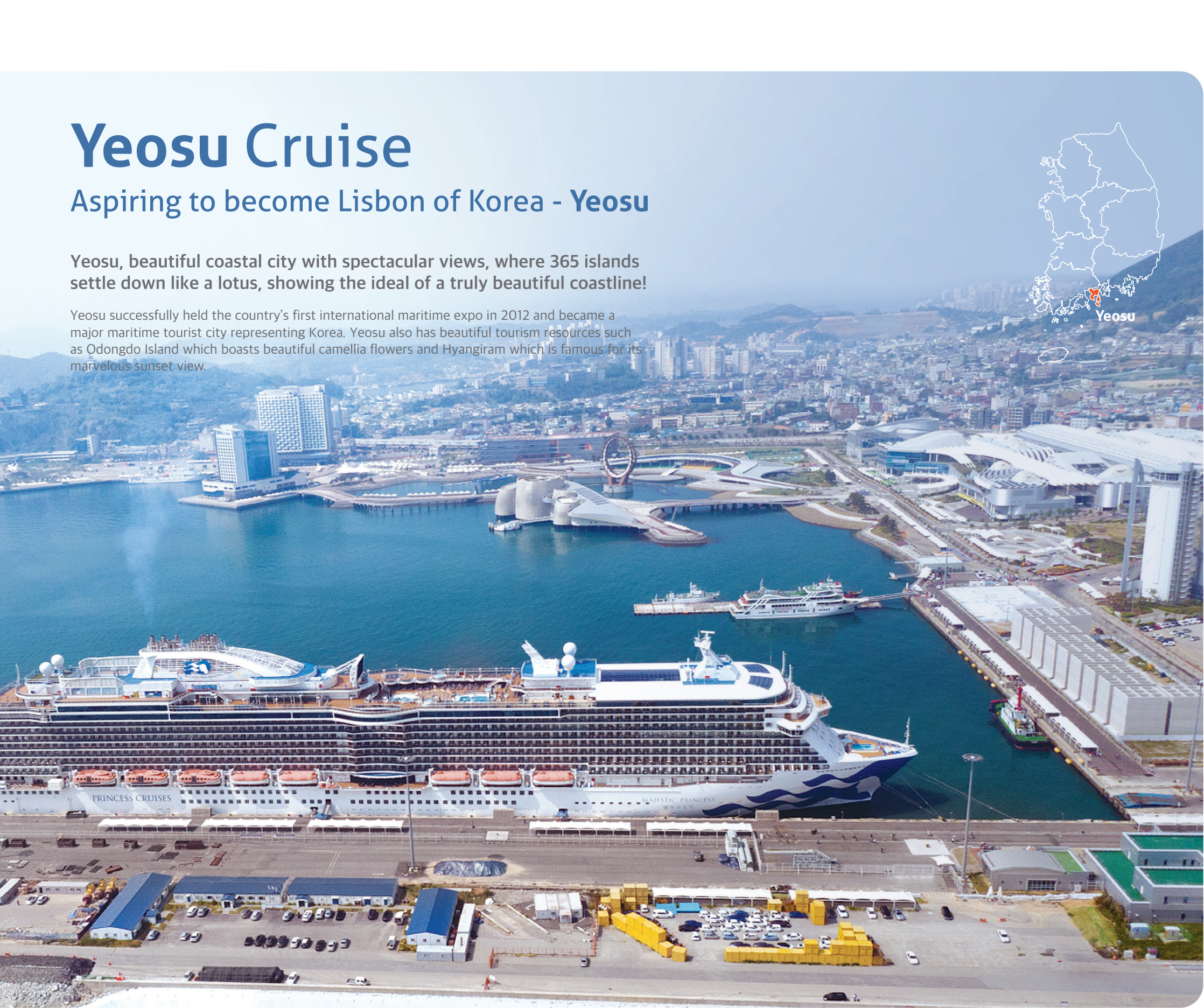


# Yeosu Cruise

## Aspiring to become Lisbon of Korea - Yeosu

Yeosu, beautiful coastal city with spectacular views, where 365 islands settle down like a lotus, showing the ideal of a truly beautiful coastline!

Yeosu successfully held the country’s first international maritime expo in 2012 and became a major maritime tourist city representing Korea. Yeosu also has beautiful tourism resources such as Odongdo Island which boasts beautiful camellia flowers and Hyangiram which is famous for its marvelous sunset view.



### Yeosu Port

Numerous islands near Yeosu Port serve as natural seawalls for the port. The deep water and a spacious port make Yeosu Port an optimal port for cruise ships. Located next to the Yeosu Expo Ocean Park, Yeosu Port is also a great leisure and tourism-specialized port.

### Cruise Wharf Specifications

| Berth Name                    | Berthing Capacity | Quay Length | Depth Alongside | Facilities                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------|-----------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Yeosu Expo Passenger Terminal | 150,000 GT        | 500m        | 11m             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Mooring Post : 22 in total<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>70ton x 12 units, 100ton x 6 units, 150ton x 2 units</li><li>※ Placed 20m space apart</li></ul></li><li>QRH (150ton) 2 units</li><li>Fender : 23 units in total (Φ2.0m x 3,500L) 86ton</li></ul> |

### Facility Overview

| Classification        | Key Facilities                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Parking lot, Control center, Waiting area, Restroom</li><li>Free Wi-Fi zone for crew members and cruise tourists</li><li>Immigration: 12 immigration gates (For both departure and arrival)</li><li>X-Ray machines (3 for cargo and 3 metal detectors)<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>※ When operating as a home port, 1 security gate is used exclusively for screening luggage of departing passengers</li></ul></li><li>Thermal Camera 2 units, 1 line in operation<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>※ If cruise ship uses the port of Yeosu as ports of call, 1 more unit of X-ray can be added.</li></ul></li><li>Operate temporary Foreign Currency Exchange Office and Tour Information Office inside the Terminal</li></ul> |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor | Waiting area, Conference room, Office, Restroom, Breastfeeding Room                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |



## Top Attractions in Yeosu



### Odongdo Island

Odongdo Island in Hallyeohaesang National Park is surrounded by exotic cliffs and 194 types of rare trees such as Korean Bamboos and camellia trees hundreds of years old. The red camellia flowers are in full bloom around March to April and Odongdo becomes a flower island. Odongdo Island also has wonderful facilities like Music Fountain, Camellia Train and ferries for the tourists to enjoy.



### Yeosu Expo Ocean Park

Yeosu Expo Ocean Park is home to Yeosu World Expo. This exciting park has a lot of wonderful sights, activities and programs to enjoy such as the world's one and only, 'Big-O Show', Sky Tower, Aqua Planet and marine leports programs.



### Aqua Planet Yeosu

Aqua Planet Yeosu shares us the value of preserving marine life and offers the greatest joy we can experience coexisting with the nature. Visit Hanhwa Aqua Planet Yeosu and feel the magnificent beauty of the sea and the importance of preserving nature.

### Big-O Show

Installed against the backdrop of the sea, the sculpture "THE O" features cutting-edge living screen technology, marking the world's first application of its kind. This mesmerizing fountain show combines water and fire with dazzling visuals and laser effects, earning the prestigious 'Show of the Year' award at the 2012 THEA Awards.



### Yeosu Maritime Cable Car

Yeosu Maritime Cable Car is the first of its kind in Korea. A total of 50 cable cars including 15 Crystal Cabins (5-person car) with a transparent glass floor and 35 Standard Cabins (8-person car) operate along the 1.5km section between Yeosu Dolsan Park and Jasan Park.



### Yeosu Art Land

Yeosu Art land is like a sea exhibition hall where you can enjoy the biggest thematic 3D trick art enjoyed by AR applications and magnificent sculpture park at the backdrop of majestic sea of Yeosu.





# Top Attractions in Suncheon



## Suncheonman Bay Wetland Reserve

Suncheonman Bay is one of the 5 major coastal wetlands in the world and is Korea's largest reed habitat. Suncheonman Bay is also where hooded cranes (Natural Monument No. 228), mallards, Saunders's gulls, spoonbills, dunlins and whooper swan spend their winter peacefully in flocks.



## Suncheon Bay National Garden

Suncheon Bay National Garden is home to various traditional gardens from all over the world including the Suncheon Lake Garden designed by Charles Jencks who is a landscape architect and designer and the Dream Bridge, designed by installation artist Kang Ik-joong and decorated with paintings of more than 150,000 children from 16 countries around the world.

## Nagan Eupseong Fortress

Nagan Eupseong was a provincial planned city during the Joseon Dynasty Period and is one of the three most well-preserved fortresses in Korea. Nagan Eupseong Fortress is designated as Korea's Historic Site No. 302 and tentatively listed in UNESCO's World Heritage Sites. It was also ranked No. 16 in Must Visit Places in Korea selected by CNN.

## Seonamsa Temple

Seonamsa Temple is the source of Taego Order where the tradition of Buddhist Temple has been passed down along with its authentic scenery. The Temple was designated as No.707 Historic Site and inscribed on UNESCO World Cultural Heritage List on June 30, 2018.

# Best Food in Yeosu and Suncheon



## Seodaehoe

Seodaehoe is a raw fish salad marinated with rice wine vinegar that has been fermented for at least a year. The wine vinegar significantly reduces the fishy taste and gives a refreshing, sour flavor. The name, 'Seodae' evolved from the term, 'Seoldae (Tongue Head)' which was used to describe the tongue-like shape of the fish head. In Yeosu, seodaehoe is a rare delicacy prepared for memorial ceremonies and ancestral rites.



## Egg Cockle Shabu-Shabu

Egg cockles are often referred to as the 'Emperor of Clams' because they are incredibly rich in healthy nutrients. The Korean term for egg cockles, 'Saejogae' which means 'Bird Clam' comes from the beak-like shape of the meat. Parboiling the cockles in vegetable broth will bring out that delicious texture and savory, ocean flavors from the meat.



## Suncheon Grilled Chicken

Suncheon is famous for its delicious chicken grilled over charcoal with sprinkles of garlic, salt and pepper. Grilled chicken has become incredibly popular in the past 4 years in Suncheon and it's a wonderful delicacy you can only experience in Suncheon.



## Full-Course Korean Meal with Cockles

Suncheon's cockles are famous for its delicious texture and rich flavor. A full-course Korean meal with cockles in Suncheon comes with spicy raw cockle salad, sweet and sour cockles and a variety of other cockle-based dishes that will satisfy your eyes and mouth. In addition to delicious cockle dishes, Suncheon will offer you a table filled with other great dishes prepared with fresh seasonal ingredients.



## Yeosu Full-Course Korean Meal

In Yeosu, you can have a full-course Korean meal that comes with more than 40 dishes prepared with the freshest seafood caught in the southern coast of Korea. You will be amazed first by the number of side dishes, then the flavors and lastly, the price. Famous for its variety of food that changes with every season, Yeosu is always bustling with food lovers from all over the country.



# Pohang Cruise

## A strategic point for the Korea-Russia-Japan triangular cruise travel - Pohang

Pohang, a city of a marine, tourism and leisure with a pristine environment and tourism resources!

Due to its geographical characteristics of being surrounded by Japan and Russia, Pohang offers travel to Maizuru, Fukuoka, Sakaiminato, and Sasebo, which are popular ports of call in northwest Japan, when sailing for 12 hours at an average speed of 13 to 15 kn. Including one day at sea, you can plan a cruise route that extends to Vladivostok and Kamchatka in Russia, Shanghai in China, and Kanazawa in Japan, which are popular cruise ports of call in Northeast Asia.



### Pohang Yeongilman Port

Pohang Yeongilman Port International Passenger Terminal can accommodate a 100,000 GT cruise ship and is designed with an LOA of 310m and a water depth of 11m and is highly accessible to the city and highway and KTX stations.

#### Cruise Wharf Specifications

| Berth Name                   | Berthing Capacity | Quay Length | Depth Alongside | Facilities                                                                                                              |
|------------------------------|-------------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| International Passenger Pier | 100,000 GT class  | 310m        | 11m             | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Fender: BP fender(800H) X 30</li><li>Bollard: 100-ton Curved Posts X 12</li></ul> |

#### Facility Overview

| Classification        | Key Facilities                                                                                          | Note                                                                           |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor | Arrival Hall: 6 immigration booths, 4 x-ray checkpoints at customs, 2 door patterns, Waiting area, etc. | Interior renovation of the terminal to be completed in the second half of 2026 |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor | Departure Hall: 6 immigration booths, 4 x-ray checkpoints, 2 door patterns, Amenities, etc.             |                                                                                |





## Top Attractions in Pohang



## Hand of Harmony Sulpture at Homigot

Located at the point where the sun rises first on the Korean Peninsula, this area hosts a New Year's sunrise event annually. From the observation deck of the Millennium Memorial Hall, visitors can enjoy panoramic views of the entire sea in front of Guryongpo.



## Space Walk

The elegant curves drawn with iron and the lights that decorate the night sky symbolize Pohang, the city of iron and light. Looking down at the 360-degree view, you can enjoy the beautiful scenery of Pohang and the breathtaking night view of the steel mill.



## Oeosa Temple

Oeosa Temple is a small temple built during the Silla Dynasty located on Unjesan Mountain in Pohang. It is a temple where Wonhyo Daesa, a renowned master monk of the Silla Dynasty, stayed, and is a popular tourist attraction along the walking trail around Oeosa Temple.

## Best Food in Pohang



## Mulhoe (Raw fish in cold broth)

Fresh white fish meat mixed with various seasonings gives an enriched sweet and sour taste blended on the broth.



## Snow Crab

The name was given because the legs are long and straight, with joints like bamboo, and the flesh has a sweet taste.



## Grilled Clams

Grilled Clams is a food made by grilling various types of shellfish over charcoal.



## Someori gomtang (Korean style beef broth soup)

Beef head gomtang, which is made by steeping the broth for as little as 3 hours or as long as 6 hours, has a light broth and a soft, chewy taste of meat.



## Gwamegi

Gwamegi is dried by freezing and thawing in natural conditions by hanging it outdoors in the winter. It is a high-protein food and has a high content of unsaturated fatty acids EPA and DHA, and the taste is also excellent.



# Seosan Cruise

Korea’s hidden gem - Seosan

Seosan, a city with natural beauty and unexplored scenery, a place where you can feel the breath of history!

Seosan, a city of epitome of brilliant culture where Baekje lives, with beautiful nature of mountains and sea, serving as a representative cruise port in the Chungcheong region with a variety of attractions such as Haemieupseong Fortress, Ganwolam Temple, and Gaesimsa Temple.



## Daesan Port

Daesan Port with deep water depth has the International Passenger Terminal, modeled after Jinnammun Gate of Haemieupseong Fortress, with the capacity to dock 130,000 GT cruise ships. A new cruise route to the world is unfolding through the only cruise terminal in the Chungcheong region.

### Cruise Wharf Specifications

| Berth Name                                      | Berthing Capacity | Quay Length | Wharf Water Depth | Facilities                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Distance from pier to terminal |
|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Seosan Daesan Port International Passenger Pier | 130,000 GT        | 420m        | 12m               | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Fender:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Con-Type(800H x 2Units, 1000H x 2Units) : 34 units</li><li>BP-Type(800H x 2,000L) : 22 units</li></ul></li><li>Bollard:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Bollard with 15 units of 100 ton bending post, 8 units of 70 ton bending post</li></ul></li></ul> | In front of the pier           |

### Facility Overview

| Classification        | Key Facilities                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
|-----------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor | Tourist information center, waiting area, arrival hall (two units of X-ray scanner), ticket office, currency exchange office, free Wi-Fi zone, external cargo handling area (one unit of X-ray)<br>※ Additional X-ray scanner can be installed upon cruise line operation |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor | Departure hall (two units of X-ray scanner), waiting area, duty-free shop, office, restaurant, etc.<br>※ Additional X-ray scanner can be installed upon cruise line operation                                                                                             |
| Parking lot           | A total of 206 or more vehicles can be accommodated.                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |





## Top Attractions in Seosan



### Haemieupseong Walled Town

Haemieupseong Walled Town is where Catholic persecution in the late Joseon Dynasty happened, so many pilgrims visit the Fortress every year, and it was also visited by Pope Francis in 2014. Haemieupseong Walled Town was selected as one of the top 100 tourist attractions in Korea and the top 100 nighttime tourist attractions by the Korea Tourism Organization. The Seosan Haemieupseong Festival, a representative festival of Seosan City, is held every October.

Chungcheong Byeongmajeoldo inauguration procession parade



### Haemi Martyrdom Holy Ground

It is considered the most important pilgrimage site as the site of Catholic persecution and was declared an 'International Holy Ground' approved by the Vatican in November 2020.



### Ganwolam

Ganwolam, famous for its beautiful sunset that dyes the sea red in the evening, is an amazing place that turns into an island when the sea water comes in and becomes land again when it goes out. It is called Ganwolam because it is said that Muhak, the king of King Taejo of the Joseon Dynasty, achieved enlightenment after seeing the moon here.



### Seosan Rock-carved Buddha Triad (National Treasure No. 84)

Seosan Rock-carved Buddha Triad is a rock-carved Buddha from the late Baekje period, and the smile of the Buddha statue changes mysteriously depending on the direction of light, showing its true value in harmony with light. There is a standing statue of Shakyamuni Buddha in the center, a standing statue of Jehwagalabodhisattva on the left, and a statue of Maitreya Bangasha on the right.



### Garorim Bay

Garorim Bay, one of the world's five largest mudflats, is home to species of protection such as spotted seals and is Korea's largest marine protected area where you can experience digging for clams and catching octopuses in a naturally pristine mudflat.



### Gaesimsa Temple

Gaesimsa Temple, considered one of the four major temples in South Chungcheong Province, comes to light as you climb the beautiful mountain path, valley, and stone steps shaded by trees.



## Seosan Korean Beef Ranch

Seosan Korean Beef Ranch, where herds of Korean cows leisurely grazing on vast grasslands creates an exotic landscape, is the largest ranch in Korea and is also called Korea’s Little Alps. It is also famous for the cherry blossoms that bloom along the grassland ridges in spring and the beautiful scenery of Yongbi Reservoir within the ranch.

## Samgilpo Port

Samgilpo Port, known as the beautiful port of the west coast, is a port located on the west side of the Daeho Seawall. There is an abundance of marine products such as crabs and prawns, and you can taste freshly caught, wild raw fish at Samgilpo’s shipboard raw fish restaurant.



## Dongbu Market

Dongbu Market is Seosan’s representative traditional market and boasts the largest scale in the northwestern part of South Chungcheong Province. Visitors can enjoy the market with great convenience and reliably purchase fresh and diverse agricultural and marine products at low prices.

## Birdland

Seosan Birdland was established to conserve and manage Cheonsu Bay, the largest migratory bird destination in Northeast Asia, visited by 400,000 birds every year, and offers birdwatching tours and feeding experiences for black-crowned cranes, a natural monument.

## Best Food in Seosan



## Seosan Korean Beef

In Seosan, the home of Korean beef production, which has the best genetically superior cattle in a clean natural environment, Korean beef of premium breed is fattened for more than 30 months, and only high-quality meat of grade 1 or higher is selected.



## Kkotgejang (Crab marinated in soy sauce)

Kkotgejang is a traditional food from the Seosan region and is made by mixing soy sauce with various seasonings such as garlic and ginger. It is so delicious that it is called rice grabber.



## Nutritional Oyster Rice

Seosan Nutritional Oyster Rice, made with flavorful Seosan oysters and various ingredients, is both nutritious and delicious.



## Wheat season Octopus Soup

A large number of octopuses are caught in the mud flats of Seosan. They are caught between June and July and are 10 to 15 cm in size. The flesh is soft and the taste is light, serving as a traditional food in Seosan that is cooked in soup with gourd stuffing.



## Oerigul-Jut (Salted and Spicy Oysters)

It is a food served on the king’s table during the Joseon Dynasty and is made by fermenting wild oysters.



# Gyeongnam Masan Cruise

The Heart of K-Tourism on Korea’s Southern Coast  
- Gyeongnam Masan

Glorious Gaya of a Thousand Years! A Healing Haven Where Presence Alone Restores You!  
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A special journey in Gyeongnam where yesterday and tomorrow meet beyond the thousand-year-old wisdom embedded in the UNESCO World Heritage sites, the Tripitaka Koreana and the Gaya Tumuli, a bold leap toward the universe begins.

Experience in one place both the breath of history and the dynamism of future industries!



## Gyeongnam Masan Port

Gyeongnam Masan Port Pier 3 can accommodate large cruise ships of up to 100,000 GT. Within about an hour’s reach are UNESCO World Heritage sites such as the Gaya Tumuli, as well as some of Korea’s most iconic attractions, including Haeinsa Temple in Hapcheon, the spectacular red “flower rain” of the Haman Nakhwa Nori festival, and the ancient, tranquil Upo Wetlands in Changnyeong.

### Cruise Wharf Specifications

| Berth Information  | Berthing Capacity                    | Pier Length | Water Depth |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Masan Port Pier 3  | 2 berths for vessels up to 20,000 GT | 420m        | 11m         |
| Gapo New Port Pier | 2 berths for vessels up to 30,000 GT | 980m        | 12m         |

### Facility Overview

| Key Facilities                                                                                                                                                           |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| A proposal is currently under consideration to develop a cruise terminal, including CIQ (Customs, Immigration, and Quarantine), duty-free shops, and parking facilities. |



## Top Attractions in Gyeongnam



### Sancheong – Donguibogam Village

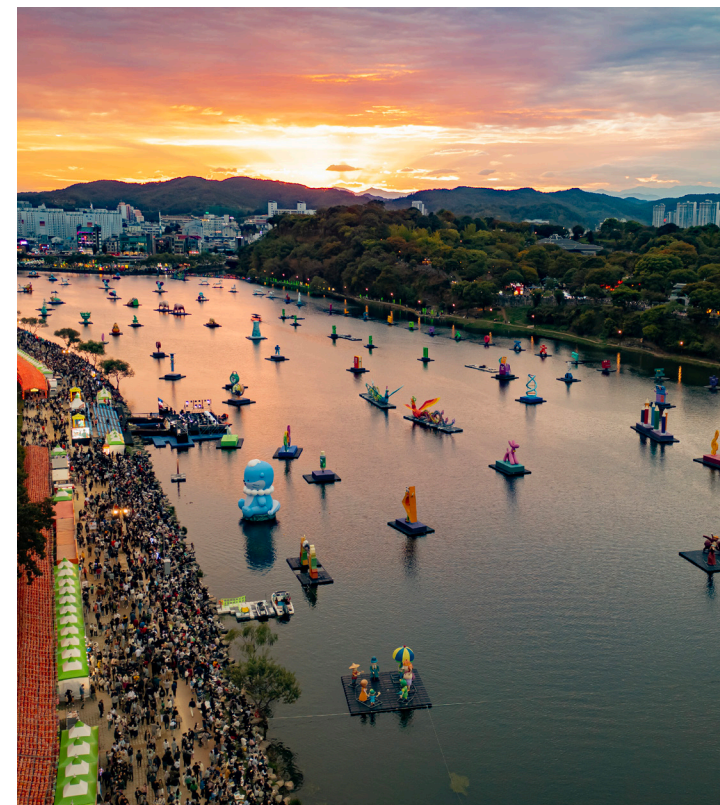
Korea's largest oriental medicine-themed park, where visitors can experience the wisdom of traditional medicine. From receiving energy at the massive "Qi Stone" to enjoying herbal spa treatments, it offers a true K-wellness experience that heals both body and mind.

### Jinju Fortress (Jinjuseong)

Selected by CNN as one of the "must-visit places in Korea," this historic fortress stretches along the Nam River, creating a picturesque scene. In autumn, the Namgang Yudeung Festival lights up the river with thousands of lanterns, offering a breathtaking night view found nowhere else in the world.

### Haman – Nakhwa Nori (Falling Flower Fireworks)

A spectacular nighttime event, Nakhwa Nori features traditional Korean fireworks where burning charcoal-filled hanji pouches release thousands of glowing sparks over a pond. It creates a dreamlike scene resembling falling starlight, showcasing the essence of Korean aesthetics.



### Changwon – Marine Drama Set

The only ocean-based drama filming set in Korea, this theme attraction vividly recreates life during the Gaya period. With scenic seaside walkways and detailed sets, visitors can step into a living scene from history.

### Changnyeong – Upo Wetlands

Korea's largest natural wetland, preserving 140 million years of ecological history. Recognized under the Ramsar Convention, it is a "living natural museum" where rare plants and animals coexist in a serene, primordial environment.







## Hapcheon – Haeinsa Temple

Home to the UNESCO World Heritage site Janggyeong Panjeon and the Memory of the World-listed Tripitaka Koreana, this temple embodies the pinnacle of Korea’s documentary heritage and Buddhist artistry, preserved in its original form for centuries

## Gimhae – Hanok Experience Center

A peaceful retreat in the city where visitors can explore traditional hanok architecture, including the inner and outer quarters. Guests can enjoy refined Korean cuisine and participate in traditional craft experiences, immersing themselves in Korean culture.



## Gaya Tumuli (Haman Marisan & Goseong Songhak-dong)

A UNESCO World Heritage site, the Gaya Tumuli offer a glimpse into the mysterious legacy of an ancient kingdom. Surrounded by artifacts and landscapes shaped by a powerful iron-based civilization, it invites visitors on a journey across time and history.



## Masan – Agujjim (Spicy Braised Monkfish)

A signature delicacy of Gyeongnam, featuring tender monkfish—often called the “foie gras of the sea”—mixed with crunchy bean sprouts in a spicy sauce. The bold Korean spiciness combined with rich seafood flavor creates an unforgettable culinary experience.



## Tongyeong – Oysters & Chungmu Gimbap

Tongyeong oysters, nurtured in the pristine southern sea, are known as the “milk of the sea” and are a highly nutritious delicacy. Paired with Chungmu gimbap—served with crunchy radish kimchi and spicy seasoned squid—this dish captures the romance and history of the port city Tongyeong in every bite.



## Jinju – Naengmyeon & Yukjeon

Once enjoyed by noblemen during the Joseon dynasty, this refined dish is distinguished by buckwheat noodles topped with finely sliced beef pancakes. The deep, refreshing broth made from seafood harmonizes with the savory yukjeon, creating a splendid and abundant flavor that sets it apart from other Korean cold noodles.



## Sancheong – Herbal Medicinal Cuisine

A healthy Korean set meal from Sancheong, the land of medicinal herbs, where fragrant wild greens and richly flavored herbal cuisine come together in perfect harmony. With a variety of side dishes that highlight the herbs’ distinctive aromas while softening their bitterness, it offers both culinary delight and the vital energy of nature.



## Changnyeong – Suguire Gukbap & Miryang Dwaengi Gukbap

Changnyeong Sugure Gukbap, with its chewy and savory texture from special beef cuts blended into a rich red broth, delivers a deep and satisfying flavor. Meanwhile, Miryang Dwaengi Gukbap, featuring tender boiled pork in a clear and refined broth, is a beloved dish enjoyed by all ages—both standing as signature foods of Gyeongnam.

# Best Food in Gyeongnam





# Saemangeum Cruise

## A Maritime Gateway to K-Culture - Saemangeum

The starting point of a Korean cultural journey beginning in Saemangeum

Saemangeum New Port is a strategic hub connecting Northeast Asian logistics and a new maritime gateway to Korean culture and tourism. Visitors arriving through the port can experience K-culture and diverse tourism content across Jeonbuk and other regions, discovering the unique charm of Korea.



### Saemangeum New Port

Saemangeum New Port is an international port being developed in the Saemangeum area of Jeonbuk Special Self-Governing Province, drawing attention as a new port of call along Northeast Asian sea routes. Set against the vast Saemangeum reclaimed land and the scenic coastline of the West Sea, it offers the potential to deliver a distinctive tourism experience unlike that of existing ports. In addition, by linking with the region's diverse tourist attractions and cultural content, it is expected to present cruise passengers with a unique starting point for exploring Korea.

#### Cruise Wharf Specifications

| Berthing Capacity | Pier Length | Water Depth  |
|-------------------|-------------|--------------|
| 220,000 GT        | 430m        | 14 m or more |

#### Facility Overview

| Key Facilities                                               |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| Temporary Cruise Terminal (scheduled for completion in 2028) |



## Top Attractions in Saemangeum



### Gunsan – Gogunsan Archipelago

A marine tourism destination made up of beautiful islands spread across the blue waters of the West Sea. Centered around Seonyudo Island, visitors can enjoy diverse island landscapes and beaches. In particular, walking along the sea bridge offers a unique experience of strolling above the ocean while taking in the scenery.



### Gunsan – Modern History Museum

A space that tells the story of Gunsan as a modern city formed after the opening of the port. It offers a unique atmosphere where the past and present intersect. Walking along the streets lined with nearby historic buildings feels like traveling back in time.

### Buan – Chaeseokgang Cliff

A coastal attraction featuring layered rock cliffs that resemble the pages of a giant natural book. Formed over time by waves and wind, its geological formations reveal different appearances depending on the time of day, with especially stunning views at sunset.



### Jeonju – Hanok Village

One of Korea's iconic traditional cultural destinations, with around 700 traditional hanok houses. Visitors can experience Korean traditions firsthand through activities such as wearing hanbok, enjoying traditional cuisine, and participating in craft programs.





### Iksan – Mireuksa Temple Site

An ancient Buddhist temple site built during the Baekje period and the largest of its kind in Korea. The vast ruins and majestic stone pagoda allow visitors to experience the history and culture of Baekje, preserved for over a thousand years.



### Iksan – Agape Garden

A natural garden where diverse flowers and trees blend together, offering unique scenery each season and serving as an emotional healing space. Strolling leisurely along the well-maintained paths, visitors can enjoy peaceful moments in nature—making this site a newly popular attraction among tourists.

### Gimje – Byeokgolje Reservoir

A place where vast plains stretch to meet the horizon, offering an impressive sense of openness rarely found in cities. Alongside the historic Byeokgolje reservoir built during the Three Kingdoms period, visitors can experience both traditional Korean agricultural culture and expansive natural scenery.

### Wanju-Awon Gotaek

This 250-year-old traditional hanok was relocated and reborn through modern architecture and art. Known as the main shooting site for BTS's photo collection, it has captured the attention of ARMYs worldwide. Within this space where tradition and modernity harmonize, visitors can experience the authentic Korean sensibility.



### Jeonju – Kongnamul Gukbap (Bean Sprout Soup with Rice)

A signature local dish of Jeonju, featuring a refreshing broth and crisp bean sprouts. This warm, comforting meal offers an easy and authentic way to experience everyday Korean food culture.



### Gunsan – Jjamppong (Spicy Seafood Noodle Soup)

A spicy broth dish packed with fresh seafood, representing Korea's bold and intense flavors. The rich, hearty soup combined with abundant seafood makes for a memorable dining experience.



### Gimje – Barley-Fed Hanwoo Beef

Hanwoo cattle raised on barley, known for their tender texture and nutty flavor. It is recognized as a differentiated regional specialty closely tied to local agriculture.



### Iksan – Hwangdeung Bibimbap

A signature bibimbap made with premium Korean beef (hanwoo) and a variety of seasoned vegetables. Its rich ingredients and deep flavors highlight another dimension of traditional Korean bibimbap.



### Buan – Clam Dishes (Baekhap Cuisine)

Seafood dishes featuring fresh clams, known for their clean and delicate taste. The light yet flavorful broth reflects the freshness of the West Sea and offers a refreshing, easy-to-enjoy meal.

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