



Vøringsfossen. Photo: Jørn Hagen/ Statens vegvesen

EIDFJORD

The Fjord and Mountain Adventure

Finalist - 2018 Seatrade Cruise Awards "Destination of the Year"

Eidfjord offers a unique natural environment. With large contrasts and short distances you can experience the most and the best that Norway has to offer. Large open spaces and high mountains. Deep valleys and blue-green fjords. Glaciers, mountain lakes, rivers and waterfalls. Our visitors can experience peace and silence in the natural environment in addition to visiting many of our activities and attractions. Eidfjord is the gateway to the Hardangervidda, the largest high mountain plateau in Europe and Norway's largest national park. Eidfjord cruise port is able to handle ships up to 350 meters in length. Fjord, mountains & waterfalls - all within a 30 minute drive from Eidfjord.

ATTRACTIONS/EXCURSIONS

Norwegian Nature Centre Hardanger

Duration: 1.5 hours (incl. 1 hour stay)
Distance: 7 km from port
Capacity: 168 per half hour
An exciting experience centre for Norwegian nature, climate and environment, and an authorized visitor's centre for Hardangervidda National Park. The brand new exhibitions (as of April 2018) establish Norwegian Nature Centre as a state-of-the-art experience and teaching centre for natural and cultural history. The centre screens a spectacular panoramic film, "Fjord Mountain Waterfall", directed by Ivo Caprino, and has three floors of exciting, life-affirming and powerful adventures with interactive stations. Touristinfo, souvenir shop and café/restaurant.

Vøringsfossen Waterfall

Duration: 1.5 hours (incl. 45-minute stay)
Distance: 20 km from port
Capacity: unlimited
The most famous waterfall in Norway is an impressive 182m high, with a free fall of 145m. You'll find the most exciting and marvellous viewpoints at the Fossli Hotel, which also houses a restaurant and a souvenir shop. The development project around Vøringsfossen is well under way, the first new viewpoints were completed in 2018 and the entire project should be completed in 2023.

Sysendammen

Duration: 1.5 hours (incl. 30-minute stay)
Distance: 30 km from port
Capacity: unlimited
Sysendammen is one of Norway's largest stone-filled dams. The total length of the dam is 1,160m, and it consists of 3.6 million m³ of stone and moraine fell. View of the glacier Hardangerjøkulen from the parking lot.

Kjeåsen

Duration: 1.25-2 hours (incl. 15-60 minute stay)
Distance: 15 km from port
Capacity: 45
The famous mountain farm lies like an eagle's nest on a mountain ledge 600m above the Simafjord. Please note: traffic up to Kjeåsen every full hour, traffic down from Kjeåsen every half hour. One can drive up just to enjoy the view, or groups can book a visit to Bjørg Wiik's farm, she will welcome you in her front yard and play a CD that tells the story of Kjeåsen.

FlatEarth Adventures

Duration: 2.5-3 hours
Distance: 7 km from port (kayaking 300m from port)
Capacity: 8-30 per activity
The largest outdoor activity centre in Hardanger! Paddling instruction for beginners, sea kayak trips, rafting, climbing, white water jump. Fun rafting in July and August. All activities incl. instruction and guide. Mountain bike-/canoe rental.



FlatEarth Adventures

Troll Train

Duration: 1 hour
Distance: 30 m from port (start at the tourist information)
Capacity: 120 (3 trains)
The train takes you for a 1 hour sightseeing tour in the centre of Eidfjord. Nice view of the fjord and the mountains, ride through the Viking burial ground and have a photo stop by the old, medieval stone church (the church is closed).

Hardanger Fjordsafari

Duration: 30 minutes or 1 hour (on request)
Distance: 100 m from port
Capacity: 12 (per tour)
RIB-boat safari in Eidfjord and Hardanger. The tour starts in Eidfjord Harbour after getting dressed in our gear and a short safety briefing. We have different tours to Hotle, the Hardangerbridge and Simadal where the boat driver will explain what you see.



Hardanger Fjordsafari. Photo: Lars Inge Thorset

Seaplane flightseeing

Duration: 30 or 50 minutes
Distance: 100 m from port
Capacity: 4 passengers per flight
Our seaplane is located right beside the cruise port in Eidfjord and a typical sightseeing flight takes 30 minutes incl. the Hardangerjøkulen glacier and impressive Simadalen valley. We also offer a longer 50 min trip to Trolltunga and day trip packages that include a stopover at one of our many beautiful locations throughout the Hardanger area.

Art Gallery N. Bergslien

Duration: 0.5-1 hour
Distance: 30 m from port
Capacity: 80
The Quality Hotel Vøringfoss hosts a large, permanent exhibition of the well-known local artist Nils Bergslien (1853-1928). The gallery also stages various visiting exhibitions.



Kjeåsen. Photo: Heidi Kvamsdal

E-car rental Eidfjord

Distance: 30 m from port
Capacity: 2 persons per car
The cars are fully electric and really fun to drive. The range is about 65 km, but varies with the gradient. The top speed is 80km/h. GPS in the cars. Driving licence required!

Minicruise (and bus)

Duration: 4 hours
Distance: 60 m from port
Experience the Hardangerfjord from a smaller vessel daily in the period May 1st - September 30th. Boat from Eidfjord to Lofthus (departure 2:40 pm), 75-minute stay in Lofthus, return from Lofthus to Eidfjord by public bus (arrival 6:45 pm).

PORT OF EIDFJORD

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Distance from pilot station 100 nautical miles
South: 100 nautical miles
North: 100 nautical miles
Pilot channel Channel 12

TOURIST INFORMATION

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Distance from port 30 m

GENERAL INFORMATION

Guide Service Voss og Fjordane Guideservice and Hardanger Guideservice
Turnaround facilities NO
Terminal/Restrooms in pier area 30 m from port, at the tourist information office

Shuttle bus

YES, to be ordered in advance
Parking place for buses YES, 0 m from pier
Public transportation YES
Shopping 50 - 200 m
Currency exchange YES, at the tourist information office
Internet access in pier area YES, at the pier area and at the tourist office
Distance to airport 150 km / Bergen Airport Flesland
Distance to city centre 50 - 200 m
Distance nearest hospital Voss Hospital / +47 56 53 35 00 / 55 km

PORT SERVICE/FACILITIES & INFORMATION

Bunkers delivery /method NO
LNG NO
EPI From 01.01.2020
ESI NO
Supplies available Water
Waste YES, to be ordered 24 h in advance
Grey water NO
Tugboats NO
Anchorage YES
Ship tender facilities YES
Tidal movement 1 m
Gangway available (8 /10 /12 meters): NO
Seawalk NO
ISPS approved YES
Restrictions in harbour No outside PM before 8:30 am

Maximum ship length

350 m
Maximum ship draft 55 m
Maximum beam None
Maximum air draft 55 m
Bollard strength (certification) 100 tonnes
Crew facilities Crew service centre with wireless Internet zone over the whole port area (on board incl.), free of charge!
Beach volleyball court 30 m from pier
Discounts at different attractions and activities in Eidfjord, contact the tourist information office

ANCHORAGE/TENDER

Max size None
Ship tenders allowed YES
Type of bottom Sand
Depth 60 m
Distance from anchorage to Tender Pier 300 - 400 m
Tender Pier Capacity 1 at a time



Quay
Cruise pier

Length	Draft	Airdraft	Beam	Height
120 m	10.75 m	55 m	-	2 m

