

Port information Kotka



Port data					
Official port name	Port of Kotka				
Location	60° 28'11 N 26° 56'34 E				
Time zone	GMT +2 (European Summer Time: GMT +3)				
Address	Laivurinkatu 7, FI-48100 Kotka, Finland				
Telephone	+358 5 234 4280				
VTS channel	VHF ch 67. Port control ch 11				
ISPS 24 h contact	+358 5 260 4870 and VHF ch 11				
Fax	+358 5 218 1375				
E-mail	office@portofkotka.fi				
Web	www.portofkotka.fi				
Port facilities					
Maximum ship dimensions	Length: no limits. Draft: no limits. Beam: no limits				
Pilot	Compulsory				
Tugboat	On request				
Sailing lane	Yes				
Security facilities	Fully compliant ISPS				
Gangway	Ships' own gangways				
Waste handling	24-hour advance notice is required to use port waste handling				
Fresh water	Available				
Cruise passenger port facilities					
Tourist information	Kotka City Tourist Office, open Mon-Fri: 9 am-5 pm, Summer: Mon-Fri 9 am-6 pm and Sat 10 am-2 pm. www.visitkotka.fi Information desk open in the City port when ships are in port.				
City maps	Available				
Terminal building for passengers	Yes				
Shopping possibilities at port area	Souvenir shop in the Maritime Centre Vellamo at City port				
Tax-free refund	No				
Restaurants and cafés	Café-Restaurant in the Maritime Centre Vellamo, other cafes and restaurants close to the port area				
Restrooms	Yes				
Local currency	Euro				
Currency exchange	Currency exchange in banks, Nordea and Sampo. Open 9.30 am-4.30 pm (500 m. from port) Nearest currency exchange in banks Nordea (address Kirkkokatu 7) and Sampo (Kauppakatu 5), open 9.30 am-4.30 pm, distance from port approx. 500 m				
ATM cash machines	Outside of the banks above				
Internet access	Internet Café in the Library of Kotka, address Kirkkokatu 14, and Kotka City Tourist Office, address Keskuskatu 6, open Mon-Fri 9 am-5 pm, in Summer 2008: 23 Jun-9 Aug: Mon-Fri 9 am-6 pm and Sat 10 am-2 pm				
Telephones/telephone cards	Telephone cards for mobile phones are sold in the kiosk (R-kioski), 500 meters from port. Public telephones not available				
Mailbox	Downtown, Shopping Centre Pasaati, (500 m. from port). Stamps in R-kioski				
Transfer and methods of payment					
		Local currency	Foreign currency	Credit cards	N/A
	Shuttles	X			
	Buses	X			
	Taxis/limos	X		X	
	Trains	X		X	
	Ferries	X			
Destination information					
Normal opening hours	Department stores: Mon-Fri 9/10 am-8/9 pm, Sat 9/10 am-6 pm Smaller shops: Mon-Fri 9/10 am-5/6 pm, Sat 9/10 am-1/2 pm. During the summer (May-Aug) many stores are open on Sundays.				
Distance to downtown	From port to downtown about 500 meters, approx. 10 minutes walk				
Distance to airport	Helsinki-Vantaa Airport: 130 km				
City Tourist Information Center	In the centre of Kotka, Kotka City Tourist Office, open Mon-Fri 9 am-5 pm, 23 Jun-9 Aug 2008 Mon-Fri 9 am-6 pm and Sat 10 am-2 pm Address: Keskuskatu 6, Tel. +358 5 234 4424, www.visitkotka.fi				
Nearest pharmacy	Downtown: Kauppatorin Apteekki, address Kirkkokatu 10 Open Mon-Fri: 8.30 am-5 pm, Sat: 10 am-2 pm, approx. 10 minutes walk from port				