



MARINA - BERTHING GUIDE

# Svolvær harbour, Lofoten

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Berthing Guide

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Svolvær harbour, Lofoten - Yacht Charter Berthing Guide

Destination: Lofoten

Ecosystem: Norway - Fjords

Gateway: SVJ - 10-20 min from SVJ / via TOS

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## EUROPE

## Overview

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Svolvær harbour serves as the Lofoten capital harbour for Arctic summer weeks. Located in Europe, this destination for Lofoten yacht charter accommodates vessels with an indicative maximum LOA of 40 metres and a maximum draft of 4 metres.

**PAGE** <https://blueoceanclub.com/charter/marinas/svolvaer-harbour>

**DESTINATION** Lofoten (<https://blueoceanclub.com/charter/destinations/lofoten-yacht-charter>)

**ECOSYSTEM** Norway - Fjords (<https://blueoceanclub.com/charter/destinations/norway-fjords-yacht-charter>)

## QUAY FACTS

## Specifications

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| <b>INDICATIVE MAX LOA</b><br><b>approx. 40 m</b>                          | <b>INDICATIVE MAX DRAFT</b><br><b>approx. 4 m</b>                      |
| <b>FUEL</b><br><b>Available</b>                                           | <b>POWER</b><br><b>Shore power typical - confirm amp rating vs LOA</b> |
| <b>WATER</b><br><b>Available</b>                                          | <b>WASTE</b><br><b>Pump-out on request / by arrangement</b>            |
| <b>WI-FI</b><br><b>Harbour Wi-Fi variable - starlink aboard preferred</b> | <b>GATEWAY</b><br><b>SVJ</b>                                           |
| <b>TRANSFER</b><br><b>10-20 min from SVJ / via TOS</b>                    | <b>PEAK LEAD TIME</b><br><b>4-12 weeks for peak season slips</b>       |

## PILOTAGE NOTES

## Approach

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Approach Svolvær harbour, Lofoten with local pilotage notes from the captain; high season berths book weeks ahead. Fuel, water and shore power are available - confirm waste and amp rating before arrival.

## HOLDS &amp; LEAD TIMES

## Berthing

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Peak berths typically need 4-12 weeks for peak season slips. We hold anchorage fallbacks before you fly.

## TRANSFERS

## Door to deck

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Typical SVJ quay timing: 10-20 min from SVJ / via TOS. Timed to embarkation, not a taxi scramble.

**AIRPORT** SVJ

**TYPICAL TRANSFER** 10-20 min from SVJ / via TOS





## EMBARK UTILITY

## Embark at Svolvær harbour, Lofoten

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Door-to-deck for Lofoten: fly into the gateway, transfer timed to the gangway, luggage aboard before guests. We choreograph the buffer - not a taxi scramble.

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| <b>MEETING POINT</b>  | Meeting point: Svolvær harbour, Lofoten - confirm quay / pontoon with the captain the morning of embarkation.                               |
| <b>ARRIVAL BUFFER</b> | Plan 60-90 minutes from wheels-down to passerelle for chauffeur corridors; helicopter windows are tighter when helipad access is confirmed. |
| <b>PEAK LEAD TIME</b> | Peak berths typically need 4-12 weeks for peak season slips. We hold anchorage fallbacks before you fly.                                    |

### Captain notes

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### Tender fallback

When berths are scarce we hold a sheltered anchorage + tender (or captain-only standby) plan before you fly - never a last-minute scramble at the mole.

### Luggage / hotel

Night-before hotel near the gateway (or marina) when late arrivals risk missing the embarkation slot - we hold rooms against the transfer plan.

### SVJ

Typical SVJ quay: 10-20 min from SVJ / via TOS. Typical transfer: 10-20 min from SVJ / via TOS

[Draft] Indicative seasonal berth ranges are shared on request - confirm with the marina agent before contract. We never publish unverified nightly rates as fact.

## SHORE TABLES

## Nearby dining

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### Børsen Spiseri

Harbour dining in the Lofoten capital.

### Fiskekrogen

Village seafood after a short hop.

### Anita's Sjømat

Classic fish burgers on the islets.

### Henningsvær restaurants

Lofoten village dinner.

## FALLBACKS

## Nearby anchorages

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### Henningsvær approaches

Postcard village overnight.





**Reine / Hamnøy**

South Lofoten drama - tight holding.

**Trollfjord day run**

Narrow fjord spectacle east of Svolvær.

**Reine / Hamnøy roads**

Lofoten postcard overnight.

## TIMING

**Seasonal note**

Peak density tracks Lofoten high season and local events - 4-12 weeks for peak season slips lead time is typical for larger LOA.

## INDICATIVE DRAFT

**Berth fees**

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## BEFORE YOU FLY

**Berthing FAQ****How do I embark at Svolvær harbour, Lofoten?**

Confirm quay / pontoon with the captain the morning of embarkation after your SVJ arrival. We brief the chauffeur on the correct marina gate - not a generic harbour drop.

**Can I berth a yacht at Svolvær harbour, Lofoten?**

Yes when LOA, draft and event weeks allow. 4-12 weeks for peak season slips Blue Ocean Club opens the berth conversation with the yacht shortlist for Lofoten.

**What does berthing cost at Svolvær harbour, Lofoten?**

Svolvær harbour, Lofoten berth fees move with demand. Blue Ocean Club holds an indicative band for your LOA and dates, then locks the written quote before APA is set for the Lofoten week.

**Is yacht charter available from Svolvær harbour, Lofoten?**

Boat charter and crewed yacht charter both use Svolvær harbour, Lofoten as a working berth when LOA fits. We match hull class to quay politics and your itinerary.

**How far ahead should we book a berth at Svolvær harbour, Lofoten?**

4-12 weeks for peak season slips

**What is the practical embarkation airport for Svolvær harbour, Lofoten?**

Typical SVJ quay timing: 10-20 min from SVJ / via TOS. Timed to embarkation, not a taxi scramble.

**Can we overnight at anchor instead of taking a quay night?**

Henningsvær approaches is a common alternative when the quay is full - captains confirm holding and shelter before committing.





### What services should we expect at Svolvær harbour, Lofoten?

Svolvær harbour, Lofoten typically offers fuel, shore power, water, waste/pump-out, harbour Wi-Fi. Confirm amp rating and pump-out against your LOA before arrival.

*Indicative guidance - some berth fee notes are labelled draft. Live rates move with LOA, season and events. Blue Ocean Club confirms in writing before deposit. No invented phone numbers or reviews. Not a substitute for captain pilotage or marina contracts.*

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