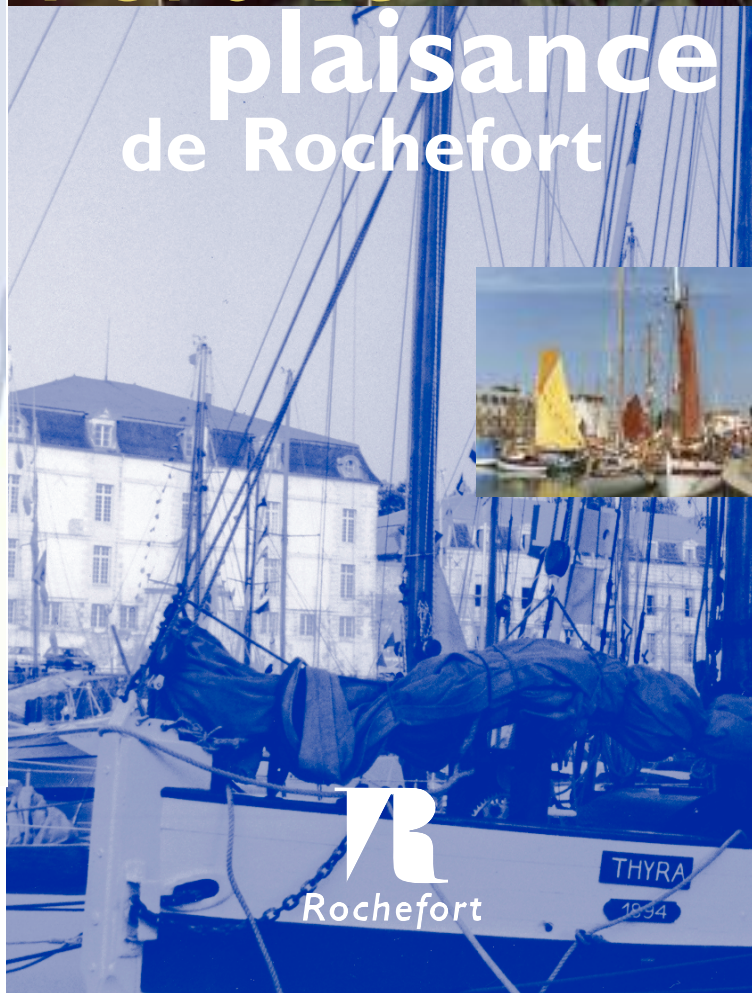




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# Port de plaisance de Rochefort



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Situated roughly 15 nautical miles from Fort Boyard and Île d'Aix, on the right bank of the Charente river and in the centre of town, the Rochefort marina offers ideal shelter for your boat.

Journey back in time from the frigate Hermione to discover the famous Royal Rope Factory, dry docks, forts and traditional square fishing nets in a wonderfully natural setting.

## Rochefort Marina :

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**Position : 45°56' 8" N - 00° 57' 3"W**

- 300 pontoon berths
- 40 visitors' berths
- Water - electricity - toilets  
free showers
- Berths with catways by reservation  
(Length: up to 20 m. Draught: up to 25 m)
- High water: ref. La Rochelle + 15 min.
- Lock-gated harbour. Average access  
time: 45 min. before high water;  
1 hr. - 1 hr. 15 min. after high water:  
From 5.30 am to 10.30 pm in high  
season
- Dry dock: 150 berths
- Careening area: 12 berths
- Storage ashore: towing (15 tonnes),  
cradles and crane (16 tonnes)

**Holding areas :** Corderie Royale waiting pontoon (side-by-side berthing prohibited) on the Charente, and waiting pontoon at the pier head marking the entrance to the basins. Reception on the water and in the lock. Shipping forecast available from the harbour master's office.

**At the marina :** restaurants, launderette, grocery shop, train station, etc. Town centre - 300 m.

**Commercial port :** +33 (0)5 46 99 44 93 - VHF channel 12

**Customs :** +33 (0)5 46 99 03 90

**Police station :**  
+33 (0)5 46 87 69 14

**Maritime Affairs,  
La Rochelle district :**  
+33 (0)5 46 28 07 07



**Cartography :** SHOM map 4333-6914-6334 - Navicarte map 552 - SHOM Guide No. P5 (French version) - Imray-Iolaire Pilot Chart (English version), Bloc Marine, etc.

**Approximate sailing times at five knots, depending on winds and currents :**

- La Rochelle - Rochefort via Île d'Aix and Fort Enet: 5 hours.
- Île d'Aix to the mouth of the Charente: 1 hour to 1 hour 30 minutes, according to tidal and current directions.
- Upriver from the mouth of the Charente to Rochefort: 2 hours to 2 hours 30 minutes.



**Nautical stopovers, short or overnight stays on pontoon or buoy moorings :**

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(Port Neuf) :  
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### Telephone numbers :

**Rochefort Town Hall :**  
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**Tourist information office :**  
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**Royal Rope Factory :**  
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### Safety :

Cargo vessels have right-of-way on the Charente. It is advisable to sail upriver with the tide in order to arrive at the locks of the port of Rochefort between 45 minutes before and one hour after high tide. pleine.