

Köln

Insights for better experiences



Eat'n Drink

Where the locals do



Fun Facts

To nourish your curiosity

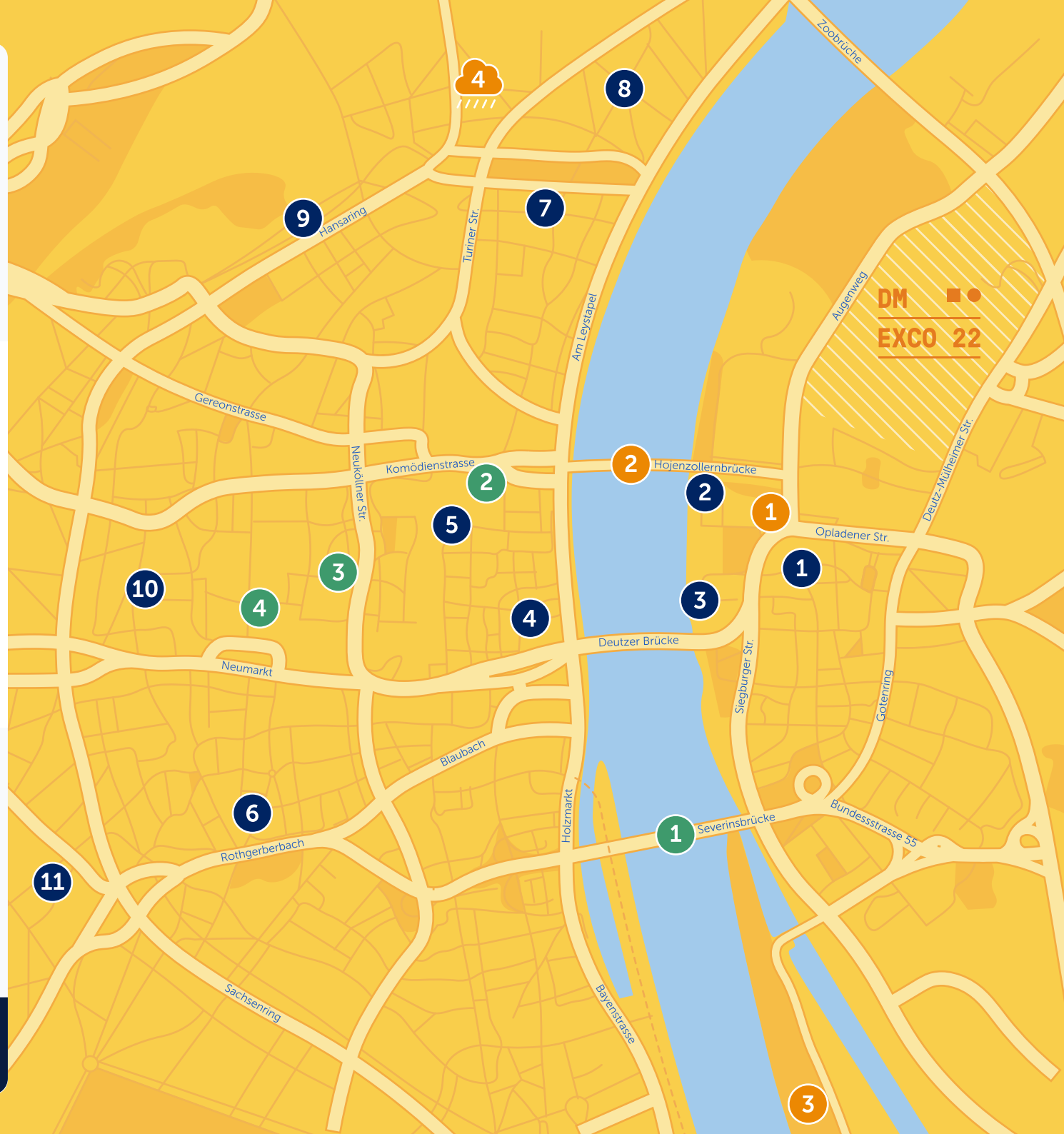


Sunset Spots

To take a breather

Don't worry - it's all within a
5 km radius from Kölnmesse.

Drop by our **booth in hall 7, B028**
and let's talk about how to
improve digital experiences!





Eat'n Drink

- 1 **Gaststätte Lommerzheim** ★ 4.9
The beer will keep coming until you say "no"  €

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- 2 **Grissini Restaurant & Terrasse** ★ 4.2
Waterfront, home-made pasta, and seafood 

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- 3 **Kaiser Konstantin - Kölsches Brauhaus** ★ 4.7
Great view, food, and excellent beers 

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- 4 **Hänneschen und die Pfeffermühle** ★ 4.6
Who's not into huge portions of good food? 


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- 5 **Brauhaus FRÜH am Dom** ★ 4.3
Travel back in time to a vintage, German brewery 

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- 6 **Brauhaus Reissdorf** ★ 4.4
Excellent schnitzel, what more is there to say? 


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- 7 **Max Stark** ★ 4.5
Worth waiting for a table with a beer at hand 

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- 8 **Gruber's** ★ 4.7
Fine dining, creative dishes, and great wines 

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- 9 **Altertümchen** ★ 4.6
High-end, traditional German cuisine 


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- 10 **NEOBIOTA** ★ 4.7
Delicious fine dining from breakfast to dinner 

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- 11 **Bei Oma Kleinmann** ★ 4.7
Reviewers vote it one of the best in the city 

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Fun Facts

1 50 shades of... green

During the construction of the Mülheimer Brücke in 1929, the Mayor Konrad Adenauer wanted to create a new shade of green (yes, what a legacy), and that led to invention of the "Kölner Brückengrün" (Cologne Bridge-Green), or "Kölner Grün" (Cologne Green).

Five of the eight bridges in Cologne that crossing the river Rhine were later painted this green colour. Today, only the four bridges maintained by the City of Cologne (Mülheim, Severins-, Zoo and Deutzer) are still covered in this iconic green – in fact they are not allowed to be painted in any other shade.

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2 "Fat Peter"

Petersglocke, the bell located in the Cathedral of Cologne, is the second largest-swinging bell in the world. It was made in 1923, and it weighs an impressive 24.0000 Kg.

The bells of the cathedral only rings on special occasions, and Fat Peter gets a 10 minute solo before any other bell starts ringing.

Bonus: You can find a shrine of The Three Wise Men in the Cathedral.

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3 Get a smell of Cologne

The House of 4711 is home to the original "Eau de Cologne" and offers visitors the chance to discover the craft that lays behind the creation of our favourite bottled odours. The art of fragrance production in Cologne dates back over two centuries.

During World War II, Germany's navy issued vast amounts of 4711 perfume to the submariners of their U-boat fleet. As there were few opportunities for bathing, the scent was to be used in an attempt to improve the scents aboard the vessels.

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4 A more delicious skyline

At the busy Neumarkt Square, a different type of spire competes for attention with the many church spires in sight. A 10-meter-tall, upside-down ice cream cone sculpture is deliciously dangling from the corner of the Neumarkt Gallery.

Created by artists Claes Oldenburg and Coosje van Bruggen, the two were inspired by the waste amount of ice cream places in the city along with the fact that the word Cone can be created by letters from the city name.

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Sunset Spots



1 Sunset from the sky

With its 103 meters, Köln Triangle is an impressive building and a great place for wonderful panoramic views of the city. While most floors function as the headquarter of the European Aviation Safety Agency, the top floor is open to the public.

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2 Sunset from the water

The Hohenzollern Bridge is a "must-cross" when visiting Cologne with its love locks, statues, and great views. It's the most used railway bridge in Germany - more than 1.200 trains cross the bridge daily!

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3 Sunset from the land

On the right bank of the Rhine you'll find Poller Wiesen - a big green area with lots of activities on a sunny day. With running tracks, tennis courts, and picnic areas, this is a great place to go for a beer at sunset and take in the last summer vibes.

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4 Rainy day? Try out Kegel (nine-pin bowling)

Nine-pin bowling - or kegel - is a game primarily played in Europe, but was originally the most popular form of bowling in the US for hundreds of years. Today, nine-pin bowling places are rare.

Zum Goldenen Kegel

★ 4.0 €

At Zum Goldenen Kegel you're able to enjoy the this rarity while having a fairly priced drink and some good food - maybe a great teambuilding experience while being together in Cologne?

[Directions](#)

