



DURATION

**10 Days / 9
Nights**

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TRIP STYLE

Private Trip

mid-range, luxury,
budget

DESTINATIONS

**Ruaha, Nyerere National Park,
Mafia Island**

Southern Circuit

BEST FOR

All people

Ideal for
everyone

Overview

This 10-day safari takes you through the heart of Southern Tanzania, offering a perfect blend of adventure and relaxation. Ideal for all travelers, the journey covers Ruaha, Nyerere National Park, and the serene Mafia Island. Enjoy private experiences tailored to your preferences, whether you seek mid-range comfort or luxury indulgence.

Highlights

- Explore the vast landscapes of Ruaha
- Witness diverse wildlife in Nyerere National Park
- Relax on the pristine beaches of Mafia Island
- Enjoy private and personalized safari experiences
- Discover the rich cultural heritage of Tanzania
- Indulge in local and international cuisines
- Experience the thrill of game drives
- Unwind with scenic views of the African wilderness
- Immerse in the tranquility of nature
- Enjoy seasonal variations in flora and fauna

Inclusions & Exclusions

INCLUSIONS

- All ground transfers
- Park entry fees
- Professional safari guides
- Game drives
- Boat safaris
- Meals as per itinerary
- Domestic flights
- Airport transfers
- 24/7 support

EXCLUSIONS

- International flights
- Travel insurance
- Visa fees
- Optional activities
- Personal expenses
- Tips and gratuities
- Drinks and alcoholic beverages
- Laundry services
- Any additional meals

Itinerary

Day 1

Arrival in Dar es Salaam

Meals: Dinner | Accommodation: Arranged according to budget



Upon your arrival in Dar es Salaam, you will be greeted and transferred to your accommodation. This bustling city serves as a vibrant gateway to your safari adventure. Take time to relax and prepare for the exciting journey ahead, absorbing the local culture and atmosphere.

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Day 2

Transfer to Ruaha National Park

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Accommodation: Arranged according to budget



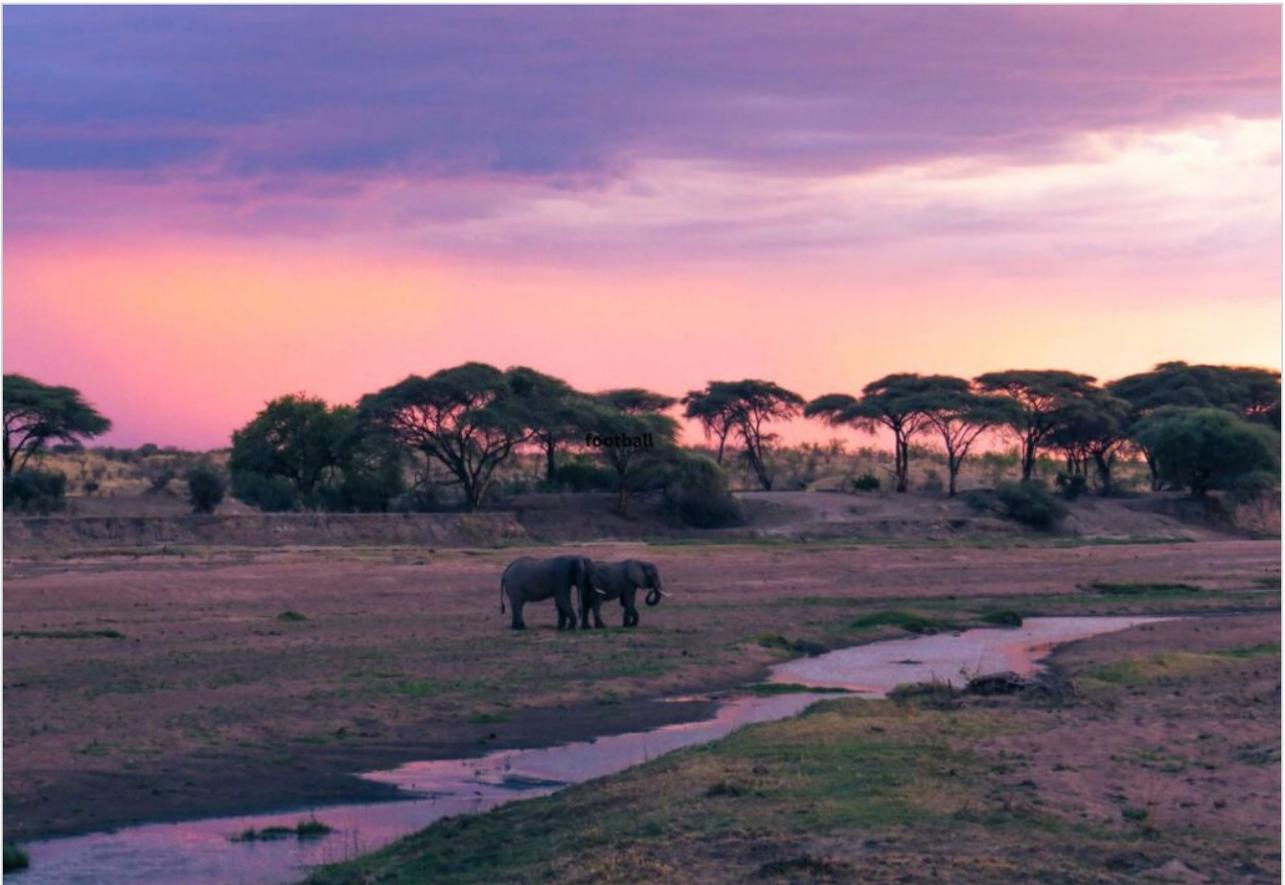
Today, you'll travel to Ruaha National Park, known for its stunning landscapes and abundant wildlife. The journey offers picturesque views and sets the tone for the days to come. Upon arrival, enjoy an afternoon game drive, spotting elephants, lions, and more.

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Day 3

Full Day in Ruaha National Park

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Accommodation: Arranged according to budget



Spend a full day exploring Ruaha National Park's diverse ecosystems. Morning and afternoon game drives allow you to witness the park's unique flora and fauna. The dry season offers excellent wildlife viewing, while the green season showcases lush scenery.

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Day 4

Journey to Nyerere National Park

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Accommodation: Arranged according to budget



Travel to Nyerere National Park, one of Africa's largest and most diverse wildlife reserves. The drive provides a glimpse of Tanzania's rural landscapes. Upon arrival, settle into your accommodation and enjoy a leisurely afternoon, preparing for the adventures ahead.

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Day 5

Exploring Nyerere National Park

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Accommodation: Arranged according to budget



Embark on thrilling game drives in Nyerere National Park, home to diverse wildlife and scenic beauty. From the majestic elephants to the elusive leopards, the park offers endless opportunities for wildlife enthusiasts. Enjoy a boat safari, exploring the Rufiji River's waterways.

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Day 6

Second Day in Nyerere National Park

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Accommodation: Arranged according to budget



Continue your exploration of Nyerere National Park with more game drives and guided walks. The park's varied habitats support a wide array of species, making each excursion unique. Enjoy the serenity of the surroundings, capturing unforgettable moments.

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Day 7

Travel to Mafia Island

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Accommodation: Arranged according to budget



Today, you'll make your way to the idyllic Mafia Island, renowned for its pristine beaches and marine life. The journey offers a transition from wildlife to coastal beauty. Once on the island, unwind and enjoy the tranquil setting, with options for snorkeling and diving.

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Day 8

Discovering Mafia Island

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Accommodation: Arranged according to budget



Spend the day exploring Mafia Island's stunning beaches and rich marine ecosystems. Whether you choose to relax on the sand or dive into the crystal-clear waters, the island promises a refreshing change of pace. Discover vibrant coral reefs and colorful fish.

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Day 9

Leisure on Mafia Island

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Accommodation: Arranged according to budget



Enjoy another day of leisure on Mafia Island, taking advantage of the island's natural beauty and recreational activities. Whether you prefer sunbathing or exploring local culture, the day is yours to enjoy. Reflect on your journey and savor the island's charm.

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Day 10 **Departure**

Meals: Breakfast | Accommodation: Arranged according to budget

As your adventure concludes, take a final stroll along the beach before departing from Mafia Island. Reflect on the memories created throughout this remarkable journey. You'll be transferred to the airport for your onward travel, carrying with you the essence of Southern Tanzania.

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Frequently Asked Questions

What should I pack for the safari?

Pack light, breathable clothing, comfortable shoes, and a hat. Bring binoculars, a camera, and sunscreen for protection. It's also advisable to carry any personal medications and a reusable water bottle.

Is this tour suitable for children?

Yes, the tour is family-friendly and suitable for children. Activities can be adapted to accommodate younger travelers, ensuring a safe and enjoyable experience for all ages.

What wildlife can I expect to see?

Expect to see a wide range of wildlife including elephants, lions, giraffes, and diverse bird species. The parks are home to both common and rare animals, offering exciting opportunities for wildlife viewing.

Are there any health precautions?

Consult your doctor for recommended vaccinations and anti-malarial medication. It's important to stay hydrated and use insect repellent to protect against mosquito bites.

What is the best time to visit?

The dry season is ideal for wildlife viewing, while the green season offers lush landscapes and fewer crowds. Both seasons have unique advantages, allowing for year-round exploration.

How are the accommodations arranged?

Accommodations are arranged based on your budget preferences, ranging from mid-range lodges to luxury camps. Each option ensures comfort and convenience throughout your stay.

Is travel insurance necessary?

Yes, travel insurance is strongly recommended. It provides coverage for unexpected events such as medical emergencies, trip cancellations, and lost luggage.

Will I have internet access during the trip?

Internet access is available at most accommodations, though it may be limited in remote areas. It's a good idea to plan for intermittent connectivity while enjoying the wilderness.



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