



Presents
(DRY SEASONS)- Safaris
and Photographers -
Migration of wildebeests &
Wildlife in General

8 DAY ITINERARY

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"Safari July until October" is the Swahili word for wonderful or amazing, and in partnership with camps and lodges, we have created this amazing and exciting dry season tour combining luxury with an authentic safari experience. The beauty of the savannah, plains, and crater can be appreciated all year round, but between July and October is when the migration reaches fever pitch and offers the best chance to witness the tens of thousands of wildebeest, zebras, and gazelles stampede back and forth across the Mara River in search of the fresh short grasses. On our way north, we will visit the elephants of Tarangire and the large cats of the Central Serengeti.

After each exciting game drive, our select 5-star lodges or Mid-range Safaris are set to relax you with sunsets and amazing landscape, a superb dinner, and a good night's sleep; getting ready for the next day's adventure.

This safari compares the earlier morning game drive to the evening with a hamper lunch packed; the earlier, the better for bird watchers and also for action, ensuring there's no time to sleep but ample time to experience nature, especially for photographers.

The early arrival at the airport is direct to the wildlife national park. The evening arrival at the airport overnight in Arusha. Yours exclusively from, www.extremeexpedition.travel

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DAY 1

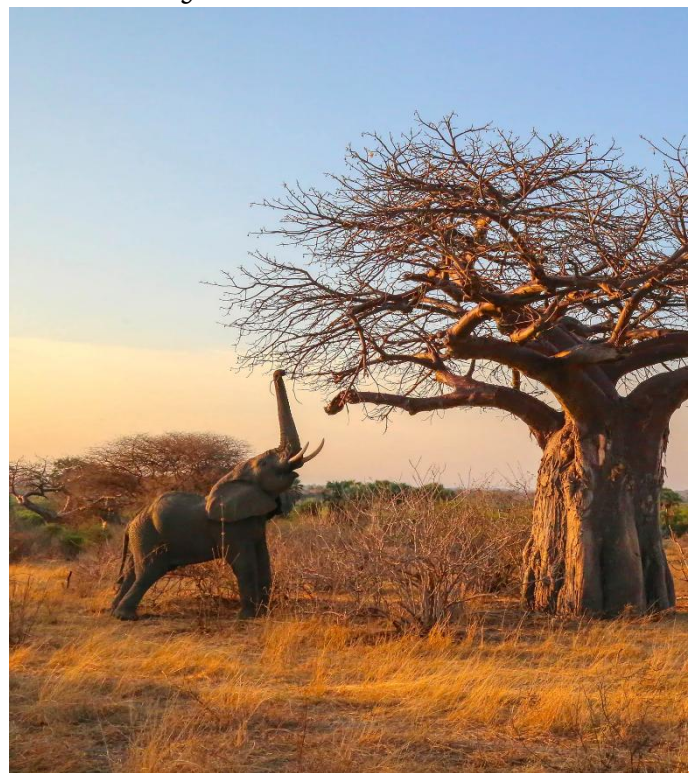
Day 1: Tarangire National Park

Your safari will commence in the morning, with a pickup at the International Kilimanjaro Airport. Look out for your guide holding a signboard with your name. From there, we'll head towards Tarangire National Park, a 150km drive from Arusha, which typically takes about 3 hours. Tarangire National Park is renowned for its diverse landscape and nine distinct vegetation zones. As we embark on our game drive, you'll be greeted by the majestic Baobab trees, which tower over the landscape and make even giraffes appear small in comparison. The game drive will continue until late evening, allowing us to explore the vast 3,000 square kilometers of the park. The park derives its name from the Tarangire River, which traverses through it, attracting a wide variety of wildlife.

During our excursion, expect to encounter elephants, giraffes, lions, antelopes, zebras, wildebeests, buffaloes,

warthogs, waterbucks, impalas, and an array of bird species – over 500 to be precise. If luck is on our side, we may even catch sight of the elusive tree-climbing python.

Tarangire National Park boasts the highest concentration of elephants, approximately 5,000. Another feature that attracts visitors to Tarangire National Park is its abundance of Baobab Trees, offering a unique opportunity to observe their familial interactions up close. Don't forget to keep your camera ready to capture the breathtaking scenery and wildlife encounters. After the game drive, we'll return to our camp or lodge where a delectable dinner awaits. Rest well for tomorrow's adventures.



DAY 2

Day 2: Full Day Game Drive Tarangire National Park

Morning:

Depart from your camp or lodge in Tarangire National Park early in the morning, just before sunrise.

Enjoy a packed breakfast or stop at a designated picnic area within the park to have breakfast amidst the wilderness. Begin your game drive as the sun rises, exploring the diverse landscapes and vegetation zones of Tarangire National Park. Keep your eyes peeled for wildlife sightings, including elephants, giraffes, lions, leopards, cheetahs, hyenas, wildebeests, zebras, buffaloes, impalas, waterbucks, and various bird species. Midday:

Continue your game drive deeper into the park, exploring different habitats such as open grasslands, acacia woodlands, and the Tarangire River.

Take advantage of the midday sun to spot wildlife activity, as many animals are active during the cooler morning and evening hours. Lunchtime:



Stop at a scenic spot or designated picnic area for a delicious packed lunch. Enjoy your meal surrounded by the sights and sounds of the African wilderness. Afternoon:

Resume your game drive in the afternoon, exploring areas of the park that you may not have visited earlier in the day. Keep an eye out for elusive predators such as leopards and cheetahs, which may be more active during the cooler afternoon hours.

Take advantage of the quieter afternoon hours to observe wildlife behavior and capture photos of the stunning landscapes.

Late Afternoon/Evening:

As the day begins to wane, start making your way back towards your camp or lodge. Enjoy the sunset over the Tarangire landscape, soaking in



the beauty of the African savannah.

Arrive back at your camp or lodge in the early evening, where you can freshen up and relax after a full day of adventure.

Reflect on the day's wildlife sightings and experiences over a delicious dinner, sharing stories with fellow travelers and enjoying the ambiance of the African bush.

Dinner and overnight Tarangire National Parks.



DAY 3

Day 3: Tarangire National Park to Ngorongoro Ndutu

Dry Seasons: The dry seasons in the Ndutu area typically occur from June to October and December to March. During these periods, minimal rainfall and lower humidity levels create clear skies and sunny days. While these seasons are considered less touristy, they offer pleasant weather and abundant wildlife sightings due to animals congregating around water sources, especially predators like cats.

Weather and Climate:

Daytime temperatures range from 20°C to 30°C (68°F to 86°F) during the dry seasons in Ndutu, with cooler mornings and evenings. The dry weather fosters ideal conditions for game viewing, as animals gather around waterholes, enhancing visibility for wildlife observation and photography.

Wildlife Viewing:

The dry seasons are prime for

wildlife viewing in Ndutu, with predators such as lions, cheetahs, leopards, and hyenas being more active as they prey on abundant herbivores. Birdwatching is also excellent during this time, with many species arriving to feed in the area.

Safari Activities:

Dry seasons are ideal for photography safaris in Ndutu, as clear skies and abundant wildlife offer optimal conditions for capturing stunning images.

Accommodation and Services:

Accommodation options in Ndutu range from luxury lodges to mid-range tented camps. Guests can enjoy dinner and overnight stays in the Ndutu area.



DAY 4

Day 04: Serengeti National Park

Endless Plains of Serengeti: The name "Serengeti" translates to "endless plains" in the Maasai language, aptly describing the vastness and grandeur of this iconic wilderness area. Spanning 14,764 square kilometers, the Serengeti is revered as one of the world's most celebrated wilderness areas, offering an unparalleled safari experience. The endless plains are crossed by the annual migration, a thrilling spectacle that sees millions of wildebeest, zebras, and other herbivores journeying across the landscape in search of greener pastures. This natural phenomenon is a testament to the Serengeti's significance as a global hotspot for wildlife conservation and biodiversity.

Scenic Landscapes: The landscapes of Central Serengeti are diverse and stunning, offering a visual feast for visitors. Vast grasslands stretch as far as the eye can see, punctuated by iconic rocky outcrops known as kopjes. These ancient formations provide both a scenic backdrop and



important habitats for wildlife. Additionally, riverine forests line the banks of the Seronera River, adding lush greenery to the landscape. The Seronera River serves as a

vital water source for wildlife, attracting a variety of species to its banks and providing excellent opportunities for wildlife viewing amidst picturesque surroundings.

Photography Opportunities: The dry season from July to October presents photographers with prime conditions for capturing stunning images of the Serengeti's landscapes and wildlife. Clear skies and golden sunlight bathe the savannah in a warm glow, enhancing the natural beauty of the surroundings. With excellent visibility, photographers can capture the intricate details of the grasslands, rocky outcrops, and wildlife against the backdrop of the expansive plains. The contrast between the vibrant colors of the flora and fauna and the vast blue skies creates striking compositions that are sure to impress.

High-Density Game-Viewing: Central Serengeti is renowned for its high-density game-viewing opportunities throughout the year. The area boasts a large concentration of predators, particularly big cats such as lions, leopards, and cheetahs. In fact, Central Serengeti was previously set aside for scientific research into predators due to its abundant population of these iconic animals. Visitors can expect thrilling wildlife encounters and unparalleled opportunities to observe these majestic predators in their natural habitat.

DAY 5

Day 5: Central Serengeti National Park Starting your day early after breakfast, today you'll journey eastward



toward the central Serengeti. The heart of the Serengeti promises mild game sightings along the way. As we drive east, we'll encounter beautiful features known as kopjes, where lions are often spotted lounging on the rocks and leopards may be seen stealthily observing their surroundings. Continuing further east, we'll be greeted by the vast expanse of the Serengeti, where the grasslands teem with wildlife. Here, you can expect to encounter more lions and cheetahs, hyena, golden jackal, while the open plains attract antelopes such as Thomson's gazelles, Grant's gazelles, topi, hartebeests, and many more. Dinner and overnight stay in the central Serengeti.

DAY 6

Day 6: North Serengeti National Park

This is the day we load our luggage heading to north of serengeti Mara River,(Koga Tende) to see an amazing wildebeest crossing the river mara The Mara River winding its way from the Northern

Serengeti to Lake Victoria in the West, stands as the focal point of this remote Serengeti region. This is the moment to immerse oneself in the exhilarating atmosphere, as thousands of wildebeest, zebras, and gazelles congregate along



the riverbanks, driven by the urge to follow the fresh grass, until the pressure builds behind them, propelling them into the river's currents. Nestled strategically in a prime location along the path of this great migration, lodges and camps offers a haven amidst the wilderness. Surrounded by sparse clusters of large Acacia and Tortilis Trees, the camp provides a tranquil retreat. Moreover, the area boasts a year-round population of diverse wildlife, drawn by the presence of nearby waterbodies. It's a sanctuary where the pulse of nature beats strong, offering an unforgettable experience in the heart of the Serengeti. After getting a chance to see wildebeests crossing will explore more on the rocks area searching for more cats and rarely Klipspringer antelope without forget birds around beautiful landscape and amazing sunset. Dinner and overnight at north of serengeti (Koga Tende)

DAY 7

Day 7: North Serengeti National Park The morning game drives along the Mara River in the Serengeti with our food humper guided by our experts, serve as the grand finale of your safari tour in arguably the most exciting and thrilling conservation area in the world. And



the Northern Serengeti offer the pinnacle experience during the high season—the climax of the annual migration, evening back to the lodge or camp.

DAY 8

Day 8: North Serengeti to Arusha or Zanzibar

After enjoying a morning breakfast, we'll load our luggage and embark on a game drive en route game drive to Kogatende Airstrip. From there, you'll catch your short flight back to Arusha heading to Kilimanjaro International airport or Zanzibar.

