



Safari in southern Tanzania and exotic Zanzibar

10 day trip for a great combination of bush and beach

This 10-day trip offers you a healthy combination of nature, adventure and lots of relaxation! You go in search of wild animals with a wonderful tour through the unknown and untouched south of Tanzania! You visit Tanzania's largest wildlife park, Selous, where elephants, giraffes, hippos and crocodiles gather around the many rivers and lakes. Not only from the safari vehicle, but also on foot and by boat. You stay in a tented camp surrounded by nature, where larger and smaller wildlife visitors might pass by. And in the evening with a drink at the campfire you share the experiences of the day. An adventure to never forget! Afterwards you fly to Zanzibar for a cultural stay in the magical city of Stone Town and a few days on the tropical beach.

Highlights



Fully catered private holiday



Sleeping in a luxury tent in the bush



Domestic flights to Selous and back



Boat and walking safari in Selous



Hippos and elephants at the lakes of Selous



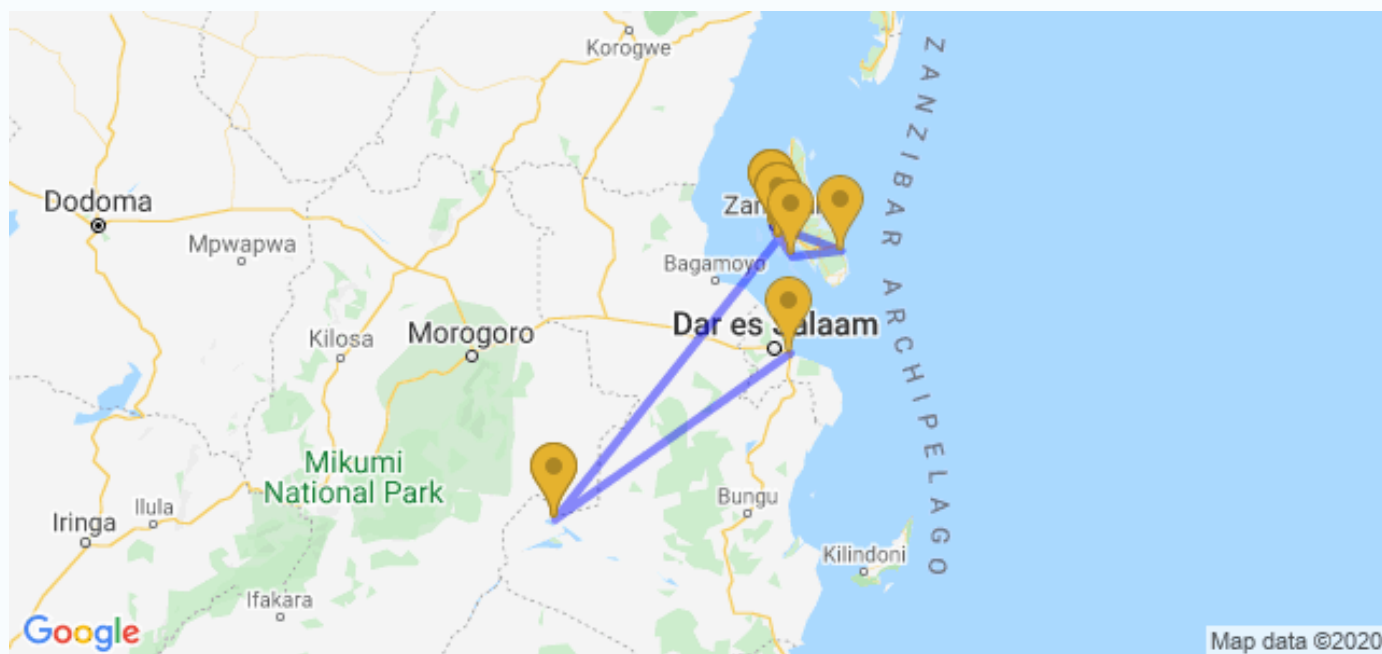
Sleeping in an old mansion



3 days in a boutique hotel at the beach



Day by day



Days 1-4: Dar es Salaam Selous Game Reserve .

Fri, 20 Mar - Mon, 23 Mar

Days 5-6: Selous Game Reserve Zanzibar Airport Zanzibar - Stone Town .

Tue, 24 Mar - Wed, 25 Mar

Days 7-9: Zanzibar - Beach Zanzibar - Beach (Fumba) .

Thu, 26 Mar - Sat, 28 Mar

Day 10: Zanzibar - Stone Town Zanzibar Airport .

Sun, 29 Mar



Your detailed itinerary

Day
1

Welcome in Tanzania!

Fri, 20 Mar

Flight from Dar es Salaam to Selous: Today you fly in half an hour to Selous Game Reserve. Upon arrival at the Selous airstrip, your safari guide will take you to the camp. The rest of the day you can relax from the flight, take a bush hike with the guards from the lodge, or just laze by the pool overlooking the river. Take a refreshing outdoor shower, dine under the starry sky and share stories at the campfire, while in the distance the hyenas laugh and the lions roar.



[Selous Wilderness Camp](#)

Price includes:

- ✓ Lunch
- ✓ Dinner

Day
2

On safari!

Sat, 21 Mar

In search of Selous' wild animals:

Today you make your first game drive in Selous Game Reserve, Tanzania's largest protected nature reserve, declared a UNESCO World Heritage Site. It is a pristine uninhabited area larger than Switzerland! Rolling wooded savannas, vast grassy plains and rock formations are crossed by the Rufiji River and its many tributaries. With a specially adapted safari all-terrain vehicle you get very close to the fantastic African animal world. You will drive to some of the lakes where the animals quench their thirst and where the hippos and crocodiles spend their days lazy in the water. In the open spots in the forest you can meet elephants, gazelles, lions, cheetahs and even wild dogs.



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- ✓ Dinner



Day
3

The Rufiji River

Sun, 22 Mar

Boat safari on the Rufiji River:

Time for a boat safari on the Rufiji River. From the water you can see beautiful birds, but also hippos, crocodiles, elephants, giraffes and zebras. See the hippos near your boat and photograph the crocodiles that bask on the sand banks in the warm sun, with their mouths wide open in which birds peck the remaining of their food from between their teeth. Larger waterfowl scour the banks of the river for food, on the swaying reed stems hang the small round nests of the yellow weaver and in the trees on the steep walls the kingfisher is on lookout.

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- ✓ Dinner

Day

4

Another spectacular day in Selous

Mon, 23 Mar

On foot among the wild animals!: Get up early for an adventurous walking safari! Accompanied by an experienced armed guide, you will learn about the flora & fauna and how the indigenous peoples live and survive in this wilderness. The guide tells a lot about the vegetation and the special birds that live here. Black and white colobus monkeys sway in the trees. In open spaces in the forest you can just come face to face with a group of impalas, but also elephants and sometimes even predators.

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- ✓ Lunch
- ✓ Dinner

Day

5

Back to the coast

Tue, 24 Mar

To Zanzibar: Your wonderful safari finishes here. With a final game drive through the wilderness you will be taken to the Selous airstrip for the flight to Zanzibar.

Arrival in Zanzibar and transfer to your hotel: At the airport of Zanzibar, one of our colleagues will be waiting for you with a refreshing "dafu", a local coconut drink. A comfortable, air-conditioned minibus will take you to your hotel. After such a long and impressive safari, it is wonderful to spend some quiet hours in Stone Town. Your hotel for the first night, a beautiful, authentic Arabic house, is located in the heart of the old town. You can stroll around, enjoy the sea, have a drink with your feet in the sand or dine on the hotel's rooftop terrace.

[The Swahili House](#)



Price includes:



- ✓ Breakfast
- ✓ Dinner

Day
6

Culture and history in the old city

Wed, 25 Mar

Walk along the narrow streets of Stone Town: Stone Town is the old city and cultural heart of Zanzibar and little has changed in the last 200 years. It is a place of winding alleys, bustling bazaars, mosques and grand Arab houses. Stone Town has brought together many different elements of the cultures of Africa, the Arab region, India, and Europe over more than a thousand years. You can spend endless hours just wandering through the fascinating labyrinth of narrow streets and alleyways, absorbing the years of history. You will enjoy a guided tour of this fascinating town, recently and deservedly declared a World Heritage Site by UNESCO.

Discover yourself or book a tour: In the afternoon you can go for a walk on your own or make an optional trip to Prison Island with its gigantic tortoises and an old prison from the time of slavery. Another option is a romantic cruise in a traditional wooden dhow during the sunset.



[The Swahili House](#)

Price includes:

- ✓ Breakfast
- ✓ Dinner

Day
7

At the Indian Ocean

Thu, 26 Mar

And then just nothing....: Over the next few days, you will be able to relax and enjoy everything the island has to offer. You can lounge on the beach or by the pool, or take part in some of the many activities. There are several optional day trips to small islands or to the coral reefs. Professional PADI diving schools offer a full range of scuba diving with professional equipment. Other water sports such as kiting, kayaking, catamaran sailing, wind surfing, deep sea fishing, water skiing, parasailing and jet skiing are also on offer. Zanzibar is known as the Spice Islands and was once the world's leading producer of cloves. A guided tour of one of the spice farms is also an option here. You will be able to see, smell and taste aromatic spices and scented plants including guava, mangoes, vanilla, cloves, nutmeg, ginger, chillies, black pepper and cinnamon. Your stay in Zanzibar includes breakfast, dinner and overnight.



[Fumba Beach Lodge](#)

Price includes:

- ✓ Breakfast
- ✓ Dinner

Day
8

Just lounge...

Fri, 27 Mar

Relax at your private beach: Another lazy day at Fumba Beach Lodge. Enjoy the peaceful atmosphere and dream, swim, dive, walk in tropical gardens... Read a book on your sun bed on the private beach or relax with a professional massage at the Baobab Spa.



[Fumba Beach Lodge](#)

Price includes:

- ✓ Breakfast
- ✓ Dinner



Day

9

An optional snorkeling excursion

Sat, 28 Mar

A Robinson Crusoe day on your private sandbank: The white sand of a secluded sandbank is exclusively for you today! First, you'll sail up the ocean with a traditional dhow, to go swimming and snorkeling. Together with an experienced guide you will discover the splendors of the reef. Then continue to the sandbank, where the drinks are kept cold for you. The rest of the day you can sunbathe here, swim, walk, snorkel... Fish, seafood and meat from the BBQ are served for lunch, with salads and fresh fruit. A beautiful exotic day in a true paradise!



[Fumba Beach Lodge](#)

Price includes:

- ✓ Breakfast
- ✓ Dinner

Day

10

Back home

Sun, 29 Mar

Time to say goodbye.....: Unfortunately your holiday ends here and after breakfast it is time to head back to the airport. With lots of pictures in your pocket and hopefully many happy memories you fly back home. Kwa heri!



Price includes:

- ✓ Breakfast



Accommodations

Selous Wilderness Camp on days 1, 2, 3 & 4



Tucked safely away from the mainstream safari route the Selous Wilderness Camp, located on the southern shores of the Rufiji River, offers attentive, yet unpretentious personalized service, exquisite dining and fantastic tents with amazing views of the Rufiji River and its wildlife. The home comforts of the Selous Wilderness Camp with its seven traditionally styled and spacious tents, the plush mess area with an eclectic mixture of solid wood furniture and leather sofas, and the attentive Tanzanian hospitality and service provided to the guests belies the isolation and wilderness of the camp's location. The seven spacious en-suite tents are under expansive makuti thatch structure, all with views over the Rufiji River. There is a 20 m distance between the tents ensuring privacy and exclusivity. Each tent is traditionally styled and equipped with a fan and outside shower.

The Swahili House on days 5 & 6



Surrounded by the lively market, shops and restaurants, Swahili House is located in the center of Stone Town. The renovated 5-storey Indian mansion encloses a courtyard. Rooms are decorated in a traditional Swahili style. Each room is equipped with a fan and air conditioning. The beds are surrounded by mosquito nets. There is a bathtub or a shower in the private bathroom. Swahili's rooftop restaurant serves fresh seafood and Mediterranean tapas. The bar offers a wide selection of wines, international spirits and cocktails. Several restaurants can be found in the surroundings. Guests can relax in the rooftop pool overlooking the Indian Ocean.



Fumba Beach Lodge on days 7, 8 & 9



Fumba Beach Lodge is located just 30 minutes south of Stone Town on one of the most beautiful beaches on the west coast of Zanzibar. This lodge is ideally suited for guests wishing to stay far from the large tourist masses and look for a small-scale, charming accommodation. The lodge is surrounded by beautiful tropical gardens populated with monkeys, bush babies and birds. Fumba Beach Lodge offers you peace and luxury with excellent service. It features 26 rooms, spread over 40 hectares of land surrounded by baobab trees and waving palm trees. Guests can choose from comfortable garden and deluxe rooms, luxury suites or the special baobab suites. The garden and deluxe rooms feature ensuite bathrooms with private terrace and luxury suites include outside showers. The baobab suites are literally located in a baobab tree... very special. Fumba Beach Lodge features an open-air restaurant where you can enjoy the good cuisine. If you like to have a nice drink, you can visit the 'Dhow Fumbar', a bar located under a giant baobab tree. This, while enjoying a beautiful sunset... There is also a water sports centre and a spa where guests can enjoy various treatments.

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We wish you a great trip!
