



Safari Package.

	<u>Tour</u>	<u>Duration</u>	<u>Departs</u>	<u>Lodges</u>
Saf T.10	<p><i>(Marangu route)</i></p> <p>(Most popular) ✓</p> <p>Climb Mt. Kilimanjaro</p> <p>(Group size: 16 people max)</p>	7 Nights	08:00 Hrs	Hotels in Arusha / Mandara Huts / Horombo Huts / Kibo Huts / Horombo Huts / Mandara Huts / Hotels in Arusha

Day of Arrival - Arusha. You will be met at Kilimanjaro International airport in Tanzania and transferred to your booked hotel in Arusha. Dinner is on your own account. Stay overnight at your booked ([Hotel in Arusha](#)). (Bed & Breakfast)

Day 1. Arusha / Mandara Huts.

07⁰⁰ Hrs - Breakfast at [Hotel in Arusha](#).

08⁰⁰ Hrs – You will depart from Arusha and take a 2½ hours drive to Kilimanjaro National Park. You will be registered at Marangu gate which is 1,860 m above sea level by the national park authorities and porters will weigh your luggage. Marangu route is the easiest and shortest route up to Kilimanjaro summit. The marangu route offers moderate Kilimanjaro climbing from starting point to Kibo huts but from Kibo huts to the summit, the trek needs commitment as the track is strenuous. It is the most popular climbing route on the mountain as it is relatively easy. You will take a short drive through the dense rainforest to the drop-off point where your trek will begin. You will hike through the spectacular landscapes of five temperate zones: bushland at 800–1,800 m, rainweald at 1,800–2,800 m, heath and moorland at 2,800–4,000 m, highland barrens at 4,000–5,000 m and ice cap at 5,000–5,895 m. You will embark on a 4-5 hours hike up the mountain track that will take you through the lush rainforest with its large ancient trees. You might spot the black and white Columbus monkeys. You will arrive at Mandara Hut which is 2,700 m above sea level by late afternoon. After a short rest, your guide will take you to Maundi Crater where you can enjoy wonderful views of the Kenyan interior that include Amboseli National park. Dinner and overnight stay at ([Mandara Huts](#)) (Full Board)

Day 2. Mandara Huts / Horombo Huts.

07⁰⁰ Hrs – Breakfast at [Mandara Huts](#).

08⁰⁰ Hrs – Your 4-6 hours trek will start early to allow you to reach Horombo Huts by mid-afternoon. Your trek will pass through the rainforest that will gradually thin out and the landscape changes into heath and moorland. Plants like ericas and lobelia start to dominate the landscape in this subalpine hagenia zone. You will notice the change in the landscape from lush and green rainforest to dry moor and heath land. You will arrive at Horombo Huts which is 3,700 m above sea level by mid afternoon. You will have fantastic views of Mawenzi and Kibo peaks above you and the Masai steppe below. Watching the sun set from here over the Kenyan interior is unforgettable. Dinner and overnight stay at ([Horombo Huts](#)) (Full Board).

Day 3. Horombo Huts.

07⁰⁰ Hrs – Breakfast at [Horombo Huts](#).

09⁰⁰ Hrs – You take a 2-4 hours acclimatization trek to Zebra Rock formation which is 4,000 m above sea level then head back to Horombo Huts in time for late lunch. The distinctive black and white stripes give the rock formation its name. Lack of acclimatization can lead to high altitude illnesses such as high altitude cerebral edema called HACE and high altitude pulmonary edema called HAPE. In doing so, you will allow your body to adjust to this altitude and help you complete the full climb.

15⁰⁰ Hrs – You will spend the afternoon at leisure. Dinner and overnight stay at ([Horombo Huts](#)) (Full Board).

Day 4. Horombo Huts / Kibo Huts.

07⁰⁰ Hrs – Breakfast at [Horombo Huts](#).

09⁰⁰ Hrs – This stretch is long, tough and strenuous. You will embark on a 5-6 hours trek on a climbing route that will take you through the last water point also called the saddle. It is a nearly plant less plateau that links the summit of Kibo with Mawenzi. You will arrive at Kibo Huts which is 4,700 m above sea level by evening. You will relax at the camp the rest of the evening and take in the extraordinary views of the sunset high above the clouds. You will have an early dinner in order to catch your sleep early and stretch your legs in preparation for the upcoming summit night. Dinner and nightcap at ([Kibo Huts](#)) (Full Board).

23⁰⁰ Hrs – You will be woken up to start your summit night.

23³⁰ Hrs – Mid-night snack at [Kibo Huts](#).

Day 5. Kibo Huts / Uhuru Peak / Horombo Huts.

00⁰⁰ Hrs – A 5-7 hrs climb will begin by torchlight. You will start walking on the lava ash that is still frozen towards the crater rim. The long and strenuous trek to the summit will pass Hans Meyer cave at 5,200 m above sea level and then climb slowly upwards to reach Gilman's Point which is 5,715 m above sea level on the crater rim of Mt Kilimanjaro at sunrise. From Gilman's Point, you will walk along the crater ridge for 1-2 hrs and will lead you to the summit of Uhuru Peak which is 5,895 m above sea level. From the summit, you will be able to see the surrounding landscape being lit up by the rising sun. It is a truly a life-time experience.

09⁰⁰ Hrs – You will celebrate with the whole group and after a short break and taking photos, you will return to Kibo Huts. Your descent will follow the same path and the lava ash will now have thawed and will allow for a fast pace to arrive at Kibo Huts by late afternoon. The rest of your climbing crew will be waiting for you here. You will have lunch and rest for 1 hr.

16⁰⁰ Hrs – You will descend and make your way down to Horombo Huts which is 3,700 m above sea level to arrive before sunset. Dinner and overnight stay at ([Horombo Huts](#)) (Full Board).

Day 6. Horombo Huts / Arusha.

06⁰⁰ Hrs – Breakfast at [Horombo Huts](#).

07⁰⁰ Hrs – You will have a traditional farewell ceremony after breakfast from the mountain crew. If you are happy with their services you can appreciate them in monetary form such as tokens of appreciation or any other format you may feel is befitting. However note that you are under no obligation to give or not to give tips.

08⁰⁰ Hrs – You will embark on a moderate 3-4 hours descend through the heather and moor zone to Mandara Huts in time for lunch and a short rest.

13⁰⁰ Hrs – After lunch you will descend again for 6 hours through the lush tropical rainforest to the same Marangu gate where you will meet your transferring driver back to Arusha or other onward wildlife safari. You will sign out at the gate and obtain your Kilimanjaro certificate to celebrate your achievement. Dinner and overnight stay at your booked ([Hotel in Arusha](#)) (Full Board).

Day 7. Arusha / Kilimanjaro International Airport.

07⁰⁰ Hrs - Breakfast at your booked [Hotel in Arusha](#).

09⁰⁰ Hrs - You will spend the day at leisure in your booked hotel. You can go shopping for souvenirs, artifacts and Tanzanian art in Arusha town centre. Lunch is on your own account.

17⁰⁰-18⁰⁰Hrs - You will be transferred to Kilimanjaro International airport to catch your international flight or catch your local light aircraft flight to Dar es Salaam or Nairobi for your onward international connection. (Breakfast only).

Approx. price per person – US\$	2pax	4pax	6pax	8pax
High Season Rate (starts from)	4399	4290	4215	4200
Low Season Rate (starts from)	4270	4195	4130	4105

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Terms that apply to this Safari.

[[Climb Mt. Kilimanjaro](#)  **Marangu Route** : (Most popular) ✓ (Group size: 16 people max)]

Recommended hotels.

- Arusha accommodation will be Bed & Breakfast (B&B) in **Onsea House & Machweo**.
(See hotel details here: **Onsea House** - <http://www.crombietours.com/tanzania1/onseahouse.html>).
- Mt. Kilimanjaro National Park will be full-board in the following camp sites:
(Mandara Huts / Horombo Huts / Kibo Huts / Horombo Huts / Mandara Huts).

Tour vehicle and light aircraft:

Your tour will be using a seven-seater minibus or seven-seater land cruiser to the game park. Tour vehicles are well equipped with cool boxes, binoculars and first aid kits. Seats in the tour vehicles and light air craft for your air safari shall be provided according to your booked itinerary and number of tourists in a group. Groups of **4, 5, 6** or **7** tourists travelling together may be allocated one **(1) tour vehicle** if they so desire. No alterations to seat arrangements will be made at the inconvenience of other parties.

Note: Please inform us for exclusive use of light aircrafts for air safaris. Exclusive light aircrafts use will be at a small additional cost.

Tour guides.

English speaking drivers/tour guides are provided. For non-English speaking tourists, any person engaged as a translator will be charged on them.

Game drives.

Most hotels provide game drives on 4x4 land cruisers/land rovers with open sides to give you a close-up maximum animal view but where the 4x4's are not available for your game drive, your tour vehicle will take on your game drive.

Prices.

Prices quoted are based on 2 people sharing a double/twin room i.e. double occupancy. Single supplement applies. Prices are valid for travel during the travel season indicated on your itinerary quotation and the accommodation units suggested are subject to availability. Where an accommodation unit you have requested is not available we will propose a different unit offering equitable value and services. Please contact us to enquire.

Inclusions.

- Transfer from Kilimanjaro Airport (JRO) to Arusha on arrival
- Transfer from Arusha to Kilimanjaro Airport (JRO) on departure
- Game viewing in 4x4 Land Cruiser with pop-up roof on exclusive basis
- Services of a professional English-speaking driver guide
- Meals as per itinerary
- Drinking water while on safari provided in safari vehicle
- Park fees and conservations fees as per itinerary
- Government taxes and levies
- Camping/hut fees.
- Rescue fees.
- Transfer to and from the mountain.
- Salaries for Kilimanjaro support staff.
- Sleeping tents or hut camping.
- Sleeping mattresses.
- Cooking and eating utensils.
- Oximeter.

Exclusions:

- Tourist visas
- Personal travel/medical insurance
- Optional activities not mentioned in itinerary
- Soft drinks or alcoholic beverages
- Tips for driver guide and hotel/lodge/camp staff
- Any items of personal nature (laundry service, telephone/internet bills, souvenirs)
- Any domestic flights not on itinerary
- Any international flights and departure taxes

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- Private portable toilet and privacy tent.
- Sleeping bag and personal items
- Extra activities
- Extra nights (\$240 per person per day)

Excursions:

Prices for excursions such as air balloon are not included and must be booked separately. It is advisable that you book them early to avoid disappointment.

Payments:

Bookings and reservations must be confirmed **90 days** prior to your arrival date at the Lodge. Bookings not secured by the appropriate payment will be released.

Enquiring on this Safari package:

Contact us on the above address, telephone or e-mail. Our tour desk is ready to offer help, advice, complete prices and any other assistance you may require. It is good to know that we can tailor a tour that suites your needs and budget. See other accommodation options available if you are looking for a tailored *Climbing Mt. Kilimanjaro safari* under the tab Lodges where you downloaded this safari from and tell us to quote for you on any other unit that you choose. Tailor made safaris works best for larger groups and families.

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