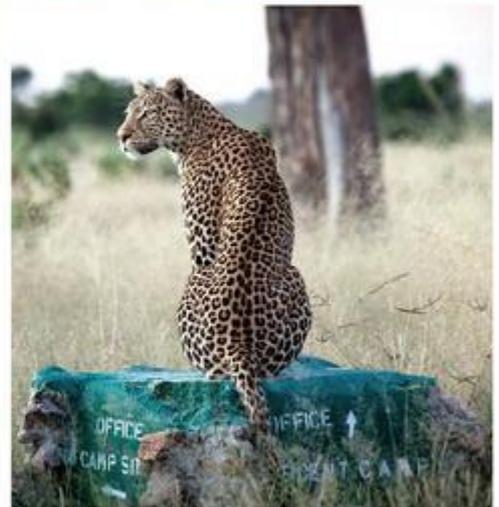


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BOTSWANA IS OUR HOME SAFARIS ARE OUR PASSION



12 Nights Jewels of Africa

Zambezi National Park - Chobe National Park - Okavango Delta - Johannesburg - Vilankulos
13 Days / 12 Nights



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Introduction

Start	Accommodation	Destination	Basis	Duration
Day 1	Old Drift Lodge	Zambezi National Park	FI	2 Nights
Day 3	Chobe Game Lodge	Chobe National Park	FI	2 Nights
Day 5	Kanana	Okavango Delta	FI	2 Nights
Day 7	African Rock Hotel & Spa	Johannesburg	D,B&B	1 Night
Day 8	Santorini Mozambique	Vilankulos	FI	5 Nights

Key

D,B&B: Dinner, Bed and Breakfast. FI: Fully Inclusive - Bed, All Meals, Fees and Activities

Included

Air Rescue Insurance

Travel For Impact (Safari Specialists)

Transport

Flight Information

Date	Flight	Details
Day 5	Shared Charter Flight	Kasane Airport [BBK] – Kanana Airstrip
Day 7	Shared Charter Flight	Kanana Airstrip – Maun International Airport [MUB]

Transfers

Date	Vehicle	Details
Day 1	Shared Road Transfer	Victoria Falls International Airport [VFA] – Old Drift Lodge
Day 3	Private Road Transfer	Old Drift Lodge – Chobe Game Lodge
Day 5	Chobe Game Lodge	Chobe Game Lodge – Kasane Airport [BBK]
Day 7	Shared Road Transfer	OR Tambo International Airport [JNB] – African Rock Hotel & Spa
Day 8	Shared Road Transfer	African Rock Hotel & Spa – OR Tambo International Airport [JNB]
Day 8	Shared Road Transfer	Vilanculos Airport [VNX] – Santorini Mozambique
Day 13	Shared Road Transfer	Santorini Mozambique – Vilanculos Airport [VNX]

12 Nights Jewels Of Africa Superior

Season	Per Person Sharing	Single Supplement
11 January - 28 February 2026*	USD 8,280	USD 1,540
March 2026	USD 9,340	USD 2,370
April 2026**	USD 10,245	USD 3,240
May 2026	USD 10,940	USD 4,050
June - October 2026	USD 11,880	USD 4,395
November 2026	USD 9,895	USD 2,370

- **Note that regional flights are not included (Maun – Johannesburg – Vilanculos)**, discuss flight recommendations with your consultant or request a quote.
- **Santorini* is closed 16 Feb – 16 March 2026**, discuss alternatives with your consultant
- **Santorini Mozambique is quoted using Santa Carolina villa**, discuss alternatives with your consultant
- **Kanana Camp** Easter surcharge** for any nights between 01-08 April 2026, contact us for a specific quote if travelling in April.
- **Old Drift Lodge offers a free night** from 11 Jan – 31 March and 01 Nov – 20 December 2026, excludes \$50 conservation levy per person.
- Old Drift Lodge and Santorini offer honeymoon special rates, cannot be combined with other specials used (pay 3/stay 4 at Santorini). Contact us for a tailor-made quote.

- Please note that where a booking crosses over 2 different rate periods e.g. October & November, neither rate in the price table above is applicable – please request a quote from our team.
- The above rate is subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances such as major currency fluctuations, VAT and Government tax increases, fuel surcharges and increases in national park fees.
- **PLEASE NOTE*** Due to a recent change in VAT in Zimbabwe, the above rates are provisional and may increase. Final rates will be confirmed and advised at the time of quotation.
- Single supplement is for accommodation only, applicable when travelling with more than 2 guests and excludes a flying surcharge. *For guests travelling solo – rates are available on request
- All rates are subject to availability at the time of booking
- All water-based activities are subject to water levels at time of travel.



Travel for Impact – Responsible Travel

By booking this itinerary, you donate USD\$2 for every night of travel per person on the booking. Your donation goes to **Travel for Impact (TFI)** and ensures that your safari has a meaningful impact on the people who live locally. For more information on giving back to your chosen destination of travel, visit www.travelforimpact.com



Okavango Air Rescue

Please note that we include a fee into all our packages for a local medivac in case of an emergency. Please discuss further details with your consultant and for more information, visit <http://www.okavangorescue.com/>

Day 1-3

Old Drift Lodge, Zambezi National Park

Day Itinerary

Upon arrival at Victoria Falls Airport proceed through Customs/Immigration visa fees to be advised by your consultant) and collect your luggage before you are met outside the terminal building by a local representative for the onward shared road transfer to The Old Drift Lodge, where you spend two nights on a fully inclusive basis with shared activities.



Zambezi National Park is a National Park located upstream, just 5km from Victoria Falls on the Zambezi River in Zimbabwe and comprises 40km of Zambezi River frontage. It was split off from Victoria Falls National Park in 1979 and is 56,000 hectares (140,000 acres) in size. The park is bisected by a road to Kazungula, dividing it into a riverine side and a Chamabondo Vlei side. Most of the park is within the ecoregion of Zambezian and Mopane woodlands, while a small portion in the south is within the Zambezian Baikiaea woodlands.

The Zambezi National Park plays host to a wide variety of larger mammals including African elephant, lion, Cape buffalo and leopard. In addition to these charismatic members of the "big 5" there are herds of sable antelope, common eland, common zebra, Southern giraffe, greater kudu, waterbuck and impala. In addition, many species of smaller wildlife can be seen here.

Overnight: Old Drift Lodge [View iBrochure](#)

Includes: meals, selected activities, local drinks, conservation levy, Zambezi National Park fees, town shuttle and rain forest entry fee

Excludes: premium drinks, additional activities, laundry

Included Activities: morning and afternoon game drives and river safaris, bush walks, guided Tour of the Falls

Old Drift Lodge nestles in the untouched, beautiful surrounds of the Zambezi National Park, only 4.5km upstream from Victoria Falls. An abundance of wildlife inhabits the park which can be explored by road, river or on foot. The region's rich natural heritage is reflected in the lodge's fourteen graceful, tented rooms. All carefully styled rooms feature spacious, ensuite bedrooms with indoor/ outdoor showers, outdoor "bath with a view", complimentary mini bar drinks in rooms, deck and private plunge pool. Four are ensuite family rooms.

With sweeping 360° views from the splendour of the Zambezi River through to a waterhole (and back to the river), the main lodge area boasts a breath-taking dining and bar setting. Game drives follow the river course whilst pontoon boat safaris offer unique views of wildlife along the banks as well as in the water. Large mammals including giraffe, eland, zebra, elephants and buffaloes roam the park, as do secretive predators. Guided bush walks afford fascinating ways to discover the smaller creatures, plants and numerous birds of the park. A guided Tour of the Falls bring guests incredibly close to the awe-inspiring Falls.

Airport Transfer Time: 40 minutes from Victoria Falls Airport



Day 3-5

Chobe Game Lodge, Chobe National Park

Day Itinerary

Following breakfast and a possible morning activity (time permitting), you are met in the main area by a local representative for your cross-border road transfer into Botswana and further out to Chobe Game Lodge. You will stay here for two nights on a fully inclusive basis (activities are shared with other guests).



The Chobe River Front is a remarkable wildlife area due to the permanent water source of the Chobe River. However, its accessibility from Kasane and neighbouring towns of Victoria Falls and Livingstone has created quite a busy tourist area with larger hotels and lodges than you find in the more remote Okavango Delta. The spectacle of all the animals coming to drink and frolic at the water's edge is one to behold, particularly in the dry season (May - Oct) where water is scarce away from the river. It is an area famous for its abundance of elephants, a variety of predators and, in addition, you are likely to see herds of buffalo and possibly even roan and sable antelope. In the rainy season (Nov - Apr) the game is much less concentrated at the river as the wildlife spread throughout the greater area of Chobe National Park due to availability of surface water from nearby pans. This assists the vegetation on the riverbanks in recovering from the massive herds that are attracted to the area in the dry months. The summer rains bring beautiful wildflowers, exquisite scenery, impressive bird life and an abundance of young animals usually born around November/December. The spectacular Chobe sunsets alone are worth a visit to the area. Please note that activities are restricted within the national park in accordance with government rules and regulations: these include no driving off-road, no walking and no driving after dark.

Chobe Game Lodge is the only lodge situated within the National Park. The remainder of the lodges, hotels and guesthouses in the Chobe area are located along the river in the town of Kasane, adjacent to the park. In addition, there are some lodges situated further out of Kasane and in the Chobe Forestry Reserve, namely Muchenje Safari Lodge and Elephant Valley Lodge for those looking for something in more of a bush setting.

Overnight: Chobe Game Lodge [View iBrochure](#)

Includes: meals, local drinks, activities, park fees, laundry and Intermittent Wi-Fi .

Excludes: premium drinks

Activities: game drives and boating

Chobe Game Lodge is the only permanent lodge situated within the boundaries of Chobe National Park. Built along the riverbanks with spectacular views of the Chobe River and floodplains, this well-established lodge is a prime venue for guests to explore the Chobe National Park

Guests are accommodated in a relaxed and luxurious environment in tune with a timeless Africa. Chobe Game Lodge has forty-eight rooms which are river facing, offering air conditioning and overhead fans, a

complimentary mini bar, en-suite bathrooms and tea and coffee making facilities. All rooms have a private terrace.

Other facilities at the lodge include a large swimming pool with terrace, a riverside boma area, a fully equipped conference room, internet lounge, gym, beauty salon, stylish bar with an outside terrace overlooking the Chobe River and a cigar bar with a champion sized billiard table. Chobe Game Lodge also has a reference library with lounge and therefore offers plenty of areas for you to relax between game drives. Meals are catered for at the terrace restaurant overlooking the Chobe River.

Your days will be spent exploring the Chobe National Park in open 4x4 safari vehicles led by professional guides, and boat cruises along the Chobe River.

Chobe National Park

This property is located within the Chobe National Park, providing the prime bush location for exploring the Chobe Riverfront. The location inside the park gives guests the advantage of a head start on vehicle traffic entering the Riverfront from Kasane for activities, and therefore a more exclusive Chobe safari.

Airport Transfer Time: 30 minutes



Day 5-7

Kanana, Okavango Delta

Day Itinerary

Following breakfast and a possible morning activity (time permitting), transfer to Kasane Airport where you are assisted with check in for your light aircraft transfer to the Okavango Delta. You spend the following two nights at Kanana Camp on a fully inclusive basis (activities are shared with other guests).

Please note that the flight is booked on a 'seat rate' basis and therefore flight times are not scheduled until the day prior to flying, lodge managers will arrange your activities and transfers accordingly. Please note that there is a strict luggage restriction on all light aircraft flights of 15kg per person in soft bags, plus hand luggage.



The Okavango Delta is where the wild things are: an immense, waterlogged oasis alive with elephants and birdlife, adrift in the middle of Kalahari sands. The real magic of the Delta lies in its water, trickling through from far away highlands, and spreading across the channels and floodplains.

During winter in the Kalahari, when the sun has baked the earth bare and turned the desert its driest, water fills the Okavango; transforming the floodplains into a Noah's Ark of African wildlife.

As the water brings life to the delta, its local residents shape and recreate it. Termites slowly build mounds into islands, germinated with palm trees by passing elephants. Waterways open and close on the whim of wide-bottomed hippos, carving out channels where they crash through reeds, and leaving room behind them for exploration by mokoro.

The Okavango has many faces, which change throughout the year, prompted by that most unpredictable diva of all: the weather. Water levels rise and drop, expanding and shrinking islands, while animals move where the life is easiest and the grass greenest. In a few days, a sandy road driven by vehicle can become a waterway of unknowable depth, prompting a safari by boat instead.

Where and when you stay in the Okavango Delta will hugely influence what you do in the bush each day, the animals you're most likely to see and finally, the safari experience you'll have.

The delta's watery heart is best discovered by mokoro through shallow channels and floodplains, as well as crossing the islands on foot. For less water and more of the big game, visit a camp on its drier edges (including Moremi Game Reserve and the Khwai Community Area), jump on a vehicle and seek out the animals hiding in the woodlands.

Overnight: Kanana [View iBrochure](#)

Includes: meals, local drinks, activities, park fees, laundry and Intermittent Wi-Fi .

Excludes: premium drinks

Activities: day and night game drives, mokoro, boat cruises, fishing (all water activities are seasonal & water level dependent) and walking safaris

Kanana Camp is set in the southwestern reaches of the Okavango Delta, where lush grass-covered islands rise from fertile, eroded termite mounds. This area, northeast of the Pom Pom lagoon, is crisscrossed by the meandering channels of the Xudum River. It's a spectacularly scenic corner of the delta, marked by open lagoons, reed-fringed waterways, and a scattering of fig, palm, and jackalberry trees. The environment is constantly shifting with the water levels, creating a dynamic safari experience where land and water activities alternate with the seasons.

The camp features eight large safari-style tents, including a family unit, all built to blend seamlessly with the surrounding vegetation. Shaded by ebony, acacia, and sausage trees, the tents are well-spaced for privacy, with en-suite bathrooms. Raised wooden decks offer guests peaceful views of the surrounding bush and channels, making each tent a quiet, immersive hideaway.

The main area is built on raised decking that wraps around ancient trees, creating a natural and inviting space to relax between activities. Guests can gather in the open-sided lounge or enjoy meals in the dining area, with a cocktail bar and plunge pool completing the relaxed and sociable atmosphere.

Activities at Kanana vary with the seasons and include day and night game drives, mokoro excursions, boating, guided walks, fishing, and sunset cruises. The camp also has access to a seasonal heronry, one of the delta's rare birding treasures, where thousands of water birds—such as storks and Pel's Fishing Owl—nest from July onwards.

For a truly memorable experience, guests staying two nights or more between April and November can pre-book the sleepout deck (at a surcharge) and spend a night under the stars, surrounded by the sounds of the delta.

Airstrip Transfer Time: 30 minutes



Day 7

African Rock Hotel & Spa, a Boutique Lifestyle Resort, Johannesburg

Day Itinerary

Following breakfast and a possible morning activity or a morning at leisure (flight time permitting) you will transfer to the airstrip followed by a light aircraft to Maun Airport in time for own onwards travel arrangements to Johannesburg (flight not included*).

Upon arrival into O.R Tambo International Airport (visa fees to be advised by your consultant), you are be met by a local representative for the short transfer to African Rock Hotel & Spa where you will overnight in a luxury suite on a dinner, bed and breakfast basis.

Note: *Safari Specialists can assist with regional flight bookings (Maun - Johannesburg - Vilankulos) with our local agent, please discuss with your consultant.



Johannesburg is one of Africa's largest and most vibrant cities. It is an economic powerhouse in Africa and the gateway to Southern Africa. This bustling city offers a wide range of activities, attractions and plenty to do in and around the city including nearby Pretoria. Downtown is a multi-cultural mixture of traditional medicine shops, Chinese restaurants, taxi ranks and ultra-modern skyscrapers. There are excellent museums, art galleries and organised tours of historical and political interest. The shopping is Southern Africa's best and the many restaurants cater for all tastes. Soweto, a township steeped in history and a significant part of the Greater Johannesburg metropolitan area, is a popular tourist destination.

Overnight: African Rock Hotel & Spa, a Boutique Lifestyle Resort

[View iBrochure](#)

Includes: Bed and Breakfast. Please refer to detailed itinerary for additional meals and activities booked.

This boutique hotel is located 11 kilometres from the Johannesburg International Airport - O.R. Tambo, in the quiet suburb of Kempton Park away from the flight path of arriving and departing planes.

African Rock Hotel has 9 rooms that can accommodate 18 guests. A well-established lush tropical garden, a swimming pool and large patio ensures relaxing outdoor living. The interior "look and feel" boasts a successful fusion of African, Western and Oriental design trends and offers a warm, welcoming and relaxing atmosphere. The Blue Hippo Restaurant at African Rock Hotel has a fusion cuisine, Western with an African touch & vice versa.

It has quick and easy highway access to Johannesburg, the Sandton area as well as Pretoria. The hotel has a shuttle service to the airport and other destinations, city and country tours booking office and wellness and beauty treatments.

Airport Transfer Time: 20 - 30 minutes



Day 8-13

Santorini Mozambique, Vilankulos

Day Itinerary

Following breakfast and a morning at leisure, transfer back to O.R Tambo International Airport for your own onward travel arrangements to Mozambique (flight not included).

Upon arrival into Vilanculous Airport (visa fees to be advised by your consultant), collect your luggage and head into the arrivals hall where a local representative will meet and assist with your shared road transfer to Santorini Mozambique. Here, you spend five nights in the Main Villa - Santa Carolina Suite on a fully inclusive basis.



Vilanculos (or Vilankulo) is a coastal town in Mozambique, lying in the Vilanculos District of Inhambane Province. Vilankulo is named after historical local tribal chief Ganiala Vilankulo Mukoke, and some of the "bairros" (suburbs) are named after his sons. During colonial times the name was changed to Vilanculos since the Portuguese do not use the letter K much, and commonly use the 'ssh' sound of the S. At independence the name was changed back to Vilankulo - with a K and no S. Today the district is called Vilanculos and the

town Vilankulo. It has been the recipient of considerable inward investment into its tourism infrastructure. It is the gateway to the famous Bazaruto archipelago where Dhows and engine-powered fishing boats travel between the town and the islands transporting goods and people. The town itself is only about 5kms long filled with all the amenities needed to make your visit comfortable, yet local. The airport is based on the outside of the town with flights arriving and departing on a daily basis. Vilankulo has an array of options when it comes to bars (barracas) and restaurants. If local is more your flavour, work your way from The Market in the center of town towards the main beaches of Vilankulo.

Overnight: Santorini Mozambique [View iBrochure](#)

Includes: meals, selected drinks, welcome 15 min spa treatment, return Vilankulos airport transfers, laundry and specified in house activities

Excludes: spa treatments, premium drinks, boating excursions, additional activities with associated park fees

Included activities: unguided and non- motorized activities (kayaks and stand up paddle boarding, snorkelling equipment, beach games), Chigamane Primary School visit (Mon-Fri only & during school terms), on a minimum 3nt stay one complimentary shared snorkelling trip to Bazaruto Island (shared)

Excluded activities: all motorized and guided activities.

Villa Santorini sits on an elevated point north of Vilanculos, surrounded by dense coastal vegetation with its own stretch of beach overlooking the Bazaruto Archipelago. At each of Santorini's elegant villas, attentive staff are at hand to attend to all guests' requirements.

The Main Villa has a multifaceted living structure comprised of a lounge, library, outdoor cocktail bar, wine cellar, dining areas and pool courtyard, where guests can relax. The Main Villa has five spacious, airconditioned, ensuite bedrooms that feature private patios and breath-taking sea views.

Santorini also offers villas on an exclusive use basis. The Chapel features a spacious lounge, bar, dining areas and private pool. Two airconditioned sea facing bedrooms with ensuite bathrooms complete the villa. Villa Da Praia at Santorini is generously sized, with split level living spaces consisting of a lounge, dining area and private pool. Two bedrooms have ocean views from their private patios, and one bedroom overlooks a scenic garden terrace. All bedrooms are ensuite and airconditioned.

Spa treatments can be enjoyed at the Main Villa at additional cost. Additional activities available at additional cost include boat charters, scuba diving, bill fishing, horse riding, kite surfing, dhow trips, scenic helicopter flights and beach biking.

Airport transfer: 20 minutes from Vilanculos Airport



Day 13

End of Itinerary

Day Itinerary

Enjoy the pristine setting before you have a shared road transfer back to Vilankulous Airport for own onward travel arrangements (flight not included).

Travel Information

Please take note of our Booking Terms & Conditions. It will be understood that these have been read and accepted by you on receipt of confirmation of the booking.

- For your safety and peace of mind, on confirmation of your booking, we strongly recommend that Travel Insurance is arranged to cover cancellation, curtailment, emergency evacuation, medical and repatriation expenses, damage/theft/loss of personal luggage, money and goods.
- Road and air transfers and activities are quoted on a seat basis (shared) unless otherwise requested or specified. Passengers may have various stops enroute to a destination. The transfer or charter company reserves the right to specify departure and arrival times. Private charters and airport assistance from arrival to departure can be requested at an additional cost.
- Passengers exceeding 100kg are kindly asked to notify us at the time of booking as a surcharge may be applicable on internal flights due to smaller aircraft having strict weight limits in compliance with industry safety regulations.
- The costs are subject to change at any time due to fluctuations in fuel costs, taxes, levies, government regulations, rate of exchange and factors that are imposed upon us by our suppliers that are beyond our control.
- Please advise us of the ages of children (under 18) travelling, together with their date of birth, at the time of booking as not all lodges accept children and there may be restrictions or conditions which can affect pricing.
- We recommend that optional activities be booked in advance at time of confirmation to guarantee availability e.g. Dinner cruises in Victoria Falls
- Please allow a minimum 2-3 hours connection time in Johannesburg for international flights. It is important that you check that your flight tickets have been issued in your full names as per your passport. Ensure that your luggage is checked through to your final destination to avoid the need to collect and recheck it during transit, such as at OR Tambo International Airport
- We require full payment for international and domestic scheduled flights at the time of confirmation e.g. Airlink JNB/MUB, Proflight LIV/LUN within Zambia. We are not able to guarantee any flights before receipt of payment as seats are often held for a limited period before ticketing is required so this is a time sensitive issue. Air tickets are considered nonrefundable unless otherwise specified. Please confirm the details with your consultant at the time of booking.

Passports, Visas and Travel Documentation

Your passport must have at least 6 months validity before the expiry date and 6 empty pages (not including the endorsement pages). The onus is upon the guests to ensure that passports and visas are valid for the countries visited. Please note that certain visas can take up to 3 months to be processed so please consider this when booking.

If you are travelling with children through Southern Africa, please be aware that you will be required to have certified copies of their unabridged birth certificates, and passports on hand. If you are not their legal parents, or if only one of you is travelling – you will need to have consent in the form of an affidavit giving you permission to travel with the child.

Inter-camp transfers

Due to the remote locations of the areas in Southern Africa - your itinerary may include road, boat, helicopter and air transfers in small aircraft.

On shared air transfers, all the flight times between lodges are arranged a few days before the flights take place to avoid endless schedule changes. The lodge or camp where you are staying will be advised of your departure time the day before travel and will ensure that you are at the airstrip on time. Although every effort will be made to ensure that guests are transferred together in one vehicle / aircraft, this cannot be guaranteed, especially with larger groups. The aircraft used for inter-camp transfers vary in size from 3-, 5-, 7- and 12-seater aircraft. We recommend that guests susceptible to motion sickness take appropriate precautions due to flying conditions.

Weight & Luggage Restrictions

There are strict luggage restrictions in place on any itinerary, which includes light aircraft transfers for safety reasons. Luggage, including camera equipment and hand luggage, is restricted to 20 kg per person travelling on seat rates. Only soft bags will be accepted - no hard suitcases or bags with rigid frames can be transported, as they physically cannot fit into the aircraft.

The maximum dimensions of the soft bags that can be accommodated are as follows: 25cm/10 inches wide x 30cm/11 inches high and 62cm/24 inches long. Please keep in mind that the baggage compartments on the light aircraft are only 25cm high, so the pilots must have the ability to manipulate the bag into the compartment. Note that laundry can be done on a daily basis at most camps and lodges and they also offer amenities (shower gel/shampoo).

Should you arrive with excess baggage without prior warning, your baggage could be delayed, as we may have to fly the baggage into camp at a later stage at considerable extra cost to you. However, should you notify us in advance that your baggage will exceed the limit; we may be able to assist you with alternative arrangements e.g. storage or purchase of additional luggage allowance.

For bookings including flights within Zambia & Mozambique, please note luggage weight exceptions under destination information.

Lost Luggage

Lost luggage on international flights is a common problem facing travellers today. We suggest that you pack a small bag with your essentials, including any life sustaining medication, which can be carried with you as hand luggage. If travelling as a couple or family we suggest that you split your clothing between bags so that if one bag gets lost, you will have basic items on hand to see you through the first couple of days while we try and recover your lost baggage.

Please note that whilst we try our utmost to locate and re-unite you with your bags, that there may be charges involved in getting your bags to remote areas, which would be for your cost. Please remember to report the lost luggage to the airline as soon as you make the discovery - the airline will issue you with a Baggage Claim Form, which you will need in order for us to trace the bag.

Health and Dietary

Please note that you are travelling to a Malaria-risk area. Please consult your doctor for medical advice prior to travel.

Although usually safe to drink, we do not recommend that you drink the tap water. Filtered water is available at the camps and lodges.

The camps are remote, with limited power supply and access to resources, so it is very important to notify us in advance of any special dietary requirements, medical conditions and medical equipment you may need with you. Please carry critical medication in your hand luggage.

Yellow Fever Certificates - are only required if you have travelled to a Yellow Fever area as designated by the World Health Organisation. Please check with your Travel Clinic or doctor well in advance of your departure date.

General Travel Information

- Safari Camps and lodges offer limited electricity usually generated by solar or generator in order to make provision for charging cameras and electronic devices.
- Please ensure that you do not pack any valuables, cameras, cash, laptops travel documents and medication in your checked in luggage – these should be kept on your person at all times.
- Please notify us immediately of any changes to flight arrival and departure details as this affects onward transfer arrangements.
- Please note that most camps & lodges in Botswana do not have double beds. Twin beds are pushed together to make up a double room.
- Although every effort is made to adhere to schedules the company reserves the right and in fact is obliged to occasionally change routes and camps on safaris as dictated by changing conditions or unforeseen circumstances.
- By confirmation of the booking, you acknowledge that you have been made aware and accept that the tour carries inherent risks, and that you voluntarily assume all risks which are associated with the tour. You will be required to sign indemnities at the various camps, lodges and service providers, and abide by their operators' code of conduct in order to ensure your safety.
- If you have any cause for complaint while travelling, you should immediately bring it to the attention of the camp manager and / or our Maun office that will attempt to resolve the situation immediately.
- Do not remove any animal artefacts, flora or fauna from any of the areas you visit, as there are strict international regulations on the export of such items.



Currency

From June 2019 the Zimbabwean Dollar (Z\$) was reinstated as the official currency of Zimbabwe. However, for tourism purposes, cash in US Dollars is generally the accepted currency. US\$ Dollar notes (2007 Series onwards), and Visa and MasterCard are accepted. Always have enough US\$ cash available in smaller denominations in the event where ATM's and Credit Card facilities are not operational.

Visa

Fees for Visitors to Zimbabwe who are eligible to receive their visa on entry

Europe and USA: US\$ 30.00 for single entry/ US\$ 45.00 for double entry.

UK & Ireland: US\$ 55.00 for single entry/ US\$ 70.00 for double entry.

Canada: US\$ 75.00 for single entry/ double entry to be obtained from local embassy prior to travel

Some visitors need to apply for visas before arrival - please check with your Embassy, Zimbabwe Government Visa Requirements. ALWAYS have cash available in the correct US\$ amount at ALL ports of entry.

All travelers entering Zimbabwe are required to complete the Zimbabwe arrival form online the day before arrival. Please click on this link to fill in the form: <https://evisa.gov.zw/app/index.html#/standby-kiosk>

Useful Links: <https://africaseden.travel/tourist-visa-info/>

Internal Flights and Transfers

Due to the remote areas the camps and lodges are based in, transfers between camps may take place by boat, train, game drive vehicle or light aircraft.

Road transfers to and from Hwange Safari Lodge/ Hwange Main Camp have scheduled departure times, any transfer outside these times will attract a surcharge.

Departure Taxes

International departure taxes are included in the scheduled flight rates. However light aircraft transfers from Victoria Falls Airport to Livingstone or Kasane require an International Departure tax of US\$35 per person & AIDF Levy of US\$15 = US\$50 per person to be paid in cash.

Domestic departure taxes are payable in cash at the airport, for any flights departing internally from any registered, manned airport. These include Harare, Bulawayo, Kariba, Hwange and Victoria Falls Airport. The amount is US\$10 departure tax + US\$5 AIDF Levy = US\$15 per person. We recommend small denominations for easier and quicker transactions as change is not always available. Traveller's cheques and credit cards are NOT accepted.

Weight & Luggage Restrictions

See Booking Information



Visa

Some visitors need to apply for visas before arrival please check with your Embassy.

For more information on visas please visit the following address:

Botswana Government - Visa Requirements

BORDER CROSSINGS

Currency

The currency of Botswana is the Pula (BWP). US\$ Dollar notes (2007 Series onwards), and Visa and MasterCard are accepted.

Internal Flights and Transfers

Due to the remote areas the camps and lodges are based in, transfers between camps may take place by boat, mokoro, game drive vehicle or light aircraft.

Flight times around Botswana | Approximate flying times

Flight duration times (as listed below), are to be used as an average guideline. They are based on actual flying time, and passengers may have various stops en-route to a destination affecting the total travel time. Your pilot will brief you of your flight route and duration during the safety briefing.

Maun - Delta: 15 to 30 minutes

Delta – Delta: 10 to 20 minutes

Delta - Linyanti: 30 to 40 minutes

Maun – Linyanti: 50 to 60 minutes
Linyanti - Kasane: 40 to 60 minutes
Maun/Delta - Kasane: 60 to 80 minutes
Maun - Makgadikgadi/Desert: 40 to 60 minutes

Departure Taxes

Departure taxes are included in ticket prices.

Weight & Luggage Restrictions

See Booking Information



Currency

The currency of South Africa is the South African Rand (ZAR). Visa and Master card are the most widely accepted credit cards, though larger establishments will take American Express and Diners Card.

Visa

Many nationalities can enter South Africa for up to 90 days on a travel visa, granted on arrival provided you have appropriate travel documentations.

Some visitors need to apply for visas (** New Zealanders please check current visa requirements **) before arrival - please check with your Embassy, or Home Affairs in South Africa prior to making travel arrangements.

Internal Flights and Transfers

There are many options for transfers/transport in South Africa.

Self drive is a very common way to explore South Africa due to a good road network, with many international car hire companies to choose from.

Road transfers are available for all airport transfers as well as from major cities to nearby attractions including from Johannesburg to Kruger National Park and Madikwe Game Reserve.

There are a wide range of scheduled flights between major cities in South Africa on SAA, British Airways/Comair, Mango, Kulula and more low-cost airlines.

There is a network of light aircraft scheduled transfers from Johannesburg to Kruger and Madikwe as well as the option of private charter flights, quoted on request.

Departure Taxes

International departure taxes generally included in all flights.

Weight & Luggage Restrictions

See Booking Information



Currency

The currency of Mozambique is the Metical (Meticais plural) MTZ. There is limited acceptance of credit cards at hotels and restaurants, as well as ATM machines in major towns only. However, these are not reliable and a backup of hard currency is recommended. USD and ZAR are commonly exchanged for local currency. Please note that the local currency has no value outside Mozambique.

Visa

29 countries have a Visa Exemption yet are still required to obtain the Electronic Travel Authorisation (ETA)

These countries have visa-free travel to Mozambique for up to 30 days (with a possible extension) since May 1, 2023. Currently, their citizens need an ETA beforehand:

Belgium, Canada, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Ghana, Indonesia, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Singapore, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom, United States.

The TOURISM VISA EXEMPTION allows for 30 days of stay, renewable to an additional 30 days.

Visa costs entering Mozambique:

Traveller covered by the VISA EXEMPTION must pay a TAX FEE on arrival in CASH ONLY: MZN 650 = USD 11 = ZAR 220 = EURO 10

SADC citizens do not need any entry visa

The Southern African Development Community (SADC) is a Regional Economic Community comprising 16 member States; Angola, Botswana, Comoros, Democratic Republic of Congo, Eswatini, Lesotho, Madagascar, Malawi, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, Seychelles, South Africa, United Republic Tanzania, Zambia and Zimbabwe. NO booking confirmation (Visa Letter) will be required.

International visitors - not listed in SADC or VISA EXEMPTION - CAN GET TOURISM VISA ON ARRIVAL at Vilanculos Airport, however may need to complete an online form prior to arrival.

The Tourism Visa applied on arrival in Mozambique is the BORDER VISA / VISTO DE FRONTERA, available for tourism purposes at the borders since 2017: it allows travellers to stay in Mozambique 30 days only, not renewable, 2 entries during the stay.

The BORDER VISA / VISTO DE FRONTERA cost is USD 50 per person and payment is CASH ONLY (USD / EURO / ZAR / MZN currencies are all accepted). Please note that credit card payment is NOT accepted, there are NO credit card facilities (POS) and there are NO ATM on arrival at Vilanculos Airport. NO booking confirmation (Visa Letter) will be required.

What a traveller still needs to show when they arrive in Mozambique:

Besides the approved ETA, the following will have to be presented:

- For Tourists:
 - A passport that's valid for at least 6 months after departure from Mozambique
 - Proof of where they will be staying and letter of invitation.
 - Return flight ticket.
 - Proof that they have enough money for their trip (ie a recent bank statement).

Plan ahead to avoid problems at the border:

Mozambican authorities are serious about this new ETA requirement. No ETA means travelers won't be allowed in. Please ensure the following:

- Apply for the ETA at least 48 hours before the flight.
- Double-check that all passports will be valid for at least 6 months after departure from Mozambique.
- Keep a printed or digital copy of their ETA and all other important travel documents handy.

This new rule is part of a growing global trend where countries are using digital systems to screen travelers before they arrive. By making the arrival process more efficient, Mozambique hopes to make visits safer and more predictable for both travelers and border officials.

Where to apply: Go to <https://www.evisa.gov.mz/>

Useful Links: <https://africaseden.travel/tourist-visa-info/>

Internal Flights and Transfers

There are limited transfer options in Mozambique.

Self drive is an option in the very Southern coastal region, though roads away from the main highway are unlikely to be in good condition. The central and northern region roads are likely to be in bad condition.

All quality hotels and lodges will have an option for a road, boat or air transfer from the nearest airport.

There is a limited range of scheduled flights between Maputo and major cities and tourist destinations in Mozambique.

Departure Taxes

International departure taxes generally included in all flights.

Weight & Luggage Restrictions

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