








ITINERARY FOR VICTORIA FALLS & WILDLIFE SAFARI - 2020
Zimbabwe



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Journey overview

This safari adventure will take you to three of the countries most prized destinations. Start your adventure at the awe-inspiring Victoria Falls. Known locally as Mosi-oa-Tunya (the smoke that thunder), this is undoubtedly one of the world's greatest natural spectacles. Here you will have the opportunity to take advantage of nearby adventures such as an unforgettable helicopter flight over the Victoria Falls, sunset cruises and hiking. Next, you will venture to the beautiful Hwange National Park. Renowned as an elephant stronghold, Zimbabwe's largest national park offers a variety of landscapes, from desert sands and sparse woodland to grasslands and rocky outcrops. Spend your days exploring your surrounds on game drives and walking safaris. The last leg of your adventure takes you to the remote destination of Mana Pools National Park, which is tucked away within the middle of the Zambezi Valley. Here, you will unwind and enjoy exciting activities in the bush.

Highlights of this Itinerary

- Viewing the majestic Victoria Falls
- Sunset cruises providing guests with wonderful photographic opportunities
- Remote wilderness
- Hwange National Park - Zimbabwe's largest wildlife haven

What we love about this journey

- Spoil yourself with an unforgettable 15 min or 30 min helicopter flight over the spectacular Victoria Falls. The 30 min excursion also includes a flight over the beautiful Mana Pools National Park is a spectacular wilderness area offering large concentrations of buffalo and elephant, superb birdlife and frequent sightings of predators such as lion, wild dog, leopard and cheetah pristine Zambezi National Park (at additional cost)
- Explore a variety of habitats, from desert sands and sparse woodland to grasslands and rocky outcrops in Hwange, Zimbabwe's largest national park
- Running along the southern bank of the legendary Zambezi River in northern Zimbabwe,

Specially created for

- Adventure travellers
- Africa addicts
- Avid photographers
- Wildlife enthusiasts



At a glance



8 nights / 9 days

2 Guests

DAY	PROGRAMME
Day 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scheduled road transfer from Victoria Falls International Airport to The Elephant Camp Overnight: The Elephant Camp
Day 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Included activities: Game Drives, Guided Tour of the Falls (Excluding Park Fee), Guided Nature Walks Overnight: The Elephant Camp
Day 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scheduled road transfer from The Elephant Camp to Victoria Falls International Airport Scheduled charter flight from Victoria Falls International Airport to Manga Airstrip Overnight: African Bush Camps Somalisa Camp
Day 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Included activities: Game Drive, Bird Watching, Walking Safaris Overnight: African Bush Camps Somalisa Camp
Day 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recommended activities (at additional cost): Cultural Tours (Mambanje Village) Overnight: African Bush Camps Somalisa Camp
Day 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scheduled charter flight from Manga Airstrip to Mana Pools Airstrip Overnight: African Bush Camps Kanga Camp
Day 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Included activities: Game Drive, Walking Safari Overnight: African Bush Camps Kanga Camp
Day 8	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Overnight: African Bush Camps Kanga Camp
Day 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scheduled charter flight from Mana Pools Airstrip to Robert Gabriel Mugabe International Airport Departure

Expect the extraordinary

The Elephant Camp

Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe, Zimbabwe

Day 1 - 2

Upon arrival at Victoria Falls International Airport you will be met by The Elephant Camp representative who will transfer you by road to The Elephant Camp.

Victoria Falls is one of the world's greatest natural spectacles. Declared a World Heritage Site, the Falls are the stuff of legends, romance and myth. Dr David Livingstone 'discovered' the Falls in 1855, the local Batonga people had named them Mosi-oa-Tunya, 'the smoke that thunders'. Today, the village rightly claims the title of Adrenaline Capital of Africa, home to a seemingly endless variety of adventure sports from bungee jumping to canoeing and white water rafting.

Explore the sights of Victoria Falls during your 2 night stay at The Elephant Camp in a Tented Suite with ensuite bathroom. Your stay includes all meals, drinks, mini bar, return Victoria Falls Airport / Livingstone Airport transfers & shuttle transfers to Victoria Falls town, Emergency Medical Evacuation cover and activities (Cocktails & Canapés at the Batoka Gorge, Birding & Nature walks on the Wild Horizons Wildlife Sanctuary, lunch at the Lookout Cafe - Including drinks and a Victoria Falls Canopy Tour.

Included activities:

- Village Tour
- Game Drives
- Tour of the Falls (Excluding Park Fee)
- Meet the Ambassador Herd of elephant



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The Elephant Camp

Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe, Zimbabwe

Set on a private concession with spectacular views of the mists rising over the majestic Victoria Falls and the steeply carved gorges of the Zambezi River, **The Elephant Camp** is an intimate luxury lodge under canvas. Twelve luxury tented suites boast magnificent views of the rocky gorges, and spacious four-poster beds beckon you to a peaceful night's rest. Private viewing decks feature plunge pools just big enough for two, and bathrooms feature luxury Victoria + Albert bathtubs looking onto breathtaking bush panoramas. Outdoor showers feature stone flooring blending the indoors and out. Shared guest areas include spacious decks as well as a cosy lounge, bar and dining area. Sit in the sunken firepit and swap your captivating safari stories around a blazing fire. Shady tented spaces lead out onto a sun-kissed pool where comfortable loungers gaze onto sweeping vistas of Batoka Gorge. All suites have been installed with USB charging ports, and fibre optic Wi-Fi runs throughout the camp.

Relish delicious meals and sundowners in private seating areas, or on the main dining deck, and create your own delicious wood fire pizza in the pizza oven at lunch.

Within easy reach of Victoria Falls, yet secluded on its own game reserve, The Elephant Camp offers community and conservation focused activities including an elephant experience and visit to the Victoria Falls Wildlife Trust. All adrenalin based activities can be easily added to your itinerary.

WHAT WE LOVE ABOUT THE ELEPHANT CAMP

- Indulge in a relaxing spa treatment on the viewing deck of your suite, or at the spa, followed by an invigorating outdoor shower while taking in the distant views.
- Ask your hosts to arrange sundowner drinks (with their famous gin and tonic, of course) at the head of the gorge, listening to the rushing waters of the Zambezi River far below.



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African Bush Camps Somalisa Camp

Hwange National Park, Zimbabwe

Day 3 - 5

After an early breakfast you will be transferred to Victoria Falls International Airport for your scheduled charter flight to Manga Airstrip followed by a short game drive to Somalisa Camp.

Hwange National Park, is Zimbabwe's largest national park. Here guests can explore a variety of landscapes, from desert sands and sparse woodland to grasslands and rocky outcrops. Vast herds of elephant and buffalo, gemsbok and packs of brown hyena can be found in this pristine slice of wilderness, which also boasts one of the largest surviving populations of wild dog.

Explore Hwange during your 3 night stay at Somalisa Camp in a Tent with ensuite bathroom. Your stay includes all meals, beverages, laundry, emergency medical evacuation insurance (Personal Travel Insurance still required), National Parks Fees, return road transfers from Manga Airstrip, two shared activities per full day, (private vehicle required at associated costs for Mambanje Village Visit).

Included activities:

- Game Drive
- Walking Safaris
- Cultural Tours (Mambanje Village)



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African Bush Camps Somalisa Camp

Hwange National Park, Zimbabwe

Situated on a floodplain in the middle of Hwange National Park, Somalisa Camp boasts elegantly furnished canvas tents with ensuite bathrooms, flush toilets and romantic al fresco bush showers. The pool and the stunning guest area overlook the pan. The sitting room and dining areas are tucked under a soaring canopy of trees.

Guests will feast on innovative gourmet meals, complemented by a superb selection of South African and Australian wines. Adventures on offer include bush walks led by qualified and passionate guides, morning and evening game drives in open 4x4 safari vehicles, and game viewing from hides. The resident wildlife includes elephant, kudu, sable antelope, zebra, wildebeest, gemsbok, the rare and endangered roan antelope, buffalo, giraffe, white rhino, lion, leopard and hyena, amongst others.

WHAT WE LOVE ABOUT SOMALISA CAMP

- Spend a leisurely afternoon spotting game from the camp's hides.
- Relax in the inviting swimming pool with a delicious cocktail in hand



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African Bush Camps Kanga Camp

Mana Pools National Park, Zimbabwe

Day 6 - 7

After breakfast, you will be transferred to Manga Airstrip for your scheduled charter flight to Mana Pools Airstrip which will be followed by a short game drive transfer to Kanga Camp.

An exciting adventure awaits you as you will explore this unique remote wilderness area in Zimbabwe.

Escape and explore during your 3 night stay at Kanga Camp in a Tent with ensuite facilities with bucket shower. Your stay includes all meals, beverages, laundry, emergency medical evacuation insurance (Personal Travel Insurance still required), National Parks Fees, 2 shared activities full per day, armchair safari and photographic hike (subject to Kanga Pan water level).

Included activities:

- Game Drive
- Walking Safari



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African Bush Camps Kanga Camp

Mana Pools National Park, Zimbabwe

Located on the only private wilderness concession in Mana Pools National Park, the intimate Kanga Bush Camp overlooks a busy waterhole. Each of the six ensuite Meru-style safari tents boasts a comfortable bed, hot bucket shower and flush w.c. The tent's private veranda is the perfect place to sit back, relax and watch the activity at the busy waterhole. The guest lounge and dining areas are on a raised observation deck that enjoys the shade of some large trees, and guests can also enjoy a refreshing dip in the splash pool.

Guests enjoy twice-daily game drives in open 4x4 safari vehicles and interpretive bush walks, where they can learn to track wildlife with a professional guide. Canoeing safaris on the Zambezi River can also be organised in advance, as well as full-day excursions to River complete with hearty picnic lunches.

WHAT WE LOVE ABOUT KANGA CAMP

- Opt for a romantic dinner or afternoon lunch for two on your private veranda.
- Delight in a walking safari – with no other properties on the concession, it's your own personal Africa!
- The “Kanga under the Stars” experience is a must – sleep out on an open platform under the starry African night sky.



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Departure

Mana Pools National Park, Zimbabwe

Day 9

After a mouth-watering breakfast, you will be transferred to the Mana Pool Airstrip for your scheduled charter flight to Robert Gabriel Mugabe International Airport in time for your onward arrangements.



Journey overview

RATES	
VALIDITY	Per person sharing
Low season: (01 Nov - 30 Nov 20)	USD 5 915
Mid-season: (01 Apr - 31 May 20)	USD 6 169
High season: (01 Jun - 31 Oct 20)	USD 7 883

OUR TREAT
Discounted flights into and out of Mana Pools from 1 April to May 2020

Flights

DETAILS
Victoria Falls International Airport to Manga Airstrip
Manga Airstrip to Mana Pools Airstrip
Mana Pools Airstrip to Robert Gabriel Mugabe International Airport

Transfers

DETAILS
Victoria Falls International Airport to The Elephant Camp
The Elephant Camp to Victoria Falls International Airport

Accommodation

DESTINATION	ACCOMMODATION	DETAILS
Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe	The Elephant Camp	1x Tented Suite FI - Main Camp (Double) All meals and local brands of drinks
Hwange National Park	African Bush Camps Somalisa Camp	1x Tent FI (Double) All meals and local brands of drinks
Mana Pools National Park	African Bush Camps Kanga Camp	1x Tent FI (Double) All meals and local brands of drinks

Journey overview

What's included:

- Accommodation inclusions as per the itinerary
- Scheduled charter flights and transfers as specified in the itinerary
- Conservation Levy and Wildlife Fund
- Emergency Medical Evacuation Insurance
- Administration fee

Notes:

- The operator may reroute the itinerary or accommodate in similar lodges in case of non-availability
- Kindly note that this package is valid from 1 April - 30 November 20
- Single traveller supplement and child rates will be quoted on request
- Validity periods are as specified above - should a booking fall over two rate periods the rate will change and we reserve the right to re-quote
- The rates quoted are subject to change without prior warning if there are any increases in bed levies, park fees, fuel, ROE, sales tax or VAT, third-party services or any other circumstances beyond our control in the countries featured in this quote
- Victoria Falls can be viewed from Zimbabwe and Zambia, the Zimbabwean side offers a greater number of spectacular viewing points. During the dry season between September and December, the eastern cataract on the Zambian side of the falls tends to dry up dramatically whilst the Zimbabwean side continues to provide amazing views
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