

9-Day Great Migration Safari

Planned around the month, because the herds never stay still

9 days · 8 nights · Tarangire, Ngorongoro, Serengeti



At a glance

DURATION	9 days, 8 nights
DESTINATIONS	Tarangire, Ngorongoro, Serengeti
STARTS	Arusha
ENDS	Arusha
GROUP TYPE	Private departure
ACCOMMODATION	Luxury
VEHICLE	Private 4x4 Land Cruiser with pop-up roof
BEST TIME	Jan-Feb, Jul-Sep

Overview

There's no single migration itinerary, because there's no single place the migration is. So this trip comes in two versions. There's a southern one from roughly January to March, when the herds are giving birth on the short-grass plains, and a northern one from about July to September, when they're at the Mara River. Tell us your dates, and we'll tell you which one fits.

Is this trip for you?

Travellers who are planning their dates around the migration, not the other way round. Photographers will love it too.

This is a sample itinerary. You can change every part of it (the route, the pace, the camps, the length) and most people do!

Highlights

- Four nights placed for the migration, not for convenience
- Calving on the southern plains, or crossings in the north
- A full day in the Ngorongoro Crater
- An optional balloon safari over the herds
- Guided by someone who works these areas every season

Pricing

We price every safari individually, because it really depends on when you travel, which camps you pick and how many of you there are. Tell us your dates and we'll send you a full, itemised quote, not a vague range.

Priced per person, for a private trip. International flights aren't included.

What's included

Included

- Pick-up at Kilimanjaro International Airport (JRO) and your return transfer
- Accommodation before and after the safari, with breakfast
- A private 4x4 Land Cruiser with a pop-up roof, just for your group
- An experienced, English-speaking Tanzanian driver-guide the whole way
- All park and conservation area fees
- All your accommodation on safari
- Three meals a day while you're on safari
- Bottled water and soft drinks in the vehicle
- A flask of hot tea or coffee
- A medical kit and binoculars in every vehicle
- 24-hour phone support while you're in the country

Not included

- International flights
- Your Tanzanian visa
- Travel and medical insurance
- Lunch and dinner at your hotel before and after the safari
- Alcoholic drinks
- Optional extras, like balloon safaris and cultural visits
- Tips for your guide, customarily US\$15-20 per vehicle per day
- Personal items and laundry

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Prepared 18 September 2026. We build every trip around the people going on it, so please treat this as a starting point. It's not a quotation and it's not a contract. We'll confirm availability, camps and prices in writing before anything is booked. And remember, wild animals keep their own schedule, so no sighting can be guaranteed.