



<p>FROM</p> <p>USD 1,800</p> <p>Per person — Price depends on travel dates, accommodation category, rooming arrangement, and group size</p>	<p>DURATION</p> <p>5 Days / 4 Nights</p> <p>Classic Northern Tanzania Big Five Safari</p>	<p>TRIP STYLE</p> <p>Private Tanzania Safari</p> <p>Northern Circuit Wildlife Safari</p>	<p>KEY DESTINATIONS</p> <p>Arusha, Tarangire, Serengeti, Ngorongoro</p> <p>Northern Tanzania</p>	<p>BEST FOR</p> <p>Wildlife Lovers</p> <p>First-Time Safari Travellers, Couples, Families, and Big Five Seekers</p>
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Overview

This 5 days Tanzania Big Five safari is a classic Northern Circuit itinerary designed for travellers who want a compact but rewarding wildlife experience in Tanzania. The route combines Tarangire National Park, Serengeti National Park, and the Ngorongoro Crater, giving guests a strong balance of elephant country, open Serengeti plains, and crater-floor wildlife viewing. Tarangire is ideal for elephant herds, baobab scenery, and seasonal wildlife around the Tarangire River. The Serengeti adds classic big cat territory, wide savannah landscapes, wildebeest, zebra, giraffe, buffalo, and many other species. The Ngorongoro Crater completes the safari with one of the best opportunities to look for the Big Five in a single day. This private 5 days Tanzania Big Five safari by Fidelity Safaris is suitable for first-time safari travellers, couples, families, and wildlife lovers who want a strong Tanzania safari without requiring a long holiday.

Highlights

- 5 days Tanzania Big Five safari designed for travellers who want a classic Northern Circuit wildlife experience
- Visit Tarangire National Park, Serengeti National Park, and the Ngorongoro Crater in one well-planned itinerary
- Enjoy strong chances to see lions, elephants, buffaloes, leopards, and rhinos in Tanzania's most rewarding wildlife areas
- Explore Tarangire National Park, known for elephant herds, baobab landscapes, and the Tarangire River wildlife corridor
- Experience the Serengeti plains, famous for big cats, grazing herds, open savannah, and outstanding safari photography
- Descend into the Ngorongoro Crater for one of East Africa's most concentrated wildlife viewing experiences
- Private 4x4 safari vehicle with pop-up roof for comfortable game viewing and photography
- Professional English-speaking safari guide with local knowledge of Northern Tanzania parks
- Comfortable lodge or tented camp accommodation with meals included during the safari
- Operated by Fidelity Safaris with flexible planning from Arusha or Kilimanjaro International Airport

Inclusions & Exclusions

INCLUSIONS

- Private 4x4 safari vehicle with pop-up roof
- Professional English-speaking safari guide
- Game drives and wildlife viewing as stated in the itinerary
- Park fees for Tarangire National Park and Serengeti National Park
- Ngorongoro Conservation Area and crater service fees
- Accommodation during the safari
- Meals as stated in the itinerary
- Drinking water during game drives
- Airport pickup and drop-off as arranged
- Government taxes and levies related to the safari

EXCLUSIONS

- International flights
- Tanzania visa fees
- Travel insurance
- Tips for safari guide and lodge staff
- Alcoholic drinks and soft drinks unless stated
- Personal expenses such as laundry, souvenirs, and phone calls
- Optional activities not listed in the itinerary
- Pre-safari or post-safari accommodation unless added

Itinerary

Day 1

Arusha to Tarangire National Park

Meals: Lunch, Dinner | Accommodation: Tarangire or Karatu lodge

After breakfast, meet your Fidelity Safaris guide and drive from Arusha to Tarangire National Park for your first game drive. Tarangire is a strong start to a 5 days Tanzania Big Five safari because it is known for elephant herds, baobab trees, riverine habitats, open savannah, and varied wildlife. Enjoy a picnic lunch inside the park and continue exploring in the afternoon before driving to your lodge or camp for dinner and overnight.

ACCOMMODATION

Tarangire or Karatu lodge

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Day 2

Tarangire Area to Serengeti National Park

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Accommodation: Serengeti lodge or tented camp

After breakfast, travel through the Ngorongoro highlands towards Serengeti National Park. The drive introduces scenic landscapes, Maasai areas, and the changing habitats of Northern Tanzania. On

arrival in the Serengeti, begin your first game drive across the plains. The Serengeti is one of Tanzania's most famous safari destinations and is excellent for lions, leopards, cheetahs, elephants, buffaloes, giraffes, zebras, wildebeest, and many other species.

ACCOMMODATION Serengeti lodge or tented camp	ACCOMMODATION —
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Full-Day Serengeti Game Drive

Day 3

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Accommodation: Serengeti lodge or tented camp

Spend a full day exploring Serengeti National Park with morning and afternoon game drives. Your guide will plan the day around wildlife movement, seasonal conditions, and the best game-viewing areas available at the time of travel. This day gives you more time to search for big cats, elephant herds, buffaloes, antelopes, giraffes, hippos, and birdlife while enjoying the classic open plains that make the Serengeti a major highlight of a 5 days Tanzania Big Five safari.

ACCOMMODATION Serengeti lodge or tented camp	ACCOMMODATION —
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Serengeti to Ngorongoro Area

Day 4

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner | Accommodation: Ngorongoro or Karatu lodge

Enjoy a final morning game drive in the Serengeti before travelling toward the Ngorongoro Conservation Area. The route offers more chances for wildlife sightings as you leave the plains and enter the highland landscapes. Arrive near Ngorongoro or Karatu in time for dinner and overnight, ready for the crater descent the following morning.

ACCOMMODATION Ngorongoro or Karatu lodge	ACCOMMODATION —
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Ngorongoro Crater Safari and Return to Arusha

Day 5

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch

After early breakfast, descend into the Ngorongoro Crater for a game drive on the crater floor. This is one of the best areas in Tanzania to look for the Big Five, including lions, elephants, buffaloes, rhinos, and leopards, along with zebras, wildebeest, hyenas, hippos, and many bird species. After lunch, ascend from the crater and drive back to Arusha. This marks the end of your 5 days Tanzania Big Five safari with Fidelity Safaris.

FAQs

Is this 5 days Tanzania Big Five safari good for first-time travellers?

Yes. This itinerary is ideal for first-time safari travellers because it combines Tarangire, Serengeti, and Ngorongoro in a clear 5 days / 4 nights route with strong wildlife viewing and manageable logistics from Arusha.

Which destinations are included in this 5 days Tanzania Big Five safari?

The package includes Arusha, Tarangire National Park, Serengeti National Park, the Ngorongoro Conservation Area, and the Ngorongoro Crater.

Can I see the Big Five on this safari?

This route gives strong chances to see several Big Five animals, especially elephants, lions, buffaloes, and rhinos in the right areas. Leopards are possible but sightings depend on wildlife movement, timing, and field conditions.

What is the best time for a 5 days Tanzania Big Five safari?

This safari can operate throughout the year. The dry season is popular for wildlife viewing, while the green season can offer beautiful landscapes, fewer crowds, and good value depending on accommodation availability.

Does the package include accommodation and meals?

Yes. Accommodation and meals during the safari are included as stated in the itinerary. The final package can be adjusted to budget, mid-range, luxury, or premium lodge standards.
