
9-nights Romancing Botswana

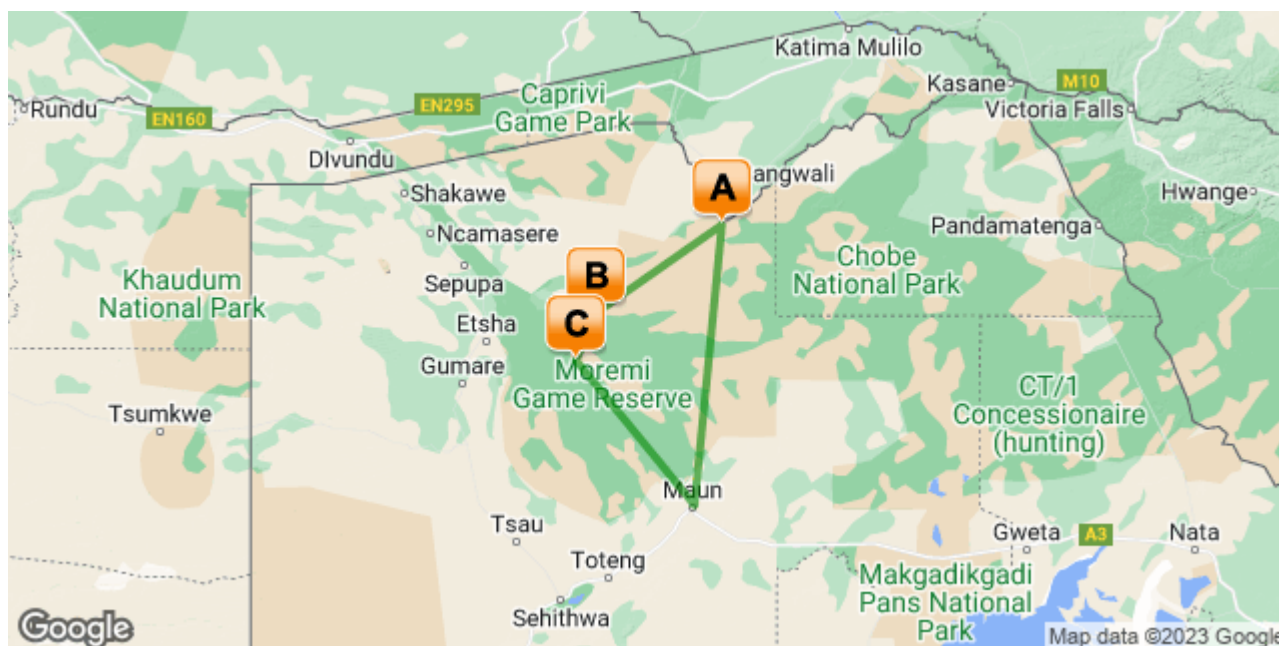
Thank you for choosing Mallerby's Luxury Travel to assist you with planning your special trip.

Please feel free to get in touch when you've had a chance to review the itinerary.

Please remember that all itineraries can be tailored to suit your personal preferences, so if you'd like to add or remove a day/s, we can do that with pleasure.

We look forward to making this incredible trip a reality for you and your special travel companions.





Start	Accommodation	Destination	Basis	Room Type	Duration
Day 1	Wilderness DumaTau	Linyanti Concession	FI	1x Twin/Double Suite(s)	3 Nights
Day 4	Wilderness Vumbura Plains	Kwedi Concession	FI	1x Twin/Double Suite(s)	3 Nights
Day 7	Wilderness Mombo	Moremi Game Reserve	FI	1x Suite	3 Nights

Included

- Accommodations as stipulated
- Meals and beverages as stipulated
- Activities as stipulated as included
- Road transfers in private vehicles

Excluded

- All International flights
- Visas
- Personal Travel and Medical Insurance - highly recommended
- Any accommodations not stipulated as included
- Any transportation not stipulated as included
- Any food and beverages not stipulated as included
- Any sightseeing activities or additional activities not stipulated as included
- Gratuities
- Any other personal purchases such as curio shop, telephone, mini bar, etc.

Day 1-4: Wilderness DumaTau, Linyanti Concession

On arrival at Maun International Airport, you will be met and warmly welcomed to Botswana.

You will be escorted to your awaiting light aircraft, that will be flying you and fellow passengers to the Linyanti for your 3-nights stay at DumaTau.

Botswana

Situated in the southern reaches of Africa, Botswana is renowned for its pristine wilderness areas characterised by deep lagoons, wetlands, lush palms, rugged hills and desert plains. The country's primary tourist drawcard is undoubtedly the vast red expanse of the Kalahari Desert and its remarkably beautiful Okavango Delta, the largest inland delta in the world. These natural wonders provide a tranquil haven for an abundance of African wildlife to thrive. Other highlights include the impressive Makgadikgadi Salt Pans, where visitors are privy to massive zebra migrations during the flood season; the Savuti plains, which host a significant pride of lions; and the Tsodilo Hills, where 4500 rock paintings form a unique record of human settlement over many millennia.

Linyanti Concession

Situated in Northern Botswana bordering the Chobe National Park, the Linyanti Concessions stretch across the Kwando-Linyanti river system. They are known for their exotic animal species and luxury safari options. An abundance of wildlife roams freely between the woodland habitats, ancient floodplains and forests that make up these lush, unfenced reserves. The big game in this area increases dramatically during the dry season when the area hosts large herds of impala, blue wildebeest, giraffe and buffalo as well as the world's highest density of elephant. Several packs of wild dog are found in the area and lion, leopard and cheetah are frequently sighted. Night drives allow for the discovery of nocturnal creatures such as civets, genets, honey badgers and spring hares. This vast, untamed wilderness is the perfect location for those seeking a unique African adventure in an exclusive and remote big game habitat.

Overnight: Wilderness DumaTau

Wilderness DumaTau's extensive lagoon frontage ensures that each ultra-spacious 142 m² guest suite has uninterrupted views over Osprey Lagoon, and the movements of the mega-herds of elephants the Linyanti is so famous for.

All seven twin tented suites and one family unit have a private plunge pool and an inviting lounge, and feature a spacious bathroom with indoor and outdoor showers. The main dining and lounge areas boast unimpeded wide-angle vistas overlooking the wildlife-rich lagoon, while the centrally located Osprey Retreat wellness centre and gym – shared with Wilderness Little DumaTau – includes an inviting shaded deck, a lap pool, spa, a drinks and snack counter, and Safari Boutique. Wilderness DumaTau runs on 100% solar energy.

INSIDER'S TIP: The Linyanti is recognised as an IBA (Important Bird Area), so the hides and platforms in the area are ideal for bird watching and photographing wildlife.



Twin/Double Suite(s)

Meaning 'roar of the lion' in Setswana, however, home to Africa's highest density of elephants too. Wilderness DumaTau offers luxurious guest suites which are raised off the ground to take full advantage of the fantastic river frontage views. The spacious tents comprise a sliding gauze door on the rear to improve airflow through the suites, while the en-suite facilities include a sliding fabric wall that can be closed to ensure absolute privacy. An extended deck, with private plunge pool, and awnings to create relaxing spaces of shade. Appropriately for a camp situated in the vast open area of the Linyanti, the accommodation has been modelled to offer more room and new opportunities to explore.

Built with an extremely light eco-footprint, the camp is 100% solar powered.

In addition to experiencing a life-changing journey to the Linyanti, guests will leave Wilderness DumaTau knowing they have made a positive impact to the conservation of this extraordinary wilderness area.



Day 4-7: Wilderness Vumbura Plains, Kwedi Concession

Today a light aircraft flight will fly you and fellow guests to the Kwedi Concession where you will be spending the next 3 nights at Vumbura Plains.

Kwedi Concession

Situated in the beautiful northern part of Botswana between the famous destinations of the Moremi Game Reserve and Chobe National Park, the Kwedi Concession (NG 22) is an impressive reserve known for its excellent wildlife spotting opportunities and water activities. The enthralling mopane bushveld and vast floodplains are home to a huge number of animal species, including wild dog, lion, hyena, and leopard (these species are the most commonly spotted) as well as giraffes, elephants, Burchell's zebra, and numerous antelope species. The reserve offers day and night game drives, as well as guided walks and photography tours. Fringing the abundant Okavango Delta, the reserve is decorated with permanent waterways, tree islands, and swamps - providing the chance for kayaking, boat tours, and bird spotting.

Overnight: Wilderness Vumbura Plains

A modern-style safari camp that wouldn't look out of place in an architecture magazine, Wilderness Vumbura Plains is designed and operated in total empathy with its diverse surroundings. Partnerships with local communities in this region of the Okavango Delta have created empowerment opportunities while allowing guests access to its many treasures.

Fourteen light, airy guest suites feature designer fittings and touches of unabashed luxury, including private plunge pools and salas, as well as indoor and outdoor showers. Safari activities focus on day and night game drives through a variety of game-rich terrains. Seasonal water activities can be very rewarding.

INSIDER'S TIP: Enjoy the use of the spotting scope for exceptional viewing of birds and wildlife. If you are lucky, you may even catch a glimpse of the resident otter family!



Twin/Double Suite(s)

The look and feel of Wilderness Vumbura Plains celebrates its sense of place and culture, bringing bespoke design elements of the camp's core purpose and pioneering community partnership with the Okavango Community Trust (OCT) alive throughout the camp.

The formation of the Okavango Delta and the life it supports, including paying tribute to the individual heritage stories of the Okavango Community Trust (OCT), is all showcased and brought to life in various artwork, screens, maps, basket weaving patterning and dyes.

Inspiration for the suite interiors is drawn from the environment to pay homage to the Okavango Delta, with a colour palette of turquoise, purples and natural tones. Enlarged underwater photographs clad wardrobe doors and shower screens, while charcoal-coloured mosquito nets and black sanitary ware offer a more contemporary feel.

Wilderness' much-loved Wilderness Vumbura Plains is designed to maximise the magical views of the Delta, whilst maintaining a light footprint in camp structure. With interiors enhanced to bring nature inside; as well as weaving in extraordinary conservation and cultural stories into bespoke design pieces for guests to experience in a tangible way. Vumbura is truly a must-visit safari choice.



Day 7-10: Wilderness Mombo, Moremi Game Reserve

Today a light aircraft flight will fly you and fellow guests to the Moremi Game Reserve where you will be spending the next 3 nights at Wilderness Mombo.

Moremi Game Reserve

Situated in the east of the Okavango Delta, Moremi Game Reserve ranks as one of the most beautiful reserves in Africa. It covers more than 4871 square kilometres of pristine wilderness, and this varied terrain includes savannah, winding waterways, and dense forest. The diverse ecosystem supports an incredibly wide spectrum of wildlife, ranging from large herds of buffalo, wildebeest and zebra, to the rare sitatunga and lechwe antelope, lion, cheetah and packs of wild dog in the open grasslands. The birdlife is prolific and includes most of the 550 bird species recorded on Botswana's national bird list. A range of luxury lodges in the reserve offers visitors the perfect base to experience this corner of paradise.

Overnight: Wilderness Mombo

Wilderness Mombo, on Mombo Island just off the northern tip of Chief's Island, is built under large shady trees and overlooks a wonderful floodplain teeming with wildlife.

Accommodation comprises eight spacious suites raised off the ground, all built to maximise the vistas over the plains. Each tent is elegantly furnished, complete with en-suite bathroom, a dressing area, indoor and outdoor showers; as well as a bathtub that creates a sense of indulgence. The expanded deck includes a sala and plunge pool.

A large living and dining area looks out over that same view, while Wilderness Mombo's famous traditional dinners are hosted in the nearby boma. Wilderness Mombo shares a Safari Boutique, spa, gym and lap pool with Wilderness

Little Mombo. Large concentrations of plains game often occur in front of camp, and you may see a variety of animals without even leaving the veranda.

INSIDER'S TIP: Arguably the best big game viewing in all of Africa with a bountiful hunting ground for large prides of lions and leopards.



Day 10: End of Itinerary

Day Itinerary

Today, you will say your sad goodbyes to the incredible staff who have shared your journey with you and be transferred the airstrip, where your light aircraft will be waiting to fly you and fellow passengers to Maun International Airport in order to check in for your onward flight home.

End of services.