

ITINERARY

Mount Kilimanjaro Climbing Routes

1. Machame Route (7 Days)

Overview: The Machame Route, or "Whiskey Route," is a popular and scenic path to climb Mount Kilimanjaro. Known for its diverse landscapes, from lush rainforests to alpine deserts, this route offers stunning views and a high summit success rate thanks to its "go high, sleep low" acclimatization strategy.

Key Itinerary Highlights:

- Day 1: Arrival in Tanzania, equipment check.
- **Day 2-8:** Trek from Machame Gate to Uhuru Peak, passing through camps like Machame, Shira, Barranco, and Karanga, with an early morning summit attempt from Barafu Camp.
- Day 9: Departure or optional Safari/Zanzibar add-ons.

Pricing (USD per person):

1 person: \$2300
2-4 people: \$2200
5-9 people: \$2100
10+ people: \$1900

Inclusions: Accommodation, meals, park fees, and airport transfers.

Exclusions: Flights, visas, tips, and personal expenses.

2. Umbwe Route (6 Days)

Overview: The most challenging and direct route to Kilimanjaro's summit is recommended only for experienced hikers. Rapid ascent makes acclimatisation challenging.

Pricing (USD per person):

1 person: \$2000
2-4 people: \$1850
5-9 people: \$1750
10+ people: \$1700

3. Rongai Route (7 Days)

Overview: A remote route starting near the Kenyan border, offering views of the Amboseli plains. It's the only route approaching from the north and descends via the Marangu route.

Pricing (USD per person):

1 person: \$2300
2-4 people: \$2200
5-9 people: \$2000
10+ people: \$1900

4. Lemosho Route (8 Days)

Overview: Lemosho is a low-traffic route renowned for its scenic beauty and high summit success rate. It starts from the west and joins the Machame route.

Pricing (USD per person):

1 person: \$2500
2-4 people: \$2300
5-9 people: \$2100
10+ people: \$1900

5. Marangu Route (6 Days)

Overview: Also called the "Coca-Cola Route," this is the only route offering hut accommodations. It's suitable for trekkers who prefer comfort over camping.

Pricing (USD per person):

1 person: \$1900
2-4 people: \$1850
5-9 people: \$1750
10+ people: \$1600

Mount Meru Climbing (3 Days)

Overview: Mount Meru, often overlooked, is an adventurous trek with scenic views and a great acclimatisation hike for Kilimanjaro. The summit provides a stunning view of Kilimanjaro.

Itinerary:

- **Day 1**: Arrival and equipment check.
- Day 2: Trek from Momella Gate to Miriakamba Hut, spotting wildlife.
- **Day 3**: Hike to Saddle Hut, then summit early the next morning before descending.
- Day 4: Departure or optional safari extensions.

Pricing (USD per person):

1 person: \$1020

• 2-4 people: \$950

• 5-9 people: \$750

• 10+ people: \$650

Usambara Mountain (1 Day)

Overview: A scenic hike featuring waterfalls, Irente viewpoints, and lush landscapes.

Itinerary:

Earlier in the morning, around 6:00 am, you will be picked up from your hotel in Arusha or Moshi town at the bus stand, where the journey starts to the Tanga region. You will take approximately a 6 to 8 hours bus drive before arriving at Lushoto. Around 2 to 3 pm, you will be at Lushoto. You will go to a booked hotel and rest for 1 hour while having lunch at nearby restaurants. After the lunch break, we will start our walk to Kisesa waterfalls.

Duration: 45min- 1 hour

Distance: 1.5km

After the visit to Kisasa Waterfalls, we descend back to the main route, and after a walk of about one hour, we leave the main road to head back to Lushoto and continue walking for another hour until we reach the

Irente viewpoint. At the top, you will enjoy the sunset view and the surrounding landscape. After all the activities of taking photos and videos are complete, we return to the hotel for an overnight stay by motorcycle, which takes about 30 minutes.

Pricing (USD per person):

• 1 person: \$200

• 2-4 people: \$150

• 5-9 people: \$100

• Inclusions: Accommodation, transport, water, entrance fees, taxes.

• Exclusions: Personal expenses, tips, flights, visa, insurance.



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