



# 1000 Views of Madagascar

12 DAYS FROM AND TO ANTANANARIVO

## Small-group Lodge Tour

11 nights

€ 2025

Single Supplement € 850

Internal flight excluded (approx EUR 299 pp)

## Group Size

Minimum 4, Maximum 10

## 2020 Departure Dates

5, 19 Apr

3, 19, 31 May

21 Jun

5, 19 Jul

2, 23 Aug

6, 20 Sep

4, 18 Oct

1, 22 Nov

## Day 1: Antananarivo, Madagascar

Arrival in the bustling capital city of Antananarivo, meet and greet with your Malagasy guide and transfer to your hotel in town. *Palissandre Hotel & Spa or similar*

## Day 2: Antananarivo to Andasibe, Madagascar

Travel to Andasibe, home of the Andasibe-Mantadia National Park, take a night walk along its perimeter in search of fascinating nocturnal animals. *Vakona Forest Lodge or similar*

## Day 3: Natural Reserve of Andasibe, Madagascar

Morning visit to the Special Reserve of Andasibe in search of a variety of lemur species; in the afternoon visit a traditional local village to discover more about Malagasy culture. *Vakona Forest Lodge or similar*

## Day 4: Antsirabe, Madagascar

Antsirabe is a charming French colonial town with a thermal spa, stop en route in Ambatolampy a typical plateau town known for aluminium artisans. *Royal Palace Hotel or similar*

## Day 5: Ambositra and Ranomafana National Park, Madagascar

Ambositra is the heart of Madagascar's wood-carving industry and you'll have the chance to visit local wood carvers, continue to Ranomafana National Park. *Setam Lodge or similar*

## Day 6: Ranomafana National Park, Madagascar

Long walks in one of Madagascar's most picturesque national parks in search of the 12 different species of lemurs including the rare Golden Bamboo lemur, colourful chameleons and other animals. *Setam Lodge or similar*

## Day 7: Ambalavao and Isalo, Madagascar

On your way to Isalo, visit a local winery in Fianarantsoa, and witness the ancient tradition of handmade paper embellished with pressed flowers and other designs at the Anteimoro Paper Factory. *Isalo Rock Lodge or similar*



## unique experiences

Let Isalo National Park transport you to a **rugged landscape reminiscent of the Wild West** and be blown away by sandstone massifs that have been eroded into craggy canyons, gigantic gorges and tiny Tsingy spikes. The rugged landscape also gives way to **breathhtakingly beautiful pools** surrounded by lush green ferns. The *Piscine Naturelle* is the most picturesque of these natural pools and is where you can have a refreshing dip in a setting resembling a fairy tale.





#### Day 8: Isalo National Park, Madagascar

Hiking through the unique and diverse landscape of Isalo National Park, discover the Canyon of Monkeys and enjoy a refreshing excursion to a beautiful natural swimming pool, the fern-fringed Piscine Naturelle, replenished by a waterfall.

*Isalo Rock Lodge*

#### Day 9: Ifaty, Madagascar

Scenic drive to Tuléar, see the sacred Mahafaly tombs and Antandroy tombs en route, pop into the seaport town of Tuléar for a short visit, and continue driving to the coastal region of Ifaty.

*Le Paradisier or similar*

#### Day 10: Ifaty, Madagascar

Day of leisure on the white sand beach, optional activities such as snorkelling, SCUBA diving and pirogue excursions available. *Le Paradisier or similar*

#### Day 11: Tana, Madagascar

Airport transfer for flight back to Tana. Afternoon free to explore the country's capital, perhaps a cycle tour through the Royal Palace.

*Palissandre Hotel & Spa or similar*

#### Day 12: Tana, Madagascar

Airport transfer after breakfast, end of tour.



## that special African touch

The **Southern Flamingo package** is a perfect opportunity to explore the off-the-beaten track South-west region of Madagascar. Visit an uninhabited island that used to be a pirate hangout and is now only home to some French tombs. Enjoy **beach-filled days spotting flocks of flamingos** and indulging in laid back relaxation.

