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SAMPLE ITINERARY

6 Days Mount Hanang Two-Day Climb

Hanang at an easier pace, with a night camping high on the mountain and time around Babati and Katesh.

DURATION	STARTS	STYLE	PRICE
6 Days / 5 Nights	Arusha	Mid-range	On request

Route: Arusha → Mount Hanang

Makao Mapya, Arusha, Tanzania

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YOUR JOURNEY

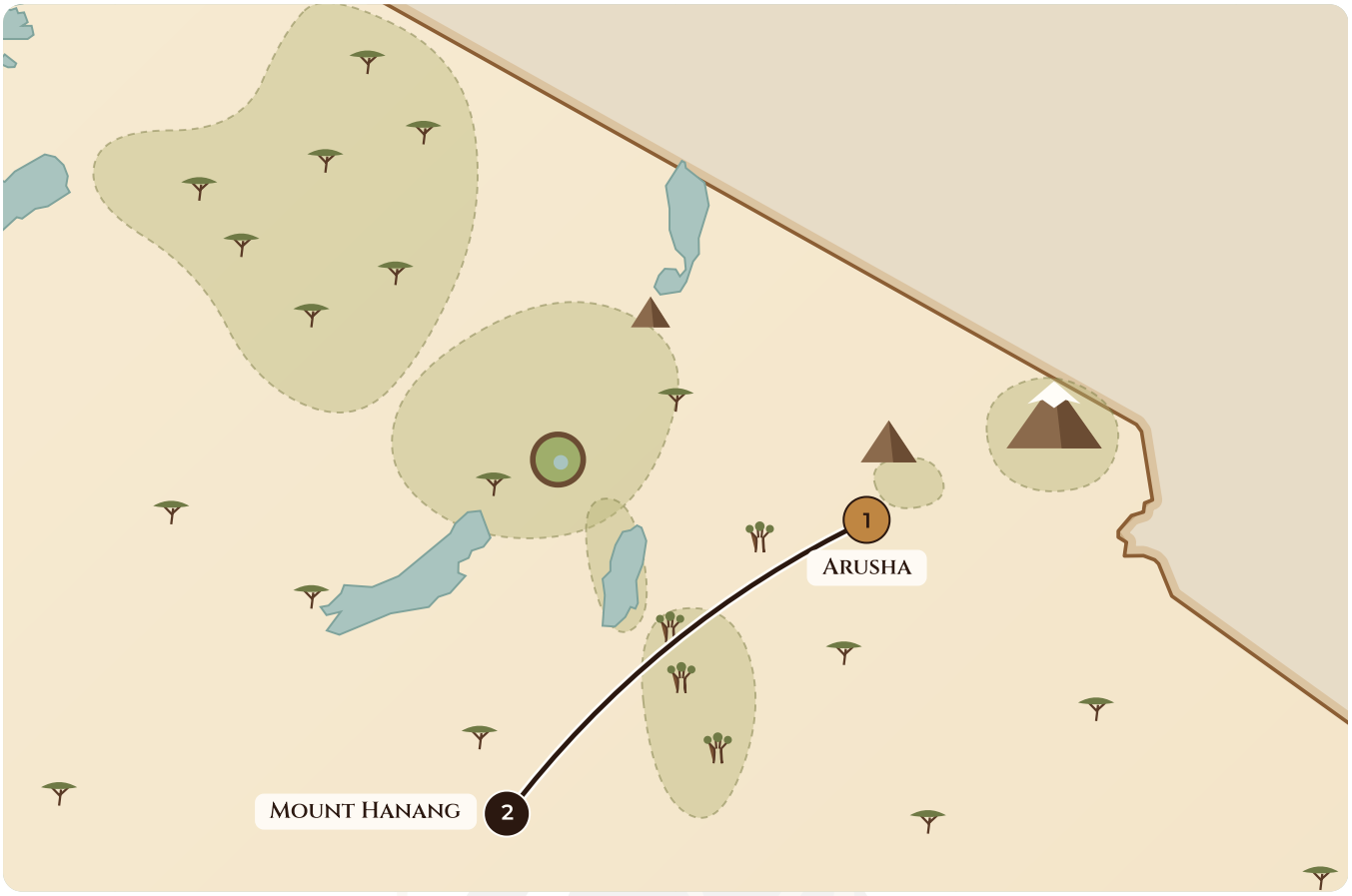
The overview

Splitting the climb over two days makes Hanang far more enjoyable. You get a sunset high on the mountain, a shorter summit morning and time to explore the country around it, without the safari added on.

Highlights

- Summit at about 3,417 m
- A night on the mountain
- Lake Babati boat trip
- Barabaig and Datoga cultures
- Very few other climbers

Your route



Journey start · Stop · By road

Illustrative map, not to be used for navigation.

Day 1	Arrival in Arusha	**Day 4**	Katesh – Hanang Mountain Camp
Day 2	Arusha – Babati	**Day 5**	Summit Day: Hanang – Katesh
Day 3	Babati – Katesh and the Barabaig	**Day 6**	Katesh – Arusha and Departure

Day by day

DAY 1

Arrival in Arusha

Arrive in northern Tanzania, where a Hartebeest Safaris representative welcomes you and provides a private transfer to your Arusha accommodation. Settle in, recover from the flight and go through the plan for the days ahead.

Personal airport welcome | Private transfer | Briefing and route review

TRAVEL
Approximately 45–75 minutes from Kilimanjaro International Airport, depending on traffic.

MEALS
Dinner, depending on arrival time

STAY
Hotel in Arusha, confirmed in the final quotation.

DAY 2

Arusha – Babati

Drive south along the Rift Valley to Babati, then take a boat with a local guide on Lake Babati to look for hippos and birdlife.

Rift Valley road | Lake Babati boat trip | Hippos and birdlife

TRAVEL
Usually 3 hours by road.

MEALS
Breakfast, lunch and dinner

STAY
Simple lodge in Babati, confirmed in the final quotation.

DAY 3

Babati – Katesh and the Barabaig

Continue to the market town of Katesh at Hanang's foot. Meet your guide, and visit a nearby community to learn about Barabaig life with a local host.

Mountain views | Barabaig community visit | Climb briefing

TRAVEL
Usually 1.5–2 hours by road. Visits depend on the community's own plans.

MEALS
Breakfast, lunch and dinner

STAY
Simple guesthouse in Katesh, confirmed in the final quotation.



CENTRAL TANZANIA
A road through golden grass



CENTRAL TANZANIA
Green hills from the air

DAY 4

Katesh – Hanang Mountain Camp

Walk up through farmland and forest on the Katesh route, then camp high on the mountain's slopes with sunset views across the plains.

Farmland and forest | Views over the plains | A quiet mountain camp

TRAVEL
Usually 4–6 hours of walking. Your guide confirms the route locally.

MEALS
Breakfast, lunch and dinner

STAY
Tented camp, about 2,400 m.

DAY 5

Summit Day: Hanang – Katesh

Set off early for the final climb to the summit ridge at about 3,417 m, with huge views over the Rift Valley, then descend all the way to Katesh.

Hanang summit | Rift Valley views | Long descent

TRAVEL
Usually 8–10 hours in total. Your guide may turn back if conditions require it.

MEALS
Breakfast, lunch and dinner

STAY
Simple guesthouse in Katesh, confirmed in the final quotation.

DAY 6

Katesh – Arusha and Departure

Enjoy a relaxed breakfast with the mountain behind you, then drive back north along the Rift Valley to Arusha for your onward connection.

Relaxed final morning | Rift Valley road | Departure transfer

TRAVEL
Usually 4–5 hours by road. Please book evening flights or stay an extra night.

MEALS
Breakfast and lunch

STAY
No accommodation included unless an extension is requested.



WHERE YOU STAY
Babati, Mount Hanang and northern Tanzania

Mid-range

Guesthouses, a mountain camp and lodges

Simple local stays near the mountain, a night in a tent on its slopes and lodges on safari. Exact properties are confirmed in your tailored quotation.

Included

- Private vehicle and driver-guide
- Local mountain guide and camp crew
- Forest reserve, village and park fees
- Accommodation and all meals on the trip
- Airport transfers

Not included

- International flights
- Tanzania visa and travel insurance
- Personal walking clothing and boots
- Crew tips and personal expenses
- Drinks not listed as included

Make this journey yours

This itinerary is a starting point. Tell us your dates, travellers and interests, and we will reply with a tailored proposal and quotation, usually within 24 hours.

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