



# Motorcycle Adventure - Enduro Chamäleon Hard Tour

**Offer ID:** UAM-42

**Length of Time:** 14

**Price from:** auf Anfrage €

Every day will be a little challenge. But the fascinating Enduro route from the capital Antananarivo to the north through very demanding tracks offers a unique experience. Very difficult conditions both in terms of driving and some accommodations.

## Travel Days

### Day Description

#### Day 1: Arrival in Antananarivo

Our team will greet you directly upon your arrival at Ivato International Airport and transport you to your hotel.

Villa Sibylle is a private guesthouse located near the airport, surrounded by a tropical garden. Relax after your flight and enjoy your first dinner in Madagascar with an overnight stay.

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## Day Description

**Day 2: Antananarivo - Ambohimanga - Antananarivo**

**Route Length: 74 miles (120 km) on laterite and asphalt**

In the morning, you will meet your tour guide and take a first look at your enduro bike. During the first ride, you will leave the busy streets of "Tana" (as Antananarivo is called by the locals) for a ride off the main road on laterite terrain. You will cross the red and green hills of the island and visit the UNESCO World Heritage site of Ambohimanga, the ancient capital of the Merina Kingdom. Overnight stay at the hotel.

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## Day Description

### Day 3: Antananarivo – Anjozorobe

**Distance:** 62 miles (100 km) on Laterite

On the second day of the Highland Tour, you will pass through rice fields and forests with traditional villages and typical local architecture. You will journey through fascinating landscapes with the Tampoketsa mountain range in the background as you make your way to Anjozorobe. Overnight stay at the hotel.

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## Day Description

### Day 4: Anjozorobe – Andilamena

**Distance:** 124 miles (200 km) on Laterite roads

Leave the hills and forests of the Highlands in the morning and head towards the wetlands surrounding Lake Alaotra, the largest inland lake in Madagascar. This area is known as the "rice bowl" of the island, as it is the largest rice-growing region. Overnight stay at a hotel.

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## Day Description

### Day 5: Andilamena – Mandritsara

This will be a challenging and solitary day: you will drive alone through the undergrowth and vast savannas.

Even the participants of the Camel Trophy had to turn back in 1987 because there were no bridges in sight.

Your entire experience will be put to the test.

Take good care of yourself. Overnight stay at the hotel.

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## Day Description

### Day 6: Mandritsara – Antsakabary

**Distance:** 99 miles (160 km) on Laterite and Asphalt roads

After a few kilometers on asphalt, the track leads onto Laterite roads along the river, surrounded by rice fields and mountain peaks.

Crossing several rivers along the way, you will reach the destination of Antsakabary, where you will be warmly welcomed by the local population.

Accommodation with the locals.

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## Day Description

**Day 7: Antsakabary – Andapa**

**Distance: 86 miles (140 kilometers) on Laterite**

After breakfast, you will face one of the most intense and impressive sections of the route.

You will cross rivers and eventually reach the pristine rainforest of Anjanaharibe.

Please respect the rules of the nature reserve and do not disturb the balance of the fauna and flora.

At the end of the day, you will arrive in Andapa and return to civilization. Overnight stay at a hotel.

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## Day Description

### Day 8: Andapa – Vohemar

**Distance:** 118 miles (190 km) on sand, laterite, and asphalt roads

Today's road stage takes you from the mountain ranges to the beaches of the Vanilla Coast.

After visiting Sambava, the "Vanilla Capital," you will reach the seaport of Vohemar.

The town was founded by Islamic seafarers from Arabia.

Take a trip from here to the "Green Lake," named for its algae population.

Overnight stay at the hotel.

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## Day Description

### Day 9: Vohemar – Antsaravibe

**Distance:** 118 miles (190 km) on sand and laterite roads

In the morning, you will drive on a beautiful route through the savannah from east to west.

Next, a short stretch on sandy roads through sugarcane and cashew nut plantations.

Ahead lies the 400 million-year-old Ankarana Massif with deep canyons and forests. Overnight stay at the hotel.

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## Day Description

**Day 10: Antsaravibe - Diego Suarez**

**Distance: 80 miles (130 km) on laterite and asphalt**

After a hearty breakfast, depart Antsaravibe and head towards the Ankarana mountain range.

Drive through winding, hilly roads, passing by sugarcane and mango plantations while enjoying spectacular views.

Before arriving in Diego, visit the sacred crocodiles in Lake Anivorano, believed to house the souls of ancestors. Overnight stay at the hotel.

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## Day Description

**Day 11: Diego Suarez – La Montagne des Français**

**Distance: 31 miles (50 km) on sand and asphalt**

Experience a short but impressive day: Discover the "Sugarloaf" of Diego Suarez, a small island in the middle of the bay. After driving along the dunes, you will pass through the small fishing village of Ramena and reach the "three bays" of Diego with white beaches and crystal-clear water. Overnight stay at the hotel.

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## Day Description

### Day 12: Diego Suarez – Cap d’Ambre

**Distance:** 99 miles (160 km) on sand, asphalt, and laterite

Let's head to the northern tip of Madagascar! You will leave Diego Suarez and drive on a narrow rocky path to reach the Cap d’Ambre lighthouse.

On the way back, you will visit the marine reserve in the Bay du Courrier with a unique variety of fauna and flora, including sea turtles and fish eagles. Overnight stay at the hotel.

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## Day Description

**Day 13: Diego Suarez – Joffre-Ville and Amber Mountain Forest**

**Distance:** 37 miles (60 km) on asphalt and laterite roads

**On the last day of your journey, you will visit the Amber Mountain National Park.**

**Established in 1958, it covers an area of 185km<sup>2</sup>. The massif rises to nearly 1,500 meters from the dry region. The mountain rainforest spans over 18,200 hectares.**

**Immerse yourself in the biodiversity of the park with lush vegetation, waterfalls, and volcanic lakes. The cool air will refresh you after the heat in the lowlands. Overnight stay at the hotel.**

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## Day Description

### Day 14: Diego Suarez – Antananarivo (Transfer)

A taxi will pick you up at the hotel and take you to the airport.

Our service on this very challenging day ends at the Diego Suarez (Antsiranana) airport.

Of course, we can take care of you upon arrival in Antananarivo and either use the time until your final flight to explore Antananarivo and its surroundings or relax in the tropical ambiance of Villa Sibylle.

The price of the entire tour will be calculated individually for each offer.

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## Facts & Figures

### Concept

Our motorcycle tours are personally tailored to your wishes and expectations, with prices calculated according to the final route and selected accommodations.

Madagascar's road network is very limited, but it showcases the essentials. The National Route 7 is considered one of the most beautiful roads in the world.

The low density of paved roads has created an exceptional network of routes.

As large as France and Belgium combined, every city, every village is connected by a stretch or path of several kilometers...

So yes, Madagascar is to motorcycling what Hawaii is to surfing: an absolute hotspot!

Our French-Malagasy team, composed of motorcycle guides and specialized mechanics, will share their passion for this country with you.

**Don't wait! Join us!**

## Services

### Our services for you include:

A KTM 350 EXCF 2017 rental enduro, equipped and prepared,

An experienced tour guide.

Land transfers as described in the program including transfer from the airport to the hotel and back, a 4\*4 support vehicle with driver for luggage and tool transportation.

Liability insurance

Accommodation in a hotel (double room, equipment or star category of your choice)

Full board (breakfast and dinner at the hotel, picnic basket for lunch)