

# From Ambilobe To Sambava - Vanilla Coast

Offer ID: UAM-77

**Length of Time:** 8

Price from: auf Anfrage €

The Vanilla Coast in Madagascar offers a variety of unique insights into the special diversity of a very special region on the Red Island. That's why we now offer a range of different day tours tailored to people with different physical abilities and individual interests.

## **Travel Days**

#### **Day Description**

# Day 1: From Ambilobe to Camp Tattersalli

On the first day of your **Madagascar adventure**, you will get a first impression as you set off from Ambilobe towards Camp Tattersalli early in the morning around seven o'clock.

You will cover a total of about **130 kilometers to Daraina** on the challenging track before arriving at the camp before lunch.

After a hearty meal, you can visit the Bekaroaka Reserve, where you can either meet the gold miners or embark on the **Baobab Trail** as an adventurous traveler.

Dinner and overnight accommodation will be at Camp Tattersalli.

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#### Day 2: Explore Vohémar and Sambava

After a hearty breakfast on the second day of your **Madagascar journey**, the car will take you to the Bay of Iharana near Vohémar.

There, you can enjoy a delicious lunch in the bay and take in the **breathtaking views**.

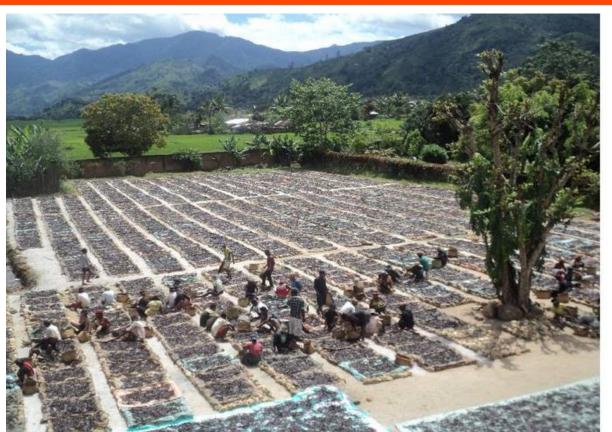
Next, you will head south towards Sambava, located about 180 kilometers away.

Along the way, there will be a quick stop at the green Lake of Andranotsara.

The fascinating color of this lake will captivate you with its mystical allure.

The lake, with its **impressive color play** resulting from the mix of fresh and saltwater, is home to numerous crocodiles.

These crocodiles are considered sacred animals by the locals, as they are believed to be reincarnations of ancestors in the traditional belief.



#### Day 3: Heading to Marojejy National Park

On the third day of your journey, the long-awaited adventure is right at your doorstep.

You will start early in the morning by car, heading up to the mountains to Mandena where the entrance to Marojejy National Park is located.

This park is one of the most impressive and **less explored protected areas** on the island, showcasing a **unique rainforest** that is rare to find on Earth today. Despite the damages caused by logging and poaching in recent years, the spectacle of the dense, green foliage is still spectacular and breathtaking.

However, hiking through the park requires a certain level of physical fitness, as the trails are wet and slippery, and the high humidity adds an extra challenge. It is recommended to wear rain gear for this trip as it almost constantly drizzles in Marojejy National Park. The journey into the unique natural paradise of Marojejy begins around 8:30 AM and it is uphill from the start.



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Day 4: More Adventures in Marojejy National Park.

Day 4 of your journey holds a lot of challenges for you.

After a hearty breakfast, you will continue your trek uphill until you reach **Camp Simpona**.

Located at an altitude of 1,250 meters, this camp will provide you with a short respite.

Next, you will ascend even higher to reach **the highest point of the National Park**, the Summit
Mountain.

At an altitude of over 2,100 meters, you will marvel at the surrounding landscape and experience an **uplifting atmosphere** that you will never forget.

Afterwards, you will return to Camp Marojejia for another night's rest.



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#### Day 5: Farewell to Marojejy National Park

Today, you will be spending your last few hours in Marojejy National Park.

After breakfast, you will set off and make your way back to Camp Mantella, where a **delicious lunch** awaits you.

Following that, you will descend into the valley and then drive back to Sambava.

For your overnight stay, you can choose between the **Hotel Orchidea Beach** or the **Soaland Apartments** once again.



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#### Day 6: Day trip to Antalaha

Start your day with a delicious breakfast before driving towards Antalaha.

On the way, make a stop at a vanilla and spice plantation to learn why this part of Madagascar is known as the Vanilla Coast.

Once in Antalaha, you have the afternoon free to spend as you wish until dinner.

We recommend a visit to a project for former leprosy patients, which is both educational and impactful.

Tonight, enjoy dinner and stay at the beautiful Ocean Momo Hotel, located right by the sea.



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#### Day 7: A Kayak Tour on the Ankavia River

The highlight of today's itinerary is a six-hour kayak tour on a river called Ankavia.

This adventurous tour will provide you with amazing views of the landscape and a truly immersive nature experience.

A **picnic** will be provided during the tour to keep you energized.

Afterwards, you can choose to be driven back to Samabava to stay at either the **Hotel Orchidea Beach** or the **Soaland Apartments**, or you can opt to stay in Antalaha at the **Hotel Ocean Momo** 



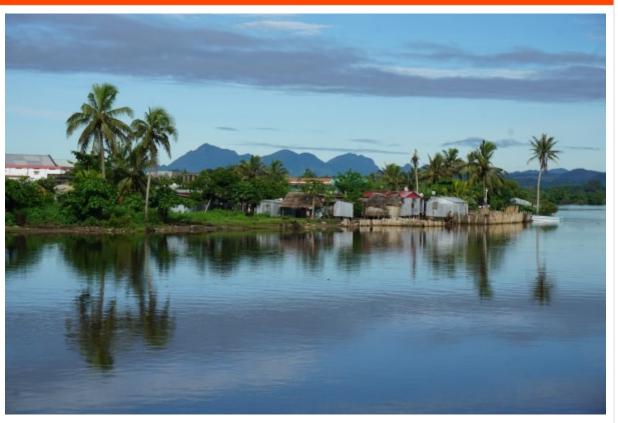
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#### **Day 8: The Journey Comes to an End**

After a restful night, the eighth day marks the end of this tour.

You will either return to Antananarivo and begin your **flight back to Europe** from there, or with our assistance, you can book another tour to see **even more of the island of Madagascar**.

This tour can be seamlessly combined with the northern part of Madagascar, Nosy Be, and many other tours.



# **Facts & Figures**

As mentioned above, you have many different options to implement various possibilities for variation during this Day.

The most important requirement for this is always that you provide us with enough time so that **we can implement your requested changes** to your satisfaction.

Alternatively, you can always book the exact tour with us.

This comes with the cost range presented in the table below and includes the services outlined underneath.

Ambilobe to Sambava – 8 Days	Price per person
2 to 3 guests	Rate on request
4 to 5 guests	Rate on request
6 to 7 guests	Rate on request
8 to 9 guests	Rate on request
10 guests and more	Rate on request

# **Services**

Day Services Included:
Logistics services
Accompaniment by an experienced English-speaking guide
Off-road vehicle or minibus including driver and diesel
All specified accommodations
Breakfast included
Not included:
Lunch, dinner, and drinks
Optional local guides
Flights
Tips