

5 DAYS MARANGU ROUTE



This is the easiest route to the summit of Kilimanjaro, sometimes called the Coca-Cola Route.



Ratings ★★☆☆

80% Success Rate

MARANGU ROUTE

- 📅 DURATION: 5-7 DAYS
- 📍 ASCENT DISTANCE: 36.75 KM
- 📍 DESCENT DISTANCE: 36.75 KM (MARANGU ROUTE)
- 🏔️ TREK DIFFICULTY: EASY
- 📏 TOTAL DISTANCE: 73.5 KM
- 🏠 HIGHLIGHT: CAMPING NOT ALLOWED, CHEAP

5 DAYS MARANGU ROUTE

- 👑 SUMMIT SUCCESS CHANCE - AVERAGE
- ⚡ ALTITUDE PROFILE - POOR
- 🏔️ DIFFICULTY - DOABLE
- 🌄 SCENERY - GOOD
- 🦌 WILDERNESS - GOOD
- 🎥 360° VIEWS - SOUTH/ WEST
- ♿ ACCESSIBILITY - CHALLENGING
- 💰 AFFORDABILITY - VERY GOOD

No Of People Climbing Per Year: 12,289



Day 1

Day 2



Difficulty Level - Low




Environment - Rain Forest



Temperature - Normal

 MARANGU GATE TO MANDARA HUT

 ELEVATION (FT): 6,046 FT TO 8,858 FT

 DISTANCE: 8 KM

 HIKING TIME: 4-5 HOURS

 HABITAT: RAIN FOREST



Difficulty Level - Medium



Environment - Moorland



Temperature - Moderate

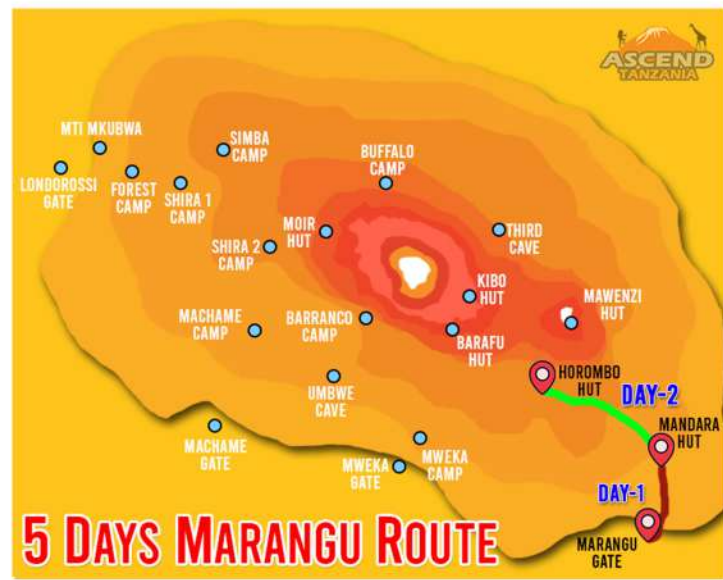
 MANDARA HUT TO HOROMBO HUT

 ELEVATION (FT): 8,858 FT TO 12,205 FT

 DISTANCE: 12 KM

 HIKING TIME: 6-8 HOURS

 HABITAT: HEATH



After Arrive in Moshi or Arusha.
Drive to Marangu Gate. Walk through the rain forest to Mandara hut (4h, 2720m).

Leave the forest and cross open moor land to Horombo hut (5h, 3720m).



Day 3

Day 4



Difficulty Level -
Medium



Environment -
Moorland



Temperature -
Moderate



Difficulty Level -
High



Environment -
Alpine Desert



Temperature -
Cold

 HOROMBO HUT TO KIBO HUT

 ELEVATION (FT): 12,205 FT TO 15,430 FT

 DISTANCE: 10 KM

 HIKING TIME: 6-8 HOURS

 HABITAT: ALPINE DESERT

 KIBO HUT TO UHURU PEAK

 ELEVATION (FT): 15,430 FT TO 19,341 FT

 DISTANCE: 6 KM

 HIKING TIME: 6-8 HOURS

 HABITAT: ARCTIC



Walk through moorland then across The Saddle to Kibo hut (5h, 4730m).

Very early start for the summit on steep scree up to Gillman's Point (5h, 5681m), continue to Uhuru Peak (1h30min., 5895m). Descend to Kibo Hut for lunch and a rest before descending to Horombo hut (about 13h total walking time).



Day 5

Difficulty Level - Medium

Environment - Rain Forest

Temperature - Moderate



- HOROMBO HUT TO MARANGU GATE
- ELEVATION (FT): 12,205 FT TO 6,046 FT
- DISTANCE: 20 KM
- HIKING TIME: 5-7 HOURS
- HABITAT: RAIN FOREST



Descend to Marangu gate (5h). Drive back to the hotel (B&B). This ends of the trekking.

INCLUDE

- ✓ All park entry fees
- ✓ All camping and hut fees
- ✓ Airport transfer (round trip)
- ✓ All camping gears
- ✓ Rescue fees
- ✓ Oxygen cylinder
- ✓ Ox miter machine
- ✓ Transport to/from the mountain gates
- ✓ Guide, chef and porters salaries
- ✓ Meals(3 times per day)
- ✓ Cook and kitchen utensils
- ✓ VAT
- ✓ Daily briefing
- ✓ Boiled/Purified drinking water
- ✓ Sleeping pads
- ✓ English speaking guide (certified as a Wilderness First Responder & Emergency Medicine Adult and Child CPR)
- ✓ Special Language Guide (for \$20 per guide,per day)
- ✓ Free WiFi at the hotel
- ✓ Mobile Communications (for emergency only)
- ✓ First Aid & Injury prevention kits
- ✓ 2 night hotel stay, before and after the climb at a Budget hotel.
- ✓ 10% discount on gear rental (the discount applies for online shopping only)
- ✓ Personal Summit Certificate stamped and signed by the National Park and your Guide
- ✓ Dinner (local dish) + 2 Beers or Sodas After the climb to celebrate with the team



EXCLUDE

- ✗ International and local flight from to back home
- ✗ Tips (Gratuity) to guide and porters
- ✗ Personal mountain gear (We offer high quality Gear Rental, see below for more info)

GET FREE KILIMANJARO PACKING LIST TO MAKE SURE THAT YOU DON'T FORGET ANYTHING



Travel Documents



Travel Clothing



Climbing Clothing



First Aid Kit



Toiletries



Travel Equipment



Climbing Equipment



Personal Items



Camping Equipment



Food



CAMPING GEAR



CLOTHES



HIKING GEAR



Marangu Route 6 days

Review of Ascend Tanzania

★★★★★ Reviewed 24 February 2019 via mobile



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Just came back from a 6 day trek along the Marangu route together with my girlfriend. We had an amazing experience thanks to the crew of porters and cook led by our two amazing guides Amos and Daniel. They are very knowledgeable, professional and good fun to spend 6 days on a mountain with. They were able to answer all our questions about the mountain! On the summit day they were very supportive which enabled us to reach Uhuru peak and stand on the top of Africa. I can recommend these guys to anyone!

Date of experience: February 2019



Kilimanjaro - Marangu Route 2018

Review of Ascend Tanzania

★★★★★ Reviewed 29 August 2018



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My wife and I visited Tanzania in July 2018 to trek the Marangu Route to the summit of Kilimanjaro for the second time, 7 ½ years after we trekked the Machame Route to the summit.

Our first trip ended disastrous with my wife falling ill with diarrhoea and subsequent dehydration, which forced her to turn back to Base Camp on Summit-night.

With all the lessons learned from our first experience we decided to use a locally owned Tour Operator and after reading numerous reviews we decided to use Ascend Tanzania.

[More...](#)

Date of experience: July 2018

Awesome experience! Marangu route - 6 days

Review of Ascend Tanzania

★★★★★ Reviewed 29 May 2018



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I cannot say enough good things about Ascend Tanzania! A friend and I took the six day Marangu route at the end of May, which I would highly recommend as it was still the rainy season and staying in huts was nice. Additionally, I think that having an extra day to rest and acclimate was beneficial in the success of our climb. We had an absolute blast from start to finish! Our lead guide, Remmy, was engaging, encouraging, helpful and very fun to be around. It was also apparent that he has great knowledge of altitude sickness and how to prevent and address such incidents. Our assistant guide, Leonard, was also engaging, incredibly helpful, and fun to be around. [More...](#)

Date of experience: May 2018

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