



**DESTINATION  
MOZAMBIQUE**

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Mozambique is situated in the eastern part of Africa and is surrounded by six neighbouring African countries which include : South Africa, Malawi, Swaziland, Zimbabwe, Zambia and Tanzania. The coastline spans over 2500km with over 800 00sq kms.



### **Climate**

Situated along the Indian Ocean, Mozambique has a warm, tropical climate with high temperatures in the rainy season from November to March and moderate temperatures in the dry season from April to October. Cyclones often appear in central Mozambique in January and February. The best time to visit is between June - October.

### **Currency & Credit Cards**

The Mozambique currency is Meticals, although USD and credit cards (Visa/Mastercard) are widely accepted. ATMs can be found in main cities but only disperse Meticals.

### **Electricity & Voltage**

Continental 2 pin, 220v/50hz (standard Euro plug).

### **Food**

Local Mozambique cuisine is influenced by the Portuguese with a mix of eastern and African cultures which includes a delicious variety of seafood and peri-peri chicken. Although running water is of reasonable quality, it is advisable to drink bottled.

### **Health**

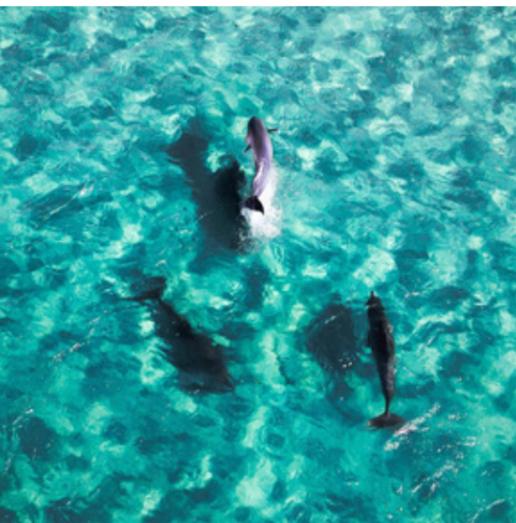
Mozambique is a malaria area. It is suggested that travellers contact a health-care professional for the latest advice on malaria prophylaxis. Vaccination certificates are required for yellow fever ONLY if arriving from a country at high risk from yellow fever.

## COVID-19

Travelers arriving in Mozambique will be required to provide proof of negative Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR)-based COVID-19 test results administered in their country of origin within 72 hours of departure. For purposes of land border crossings, COVID-19 tests remain valid for 7 days for those requiring multiple entries over a short period of time or leaving Mozambique for a short duration.

## Language

The most common language in Mozambique is Portuguese, which is the official language. English is spoken at most of the lodges and hotels and tourism nodes. There are an additional 17 African languages spoken in Mozambique.



## Cellular Comms

SIM cards can be purchased easily throughout Mozambique. Wifi is available at most hotels and lodges. The international dialling code for Mozambique is +258.

## Visas

It is suggested, that if possible, travellers obtain their visas prior to arrival. Mozambique issue a 20-day Tourist Visa at a cost of USD50 which can be obtained on arrival at the airport. Countries that do NOT need a visa for up to 30 days are include South Africa, Botswana, Cape Verde, Malawi, Mauritius, Swaziland, Tanzania and Zambia. All passports must be valid for 6 months AFTER the last day of stay in Mozambique and must have a minimum of 3 blank pages.