



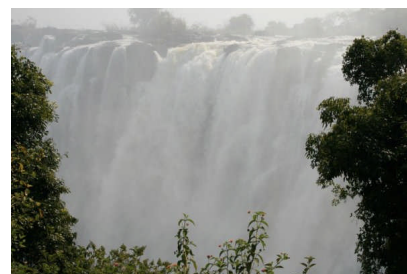
CLASSIC ROUTE ZIMBABWE

The CLASSIC ROUTE covers some **highlights of Zimbabwe** (area: 390,580 km²), undoubtedly one of the most beautiful countries of Southern Africa. From the absolute wilderness of Mana Pools National Park, the ruins of Great Zimbabwe to the mighty Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe is a great place to visit.

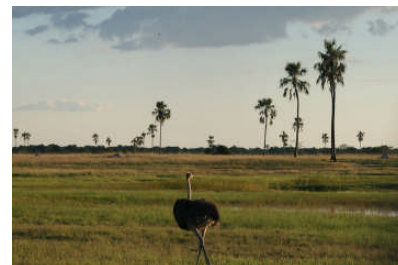
Itinerary: Victoria Falls & Hwange National Park

Day 1 Arrival at **Victoria Falls** and transfer to your lodge. The afternoon should be spend with a leisurely **sundowner cruise** on the **Zambezi River**, where you will find many hippo pods as well as giraffes and elephants on the river banks. You will learn about the history of the area whilst nibbling on some delicious snacks washed down with a cocktail. **Overnight in Victoria Falls**

Day 2 During the day explore the mighty **Victoria Falls**. There are aptly described as on of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World: the falls are 1.7km wide and 108m high and have an annual average flow of one million litres per second. During the rainy season (March to May), the flow can be ten times higher, while in the dry season (September to December), the volume of water can be as low as 4% of the peak flow. Many other activities are offered in Victoria Falls, ranging from Bungi jumping to elephant back safaris. **Overnight in Victoria Falls**



Day 3 Transfer to the **Hwange National Park**, the largest and most wildlife-packed park in Zimbabwe. Arrive in time for lunch and relax before your first game drive into the park with some of the best professional safari guides in Southern Africa. **Walking safaris**, especially in the early morning, are very popular and giraffes appear much much taller from 'down there' as when you are sitting on a game drive vehicle. The wide open spaces offer enough visibility to detect big game from afar. **Overnight in the Hwange National Park**



Day 4/5 Two days must be spend in the park! Hwange is home to some 400 species of birds and 107 trypes of animals, including one of the largest numbers of elephants in the world. The best time for wildlife viewing is July to October when animals congregate around the 60 water holes or 'pans'. **Overnight in the Hwange National Park**

Day 6 Return transfer to Victoria Falls and departure

