

# Deception Valley Lodge

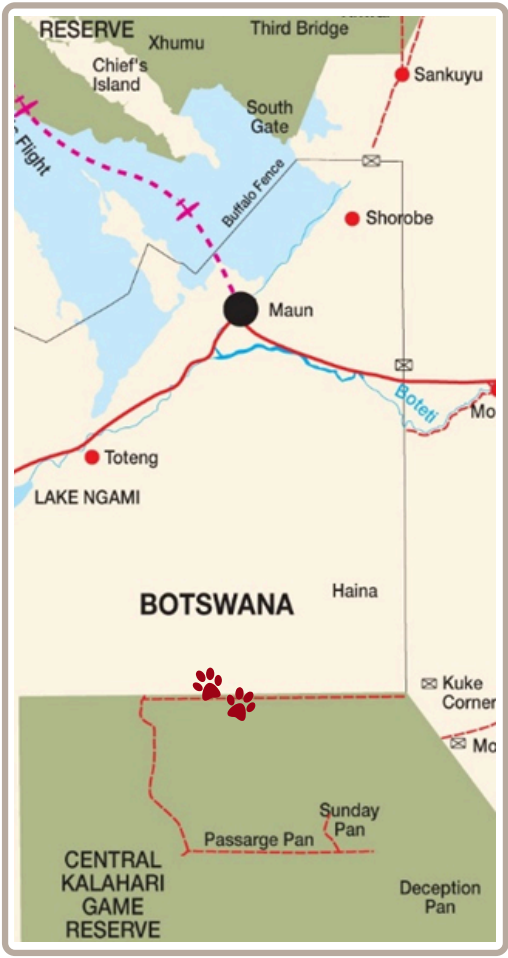
Deception Valley Lodge is nestled on the north-eastern boundary of the Central Kalahari Game Reserve in one of the largest private game reserves in Botswana. The Deception Valley Private Reserve spans more than 43 000Ha of pristine Kalahari wilderness. Designated waterholes, hidden viewing hides, vegetated dunes, natural pans and an amazing valley, offering incredible game viewing opportunities.

The lodge also gives you an opportunity to embrace the Naru tribe’s culture as they share intricate knowledge about their way of life. This cultural exchange is a fundamental part of the Kalahari experience, offering a once in a lifetime experience to your stay. Guests can also enjoy the clear night skies by star-gazing activity which is available on request. The Camp waterhole is a major attraction and hours can be spent sitting on the deck enjoying the view and activity as the wildlife visit for a drink.

The lodge features 6 very spacious suites each with a separate lounge area, en-suite bathroom, outdoor shower and large viewing deck. There is also a deluxe family suite, perfect for a family escape with two ensuite rooms each with its own lounge, with a shared outdoor deck and plunge pool as well as a standard family suite with two ensuite rooms and a shared deck. The luxurious lodge offers a main area with indoor and outdoor dining, swimming pool, gym facility and a charming curio shop.



GPS: 20°57'10" S and 23°38'59" E



**6 standard suites, each including:**

- 1 twin/double bedroom
- Lounge
- Ensuite bathroom
- Outdoor shower
- Private front deck
- Safe
- Standing fan
- Power points for charging
- Extra bed on request

**Room Package**

Includes accommodation, full board meals and camp activities.



**1 standard family suite that includes:**

- 2 twin/double bedrooms each with ensuite bathroom
- Lounge in each room, Outdoor shower, Safe, Standing fan,
- Power points for charging, Extra bed on request

**1 deluxe family suite that includes:**

- 2 twin / double bedrooms each with ensuite bathroom
- Lounge in each room, Outdoor shower, Shared plunge pool,
- Shared front deck, Safe, Standing fan, Fire place in each room, Power points for charging, Extra bed on request



**Road transfers from Maun**

Light aircraft transfers from Maun or Kasane

Self-drive friendly (4x4 only)



**Solar-powered property**

Back-up generator on-site

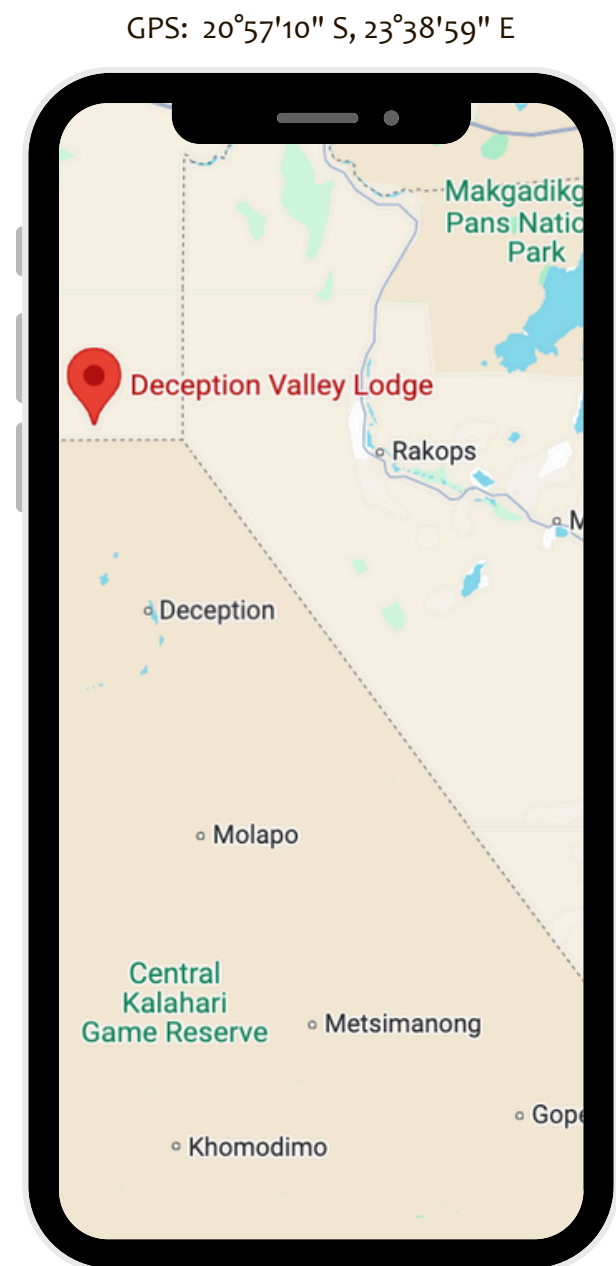


**Main area**

- WiFi available in main area
- Lounge & Library
- Indoor and outdoor dining area
- Bar
- Pool
- Gym
- Curio shop
- Game viewing opportunity at the waterhole
- Boma
- Viewing hide
- Morning, afternoon and night game drives in the reserve
- San trail and nature walk with the Naru tribe



*All activities are subject to seasonal availability and weather conditions during the month of travel*



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Lodge located within			
7KM	43,000Ha	140KM	130KM
Deception Valley Airstrip	Deception Valley Private Reserve	Maun	Khumaga Village
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## Directions



### Directions: From Maun

#### From Maun via Samedupi:

Start from Builders World in Maun Boseja. Take the road out of town towards Motopi/Francistown. After 13km take the turn right towards Samedupe. After 3.5km, and after crossing the bridge over the Boteti, the tar road ends and the gravel road starts. Just continue straight. 12km on the gravel road you will pass a veterinary gate. Continue straight.

After 3.5km on the gravel road, after passing the veterinary gate, the gravel road turns sharp right. Continue on the gravel road for 7km after the sharp right turn. The gravel road then turns sharp left. Continue on the gravel road for 14km. Here, the gravel road turns right towards Somelo. Don't take the right towards Somelo, but go straight onto the sand track and leave the gravel road behind.

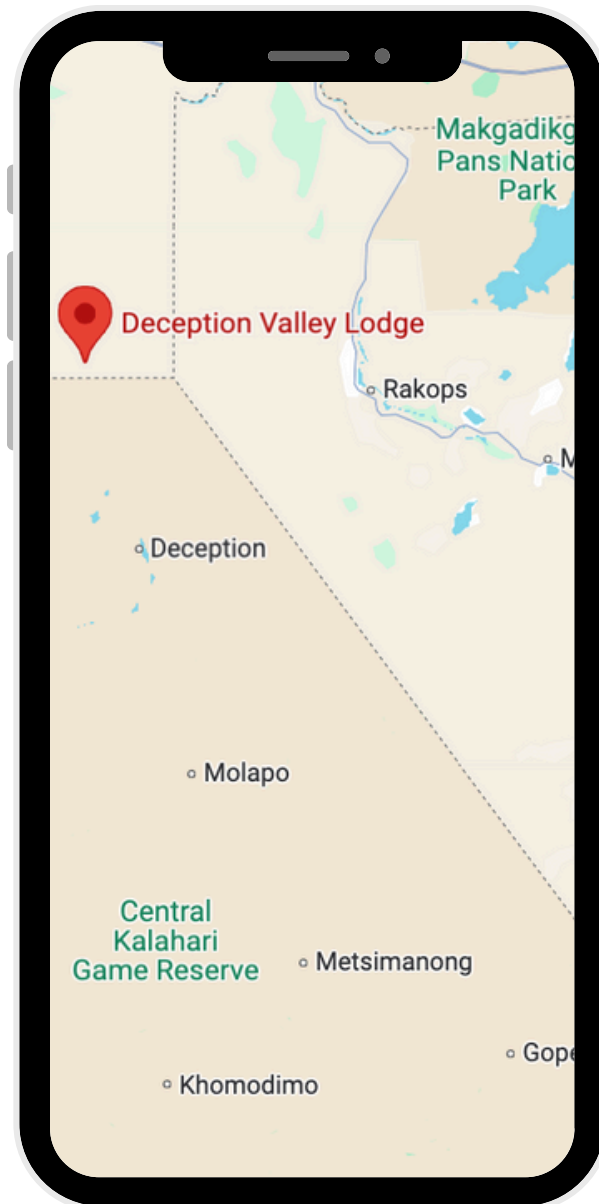
Just follow the sand track for 7km, then the sand track turns left and then right. Follow this main track and you will hold the cattle fence on your left for 12km. Here, the main track will turn right and then left, where you keep the cattle fence on your right. After 2.5km you will see a sign "Deon", and from here you will have a game fence on your right for 24km. Then the sand track will turn sharp left and you will find two gates next to each another.

The left gate (heavy steel gate) is for Deception Valley Private Reserve. Open this gate with the code. Make sure to lock it again after you have entered, and be careful with the electrified wires on the gate, so as not to get shocked. Immediately after opening and going through the gate, turn left and travel east along the fence for 15 km. You will then reach a second gate, which used to be the old Deception Valley Lodge gate but is not in use anymore. At this gate, turn right and follow the signs of the Brown Hyena for 9 km. The road will turn left; follow it for another 8 km and you will reach the lodge. Enjoy your stay with us!

**The DVPR gate will be locked. You will need to open it using a code, please ensure this is received prior to travel.**



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### Directions: From Rakops

About 23 km outside of Rakops, on the road to Maun, there is a turn-off to the left with signs for Haina Lodge and DVL (Deception Valley Lodge). Turn left onto the sand road and continue for 60 km. Proceed to the Kuke Corner Gate (Phefodiafoka gate), pass through the gate, and keep to the left. The game fence with the CKGR will be on the left-hand side. There is a sign for DVL. Continue 23 km on this sand road until you find the sign “Deception Valley Lodge” to your right. Open this gate with the code. Make sure to lock it again after you have entered, and be careful with the electrified wires on the gate, so as not to get shocked. Once through the gate, follow the arrows to the lodge. Have a safe journey, and we look forward to welcoming you at Deception Valley Lodge.

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