

The Sky's The Limit

Unlock a new perspective on safari — and on Tanzania
itself — with a private helicopter experience



Auberge Safari

Lift off over the wide-open plains of the southern Serengeti, trace the contour of the Rift Valley escarpment, or drift above the mirror-like waters of Lake Manyara. From the air, the different aspects of this ancient landscape come together as Tanzania reveals its full hand.

Whether woven into your safari or booked as a dedicated excursion, our private helicopter experiences offer an entirely new way to explore the wild.



Inter-Property Transfers

Travel between our camps and lodges by private helicopter and the journey becomes as much a part of the experience as the destination.

Private Helicopter Flights

Take to the skies on a privately guided flight over some of northern Tanzania's most dramatic landscapes, with routes shaped by the season and the places you wish to discover.

30-MINUTE SCENIC FLIGHT

US\$1,800 per take-off, based on one to five people sharing

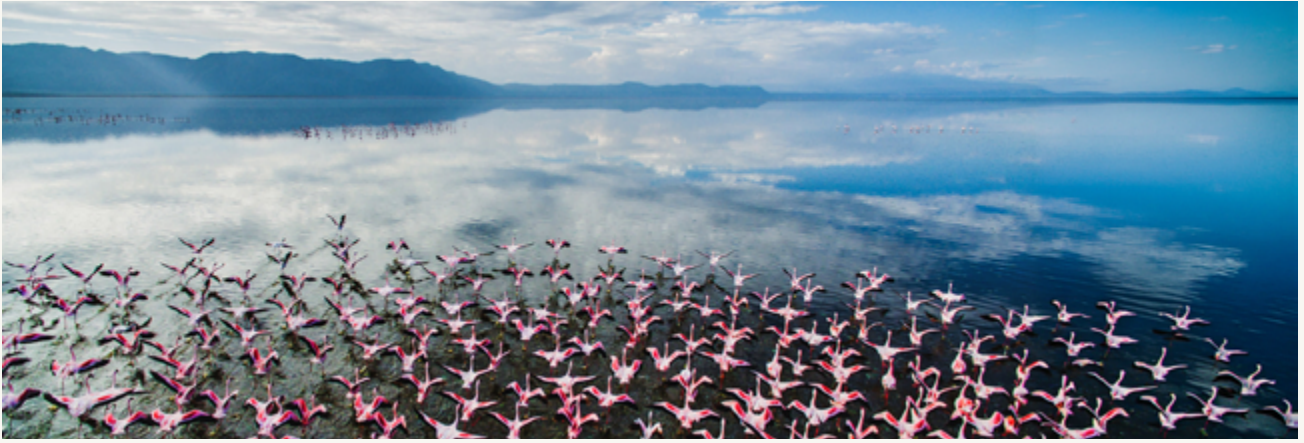
45-MINUTE SCENIC FLIGHT

US\$2,600 per take-off, based on one to five people sharing

60-MINUTE SCENIC FLIGHT

US\$2,850 per take-off, based on one to five people sharing, including a drinks break

These rates are Rack Rates and are commissionable at 10% when prebooked by our trade partners at the time of booking the safari camps.



Helicopter Excursions

Some of Tanzania's most extraordinary landscapes are only accessible from the air. Our helicopter excursions are designed around the best of them.

LAKE EYASI FROM ABOVE

Duration: One and a half hours of flying including one stop | US\$2,850

Follow the line of the escarpment as it drops toward Lake Eyasi. Your pilot traces the shoreline where pelicans and flamingos gather in season — November through December — before landing at the escarpment's highest point for brunch or a sundowner.

SOAR OVER THE SOUTHERN SERENGETI

Duration: Two hours of flying including two stops | US \$ 5,130

Tanzania from above: the southern Serengeti's wildlife-filled plains and the true scale of the landscape revealed. Your pilot sets down on a kopje for coffee, then continues out to Lake Eyasi, where the escarpment drops away and a picnic brunch or sundowner awaits.

NGORONGORO CRATER

Duration: Two hours of flying and a choice of one or two stops | US\$ 4,275

Trace the ancient rim of the Ngorongoro Crater, the volcanic highlands rising to either side. From there, the route turns toward Lake Eyasi and the escarpment, which serves as your landing point for a picnic, before heading back through the Rift Valley.

GREAT RIFT VALLEY

Duration: Three and a half hours of flying including three stops | US\$ 9,975

The longest route covers Tanzania's most dramatic landscape. Fly over Lake Natron's flamingo-flocked shores, past the active cone of Ol Doinyo Lengai and the waterfalls that cut through the valley floor below. The return leg swings east over the Ngorongoro highlands and back via Lake Eyasi — brunch and coffee stops built into the route, late lunch on return.

For more information or to make a booking, please contact your dedicated Travel Designer or enquiries@auberge.co.tz

Terms & Conditions

All helicopter charters must be booked prior to arrival. Please contact your dedicated Travel Designer or enquiries@auberge.co.tz for further information and booking assistance.

Standard booking, payment and cancellation terms apply.

Full helicopter safari journeys are subject to approval by the relevant Tanzanian National Parks authorities.

Flights are subject to aircraft availability, weather conditions, operational requirements and pilot safety discretion.

All flights are operated by Level Up Aviation Limited in accordance with Tanzanian Civil Aviation Authority (TCAA) regulations.

Flight routes, durations and landing locations may be amended or cancelled for operational or safety reasons.

Maximum capacity is pilot plus five adults or two adults and three children, subject to passenger weight and aircraft operating limitations.

A standard luggage allowance of one soft-sided bag per guest, with a maximum weight of 15 kg, applies where applicable. Additional passenger weight and luggage restrictions may apply.

All helicopter flights are operated on a private basis.

Guests are required to comply with all safety instructions and passenger requirements provided prior to departure.



FAQs

1. Which helicopter will be used for the guest flights?

A turbine-powered Airbus Helicopter AS350 B3 / H125.

2. Who operates the helicopter?

The helicopter is operated by Level Up Aviation Limited, a certified Tanzanian Civil Aviation Authority operator. Level Up is responsible for aviation operations, TCAA compliance and safety management.

3. Is Level Up authorised to operate commercial passenger flights?

Level Up Aviation Limited holds Tanzanian Civil Aviation certifications and approvals and is authorised to conduct commercial air transport operations. The aircraft is maintained under an approved Airbus maintenance programme and undergoes mandatory inspections and air-worthiness controls.

4. What is the passenger capacity?

The aircraft is configured for one pilot and up to five passenger seats. For safari operations with luggage, operational loading is assessed before each flight. For guest flights with luggage, the practical limit is generally:

- Up to four adult passengers with luggage of 15 kg per person, or
- Two adults and three children, where a child is treated as someone weighing less than 40 kg.

5. What luggage restrictions apply?

Guests should travel with soft bags only. The standard baggage allowance is one soft bag per passenger, with a maximum weight of 15 kg. For excursions and day trips, photographic equipment and backpacks are most welcome.

6. Pilots and their experience?

Flights are operated by fully licensed and medically cleared pilots by Level Up Aviation Limited and licensed by TCAA.

7. Are the pilots familiar with the safari routes and landing areas?

Level Up pilots are familiar with the relevant safari operating environment, including Burunge Wildlife Management Area, Greater Mwiba Wildlife Protected Area, Serengeti, lodge landing sites, terrain, weather patterns, and wildlife area operating considerations and limitations.

8. How is the helicopter maintained?

The helicopter is maintained under an Airbus approved maintenance program based on manufacturer

requirements and applicable civil aviation regulations.

9. What insurance is in place?

The helicopter is covered by comprehensive aviation insurance covering its operations, including passenger and third-party liability coverage. A copy of the insurance policy is available for inspection.

10. What happens in case of weather, safety concerns or operational disruption?

Safety always takes priority. Every helicopter flight is subject to operational and weather considerations. If weather or operational conditions require a delay, guests will be updated. If conditions do not meet the required safety standards, the flight will be delayed, rescheduled, or canceled.

11. What safety briefing and passenger restrictions apply?

All passengers receive a safety briefing before the flight. Guests should advise in advance of any medical condition, mobility limitation, pregnancy or other factor that may affect their ability to board, fly safely or respond to crew instructions. Final passenger acceptance remains subject to Level Up's operating procedures and the discretion of the Pilot-in-Command's safety protocols.

12. For larger groups, are there additional helicopters available?

Level Up Aviation Limited operates a fleet of helicopters in Tanzania, and any additional helicopters needed will be supplied by Level Up Aviation Limited, subject to aircraft availability.

13. How do I book a helicopter excursion with Auberge Safari?

Helicopter excursions can be booked at the time of making a reservation for our safari itineraries, and are subject to the same booking conditions and deposits due as the rest of the booking.

14. Are these experiences only available at certain times of the year?

These helicopter experiences are available all year round. All rates are valid until December 31, 2027. Subject to weather, safety and operational considerations

