

..... Wild Trails at Tadoba National Park.....

Tadoba National Park is the oldest and largest national park in Maharashtra located in the Chandrapur District of Maharashtra. The name 'Tadoba' is the name of the God "Tadoba" or "Taru", praised by the tribal people who live in the dense forests of the Tadoba and Andhari region, while the Andhari River that meanders through the forest gives the 'Andhari' name.

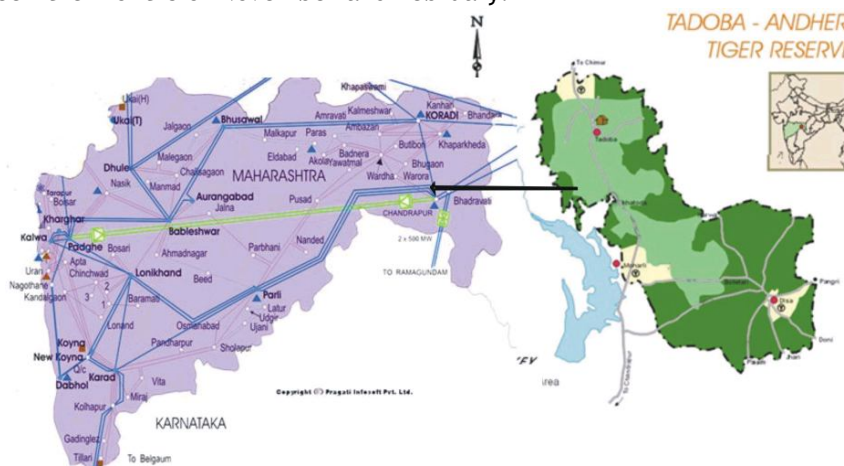
Tadoba National Park is just 40 kms. from Chandrapur City. Latitudes and longitudes are 20° 10' North and 79° 24' East. Tadoba Andheri Reserve is lies in the area of 625.4 square kilometres (241.5 sq mi). This includes Tadoba National Park, created in 1955 with an area of 116.55 square kilometres (45.00 sq mi) and Andhari Wildlife Sanctuary created in 1986 with an area of 508.85 square kilometres (196.47 sq mi). The Reserve also includes 32.51 square kilometres (12.55 sq mi) Protected Forest and 14.93 square kilometres (5.76 sq mi) 'Other areas'. Densely forested hills form the northern and western boundary of the Tiger Reserve. Tadoba lake which acts as a buffer between the park's forest and the extensive farmland which extends up to Irai water reservoir. This lake is a perennial water source which offers good habitat for crocodiles to thrive. Other wetland areas within the reserve include the Kolsa lake and Andhari river.

This park has a large biodiversity. The trees commonly found here are Ain, Dhuda, Haldu, Salai, Semal, Tendu, Beheda, Hirda, Karaya gum, Mahua. Axlewood *Anogeissus latifolia* is a fire-resistant species growing here. Palas or Flame of the Forest *Butea monosperma* adds vibrant colour to the forest. Black plum trees grow in the riparian habitat around the lake. At the waterhole at Panchadhara, huge arjun trees are seen.

Aside from around 65 of the keystone species Bengal tiger, Tadoba Tiger Reserve is home to other mammals, including Indian Leopards, Sloth Bears, Indian Gaur, Blue Bull, Sambar Deer, Spotted Deer, Barking Deer. Tadoba lake sustains the Marsh Crocodile, which were once common all over Maharashtra.

The lake is an ornithologist's paradise with a wide diversity of water birds, and raptors. 195 species of birds have been recorded, including three endangered species. The Grey-headed fish eagle, the Crested Serpent Eagle, and the Changeable Hawk-Eagle are some of the raptors. Other interesting species include the Orange-headed Thrush, Indian Pitta, Crested Treeswift, Stone Curlew, Honey Buzzard, Paradise Flycatcher, Bronzewing Jacana and Lesser Goldenbacked Woodpecker, Warblers and the black-naped blue flycatcher exist here and the call of the peacock may often be heard.

The park lies within the tropical monsoon climatic zone, characterized by well-defined winters, summers and rains. Temperature as low as 8.2 °C and as high as 44 °C have been recorded. Average rainfall is 1,273 millimeters, most of which falls during the monsoons. Some rains result from the cyclonic depressions as well, between the months of November and February.



Tour Itinerary for 5 Nights / 6 Days.

Day 1 : Pune - Nagpur :-

We will start our journey from Pune in the evening by Garibrath Exps. to reach Nagpur at 17:40 hrs.
Overnight Journey. **(No Food Included)**

Day 2 : Nagpur - Tadoba :- (92 kms. 2.5 hrs.)

We will reach Nagpur Rly. Stn. at 09:30 hrs. After breakfast we will proceed for **Tadoba National Park** at around 10:30 hrs.

Reach Tadoba at around 12:30 hrs, check into the hotel and after lunch take a rest. we will take our **First Jungle Safari** in Core area by Gypsy. We have a chance to see the most beautiful animal on this planet 'Tiger'. Leopard, Spotted Deer, Blue Bull, Jackal, Wild Boar, Sambar Deer are the animals which can also be sighted. The bird species like Vultures, Eagles, Peacocks, Owls, Flycatchers add to the beauty of the jungle. Take Dinner at 09:00 pm and go to Bed.

Night stay at Resort in Tadoba. (Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included)

Day 3 : Tadoba :-

Early in the morning we will take our **Second Jungle Safari** in Core area by Gypsy. Come back to Resort at around 10:00 am. Share your experiences and photographs with others. After lunch we will take our **Third Jungle Safari** in Core area by Gypsy. Come back to Resort at around 18:30 hrs. Share your experiences and photographs with others.

Night stay at Resort in Tadoba. (Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Included)

Day 4 : Tadoba - Nagpur :- (92 kms. 2 hrs.)

Early in the morning we will take our **Forth Jungle Safari** in Core area by Gypsy. Come back to Resort at around 11:00 am. After Lunch: At around 13:00 hrs. we will transfer you to Nagpur Rly. Stn. to board a train to Pune (Garibrath Exp.) at 18:30 hrs.

Overnight Journey. (Breakfast and Lunch Included.)

Day 5 : Pune

Arrive Pune at 09:45 hrs. **(No Food Included)**

Please note : If you want to take more safaris you can extend your stay in Tadoba at extra cost.

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• **Cost Includes :**

1. Accommodation in Deluxe Hotels (Tadoba Tiger King Resorts or Chhava Resorts or Jharana Jungle Lodge).
2. Daily Breakfast (3), Lunch (3) and Dinner (2).
3. 4 Jungle Safaris by Open Gypsy with all permits.
4. 3 tier AC railway ticket from Pune / Mumbai to Nagpur and back.
5. Transfers from and to Wardha / Nagpur by A.C. Vehicle.

• **Cost Excludes :**

1. Cost for Any Airfare, Any Bus Fare, Insurance Premiums etc.
2. Cost for optional Tours, Up-gradation Charges.
3. Any transportation which is not mentioned in the itinerary.
4. Payment for service provided on a personal request basis.
5. Personal exps. i.e. phone calls, laundry, soft drinks, mineral water, incidentals, porter charges, tips etc.
6. Expenses incurred due to change in oil price, mishaps, landslide, strikes, political unrest etc. In such case extra will be charged as per actual which will be collected from the guest directly.
7. Meals/Food other than specified.
8. The item which is not mentioned in the 'Cost Includes'.

Please Note. :

A) The hotel rooms are subject to availability. They may change at the time of booking.

B) Flycatcher Adventure's General BOOKING AND CANCELLATION RELATED TERMS & CONDITIONS APPLICABLE.

C) Service Note:

Offer is based on minimum 15 children / adults on a tour.

Hotel check-in is after 12:00 hrs and actual check-in would take place as per the flow of the tour itinerary or local circumstances.

D) Itinerary:

Itinerary is prepared on experience and normal practice of local guide and supplier. Local guide / Local supplier has got all the rights to amend due respect to the local condition/circumstances to serve you better. The services which are not offered due to some local circumstances or during the process of revising the itinerary, the REFUND would be given for the NON-RENDERED services on the basis the policy of the service rendering company/mediator/supplier.

E) Booking Procedure: We request to issue us the details and documents as follows

1. Acceptance letter: Acceptance by signing the booking form and an offer letter document.
2. Chq/Draft: 100% in advance to process your request to our suppliers.
3. Name list: In the format of SURNAME/NAME/FATHERS NAME/ADDRESS/TEL/PASSPORT ISSUE & EXPIRY DATE.

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