



JOURNEY INFORMATION

CAPE TO CAIRO FACT SHEET 2014
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TERMS & CONDITIONS

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CAPE TO CAIRO 2014 28 days * 17 January - 13 February

Rovos Rail has designed the ultimate African experience for this exclusive five-star journey, which includes the incomparable luxury of the train and an aircraft. This 28-day expedition will carry an elite band of intrepid adventurers through the heartlands of South Africa, Botswana, Zimbabwe, Zambia, Tanzania, Uganda, the Sudan and Egypt.

Join the train on a four-night journey from Cape Town with stops at the historic village of Matjiesfontein, the diamond town of Kimberley, Rovos Rail Station in Pretoria and finally Victoria Falls. Thereafter, guests join the air safari and continue north to Zanzibar after which they fly into the heartland of Tanzania with a four-day visit to the Ngorongoro Crater and Serengeti. Continue to Entebbe, Uganda, where guests enjoy a visit to the chimpanzees and source of the Nile. The journey then follows the Nile north to Khartoum in the Sudan and onto Abu Simbel in Egypt. A luxurious lake cruiser takes guests in a leisurely fashion over three nights to see the historical sights on the shores of Lake Nasser. Then it is on to Luxor for two nights to experience ancient Egypt in all its splendour with visits to temples, quarries and the Valley of Kings and Queens. Guests rejoin the aircraft for the last leg to Cairo where the adventure ends with a tour of the Pyramids, Sphinx and the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities from the Four Seasons First Residence Hotel.

Day 1 Fri 17		Arrive Cape Town. Transfer to the Cape Grace Hotel at the V&A Waterfront . Welcome dinner and overnight at hotel.
Day 2 Sat 18	08h30	Wine tasting at Groot Constantia and a visit to Table Mountain (weather permitting). Lunch en route. Dinner at the V&A Waterfront. Overnight at hotel.
Day 3 Sun 19	08h30	Full-day tour of Cape Peninsula including Fish Hoek, Simonstown, Cape Point, Chapman's Peak Drive, Hout Bay and Kirstenbosch. Light lunch en route. Dinner and overnight at hotel.
Day 4 Mon 20	09h00 11h00 18h00	Transfer to Rovos Rail's private lounge at Cape Town Station. Depart on Rovos Rail to Pretoria. Visit the historic village of Matjiesfontein before dinner and overnight on the train.
Day 5 Tue 21	14h30 17h20	Arrive Kimberley. Tour of the Big Hole and Diamond Mine Museum . Depart Kimberley . Dinner and overnight on the train.
Day 6 Wed 22	12h00 18h00	Arrive Pretoria . Light Lunch followed by a city tour of Pretoria. Dinner and overnight at hotel.
Day 7 Thu 23	10h00	Depart Pretoria on Rovos Rail for Botswana . Border formalities at Mafikeng and Gaborone. Dinner and overnight on the train.
Day 8 Fri 24		Travel through Botswana. Breakfast, lunch and dinner on board.
Day 9 Sat 25	17h00	Breakfast and lunch on board. Arrive Victoria Falls . Transfer from station to the Victoria Falls Hotel for dinner and overnight.
Day 10 Sun 26	16h00	Day at leisure. Optional tour of Falls, helicopter ride, river rafting, bungee jumping, craft village... Sunset cruise on the Zambezi River . Dinner and overnight at hotel.
Day 11 Mon 27	08h00 12h00 14h00	Join your dedicated aircraft at Victoria Falls Airport for the flight to Zanzibar. Arrive Zanzibar and transfer to Zanzibar Serena Hotel for lunch. Afternoon tour of Stone Town . Dinner and overnight at hotel.
Day 12 Tue 28	10h00	Island Spice Tour with lunch en route. Afternoon at leisure. Dinner and overnight at hotel.
Day 13 Wed 29	08h00	Transfer to airport for flight to Kilimanjaro in Tanzania . On arrival board vehicles for 2½-hour drive via Lake Manyara to Ngorongoro Farmhouse . Afternoon at leisure. Dinner and overnight at lodge.
Day 14 Thu 30	09h00	After breakfast, game drive excursion to Ngorongoro Crater with lunch on floor of crater. Dinner and overnight at lodge.
Day 15 Fri 31	10h00 12h00	After breakfast, transfer to Masek Tented Camp in Ndutu area, Serengeti Plains. Arrive at the camp for lunch and afternoon game drive. Dinner and overnight at camp.

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Day 16 Sat 1	10h00	Breakfast at the camp. Morning and afternoon game drives in the Serengeti . Lunch, dinner and overnight at camp.
Day 17 Sun 2	07h00 10h00 11h00	Transfer to airstrip for domestic flight to Kilimanjaro Airport. After immigration and customs formalities, depart for flight to Entebbe, Uganda . On arrival in Entebbe, passengers will be split into two groups. Group 1: Visit the chimpanzees on Ngamba Island . Group 2: Enjoy excursion to Jinja, source of the Nile. Each group will enjoy lunch en route. Dinner and overnight at the Lake Victoria Serena Resort .
Day 18 Mon 3	08h00	Group 1: Enjoy excursion to Jinja, source of the Nile . Group 2: Visit the chimpanzees on Ngamba Island. Dinner and overnight at hotel.
Day 19 Tue 4	08h00 12h00	After breakfast, transfer to Entebbe Airport for flight to Khartoum, Sudan . Transfer to the Burj Al Fateh Hotel for lunch. Dinner and overnight at hotel.
Day 20 Wed 5	09h00	Option 1: Full-day tour to the sites of Masawwarat es-Sufra and Naqa (packed lunch provided). Option 2: Half-day tour of Khartoum with lunch at hotel. Dinner and overnight at hotel.
Day 21 Thu 6	08h00	Transfer to Khartoum Airport for flight to Abu Simbel, Egypt. On arrival visit the Abu Simbel Temples . Board Kasr Ibrim for Lake Nasser cruise . Afternoon at leisure with lunch, dinner and overnight on board.
Day 22 Fri 7		Breakfast is served while cruising to Kasr Ibrim – tour conducted from sun deck (entrance to site not permitted). Lunch en route to Amada. Visit the temples of Amada and Derr as well as the Tomb of Penout . Afternoon cruise to Wadi El Seboua. Dinner and overnight on board.
Day 23 Sat 8	07h00	Morning visit to Wadi El Seboua , the temples of Dakka and Maharakka . Cruise to Aswan with lunch, dinner and overnight on board.
Day 24 Sun 9	08h00	After breakfast, transfer by road to Luxor. Visit Edfu Temple en route (packed lunch provided). Arrive Luxor and visit Karnak Temple . Dinner and overnight at the Hilton Luxor Resort & Spa .
Day 25 Mon 10	08h00	After breakfast, enjoy a morning tour to the West Bank of Luxor including Valley of Kings , Valley of Queens , the Temple of Hatshepsut and a photo stop at Colossi of Memnon . Lunch at hotel. Afternoon visit to Luxor Temple . Dinner and overnight at hotel.
Day 26 Tue 11	08h00	After breakfast, transfer to Luxor Airport for flight to Cairo . On arrival, transfer to Al Azhar Park for lunch followed by an afternoon visit to the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities . Transfer to the Four Seasons First Residence Hotel with views of both the Nile and the Great Pyramids. Dinner and overnight at hotel.
Day 27 Wed 12	08h00	Morning tour of Giza Pyramids and Sphinx . Lunch en route. Afternoon tour of Saqqara and Memphis . Farewell dinner and overnight at hotel.
Day 28 Thu 13	10h00	Transfer to airport for flight home or extend your stay with own arrangements.

MEALS ON THE TRAIN (unless adjusted) Breakfast 07h00-10h00 • Lunch 13h00 • High Tea 16h00 • Dinner 19h30.

RACK RATE ONE WAY per person sharing includes accommodation, meals, excursions, taxes, gratuities and all local beverages during meals (all beverages whilst on board the train) **Excludes:** Travel and personal insurance, visa fees, additional tours and activities, train gratuities and OFF THE TRAIN room service, mini-bar charges and laundry.
- Upgrades at the hotels are available. Please contact Rovos Rail for rates and availability. * **Single Supplement**

Pullman Suite US\$48 500 *US\$8 200 | Deluxe Suite US\$52 000 *US\$9 500 | Royal Suite US\$56 000 *On request

Departure dates are specific and excursions may be changed according to schedule achieved.

Please check schedule with reservations@rovos.co.za or visit RATES & DATES on www.rovos.com

PASSPORTS & VISAS The onus is upon guests to ensure passports and visas, as may be required, are valid prior to departure for Africa. Visas available through booking agents; please check with relevant embassies for requirements.
HEALTH Passengers are advised to take anti-malarial precaution. Yellow Fever inoculations are required.

BOOKING Upon receipt of a completed Reservation Form we will (subject to availability) confirm your place on the selected tour. Upon receipt of a 25% deposit, your reservation is confirmed and accepted by us.

TRAVEL & CANCELLATION INSURANCE ARE COMPULSORY We offer insurance to South African residents.

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The air safari route begins in Cairo with a tour of the Pyramids, Sphinx and the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities from the Four Seasons First Residence Hotel. Then it is on to Luxor for two nights to experience ancient Egypt in all its splendour with visits to the temples, quarries and the Valley of Kings and Queens. A luxurious lake cruiser takes guests in a leisurely fashion over three nights to see the historical sights on the shores of Lake Nasser. The journey then follows the Nile from Abu Simbel southwards to Khartoum in the Sudan. After two days are spent exploring this ancient city guests continue on to Entebbe, Uganda, for a visit to the chimpanzees and the source of the Nile. Fly into the heartland of Tanzania for a four-day visit to the Ngorongoro Crater and the Serengeti. Guests visit the exotic Zanzibar Island for two days before flying to Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe. Join the train on a four-night journey with stops at Rovos Rail Station in Pretoria, the diamond town of Kimberley, the historic village of Matjiesfontein and finally Cape Town.

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Day 2 Wed 5	09h00	Morning tour of Giza Pyramids and Sphinx . Lunch en route. Afternoon tour of Saqqara and Memphis . Welcome dinner and overnight at hotel.
Day 3 Thu 6	08h00 13h30 15h30	After breakfast, visit to the Egyptian Museum of Antiquities . Lunch at Al Azhar Park . Transfer to Cairo Airport for a flight to Luxor . Visit to Karnak Temple . Dinner and overnight at the Hilton Luxor Resort & Spa .
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Day 5 Sat 8	08h00 12h30	Depart Luxor by road to Aswan. Visit Kom Ombo Temple en route. Board Kasr Ibrim for Lake Nasser cruise . Visit to Kalabsha Temple, Beit El Wali and the Kiosk of Kertassi . Afternoon tea in lounge. Dinner and overnight on board.
Day 6 Sun 9		Cruise to Wadi El Seboua , passing the Tropic of Cancer. Breakfast, lunch, dinner and overnight on board.
Day 7 Mon 10		Breakfast followed by a visit to Wadi El Seboua and the temples of Dakka and Maharakka . Enjoy lunch while cruising to Amada. Visit the temples of Amada and Derr as well as the Tomb of Penout . Dinner and overnight on board.
Day 8 Tue 11	16h00	Morning visit to citadel of Kasr Ibrim – tour conducted from sun deck (entrance to site not permitted). After lunch, visit Abu Simbel Temple before transferring to Abu Simbel Airport. Depart for flight to Khartoum, Sudan . Transfer to Burj Al Fateh Hotel for dinner and overnight.
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Day 21 Mon 24		Travel through Botswana . Breakfast, lunch, dinner and overnight on the train.
Day 22 Tue 25	17h00	Arrive at Rovos Rail Station in Pretoria. Transfer to the Sheraton Hotel for dinner and overnight.
Day 23 Wed 26	09h00 15h30	Morning tour of Pretoria . Return to Rovos Rail Station for a lunch and a tour of the premises. Depart for Cape Town on Rovos Rail. Dinner and overnight on the train.
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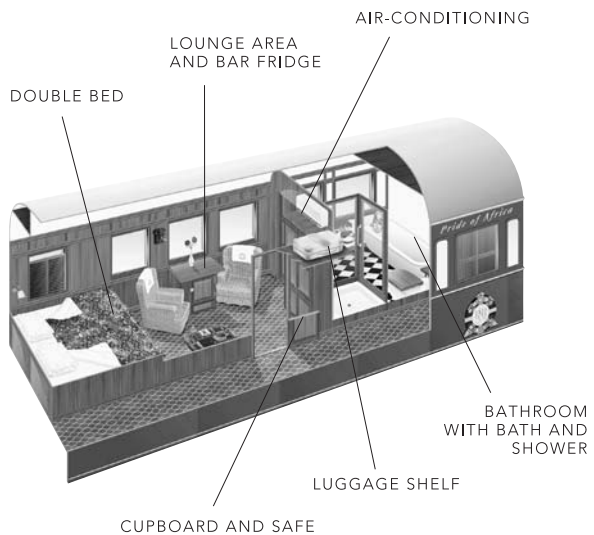
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Train Specifications

Royal Suites

±16 SQ METRES

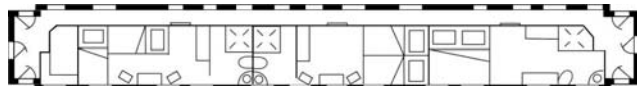
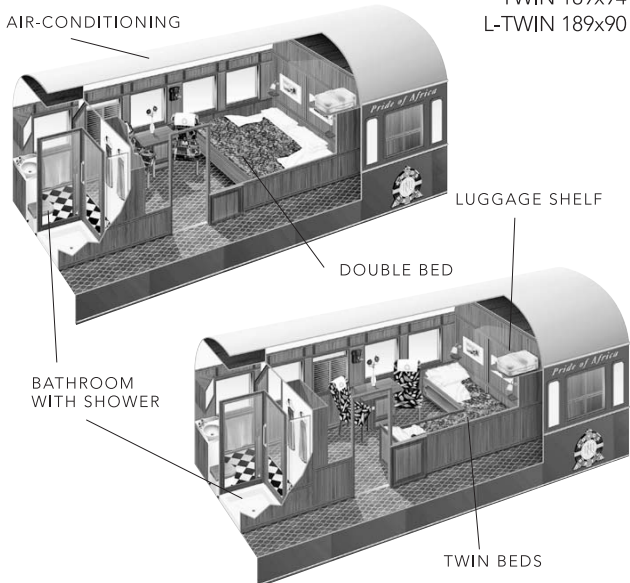
Bed Dimensions Royal (LxW)
DOUBLE 189x189
TWIN 189x94



Deluxe Suites

±11 SQ METRES

Bed Dimensions Deluxe (LxW)
DOUBLE 189x189
CROSSWISE 189x160
TWIN 189x94
L-TWIN 189x90



Pullman Suites

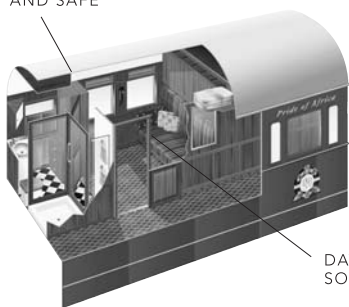
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CUPBOARD, FRIDGE AND SAFE

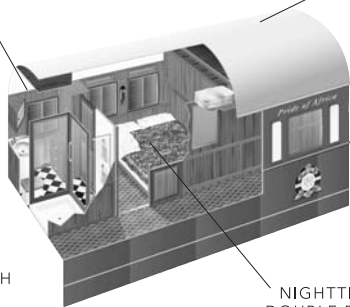
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AIR-CONDITIONING

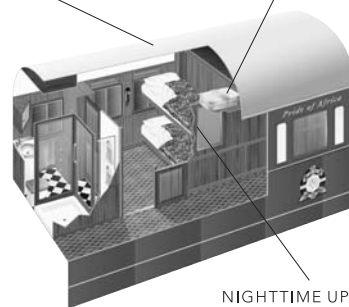
LUGGAGE SHELF



DAYTIME SOFA COUCH



NIGHTTIME DOUBLE BED



NIGHTTIME UPPER AND LOWER BED

Bed Dimensions Pullman (LxW)
DOUBLE 189x150
TWIN Lower 189x90 Upper 189x60
SINGLE Lower 189x90 Upper 189x60

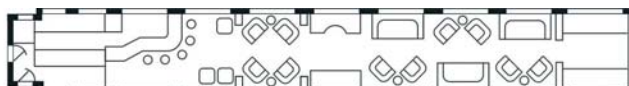


Public Areas

LOUNGE CAR



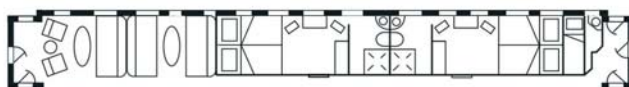
OBSERVATION CAR



DINING CAR



CLUB LOUNGE CAR



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Cancellation Insurance

Cancellation insurance is compulsory as our terms and conditions will be strictly adhered to and cancellation fees, where applicable, will not be waived. We offer insurance to South African residents. For international guests we suggest you contact your local travel agent or credit card service provider for assistance. Please bring a copy of your travel insurance policy stating clearly the company, policy number and 24-hour medical emergency telephone number.

Scheduling Times, Routes and Excursions

We cannot be held liable for any delays due to trains not running to schedule. Off-train excursions cannot be guaranteed and will only be undertaken if time and circumstances permit. Departure and arrival times are approximate and cannot be guaranteed. We reserve the right to alter our routing at any time between departure and arrival points.

Passports & Visas

The onus is upon the client to ensure that passports and visas, as may be required, are valid. We travel through South Africa, Swaziland, Namibia, Zimbabwe, Botswana, Zambia, Tanzania, Uganda, the Sudan and Egypt on the various trips. Passengers travelling to Zimbabwe, Zambia and Tanzania can have their visas taken care of by Rovos Rail given that full passport information is provided on the booking form. Only single entry visas can be issued on the train. Required application forms will be provided. Please note that only cash US Dollars are accepted for payment at ports of entry. Please check with the relevant embassies or consulates in good time. Current rates for single entry visas are: Zimbabwe - US\$30pp (UK & Canada pay \$55pp); Zambia - US\$50pp; Tanzania - US\$50pp (USA pay US\$100).

Health

- There is a basic First Aid Kit on board. There is an on-board doctor on our Dar es Salaam and Cape to Cairo journeys. Please ensure you have filled out the Health Requirements Form for these journeys.
- Anti-malarial precautions are recommended. Malaria areas include Swaziland, Kruger Park, Northern Botswana, Zimbabwe, Zambia and Tanzania.
- Although all countries travelled through do not require Yellow Fever vaccinations, countries guests return to after the trip often require them. Recommended immunisations (not required): Hepatitis A, Polio, Tetanus, Cholera (low risk).
- Please consult your travel clinic. THE TRAVEL DOCTOR AFRICA 0861 300 911 local or +27 11 214 9030 international.

Currency

- South Africa – Rands only. We accept all major credit cards on the train.
- Outside of South Africa – Any off-train expenses or excursions booked while on the train are to be paid with US Dollars. Hotels and major dealers accept credit cards except in Sudan.
- Ensure all US\$ are printed after the year 2000 or they will not be accepted. Low denominations recommended for shopping/gratuities and larger denominations for exchanging money to local currency (especially in Tanzania) as you get a better rate. The Gift Shop might exchange money if currency is available – it is not normally catered for.

Gratuities

Gratuities for the staff are at your discretion. If you wish to show your appreciation in this manner, there is a suitably marked envelope in your suite that you can hand directly to the Train Manager who will distribute any amounts on a pro-rata basis amongst the staff on board. An amount of between US\$10 and US\$20 per person is suggested.

Children

Please be sensitive to the adult nature and atmosphere of the train by keeping your children respectful and quiet. Long journeys are not recommended for under 13s. There are no child-minding facilities or activities for children on board.

Locomotion

Use of steam has become increasingly difficult over the past years as more and more water and coaling facilities have been scrapped. Where facilities no longer exist, diesel or electric locomotives will be used.

The Track

The track over which we travel is inconsistently maintained. If you wake at night imagining the train is travelling at high speed, be assured it is the state of the track below that is creating that impression. We restrict the train to 60km/h and over the bad sections reduce speed to as little as 20km/h. If you find it noisy, earplugs are available.

Cuisine

Meals are served in one sitting only in the charming Victorian atmosphere of the dining cars and are complemented by a selection of fine South African wines. Breakfast is between 07h00 and 10h00, lunch at 13h00 and a formal dinner at 19h30. All meals are served at these times unless otherwise stated in the timetable. A gong heralds lunch and dinner.

Dietary Requirements

We will do our best to cater for dietary requirements (vegetarians, vegans, diabetics etc.) provided a detailed request has been made on the Reservation Form. If a special request has not been made, the chefs will endeavour to prepare suitable meals with the ingredients available on board. We regret that we are unable to provide meals requiring strict religious observance in the preparation.

Dress

For days on the train dress is smart casual. Evening attire is more formal – for the gentlemen a jacket and tie is a minimum requirement while for ladies we suggest cocktail/evening dresses or suits. Please include warm clothing for cold mornings and evenings. With regard to off-train excursions, we strongly recommend comfortable walking shoes, suntan lotion and hats as well as warm clothing for the game drives, which are on open vehicles and can get very cold.

Mobile Devices and Internet

In maintaining the spirit of travel of a bygone era, there are no radios or television sets on board and the use of mobile phones and laptops are confined to the privacy of your suites only. The reception is poor while the train is moving. It is advised to contact your service provider to ensure the correct settings for network services are activated. Internet is available at our Cape Town Lounge, Rovos Rail Station, Tau Game Lodge and Victoria Falls Hotel.

Smoking

On board the train, smoking is only allowed in the privacy of your suite and in the Club Lounge. Please note on the Reservation Form provided if you are smoking or non-smoking so that the appropriate room might be requested at the hotels. Please be mindful that the train is generally made up of wood. Please do not throw flammable items such as cigarette or cigar butts off the train as bush fires in Africa are a constant and dangerous hazard.

Laundry

There is a limited laundry service on board comprising household washers, dryers and steam irons. The turnaround is 48 hours so we are not able to handle a week's worth of washing. Please note that while we are providing a complimentary service we cannot be held responsible for items that may be damaged or lost in the process. There are no dry-cleaning facilities en route or on board the train.

Gift Shop

There is a small gift shop on board the train and at our station premises in Pretoria. Due to the varying exchange rates, the use of credit cards is preferred. The host/ess on duty has a basic First Aid Kit and personal essentials (toothbrushes, razors, earplugs etc.). He/she will also fulfil any administrative requirements and check your onward arrangements. Stamps are available for sale and postcards may be posted in the post box at the entrance to the Observation Car or Rovos Rail Station.

Special Occasions

We would like to celebrate your special occasion with you. Upon boarding the train, please advise the Train Manager of any birthday, anniversary or other event.

Books, Magazines and Games

There are board games, playing cards, a card table (dependent), books and magazines available for your use in the Lounge and Observation Cars whilst on board the train.

Electrical Current and Adaptors

There are 220V AC 50Hz, 3-point round-pronged wall plugs. There are 110V/220V 2-pin plugs for shavers. International adaptors are also available on board.

Safes

An electronic safe is provided in the cupboard in each suite.

Telephone

There is an internal telephone system on board. Numbers are listed on the provided Guest List.

Temperature

All public cars are fitted with gas-filled air-conditioning systems. Each suite has an individual air-conditioner with individual temperature controls that can also be set to heat mode. Fresh-air intake is solved by opening a window. Windows should be closed while operating the air-conditioning unit. Electric under-blankets are fitted on the bed.

AVERAGE TEMPS	JAN/FEB		MAR/APR		MAY/JUN		JUL/AUG		SEPT/OCT		NOV/DEC		Rainfall Months
AREA	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	
Cape Town	16°C	27°C	12°C	25°C	6°C	20°C	0°C	18°C	9°C	21°C	13°C	25°C	May-Sept
Pretoria/Johannesburg	12°C	29°C	12°C	27°C	5°C	22°C	2°C	16°C	10°C	27°C	16°C	28°C	Oct-Mar
North West Province	14°C	31°C	12°C	30°C	3°C	23°C	2°C	23°C	11°C	28°C	15°C	31°C	Nov-Jan
Gaborone in Botswana	20°C	31°C	14°C	28°C	5°C	23°C	4°C	25°C	16°C	29°C	20°C	30°C	Nov-Feb
Victoria Falls in ZIM	18°C	29°C	14°C	29°C	6°C	25°C	6°C	28°C	13°C	31°C	19°C	32°C	Dec-Mar
Lusaka in Zambia	17°C	26°C	15°C	28°C	8 °C	24°C	8°C	25°C	14°C	30°C	19°C	33°C	Dec-Mar
Dar es Salaam in TAN	24°C	32°C	23°C	31°C	20°C	29°C	18°C	29°C	19°C	30°C	21°C	30°C	Mar-May

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ROVOS RAIL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

HOW TO BOOK Upon receipt of a completed Reservation Form, we will confirm your place on the chosen tour (subject to availability). Upon receipt of a 25% deposit, your reservation is confirmed by us. Final payment is due no later than 8 weeks prior to departure.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE ALLOCATIONS

Provisional Reservations No deposits required. Space will be allocated and held but if definite suites are required by another client, the holding agent will be asked to either hand back a portion of the space or confirm, in which case the following conditions apply.

% A NON-REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT/INCREMENTAL PAYMENT OF THE TOUR PRICE REQUIRED	12 MONTHS OUT -48weeks	9 MONTHS OUT -36weeks	6 MONTHS OUT -24weeks	4 MONTHS OUT -16weeks	3 MONTHS OUT -12weeks	2 MONTHS OUT -8 weeks
Cape Town, Victoria Falls, Durban **			10%*	10%*		100%
Golf Safari, African Collage, Namibia, Dar es Salaam		10%	20%	20%		100%
Cape to Cairo	25%	50%	75%		100%	

* More than 10 passengers. ** From 16-8 weeks out the booking can be reduced to 20% of original number of guests without financial loss to client/agent.

CANCELLATION INSURANCE IS COMPULSORY AND WILL NOT BE WAIVED

CANCELLATIONS OF CONFIRMED BOOKINGS RECEIVED PRIOR TO DEPARTURE ARE SUBJECT TO A FEE OF THE PER PERSON TOUR PRICE / ENTIRE TOUR PRICE *	MORE THAN 12 WEEKS BEFORE	BETWEEN 12 & 8 WEEKS BEFORE	MORE THAN 8 WEEKS BEFORE	BETWEEN 8 & 4 WEEKS BEFORE	WITHIN 4 WEEKS BEFORE
Cape Town, Victoria Falls, Durban			5%	25%	100%*
Golf Safari, African Collage, Namibia, Dar es Salaam	10%	25%		50%	100%*
Cape to Cairo	All payments are non-refundable				

RATE INCLUDES

- Three meals daily and all alcoholic and other beverages
- Excursions accompanied by a qualified tour guide
- Entrance fees to places of interest
- 24-hour full room service and bar facilities
- Government tax • Limited laundry service

NOT INCLUDED Staff gratuities and off-train beverages

INCLUDED IN OFF-TRAIN ACCOMMODATION

ON ANNUAL JOURNEYS • Accommodation

• Meals taken at the game reserves, hotels or resorts

NOT INCLUDED IN OFF-TRAIN ACCOMMODATION

ON ANNUAL JOURNEYS • Off-train beverages

• Off-train laundry • Telephone calls • Memorabilia purchases

PRICES We will do our utmost to keep to the prices published. If however, increases are forced on us we reserve the right, prior to confirmation, to amend the tour price.

SCHEDULING TIMES & ROUTES We cannot be held liable for any delays due to trains not running to schedule. Excursions cannot be guaranteed and will only be undertaken if time and circumstances permit. Departure and arrival times are approximate and cannot be guaranteed. We reserve the right to alter our routing any time between departure and arrival points.

CHANGES Rovos Rail reserves the right to amend the tour price at any time prior to written confirmation of the reservation. Rovos Rail further reserves the right to cancel or amend any sightseeing excursions or the tour departure dates provided they can offer the passenger alternative sightseeing excursions or departure dates. Rovos Rail is not responsible for any delay or changes in tour arrangements that may be caused by natural or other factors beyond the control of Rovos Rail. There will be no refunds for any part of the tour that might be missed due to personal reasons.

PASSPORTS & VISAS It is upon the client to ensure passports and visas, as may be required, are valid prior to departure.

HEALTH Anti-malarial and Yellow Fever precautions may be required in the countries that are being visited and should be taken as may be prescribed.

PHOTOGRAPHY Rovos Rail reserves the right without notice to make use of any photography/film taken by our staff on the tour for general publicity purposes without payment or permission.

MAXIMUM TRAIN CAPACITY Classic 1: 39 suites • Classic 2: 39 suites • Edwardian: 23 suites. We reserve the right to increase or decrease accommodation capacity as circumstances may require.

OF SPECIAL NOTE Although certain limited insurances have been arranged, neither Rovos Rail Tours (PTY) Ltd, nor its servants, agents or employees, shall be liable for any loss or damage to passengers' luggage or effects. Insofar as one of the tours may include a visit to a Game Reserve and whilst attacks by wild animals are extremely rare, similarly neither Rovos Rail, nor its servants, agents or employees, accept any liability whatsoever for any injury or incidents to passengers or their belongings. The passenger hereby waives any claim which he/she may have against Rovos Rail Tours (PTY) Ltd, its servants, agents, employees or subcontractors (all of the aforementioned being collectively referred to as 'Rovos Rail') for any injury and/or loss of any nature whatsoever (including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, consequential loss) arising for any reason of any nature whatever directly or indirectly out of any aspect of the tour including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, any form of transport used for the purpose of the tour. This waiver shall be binding on the passenger's executors, heirs, trustees and dependants. The passenger records that all the services and facilities provided to the passenger are accepted voluntarily and with full knowledge that they may expose the passenger to injury, danger or loss. The passenger further records that any statement, representation or information given to him/her by Rovos Rail shall, unless given in writing, not prejudice this waiver in any manner whatsoever. The passenger indemnifies Rovos Rail in respect of any claim that may be made by any third party against it arising out of any claim in respect of which the passenger gives the aforementioned waiver. This agreement shall be governed solely by laws of the Republic of South Africa.

Whether the passenger returns a signed copy of these conditions or not, the conditions will be deemed to have been accepted and will be in force upon confirmation of the booking.

I, or the person/s on whose behalf I am making this booking, have read and accepted the booking conditions above.

Date of Trip:	Route:	Signature:
Name:		