

KENYA: 7-20 JANUARY 2005

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- 7th Morning drive to Masai Mara, afternoon Mara west of Keekorok Lodge
8th Morning west of Keekorok Lodge then drove NW to Fig Tree Lodge. Afternoon west of Fig Tree Lodge along Talek River.
9th All day Mara around Fig Tree Lodge
10th All day Mara around Fig Tree Lodge
11th All day Mara around Fig Tree Lodge
12th Morning Mara SW of Serova, afternoon drive to Naivasha
13th Morning drive from Naivasha to Aberdares Country Club via Aberdares National Park, afternoon game drive in Aberdares and evening at The Ark
14th All day drive from Aberdares to Tsavo East
15th All day Tsavo East
16th Morning drive from Ndololo Camp to Watamu through Tsavo East, evening Mida Creek
17th Morning and evening Sokoke Forest
18th Morning Sokoke Forest, afternoon Watamu & Malindi
19th Morning Sokoke Forest, afternoon return to Nairobi
20th All day Nairobi

Golden-rumped Elephant Shrew	6+ Sokoke
Four-toed Elephant Shrew	One Sokoke
Cane Rat sp	Two Mara
Senegal Galago	Heard Serova Lodge (Mara)
Olive Baboon	Up to 20 daily in the Mara
Yellow Baboon	Daily in Tsavo East and along coast
Vervet Monkey	Small numbers Loita Plain, Mara, Aberdares NP & Tsavo East
Blue Monkey	Four Aberdares NP
Sykes Monkey	5+ Sokoke Forest & Watamu
Scrub Hare	One Mara
Gambian Sun Squirrel	One The Ark
Ochre Bush Squirrel	2+ Tsavo East (Ndololo Camp)
Side-striped Jackal	Four Mara (west of Keekorok)
Black-backed Jackal	A total of 12 seen over 4 days in the Mara
Bat-eared Fox	Six Mara
Cheetah	Family of four seen on two consecutive days west of Keekorok, stalking Grant's Gazelle on the first day, two also seen at Aruba Dam (Tsavo East)
Caracal	Stunning views of a female down to a few feet in Sokoke.
Lion	Seen on 4 days in the Mara, a minimum of 32 individuals including two groups of 10, 4 adult males and 5 cubs
Leopard	Seen on three days along the Talek River W of Fig Tree Lodge. At least two individuals including a female seen in the same spot on two consecutive days, on one day even stalking a Southern Ostrich
Banded Mongoose	Seen on 4 days in the Mara, at least 30 individuals seen, two Tsavo East
Slender Mongoose	Two Aberdares NP
White-tailed Mongoose	Two The Ark
Spotted Hyaena	Seen on 4 days in the Mara. A minimum of 16 individuals. 7+ Aberdares including two chasing a Giant Forest Hog.
Large-spotted Genet	2+ The Ark, one Sokoke

African Elephant	Daily Mara, Aberdares NP & Tsavo East
Black Rhinoceros	One The Ark
Warthog	Daily Mara, Aberdares NP & Tsavo East
Giant Forest Hog	One The Ark
Hippopotamus	22 Mara, 10 Naivasha, two Tsavo East
Giraffe	1-10 Mara, Loita Plains & Tsavo East
Cape Buffalo	Up to 300 daily in Mara, 50+ Aberdares NP, 200+ Tsavo East
Burchell's Zebra	Common Loita Plains & Tsavo East, smaller numbers Mara
Bushbuck	Three singles Mara, 20+ Aberdares NP
Eland	One Mara
Grey Duiker	Two Mara
Suni	Two Aberdares NP
Steinbuck	One Mara
Kirk's Dikdik	20+ Mara, 25+ Tsavo East
Mountain Reedbuck	Two Aberdares NP
Waterbuck	Up to 20+ daily in Mara, 10 Naivasha, two Tsavo East
Thomson's Gazelle	Common Loita Plain & Mara
Grant's Gazelle	Small numbers Loita Plains & Mara, common Tsavo East
Gerenuk	Three Tsavo East
Impala	Common Loita Plains, Mara & Tsavo East
Hirola	10+ Tsavo East
Topi	Common Mara, small numbers Loita Plain
Coke's Hartebeest	65+ on 3 days in Mara, 10+ Tsavo East
Blue Wildebeest	Common Loita Plain, small numbers Mara