

Fort Dauphin and Berenty

This short tour is an excellent extension to the East or Southern Tours offering the chance to visit the isolated but scenically beautiful Fort Dauphin and the Berenty Reserve, one of the finest in Madagascar.

Day 1: Fort Dauphin

On arrival you will be met and transferred to the Croix du Sud Hotel, the remainder of the day will be at leisure to explore the town or walk along the endless beaches.

Dinner and overnight at Croix de Sud Hotel

Day 2: Miramar Hotel – Berenty

After breakfast enter the private Reserve of Berenty where you will take a guided walk around the reserve returning to the lodge for lunch before an afternoon walk.

Dinner and overnight at Berenty Forest Lodge

Berenty Private Reserve (South East)

This private Reserve has now been strictly protected for almost thirty years and its natural environment has never been interfered with. You can get very close to several species of lemurs and walking in this forest is a fascinating experience that gives you the opportunity of seeing, snakes (no poisonous species) parrots, eagles and other birds in a lush vegetation that remains Virgin forest. In the resort that surrounds the lodge, you will find an Antandroy museum and a re-constructed Antandroy village (the local tribe).

Day 3: Berenty Private Reserve

Enjoy another full day visit to the reserve with either a picnic lunch or lunch at the lodge.

Dinner and overnight at Berenty Forest Lodge

Day 4 : Berenty - Tolagnaro

After breakfast drive back to Tolagnaro making some visits on route (Andohahel can be visited on request), you will then continue to the airport for your flight to Antananarivo. Upon arrival you will be transferred to your chosen city hotel or onward arrangements.

Andohahel National Park (South East)

Set just to the North West of Fort Dauphin this park is one of the most southerly tropical forests in the world and sits on the transition zone between the highlands and the semi-arid south. The West of the park is semi arid while the East receives generous rainfall proving a meeting of two worlds and the chance to see both Tropical and Semi-arid Flora and Fauna in the same park. The park is excellent for hiking and has trails ranging from a few hours to several days.