



GENERAL INFORMATION FOR PARTICIPANTS

WORKSHOP AND ACCOMMODATION VENUE



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Mombasa is the second-largest city in Kenya, with a population of almost one million. Situated on the east coast of Kenya, in Coast Province, Mombasa's bordering the Indian Ocean made it a historical trading center.

The city is located on Mombasa Island, which is separated from the mainland by two creeks: Tudor Creek and Kilindini Harbour. The port serves both Kenya and countries of the interior, linking them to the Ocean. The city is served by Moi International Airport located in the northwest mainland suburb of Chaani, northwest of Changamwe area (see map below).

Source: Wikipedia (<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mombasa>)

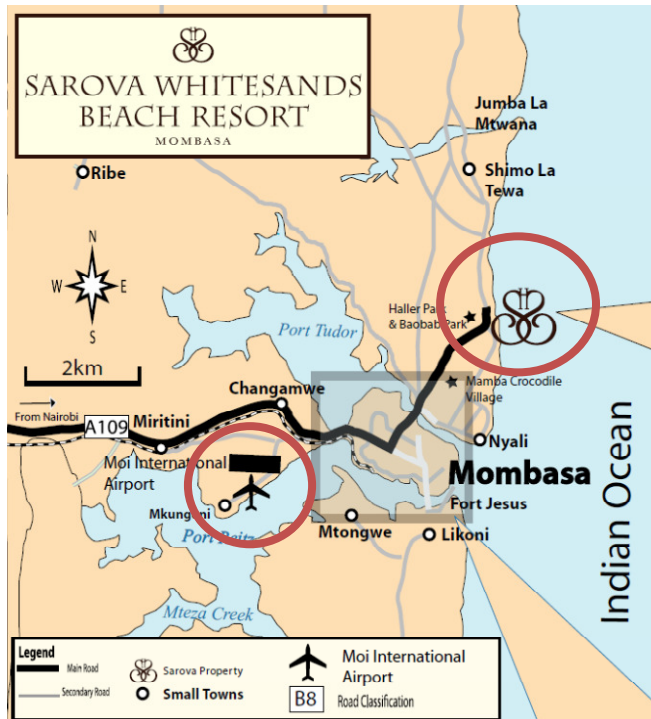
USEFUL INFORMATION

LOCAL TIME: GMT+3

WEBSITES WITH INFORMATION ON MOMBASA: <http://www.mombasainfo.com/>
<http://old.magicalkenya.com/default.nsf/doc21/4YQ53TFZEI94?opendocument&l=1&e=7>

CURRENCY: Kenyan Shilling (KSh). Rates & converter: <http://www.xe.com/currency/kes-kenyan-shilling>

TRAVEL INFORMATION



The Hotel is around 30km from the airport. Flight details will be provided to the hotel in order for Airport Transfers to be arranged.

The costs for the transfer are: 1 person \$35 / 2-4 people arriving on the same flight: \$30 per person one way / 5-10 people: \$24 per person one way / more than 10 people: \$ 22 per person one way. Travel around the city can be by taxi or by the local bus-taxi (Matatus).

WEATHER

Mombasa has a warm, tropical climate, specifically a tropical wet and dry climate. The amount of rainfall depends essentially on season. The rainiest months are April and May, while in January to February the rainfall is minimal. Being a coastal town, Mombasa is characterized by a flat topography. (Source: <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Mombasa>)

FORECAST: <http://www.weather-forecast.com/locations/Mombasa/forecasts/latest>

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