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6 Days Umbwe Route

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OVERVIEW

The shortest and steepest way up Kilimanjaro — a challenging climb with spectacular scenery, for experienced hikers.

Duration	6 days
Route	Umbwe Gate – Umbwe Cave – Barranco – Karanga – Barafu – Uhuru Peak – Mweka
Travel style	Private · Mid-range
Price	On request

DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY

Day 1 — **Umbwe Gate to Umbwe Cave Camp**
Registration, then a steep trek through lush rainforest.
Overnight: Umbwe Cave Camp · Meals: L, D

Day 2 — **Umbwe Cave Camp to Barranco Camp**
A steep climb out of the rainforest into moorland, among dramatic cliffs and rock formations.
Overnight: Barranco Camp · Meals: B, L, D

Day 3 — **Barranco Camp to Karanga Camp**
Climb the Barranco Wall, then traverse the valleys to acclimatise.
Overnight: Karanga Camp · Meals: B, L, D

Day 4 — **Karanga Camp to Barafu Camp**
A shorter hike with an afternoon rest before summit night.
Overnight: Barafu Camp · Meals: B, L, D

Day 5 — **Summit day: Barafu Camp to Uhuru Peak to Mweka Camp**
A midnight start, sunrise at Uhuru Peak and the descent to Mweka Camp.
Overnight: Mweka Camp · Meals: B, L, D

Day 6 — **Mweka Camp to Mweka Gate**
Descend through the rainforest to the gate for your certificate and the transfer to Moshi or Arusha.
Overnight: · Meals: B

INCLUDED

- Park fees and camping or hut fees
- Rescue fees
- All meals on the mountain
- Professional, experienced mountain guides and porters
- Tents and camping equipment
- Transfers to and from the park gates
- Certificate of achievement

NOT INCLUDED

- Flights
- Accommodation before or after the trek (can be added)
- Personal trekking gear
- Tips for guides, porters and cook
- Travel insurance
- Medical evacuation cover (highly recommended)

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