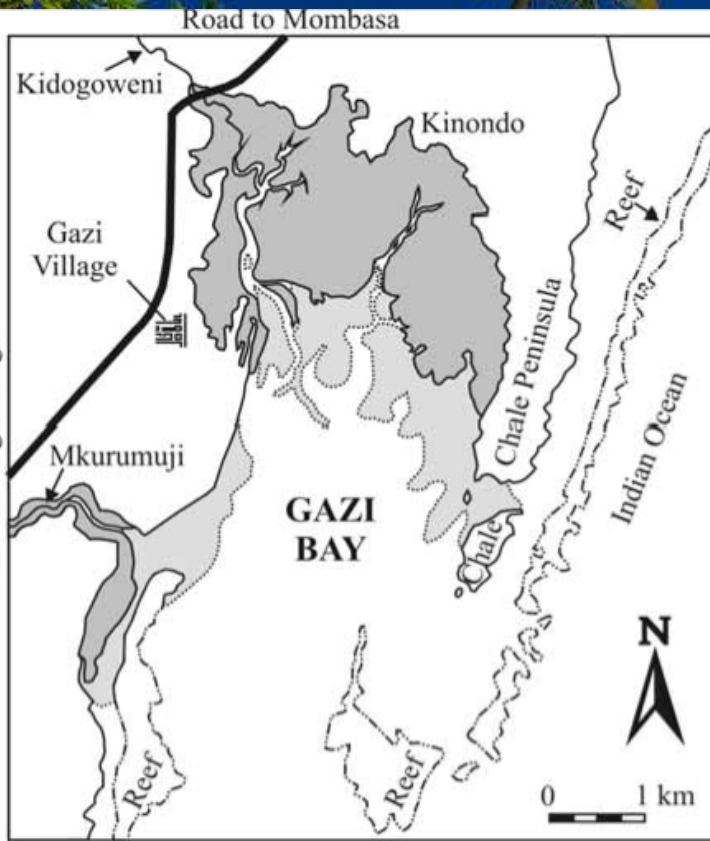


## Location

Gazi Bay is located 55 km south of Mombasa Island and is found at the Southern extend of Diani Beach. It is easily accessible by public transport along the Mombasa-L/Lunga main road. Tourists can also make a 15min drive to and from Diani Beach or a 5min boat ride from Chale Island.



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## WHAT TO DO

- Bird watching
- Canoeing
- Eco-conferencing
- Camping and picnics
- Photography site
- Research and education
- Cultural exchange
- Fishing
- Snorkeling and swimming
- Nature walk and mangrove trekking
- Adopt a mangrove

## BOARDWALK ENTRANCE FEES

### Boardwalk fees:

- 0-30 (Ksh 2000)
- 31-50 (Ksh 3000)
- 51-70 (Ksh 5000)
- 71-100 (Ksh 6000)
- Above 100 (Ksh 8000)

Children rates (50 pp.)  
International rates (300 pp.)

NB: Free for children under 5  
Swahili buffet: Ksh 1000 (Incl. of boardwalk entry charges)

## Partners

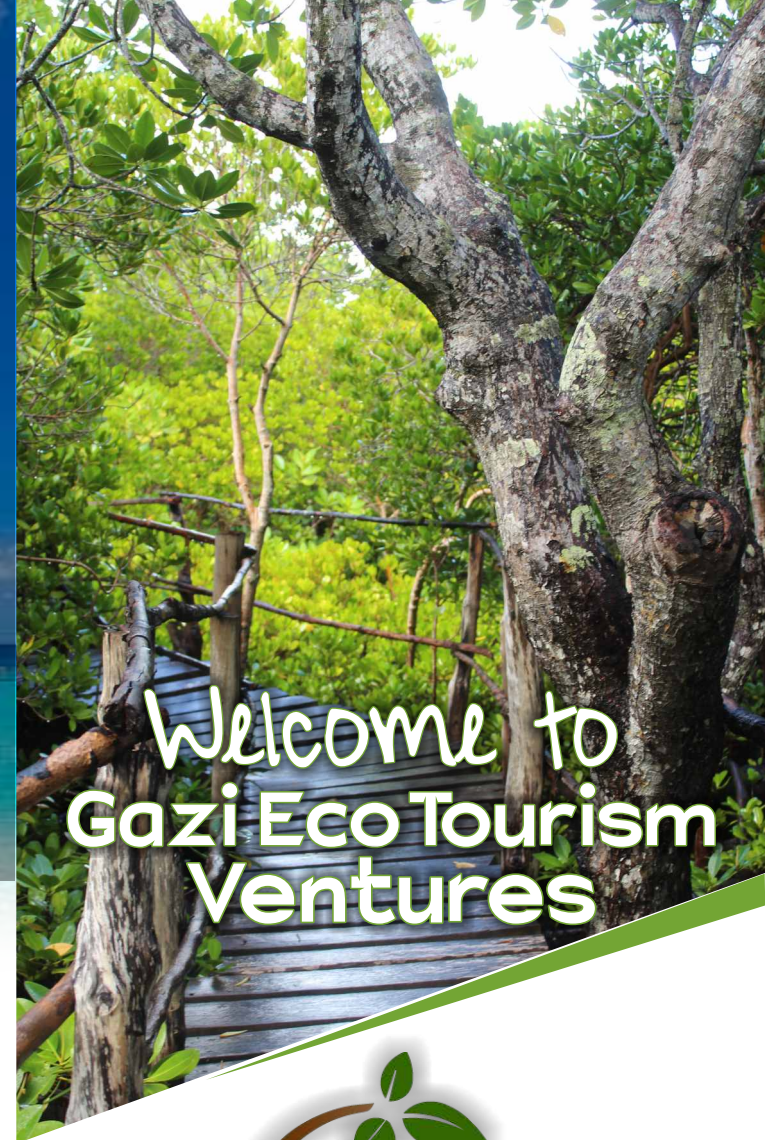


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## A Rich History and Scenic Location

"Gazi Ecotourism Ventures is a project that promotes sustainable ecotourism activities for the conservation and management of mangroves". The project is located in Gazi Bay village which is endowed with a rich cultural heritage. At the Southern part of Gazi village are magnificent ruins that were once used as a concentration center for slaves before being shipped to far East countries and served as the first Kwale District's center in the colonial periods. The ruins were also used by Sheikh Mbaruk Bin Rashid as his residence. He was notorious for torturing local people. The British troops eventually defeated him, and he ended his exiled days in Tanzania. Gazi bay is bordered by a 700ha of beautiful mangrove forest formation which is among the most and longest studied in the world. Several villages surround the bay, the largest being Gazi with a population of ~3,000 people. The local people have a cultural connection with the mangroves which provide them with wood materials used as firewood, and as medicinal and construction products hence the need for rehabilitation, conservation, and sustainable utilization of mangroves at Gazi.



## Gazi Women Boardwalk Facility

Take a leisure guided tour of the boardwalk. The boardwalk is 450m built at the interface of the mangrove forest and the ocean and managed by Gazi Women Boardwalk group. This gives you a perfect chance to have a better feel of the different mangrove species, a panoramic view of the ocean, the famous Chale island, the best sunrise view in the morning hours and diving spots. The boardwalk also offers a quiet space perfect for meditation, picnics, family time while enjoying the sea breeze and much more.



## Swahili Cuisine

The swahili women are known for their mouth watering delicacy. The Gazi women provide exactly that only better because the food is served at the mangrove boardwalk. You eat while enjoying the sea breeze, the spectacular view of the ocean and fresh air from the mangrove forest. *The menu comprises of the following dishes:*

