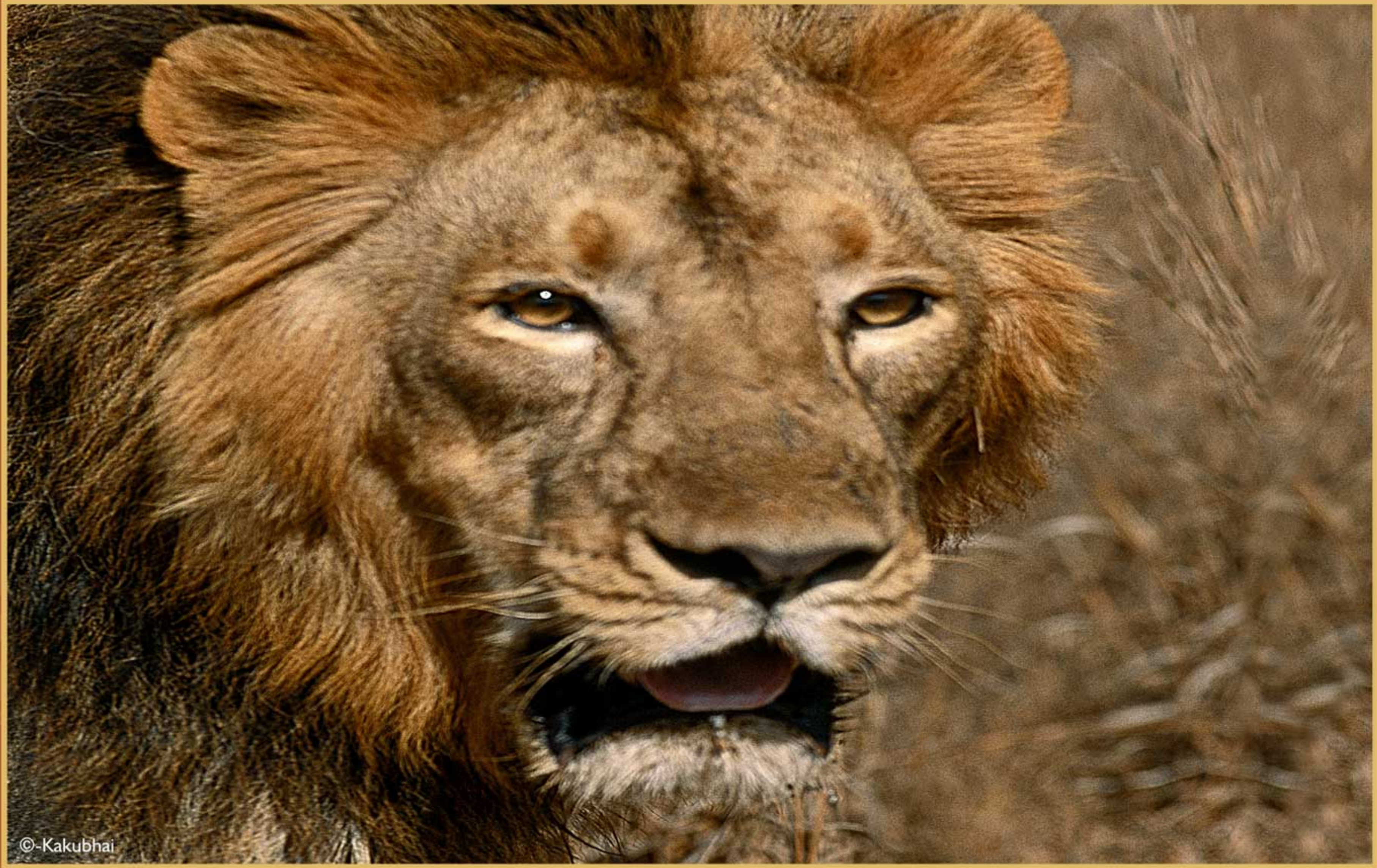
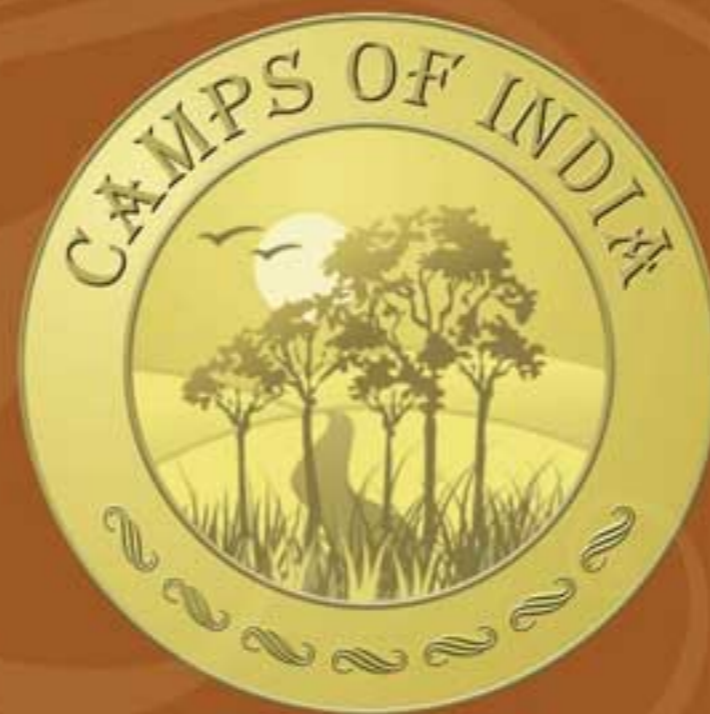


~ A Journey through India's Natural Heritage ~



The Last abode of the Asiatic Lions in the world!



LION SAFARI CAMP

Gir National Park, Gujarat.



About us

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The Pride of Gir



The LION SAFARI CAMP at Gir National Park – A Luxury Wildlife Camp is owned and managed by Camps of India. It is located in a private mango orchard overlooking the Hiran River. This eco-friendly camp has 21 AC Luxury Tents each with large well furnished bedrooms and en-suite bathrooms. All the tents are beautifully furnished with natural materials and open out to an extended deck - An ideal place to sit and relax amongst nature.

GIR NATIONAL PARK is the last remaining bastion of the Asiatic Lion. It also has the highest population of Leopards compared to any other national park in India making it one of the best places in India to see the Big Cats. The Kamleshwar dam in the middle of the sanctuary is home to a record population of marsh crocodiles. Other wildlife includes Chital (spotted deer), Nilgai (blue bull), Wild boar, Jackals, Hyenas, etc. Gir National Park also has over 300 different varieties of birds.

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Facilities & Services

Accommodation – 21 Luxury Tents

- ☞ Located in the natural setting of a private mango orchard
- ☞ Air-conditioning
- ☞ Well-furnished twin & double bedded rooms
- ☞ Attached bathrooms with hot & cold water
- ☞ Private sit-out
- ☞ Hair dryer available on request
- ☞ One-touch phone dialing

Resort facilities

- ☞ Multi-cuisine restaurant with Indian, Chinese & Continental food (Seafood on request).
- ☞ Recreation Lounge with Indoor games, Pool table, Satellite Television facility
- ☞ Customized 4x4 Safari vehicles for Jungle Safaris
- ☞ AC Conference Hall facility for up to 100 persons
- ☞ Campfire
- ☞ Souvenir shop
- ☞ Travel Desk
- ☞ Airport / Station pickup and drop facility
- ☞ Generator backup
- ☞ Laundry service
- ☞ Internet facility
- ☞ Credit card accepted
- ☞ Exclusive Traditional Cultural entertainment with folk dance
 - ☞ Siddhi Dhamal entertainment performed by the Negroid community settled in Gir National Park for centuries
 - ☞ Dandia – the traditional Gujarati dance form



Gir National Park

The Gir - the largest tract of dry deciduous forests in the semi-arid western part of India is the last remaining bastion of the Asiatic Lions. It's also the only place in the world where the Asiatic lions can be seen in their natural habitat. The Lion Sanctuary Project was begun to create a balance between the endangered lions and the nomadic Maldhari tribe. From the 20 lions at the turn of the century, there are now over 350 royal beasts that walk the Park. Today, Gir is one of the best-protected sanctuaries in India.

The most important aspect of Gir is that it has become a most stable ecosystem with tremendous regenerating, self supporting and sustaining power due to its rich and diverse flora and fauna. The unique ecosystem of Gir harbors about 38 species of mammals, around 300 species of birds, 37 species of reptiles and more than 2000 species of insects.

Geographical Details

Latitude: 20° 40' N to 21° 50' N

Longitude: 70° 50' E to 71° 15' E

Area Details

Total Area: 1882.6 sq kms

National Park Area: 258.7 sq kms

Sanctuary Area: 1153.4 sq kms

Buffer Area: 470.5 sq kms

Seasons and Climate

Cold (Oct to Mar) : Min. temperature less than 10°C.

Good animal sighting. Best time for Bird watching.

Warm (Apr to Jun): Max. 40°C. Excellent animal sighting.

Wet (Jul to Sep): Gir National Park is closed

Average rainfall: 980 mm

Safaris Timings

Winter (Oct to Mar) – Morning 7 to 12 & Evening 3 to 6

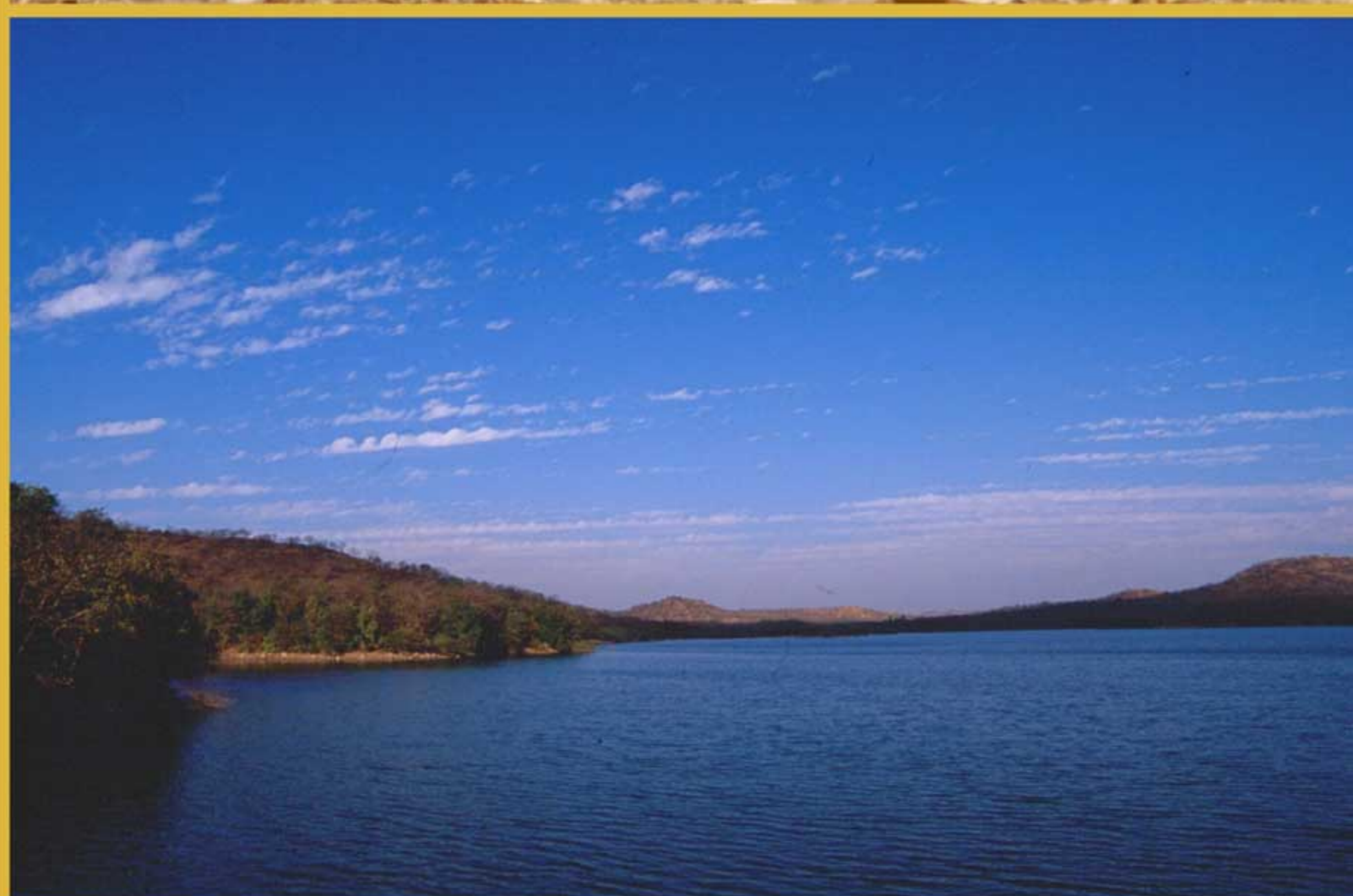
Summer (Apr to Jun) - Morning 6.30 to 12 & Evening 3 to 6

Major Mammals

1. Asiatic Lion
2. Leopard
3. Hyena
4. Chital (Spotted deer)
5. Sambar
6. Wild Boar
7. Jackal
8. Jungle Cat
9. Nilgai / Antelope
10. Chowsingha
(four horned antelope)

Major Birds

1. Asian Paradise flycatcher
2. India pitta
3. Crested serpent eagle
4. Painted storks
5. Painted Sand grouse
6. Red headed King Vulture
7. Bonelli's Eagle
8. Oriental honey-buzzard
9. Eurasian Eagle owl
10. Nightjar





Safaris & Attractions at Gir National Park



- Wildlife Safaris
- Bird watching Safaris
- Village Safaris – Maldhari & Siddhi community
- Temples visits – Somnath Temple, Girnar Temple, Kankai Temple, etc.
- Beach picnics – Chorwad, Mangrol & Diu Beaches
- Heritage tours – Historical sites & Buddhist Caves in Junagarh
- Textile Tours – Jetpur
- Crocodile Breeding Farm
- Educational Tours



Location



Lion Safari Camp

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Rann Riders, Little Rann of Kutch Wild Ass Sanctuary

Madhya Pradesh

Camp Dev Vilas, Kanha National Park (Mukki Gate)

Kipling Camp, Kanha National Park (Kisli Gate)

Panna Jungle Lodge, Panna Tiger Reserve (Opening '09)

Sal Van, Bandhavgarh National Park

Rajasthan

Alwar Bagh, Sariska Tiger Reserve

Dev Vilas, Ranthambhore National Park

Ranthambhore Safari Lodge, Ranthambhore National Park

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How to get there

Nearest Airport – Diu – 100 kms & Rajkot -160 kms

Nearest Railway Station – Veraval – 40 kms

Nearest Bus Station – Sasan – 2 kms

Distances from Gir National Park:

Beaches		Cities / Towns			
Chorwad Beach	80 kms	Ahmedabad	380 kms	Porbander	200 kms
Diu	100 kms	Baroda	400 kms	Rajkot	160 kms
Mangrol Beach	80 kms	Bhavnagar	300 kms	Tarnetar	225 kms
		Bhuj	390 kms	Utelia	300 kms
		Dasada	325 kms	Velavadar	300 kms
		Diu	100 kms	Wadhwan	260 kms
		Gondal	115 kms	Wankaner	200 kms
		Jetpur	90 kms		
		Junagarh	60 kms		
		Limbdi	260 kms		
		Mandvi (Kutch)	450 kms		
		Muli	240 kms		
		Nakhatrana (Kutch)	450 kms		
		Palitana	270 kms		
Temples					
Somnath Temple	45 kms				
Banej Temple	30 kms				
Harshad Mata Temple	200 kms				
Kankai Temple	45 kms				
Tulsishyam Hot springs	135 kms				
Ports					
Pipavav	150 kms				
Veraval	45 kms				



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