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Abstract

The complex problems with tourism in the so called Third World have been a research topic of a number of social sciences for quite some time now (see Erhard, 1997). Although the demand for adapted strategies is already a common place, it nevertheless reflects the need for small scale research projects, the number of which is still very small, at least in the African context.

Consequently it shall now be attempted to present some results of research done on Mt Kenya in East African Kenya and to draw some conclusions, maybe even as lessons for tourism projects in other African regions.