

Objectives

- ▶ Overall objective:
 - ▶ To revamp FEDA through the development of a realistic and realizable action plan
- ▶ Specific objectives:
 - ▶ Update members on status of FEDA since the GAM meeting of December 2012
 - ▶ Review and agree on short term workplan for FEDA (2016/2017)
 - ▶ Develop funding plan for the agreed work plan for 2016/2017
 - ▶ Encourage engagement of members in FEDA activities
 - ▶ Share information on potential partnerships and funding opportunities

Potential Opportunities for FEDA

- ▶ Partnership with an International NGO
- ▶ Critical Ecosystem Partnership Fund

- ▶ Partnership with an International NGO
 - ▶ International is NGO in search of a conservation NGO in Cameroon to joint its partnership.
 - ▶ Has contacted me to make suggestions
 - ▶ I intend to propose FEDA and have included some of their criteria in draft work plan to be reviewed
 - ▶ Basically, they are looking for a well organized an effective result oriented NGO with strong community focus

Critical Ecosystem Partnership Fund

- ▶ CEPF is a fund dedicated to engaging civil society in conserving the hotspots worldwide, one of which is the Guinea Forest of West Africa
- ▶ CEPF donor partners (Conservation International, l'Agence Française de Développement, the Global Environment Facility, the Government of Japan, the MacArthur Foundation, the European Union, and the World Bank)
- ▶ In 2015, CEPF engaged IUCN to profile the Guineann forest

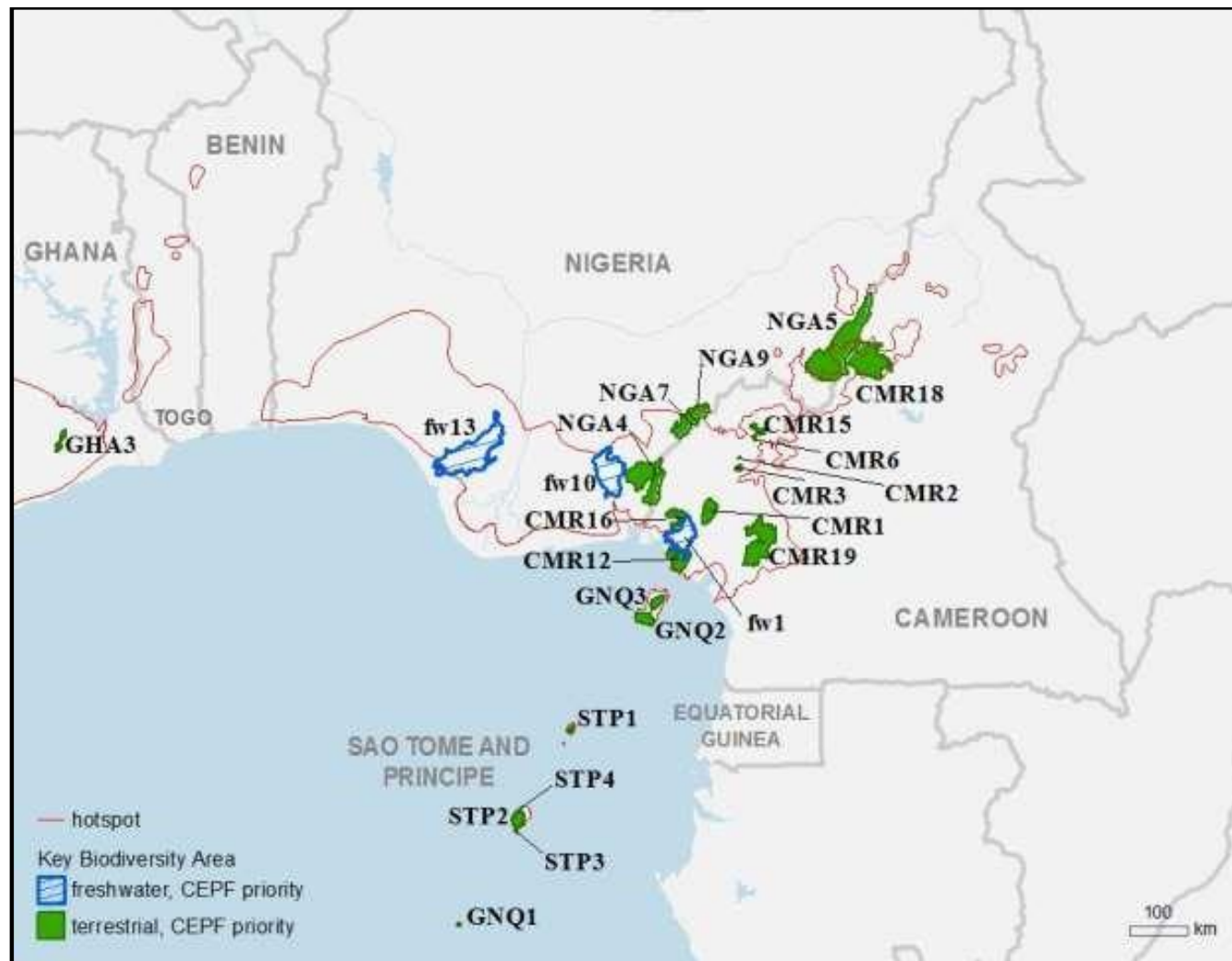
Critical Ecosystem Partnership Fund

137 priority sites identified



Critical Ecosystem Partnership Fund

Priority Sites for CEPF Investment in the Lower Guinean Forests Subregion



Priority Sites for CEPF Investment in the Guinean Forests Hotspot

Total priority sites 40 with 10 in Cameroon

Code	Priority Site	Realm	Total Area in Hectares	Priority Score
	CAMEROON			
CMR1	Bakossi Mountains	Terrestrial	75,581	1
CMR2	Bali-Ngemba Forest Reserve	Terrestrial	899	2
CMR3	Bamboutos Mountains	Terrestrial	7,396	1
CMR6	Mbi Crater Faunal Reserve - Mbingo forest	Terrestrial	3,233	1
CMR12	Mount Cameroon and Mokoko-Onge	Terrestrial	107,143	1
CMR15	Mount Oku	Terrestrial	16,353	1
CMR16	Mount Rata and Rumpi Hills Forest Reserve	Terrestrial	45,200	1
CMR18	Tchabal Mbabo	Terrestrial	312,347	1
CMR19	Yabassi	Terrestrial	264,867	2
fw1	Lake Barombi Mbo and surrounding catchments	Freshwater	176,536	1

WAY FORWARD AFTER PROFILING

- ▶ Call for application for Regional Implementation team-won by Birdlife
- ▶ Governments in the respective countries requested to endorse profile
- ▶ All have endorsed except Cameroon
- ▶ Call for application to work on priority sites in September
 - ▶ Cameroon not eligible because profile has not been endorsed
 - ▶ I am helping to ensure that Cameroon endorse profile
 - ▶ Next call in January;
 - ▶ If Cameroon has endorsed before this date then CSO in Cameroon can apply