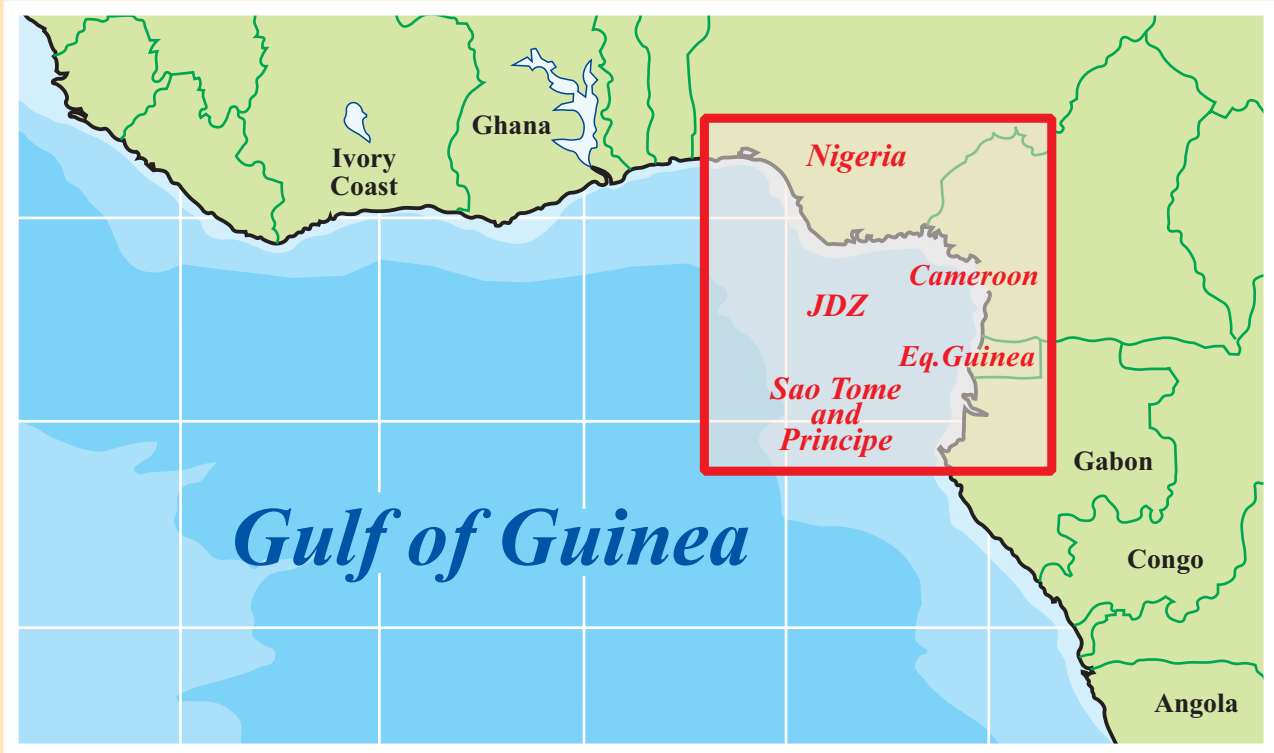


# Cameroon / Equatorial Guinea / Nigeria-Sao Tome JDZ and Nigeria Shallow / Onshore & Deep Water Sectors

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Exploration and Discovered Reserves entry and growth opportunities have been identified based on the following strategic considerations :

- a) Hydrocarbon Prospectivity
- b) Commercial Upside
- c) Achievability / Do-ability
- d) Time to Production (Discovered Reserves)
- e) Fiscal Regime
- f) Working Interest and Partnering Strategy
- g) Mitigation of Political Risk

The report contains information on :

- Specific entry opportunities and commercial strategies
- A geological overview of :  
Cameroon, Equatorial Guinea, Niger Delta and the Nigeria-Sao Tome regions
- A country risk analysis
- Corporate acquisition possibilities

BlackGold Ventures has a well established business presence in the Gulf of Guinea, Trinidad and UK, with a highly placed network of senior consultants in the E&P industry.

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## Uncovering Exploration and Discovered Reserves Opportunities

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### Gulf of Guinea Exploration & Discovered Reserves Study

West African countries command reserves of 80 billion barrels of oil and resources of 220 tcf of gas. 75% of oil reserves in West Africa are located in the Gulf of Guinea, and the success rate for exploration wildcat wells is 35% for West Africa as a whole.

There are some excellent exploration and discovered reserves opportunities in the Gulf of Guinea triangle comprising Cameroon, EG, Sao Tome and Nigeria. Exposure to this proven high potential in the Gulf of Guinea region will complement a large number of legacy businesses, and provide a significant entry for new entrants into West Africa.

The Gulf of Guinea has unusual entry barriers but exceptional growth potential, making the region exciting from a strategic viewpoint. This report assesses the relative risk and reward for each identified opportunity. Each identified opportunity is ranked according to commercial appeal / feasibility and prospectivity.

This study will be particularly useful to those companies seeking entry into Cameroon, Nigeria-Sao Tome JDZ, Equatorial Guinea and Nigeria, and to companies seeking to expand their position in these countries. Organizations not actively pursuing opportunities in these countries, but who have a watching brief, will also benefit from this study.

### Why is this Study important to your company?

- Identification of discovered reserves opportunities and exploration opportunities and ranking according to commercial attractiveness, achievability and prospectivity
- Insight into the technical, commercial and political risks of doing business in the Gulf of Guinea, as well as mitigating strategies for high value opportunities
- Insight into competitor's activities
- Identification of opportunities not immediately obvious to the market
- Understanding of key players in the region, and indigenous players who are increasingly controlling valuable resources
- Independent assessment of the geology of the different plays and sub plays by regional experts
- BlackGold Ventures can assist with implementation of a post study strategy plan to access high impact opportunities identified in the Gulf of Guinea study.

### Deliverables and Price

The study is COMPLETE AND AVAILABLE.

Companies will receive a digital copy of the study on CDROM, and an optional hardcopy version.

The study is available at £27,000 or US\$49,000 per copy.

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