



NIGERIA

Strengthening Team Europe's impact on peace and governance in Nigeria

National Context

- The most affected by violence in West Africa
- 9,017 violent events and 67,512 fatalities (1997-2019)
- Socio-economic impact of COVID-19 and rising oil prices increased tensions and insecurity
- Other factors:
 - Widespread criminality
 - Porous borders,
 - Availability of weapons
 - Population growth
 - Climate change
- Highest absolute number of people living under the poverty line = 30 million in 2030
- Widespread inequalities and disparities between South and North
- North East 8.4 million need humanitarian assistance; 3.18 million IDPs in the North
- National policies
National Development Plan 2021-2025

Relevant SDGs and Policies Context

- 16 PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS
- Humanitarian-Development-Peace nexus
- Other key players: UK & USA

Team Europe Proposal

- Security and Stability**
 - Security sector and police reform**
 - Support to Security Sector Reform and Police reform process (EU, DE and FR): political and policy dialogue, technical assistance, police and military experts
 - EU Security Sector Governance and Reform Facility
 - Maritime security**
 - EU Coordinated Maritime Presences and Support to Maritime Security in the Gulf of Guinea - SWAIMS(EU, DK, PT)
 - Navy's maintenance and capacity-building (EU, FR)
 - Addressing root cause of piracy and insecurity in the Niger Delta (EU, NL)
- Community, security, peacebuilding and resilience in the North and the Middle Belt**
 - Prevent and mitigate conflict and tensions over the access to land and natural resources**
 - Addressing Farmers-Herders tensions (EU, NL, FR, DE)
 - Mediation peacebuilding, conflict resolution and community inclusion (EU, DE, NL)
 - Stabilisation and resilience in the North (EU, DE, FR, NL)**
 - Humanitarian-Development-Peace nexus
 - Resilience to violent extremism (EU, NL)
 - Demobilisation, disassociation, reintegration and reconciliation (EU, DE)
 - Regional Stabilisation Facility (EU, DE)
- Inclusive governance**
 - Strengthen Democratic Institutions and Participatory Governance
 - Strengthen protection and promotion of Human Rights
 - Role of Civil Society in governance

Modalities/ Tools

- Political dialogue**
 - Federal and state governments
 - ECOWAS
 - Ministerial meetings
 - Human rights dialogue and meetings
 - Meetings with civil society
- Strategic support**
 - Security Sector Reform
 - Facilities to support joint Team Europe analyses
 - Coordinated Maritime Presence and support to the Navy
- **5.2M EUR:** Support to Police Reform Process (DE+EU (TBC))
- **25M EUR:** Fight against organised crime (EU+DE, FR)
- **29M EUR:** Maritime security in GoG (EU + PT, DK)
- **5 EUR:** Accountability in the Niger Delta (NL)
- **4M EUR:** Conflict prevention Middle Belt (EU)
- **12M EUR:** Peace Building and Conflict Resolution Middle Belt (DE)
- **5M EUR:** Integrated and Secure Livestock at regional level (FR)
- **15M EUR:** 11th EDF DRRR North-East Nigeria (EU + future support)
- **2.4M EUR:** Building resilience against violent extremism (EU, NL)
- Managing conflicts around use of natural resources in the North of Nigeria (future EU support)
- **30 EUR:** Stabilisation Lake Chad (DE+EU)
- **2.2M:** Protection of civilians (IcSP) (EU)
- **61.3M:** Support to IDPs and host communities in the North East (EU+DE)
- **39 EUR:** Supporting Democracy programme
- **8.7M EUR:** Supporting role of CSOs promoting human rights (EU, NL, FR)
- **1M EUR:** Embedded advisories at Cislac, NEITI and OAuGF (DE)
- **25.5M EUR:** ECOWAS Peace and Security Architecture including Security Sector Reform and Elections (DE+EU)
- Electoral Observation Follow-up mission in 2022
- Electoral Observation Mission in 2023
- Joint electoral observation missions for off-cycle elections

- Common areas of interventions**
 - Peacebuilding
 - Human Rights
 - Security
 - Governance

- Transformational potential**
 - Strengthen peace in Nigeria
 - Diplomatic, security, development and peacebuilding engagement

*This Team Europe Initiative is work in progress
 **SDGs included based on a new JRC electronic text mining tool, which identifies SDGs (targets)



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