

STRENGTHENING TEAM EUROPE'S IMPACT ON PEACE AND GOVERNANCE IN NIGERIA



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)
- insecurity in the Niger Delta (EU, 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)

KEY DELIVERABLES

Peace-building

1. Reintegration of non-state armed groups combattants (already support for 7,558 former Boko Haram associates and vulnerable community members – 2,396 children and 5,162 adults (reintegration and reconciliation, protection against abuse and neglect for children).
2. Provision of infrastructure, equipment and training for the Multi-National Joint Task Force in the Lake Chad basin (construction of 4 nautical outposts in the 4 MNJTF sectors, 1184 Radiocommunication equipment, 500 Night vision goggles, 60 fully equipped boats, 8 short range tactical drones, 4 vehicles, Training of 1400 military personnel).

Security sector reform

1. Setting up of the West Africa Police Information System including an Automated Fingerprint Identification Systems.
2. Provision of maritime security information-sharing system (Yaoundé Architecture Regional Information System - YARIS)
3. Support to police reform (AAP 2024)

Inclusive governance

1. Electoral support for the 2023 presidential and legislative elections.

NATIONAL CONTEXT

The most affected by violence in West Africa

9,017 violent events and 67,512 fatalities (1997-2019)

Highest absolute number of people living under the poverty line = 30 million in 2030

Socio-economic impact of COVID-19 and rising oil prices increased tensions and insecurity

North East 8,4 million need humanitarian assistance; 3,18 million IDPs in the North

Other factors: Widespread criminality Porous borders, Availability of weapons Population growth Climate change

Widespread inequalities and disparities between South and North

National policies

National Development Plan 2021-2025

*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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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

5M EUR: Accountability in the Niger Delta (NL)

29M EUR: Maritime security in GoG (EU + PT, DK)

5.2M EUR: Support to Police Reform Process (DE+EU (TBC))

25M EUR: Fight against organised crime (EU+DE, FR)

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 DDDR 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)

30M EUR: Stabilisation Lake Chad (DE+EU)

2.2M EUR: Protection of civilians (IcSP) (EU)

61.3M EUR: Support to IDPs and host communities in the North East (EU+DE)

8.7M EUR: Supporting role of CSOs promoting human rights (EU, NL, FR)

1M EUR: Embedded advisories at CISLAC, NEITI and OAuGF (DE)

Electoral Observation Follow-up mission in 2022

Electoral Observation

Mission in 2023

Joint electoral

observation missions for off-cycle elections

GEOPOLITICAL CONTEXT AND RELEVANT SDGS



Humanitarian-Development-Peace nexus

Other key players: UK & USA

TRANSFORMATIONAL POTENTIAL

Strengthen peace in Nigeria diplomatic, security, development and peacebuilding engagement

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