

WEST AFRICAN RAINFOREST REGIONS

Ecological Classification & Biodiversity Reference

Focus Area: Upper & Lower Guinean Forests Climate Type: Tropical Monsoonal

Upper Guinean Forest	Liberia, Sierra Leone, Guinea, CÃ´te d'Ivoire	Pygmy Hippopotamus, Diana Monkey, Lophira alata	Critical Endemic
Dahomey Gap	Benin, Togo, SE Ghana	Savanna-Forest Mosaic, Baobab variants	Dry Zone
Lower Guinean Forest	Nigeria, Cameroon, Gabon	Western Lowland Gorilla, African Teak, Mahogany	High Diversity
Nigerian Lowland Forest	Southern Nigeria	White-throated Monkey, Red-capped Mangabey	Fragmented
Mount Cameroon Enclave	Cameroon (Coastal)	Montane Orchids, Prunus africana	Altitudinal

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