



Integrated planning for sustainable rural land use

We have obtained long-term use rights to consolidate and sustainably develop an area of 731,000 hectares of forest and savannah in the province of Nyanga, in the south of Gabon.

The creation and development of enterprises in forestry, agriculture and ecotourism, supported by regional infrastructure, is detailed in the Grande Mayumba Sustainable Development Plan, in accordance with Gabonese law on sustainable development. We have classified a third of the project area as a protected area for conservation, in order to preserve the unique biodiversity of ecosystems located on the coast, in the estuaries, in the mountains and in the savannah.

Over the next few years, more than US\$160 million will be invested in commercial activities and infrastructure in Grande Mayumba, creating approximately 2,400 new jobs and generating substantial socio-economic benefits. Over a period of 25 years, and while developing the commercial value of our assets in a sustainable manner, we estimate that we will avoid the emission of more than 200 million tonnes of carbon in the project area, preventing any kind unplanned development, with associated deforestation and ecosystem degradation.



Avoided carbon emissions

Notre méthodologie carbone est conforme à la loi gabonaise sur le développement durable. Les émissions qui sont évitées grâce à la mise en œuvre de notre plan de développement durable, par rapport à un scénario de statu quo non planifié, peuvent être calculées, vérifiées et monétisées sous forme de crédits carbone ou de crédits de développement durable.

Le stock actuel de carbone de Grande Mayumba a été quantifié à +-434 MtCO₂e (millions de tonnes de CO₂). Le scénario de développement non planifié indique une perte de 52 % du carbone (225 MtCO₂e) sur 25 ans. En revanche, notre développement planifié indique une perte de 5 % de carbone sur 25 ans, permettant ainsi d'éviter +-200 MtCO₂e d'émissions. L'économie réalisée, qui sera vérifiée par des mesures continues des stocks de carbone, sera transformée en crédits négociables.

213,000 ha

sustainable forestry

63,000 ha

reserved for urban and municipal devel

200,000 ha

201,000 ha

classified as a protected area that cover ecosystems o

of agricultural land including ~~integrated, natural degraded forests~~, equivalent to one area of the project.

14,000 ha

reserved for urban and municipal development and infrastructure

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