

YOUNG WOMEN, EDUCATION AND WORK IN RURAL SUB

NIGERIA

Nigeria is located on the western coast of Africa, it became independent from British colonial rule in 1960.

It has a population over 220 million, with an estimated 60% of these aged under 25.

It is ethnically diverse, with three major ethnic groups in its three main regions (Hausa in the north, Yoruba in the South West and Igbo in the South East)

There are major inequalities between the North and South as a consequence of colonial rule.

The majority of the population in the south are Christian, while the majority in the north are Muslim.



NORTHERN NIGERIA

The North-West and the North-East constitute the bulk of Nigeria's population, but

ADAMAWA CONTEXT

Adamawa State is in the north east of Nigeria, along

NUMAN CONTEXT

Numan is about 50 kms from Yola, the Adamawa State capital.

The population is predominantly Christian.

The main ethnic group in the town is the Bwatiye (Bachama) people

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