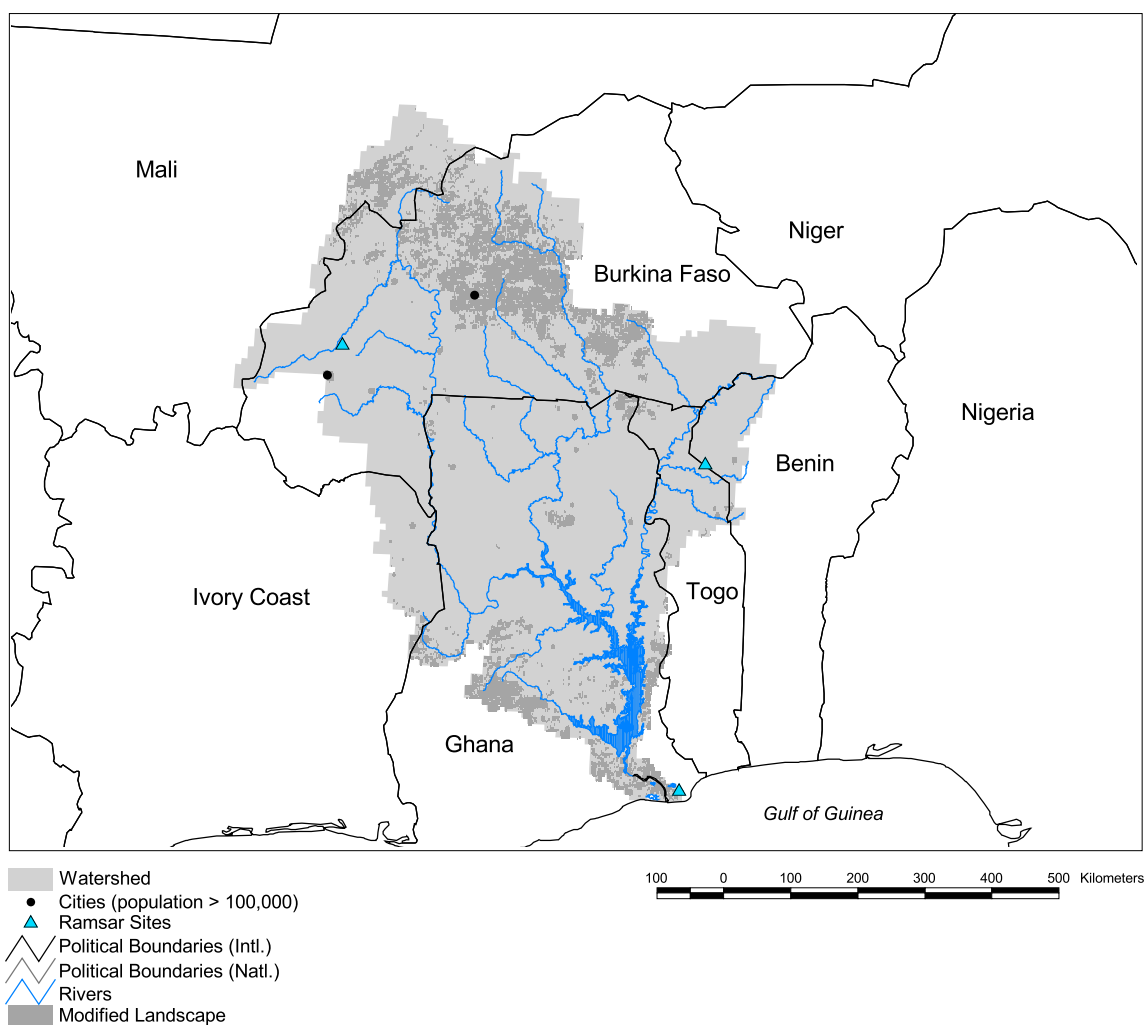


Volta Watershed



Basin area: 407,097 km²
 Population density: 42 people per km²
 Urban growth rate: 6.3%
 Large cities: 2
 Total fish species: 141
 Fish endemics: 8
 Threatened fish species: 0
 Endemic bird areas: 1
 Ramsar sites: 3
 Protected areas: 8%
 Wetlands: 5%
 Arid: 60%

Forest: 0%
 Cropland: 11%
 Cropland irrigated: 0%
 Developed: 1%
 Shrub: 0%
 Grassland: 85%
 Barren: 1%
 Loss of original forest: 97%
 Deforestation rate: 10%
 Eroded area: 19%
 Large dams: 2
 Planned major dams: -

