1. A great African empire once flourished in this modern day Sahel country.

2. This country, consisting of 15 islands, lies about 375 miles offshore in the Atlantic Ocean.

3. These two former French colonies lie between Ghana and Nigeria.

4. This country’s 100 different ethnic groups include the Ashante and the Fante.

5. This country’s capital, Abidjan, has modern government and office buildings.

6. This country uses some of the money it receives from oil exports to improve food production.

7. Americans freed from enslavement founded this nation in 1822 and named the capital, Monrovia, for an American president.


9. This former Portuguese colony lies between Senegal and Guinea.

10. This home for people freed from enslavement exports diamonds.

11. This coastal country’s capital, Dakar, is a major port on the Atlantic Ocean.

12. Workers in this coastal country dry peanuts for export to other countries.

13. This country’s four largest ethnic groups are the Hausa, Fulani, Yoruba, and Ibo.

14. In 1957 this country became the first West African country to gain independence.

15. This country’s capital, Accra, is a busy modern city.