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## **Fire effects on forest soils in two forest reserves in the transition zone of Ghana**

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This paper gives a submission of the effects on forest soils in two forest reserves in the transitional zones of Ghana namely Worobong Forest Reserve and Southern Scarp Forest Reserve all in the Begoro Forest District in Ghana.

It critically examines the ravaging effects on fire on those forest soils in the two reserves over the years. Attempts have been made to showcase the effects with respect to the biological, chemical and physical properties of the soils in these reserves and their subsequent overflow on economic or agricultural activities of adjoining communities and their overall socioeconomic development.

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