



# Congo River

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This journey in the heart of Africa is a hymn to life, just like the uncontrollable vegetation growing tightly around the Congo River. On the banks, images chime out the joys and suffering of a people as well as the celebrations and ceremonies that punctuate existence. It shows that beyond the darkness and the tragic and violent history of this continent lies happiness and hope, that of rituals, songs and dances.

## CREDITS

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## TECHNICAL SPECS

**RUNNING TIME:** 156'  
**ASPECT RATIO:** 16:9  
**SOUND FORMAT:** 5.1 (+sub)  
**RELEASE FORMAT:** 35mm  
**COLOUR:** Colour

## CREATION DETAILS

**TYPE:** Film  
**PRODUCTION SHARE:** Minority Flemish  
co-production  
**YEAR OF PRODUCTION:** 2005  
**PRODUCTION STATUS:** Completed  
**ORIGINAL TITLE:** Congo River  
**ORIGINAL LANGUAGE:** Français,  
Lingala, Swahili

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