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About Nyangai Island

- It is a small island off the **coast of Sierra Leone**.
- It is one of a cluster of islands that make up the **Turtle Islands archipelago**.
- It is low-lying and situated off a part of the coastline subject to strong currents. As such, they have always been vulnerable to erosion.
- In less than 10 years, the island has lost two-thirds of its surface area, and now measures only about 200 metres long and 100 metres wide (approximately 650 by 330 feet).
- The island has traditionally been a crossroads for trade, agriculture, fishing and maritime transport in addition to a tourist spot, particularly for its ruins dating back to the slave trade.

Key Facts about Sierra Leone

- It is a tropical country in **West Africa, on the Atlantic coast.**
- **Borders:** It is bordered on the north and east by Guinea, on the south by Liberia, and on the west by the Atlantic Ocean.
- **Geography:** The nation is largely made up of lightly wooded hills with a concentration of mangrove swamps along the coast.
- **Rivers:** Some of the major ones include the **Rokel River, Taia River, Moa River, and Sewa River.**

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