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Abstract : Attempt to present the underlying principles governing land ownership under Ghanaian customary law. All land in Ghana belongs to some community, tribal or otherwise. The notion of individual ownership is unknown. The head of a community occupies the position of trustee, though he may be called owner. The author describes cases and disputes (allocation, transfer, inheritance, etc.) which were decided in Ghanaian customary law courts; the more important cases are reported fully in the appendix. E.

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