

## Angola names U.S. firm to advise on LNG project

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LUANDA, May 23 (Reuters) - American firm Taylor-DeJongh has been appointed financial adviser for Angola's \$2 billion liquefied natural gas (LNG) project, the venture's main shareholders said on Friday.

Sonangol has a 22.8 percent share in the LNG project situated near the northwestern city of Soyo, 300 km (200 miles) from the capital Luanda. U.S. giant ChevronTexaco (nyse: [CVX](#) - [news](#) - [people](#)) is the largest shareholder with 36.4 percent, while ExxonMobil, Total and BP have 13.6 percent each.

"(It) is a planned integrated project encompassing offshore and onshore operations to monetize significant gas resources from fields located offshore Angola," Sonangol and ChevronTexaco unit Texaco Angola Natural Gas Inc said in a statement.

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