



# Africa in 2026: Resilience, Reform, and Opportunity for Self-Driven Growth

As the global economy slows and geopolitics shift, Africa is emerging as one of the fastest-growing regions in 2026. Amid new tariffs and shifting trade dynamics, African economies are deepening ties with Europe and Asia while navigating an evolving US-Africa relationship. Across the continent, regional integration is advancing, digital transformation is accelerating, and competition for critical minerals is intensifying.