

AFRICA at a GLANCE

I. Description

Africa at a Glance is a comprehensive and concise presentation of Africa. It is innovative as it combines a lot of data in a modular and scalable way providing valuable information about every country of Africa. One needs to spend some time initially to explore fully the informational capacity of this expandable presentation. The information provided is automatically updated therefore providing timely data.

II. Operating Notes – Navigation

A. General Instructions

- Click once the (+) sign with the mouse pointer. The presentation expands.
- Click once the (-) sign with the mouse pointer. The presentation shrinks.
- In the side of each label whenever a chain link () exists it represents the related Internet site. Click it once to open. To come back to the presentation close the Internet site.
- In the side of a label whenever a note icon () exists by clicking on it a relevant text appears.

B. Informational Modules provided per Country

For every country of Africa there are seven (7) up to ten (10) labeled informational provisions:

1. World Health Organization information about the particular country. Internet site of WHO is shown by the chain link () sign.
2. Google Maps with Satellite view. Internet site is shown by the chain link () sign.
3. Chamber of Commerce and Industry. Internet site (whenever available) is shown by the chain link () sign.
4. Investment Promotion Agency. Internet site (whenever available) is shown by the chain link () sign.
5. The addresses of Diplomatic missions of every African country in Greece and of Greece in every African country. Internet site of the Hellenic Ministry of Foreign Affairs, is shown by the chain link () sign.
6. The respective Consular Authorities. Internet site of the Hellenic Ministry of Foreign Affairs, is shown by the chain link () sign.

7.COMESA, SADC or ECOWAS Organizations. These acronyms represent economic unions of certain countries belonging more or less to the same region. Common economic criteria mainly of tariff abolition among member states of a particular union. Internet is shown by chain link (🔗) sign. Certain countries belong to one, two or none of the regional cluster economic unions and this is the reason that for some countries appear 7, 8 or 10 informational labels.

8. World Bank's Guidelines & Procedures for participation to its projects. Internet site for WB is shown by the chain link (🔗) sign.

9. World Bank's Projects (Procurement, Infrastructure by Country). Internet site for WB is shown by the chain link (🔗) sign.

C. In addition:

- In the upper left side (Label 10) there is a cluster of seventeen (15) relevant International Organizations with their respective Internet site represented by a chain link (🔗) sign .

Valuable information one can find in the two upper branches namely:

- Label 13. European Union Funding Advisor, Internet site represented by a chain link (🔗) sign .
- Label 1. Worldwide Exhibition Advisor, Internet site represented by a chain link (🔗) sign.
- In Label 10. Sub-label 10.12 International Trade Center, one can find Trade Statistical Data Provision per pair of Countries.

III. Navigation Example: We wish to review information about the country of Uganda.

Step1. Uganda is located in Eastern Africa. We click the plus (+) sign with the mouse pointer (Label 5) and the presentation expand showing 12 East African states.

Step2. We choose the sub label 5.4 with the name of the country Uganda. Next to the Uganda label there is a chain sign (🔗). If one clicks it, an Internet site with a Geographical map and general statistical data appears. Next if the site is opened, we close it and we click the plus (+) sign with the mouse pointer and the presentation expands demonstrating the nine (9) labeled provision about Uganda according to the aforementioned thematic subjects.

Step 3. We choose the sub label 5.4.4 with thematic subject Investment Promotion Agency (of Uganda). By clicking the chain sign (🔗) next to the label the Internet site of Investment Promotion Agency (UIA, Uganda Investment Authority in the particular country) appears.

Enjoy navigation!!!

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