

Mudavadi in China for high-level FOCAC ministerial talks

Prime Cabinet Secretary and Cabinet Secretary for Foreign and Diaspora Affairs Musalia Mudavadi has departed for Changsha City, China, to attend the Ministerial Meeting of Coordinators on the Implementation of Forum on China-Africa Cooperation (FOCAC) Follow-Up Actions. The high-level session will review progress made since the 2024 FOCAC Summit of Heads of State and Government and outline key priorities for the next summit. KBC Digital.

China's Investment Pivot and Africa's Industrial Prospects: Any Hope for African "Flying Geese"?

This paper examines the changing shape of Chinese investment in Africa, as it evolves from large scale infrastructure toward small scale manufacturing. It looks at the opportunity for the region in the context of a deepening manufacturing labor shortage in China; discusses barriers to that opportunity in both China and the Africa region; and the potential response of Western countries. Center for Global Development.

Minister Lamola attends the Forum on China-Africa Cooperation (FOCAC) Ministerial Coordinator's Meeting, in Changsha, People's Republic of China, from 10 to 12 June 2025

Minister Ronald Lamola has undertaken an Official Visit to Changsha, Hunan Province, to attend the Ministerial Coordination Meeting of the Forum on China-Africa Cooperation (FOCAC). The purpose of the meeting is to discuss implementation of the outcomes of the 2024 FOCAC Summit which was held in Beijing on 5 and 6 September 2024. Zawya.

Kenya deepens health cooperation with China

Kenya and China on Monday deepened their collaboration in the health sector, with China offering 500 scholarships and launching 20 annual exchange programs in the future. After a meeting with a delegation led by Chinese Ambassador to Kenya Guo Haiyan, Cabinet Secretary for the Ministry of Health Aden Duale said in a statement that the collaboration is key to shaping the country's future health leadership. CGTN.

China is seen as more reliable than the US in first Africa poll after Trump returns to Presidency

Support for democracy across Africa appears is ebbing due to falling governance standards, according to a new annual survey covering 39 African states by the Accra-based think tank Afrobarometer. Among the 66% of Africans who told interviewers say they prefer democracy to any other system, there is growing frustration with government performance in specific jurisdictions. Africa Confidential.

Mozambique: Foreign Minister leaves for FOCAC ministerial meeting of coordinators, 4th China-Africa Economic and Trade Expo

Mozambique's Minister of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation will on Tuesday begin a six-day working visit

to the People's Republic of China, at the invitation of her counterpart in that country, Wang Yi, according to a note received by Rádio Moçambique. In China, Maria Manuela Lucas will participate in the FOCAC ministerial meeting of coordinators – Meeting of Coordinators on the Implementation of the Follow-up Actions of the Forum on China-Africa Cooperation. Club of Mozambique.

China, Africa to collaborate against stereotypes in relations

CHINADAILY has reaffirmed commitment to promote a more positive and accurate portrayal of Africa-China relations to combat negative stereotypes that have suffused international discourse. The media organisation stated this during a courtesy visit to by delegates incorporating Think tank and Media agencies representatives from various African countries and International Department Central Committee of Communist Party of China (IDCPC) in Beijing. News Agency of Nigeria.

China's exports grow 6.3% in May as trade with Africa sees big jump

China's foreign trade showed resilience in May, with exports rising 6.3 percent year-on-year to 2.28 trillion yuan (\$318 billion), according to data released Monday by the General Administration of Customs. Despite uncertainties from US tariff policies, China's total goods trade reached 17.94 trillion yuan (\$2.5 trillion) in the first five months of 2025, up 2.5 percent from a year earlier. CGTN.

Egypt shifting its capital from Cairo to a new city that China is building for it

Egypt is formally shifting its capital from Cairo to a newly built city in the desert with China playing a central role in its construction and future operations. Located around 45 kilometres east of Cairo, the new administrative capital spans 700 square kilometres and is envisioned to house more than six million people. The project is part of Egypt's long-term effort to decongest Cairo and reposition itself as a modern administrative and economic hub. First Post.

Chinese machines power new harvest season in Tanzania

Farmers in Tanzania have hopes of a more prosperous life, thanks to agricultural machines developed by a Chinese firm. #GLOBALink Xinhua.

Emerging Chinese-built harbor links past, present and future in Tanzania

A gentle sea breeze stirs the trees on a quiet island off the southeastern coast of Tanzania. Here lie the ruins of Kilwa Kisiwani, once a bustling port on the Indian Ocean trade route, where ships loaded with gold, spices, and porcelain gathered in significant numbers. Now, just across the water, another port is taking shape. The Kilwa Fishing Harbor, dubbed a "port of the future," is rising with ambition. China . org. Cn.

China's BYD to nearly triple South Africa dealers' network by next year

Chinese electric vehicle giant BYD plans to nearly triple its dealership network in South Africa by next year as it looks to grow its market share in the country, a senior executive told Reuters. BYD's move comes at a time of growing competition in Africa's largest automotive market, where sales of new energy vehicles are rising and other Chinese companies - such as GAC, Chery and GWM - are also making inroads. Zawya.

Kenya-China ties spark 200,000 Jobs, cultural boom

At least 200,000 jobs have been created through the bilateral cooperation between Kenya and China. Over

the years, this cooperation has fostered mutual understanding and people-to-people connections, which continue to contribute to the country's economic growth. This emerged on Friday during the opening ceremony of the 2025 China-Kenya Culture and Tourism Season and Special Performance for the 40th Anniversary of China-Kenya Acrobatic Exchanges, organised in Nairobi. The Standard.

Kenya, China in Sh64.5bn vaccine partnership to strengthen local manufacturing

Kenya and China have entered into a strategic partnership to establish a \$500 million (Sh64.5 billion) vaccine and pharmaceutical manufacturing facility in Kenya, leveraging advanced Chinese technology to enhance local production and health resilience. The initiative was announced during a high-level meeting on Monday, June 9, between Health Cabinet Secretary Aden Duale and Chinese Ambassador Guo Haiyan. The Star.

Chinese tourist numbers soar as Kenya-China ties deepen

More Chinese are travelling to Kenya for tourism, business and professional opportunities with the upgrading of China-Kenya relations, Chinese Ambassador to Kenya Guo Haiyan has said. This is even as Kenya and China launched the 2025 China-Kenya Culture and Tourism Season, an initiative designed to enhance tourism, strengthen cultural ties and promote deeper connections between the peoples of both nations. People Daily.

Algeria withdraws major port project from China, is the Sahara question the reason ?

Algeria has reportedly decided not to entrust China with the construction of the major El Hamdania port, a flagship project launched in 2015 under former President Abdelaziz Bouteflika to rival Morocco's Tanger-Med, according to the French daily L'Opinion. This information comes from the journalist who interviewed Algerian President Abdelmadjid Tebboune in early February. Yabiladi.

<u>India buys 18% of Mozambique exports in 2024 – followed by China, South Africa and Singapore</u>

India bought more exports from Mozambique than any other country in 2024, worth \$1.469 billion ($\in 1.288$ billion), equivalent to 18% of Mozambican exports, according to official data compiled by Lusa on Monday. According to the 2024 balance of payments report from the Bank of Mozambique, overall, Mozambican exports fell by 0.8% compared to the previous year, to US\$8.211 billion ($\in 7.202$ billion), while imports fell by 8.8%, to US\$8.375 billion ($\in 7.346$ billion). Club of Mozambique.

Chinese medical team provides free examination to children in Ghana

A doctor from the 14th batch of the Chinese medical team in Ghana provides free examination to a child at the Motherly Love Orphanage in Accra, Ghana, June 7, 2025. The 14th batch of the Chinese medical team in Ghana on Saturday donated essential supplies and provided free medical services to an orphanage in Accra, the capital of the West African country. People's Daily Online.

Are China-Niger ties a test for Beijing's cornerstone non-interference policy?

Since the 2023 coup that ousted the president of Niger, Mohamed Bazoum, Beijing has consistently sought to strengthen relations with the country's military government. In line with its non-interference policy, one of the cornerstones of China's foreign policy that states that countries should not meddle in the domestic political, economic or social systems of other countries, South China Morning Post.

New Chinese owner focuses on Guinea cape trades

Shunyu Shipping, a joint venture between state-run Xiamen Xiangyu and Shunda Mining, has officially launched focusing on the capesize trades between China and West Africa. Backed by Xiangyu's extensive expertise in international commodity trading and Shunda's mining operations in Guinea, Shunyu aims to control the full logistics chain from ore extraction in Africa to steel and energy markets in China. Splash 247.

CRSG and Chinese medical team join forces to combat MPOX in Sierra Leone

China Railway Seventh Group (CRSG) Company Limited, in collaboration with the 26th Chinese medical team to Sierra Leone, conducted a significant health awareness lecture at CRSG's Mongegba Headquarters. This initiative was aimed at educating both Chinese and local staff about the prevention of the Monkeypox virus, as well as imparting essential first-aid knowledge. People's Daily Online.

Chinese Ambassador Zhao Weiping Donates Books to the National Library of Namibia

On June 4th, Ambassador Zhao Weiping, on behalf of the Chinese Embassy in Namibia, donated a batch of books to the National Library of Namibia, including The Governance of China, Up and Out of Poverty and The Road to Ecological Civilization Construction in China. The Ministry of Education, Innovation, Youth, Sports, Arts and Culture of Namibia held a handover ceremony for the donation. Mr. Erastus Haitengela, Executive Director of the Ministry, thanked the Embassy for the contribution and noted that these books enriched the collection of the National Library and will be welcomed by the Namibian readers. Zawya.

Namibia courts China for infrastructure and tech

Namibia is looking to strengthen its cooperation with China in infrastructure and digital technology during the Forum on China-Africa Cooperation (FOCAC) and the China-Africa Economic and Trade Expo (CAETE), currently taking place in Beijing and Changsha. Minister of international relations and trade Selma Ashipala-Musavyi arrived in China on Sunday to lead Namibia's delegation in bilateral and multilateral talks. Windhoek Observer.

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