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ITU-T Standards : African Experiences and Success Stories

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Introduction



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1. Understand the importance of ITU-T standards
2. Explore the involvement of African countries.
3. Discover African experiences
4. Celebrating African successes
5. Identify challenges and opportunities



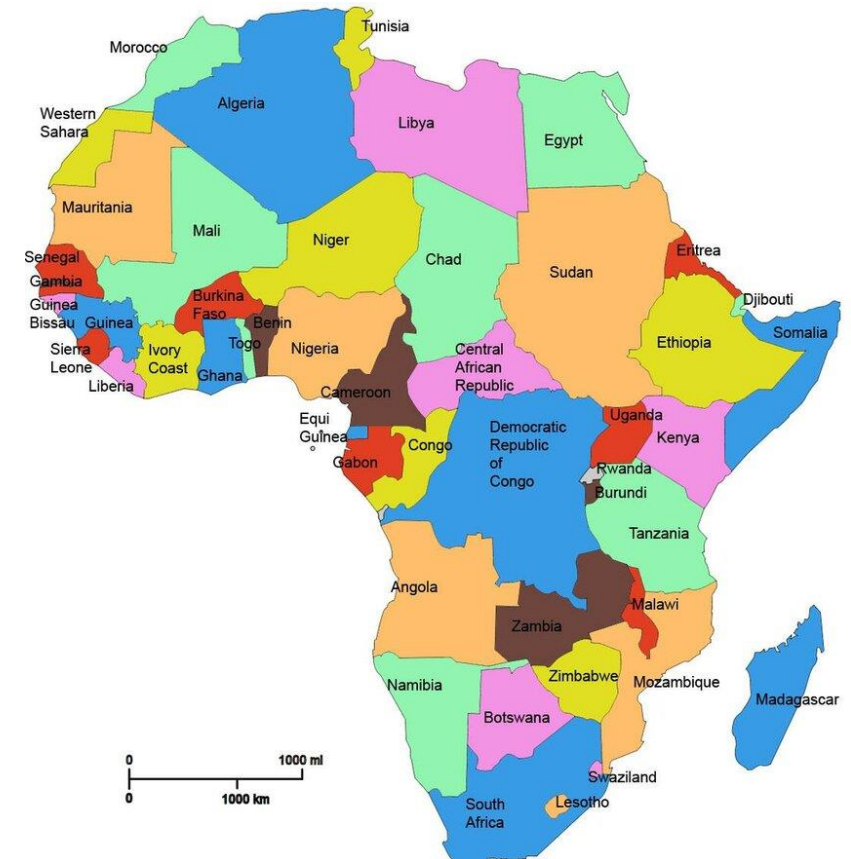
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Involvement of African Countries in ITU-T



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- Several African countries are actively engaged in ITU-T activities.
- Significant contributions of African countries to the standardization process.
- Promoting diversity and inclusion.
- Strengthening skills and know-how.



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African experiences in the use of ITU-T standards



African experiences in the use of ITU-T standards

- Rural connectivity
- E-governance and e-health
- Online education
- Mobile payments and financial services
- Natural resource management
- Smart Cities



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African success stories linked to the use of ITU-T standards



African success stories linked to the use ITU-T standards

- Kenya - M-Pesa
- Ivory Coast - E-gouv Portal
- Nigeria - NigComSat
- South Africa - SANReN
- Rwanda - Connect Rwanda Project
- Morocco - Green IT
- Ghana – Mobile App for Agriculture (mFarms)



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Challenges and Opportunities for African Countries in ITU-T standardization



Challenges for African Countries in ITU-T standardization

- High initial cost
- Education and Training
- Unequal access to the Internet
- Data security





Opportunities for African Countries in ITU-T standardization

- Technological innovation
- Cross-border connectivity
- Skills building
- Digital inclusion
- Sustainable development
- International partnerships





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