

Leveraging the AfCFTA as an investment incentive for Africa

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Main points

- AfCFTA as an AU 2063 flagship project
 - AIDA, PIDA, CAADP, BIAT, Single African Air Market, Free Movement of Persons
- AfCFTA scope
 - market size, tariffs, NTBs & trade facilitation issues, trade in services, IP, competition policy, e-commerce
- Improved continental trade & investment governance – AfCFTA Protocol on Investment
 - Investment promotion, facilitation & protection, host govt policy space, dispute settlement, coordination of investment policy and laws
- What type of increased investors & investments does Africa needs?
- What will be required of African governments to harness FDI benefits into their host economies?