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Country Membership in Major Economic Organizations by Regional Groupings

Regional Economic Organizations	South Africa										East Africa																West Africa																					
	Angola	Botswana	Lesotho	Malawi	Mozambique	Namibia	South Africa	Swaziland	Zambia	Zimbabwe	Burundi	Central African Rep	Comoros	Congo DRC	Congo ROC	Djibouti	Eritrea	Ethiopia	Kenya	Madagascar	Mauritius	Rwanda	Seychelles	Somalia	Sudan	Tanzania	Uganda	Benin	Burkina Faso	Cameroon	Cape Verde	Chad	Cote d'Ivoire	Equatorial Guinea	Gabon	Gambia	Ghana	Guinea	Guinea-Bissau	Liberia	Mali	Mauritania	Niger	Nigeria	Sao Tome/Principe	Senegal	Sierra Leone	Togo
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SACU	The Southern African Customs Union (SACU)	http://www.sacu.int
COMESA	The Common Market for Eastern and Southern Africa	http://www.comesa.int
SADC	The Southern African Development Community (SADC)	http://www.sadc.int
EAC	The East African Community	http://www.eac.int
ECCAS/CEEAC	The Economic Community of Central African States (ECCAS)	http://www.ceeac-eccas.org
CEMAC	The Central African Economic and Monetary Community	http://www.cemac.cf
ECOWAS	The Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS)	http://www.ecowas.int
WAEMU/UEMOA	The West African Economic and Monetary Union (WAEMU)	http://www.uemoa.int
AU[1]	The African Union (Includes the New Partnership for Africa's Development)	http://www.africa-union.org/root/au/index/index.htm

[1] The **African Union** includes the **New Partnership for Africa's Developmen**t (NEPAD) http://www.nepad.org and the **African Partnership Forum** (APF) http://www.africapartnershipforum.org

Source: "*Strengthening Africa's Trade under AGOA,*" USAID, July 2007; *"2007 Comprehensive Report on U.S. Trade and Investment Policy toward Sub-Saharan Africa and Implementation of the African Growth and Opportunity Act,"* USTR, May 2007; SEGURA IP3 Partners, LLP, October 2007.

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