

## **ECONOMIC HEADLINES**

## | MOROCCO | GDP | The IMF revised upward its growth forecasts to 4.4% in 2025

According to the latest forecasts of the International Monetary Fund, the Moroccan economy's growth rate would reach 4.4% in 2025 compared to an estimate of 3.9% in April. In 2026, the IMF forecasts an economic growth of 4.2%.

## | SENEGAL | FOREIGN TRADE | Reduction of the trade deficit at the end of August 2025

According to the National Agency of Statistics and Demography (ANSD), Senegal's exports jumped by 61.7% at the end of August 2025 to FCFA 3,677 Bn while imports increased by 2.2% to FCFA 4,722 Bn. In this context, the trade balance deficit stood at FCFA -1,045 Bn at the end of August 2025 against FCFA -2,347 Bn a year earlier.