

FINANCIAL MARKETS HEADLINES

| MOROCCO | BCP | Closing of the acquisition of a 20.17% stake in ABI's capital

In a press release, the Group Banque Centrale Populaire announced the closing, on December 24th 2025, of its acquisition of a 20.17% stake in the capital of Atlantic Business International (ABI) from ADP II Holding 7 L.P. This transaction was achieved at a price of MAD 1.88 Bn. Following this operation, BCP Group now holds all of the par capital and voting rights of ABI.



ECONOMIC HEADLINES

| CEMAC | GDP | BEAC forecasts a growth rate of 2.4% in 2025

According to the latest forecasts from the Bank of Central African States (BEAC), the growth rate of the economy within the CEMAC region is expected to reach 2.4% in 2025 compared to 2.7% in 2024.