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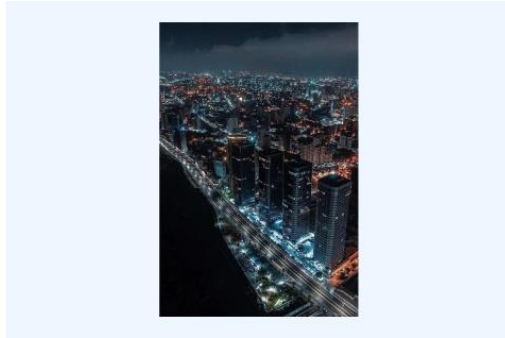
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Oran ranked 7th best global destination by the New York Times for 2026

The city of Oran is ranked seventh in the prestigious annual New York Times ranking of the 52 best tourist destinations in the world for 2026, for its historical heritage, cultural vitality and tourist appeal. [Read more.](#)



Economic operators welcome an increasingly favourable environment

As a result of a public policy aimed at diversifying the national economy, non-hydrocarbon exports are registering positive momentum, driven by the improvement of the regulatory framework, administrative facilitations and support for economic operators, as evidenced by several public and private companies that have significantly increased their export volumes. [Read more.](#)



Arkab emphasises Algeria's willingness to support the Republic of Somalia in developing its hydrocarbon sector.

The Minister of State, Minister of Hydrocarbons and Mines, Mohamed Arkab, affirmed, at the ministry headquarters, where he received a high-level delegation from the Federal Republic of Somalia, Algeria's willingness to support Somalia's efforts in developing the hydrocarbon sector, particularly through the expertise of the Sonatrach group and the Algerian Petroleum Institute (IAP). [Read more.](#)



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Tafer is taking part in the 5th International Mining Conference in Riyadh

The Secretary of State to the Minister of Hydrocarbons and Mines, in charge of Mines, Karima Bakir Tafer, is participating, in Riyadh (Saudi Arabia), to the work of the 5th edition of the International Mining Conference, a statement from the ministry indicated. [Read more.](#)



Sidi Abdallah: The insurance sector launches an innovation and AI hub

The Algerian Union of Insurance and Reinsurance Companies (UAR), in partnership with specialised academic and technical establishments, launched a hub for innovation and artificial intelligence (AI) at the Chahid Abdelhafid-Ihaddaden Scientific and Technological Hub in the new city of Sidi Abdallah, which will serve as a link between the academic and research community and the national economic fabric, particularly the financial sector. [Read more.](#)

Preparing for the launch of a digital one-stop shop for exporters

The Ministry of Foreign Trade and Export Promotion is preparing to launch a digital one-stop shop for exporters, in order to facilitate procedures and reduce processing times, the minister of the sector, Mr. Kamel Rezig, indicated. [Read more.](#)



It rolls off the EminAuto assembly line: the first "Made in Algeria" truck is born

This marks a decisive step in the revival of the national automotive industry. The EminAuto industrial complex, the result of a strategic partnership with the Chinese manufacturer JAC, celebrated the production of its very first commercial vehicle assembled by local workers. Located in the Tamazoura industrial zone in the Aïn Témouchent province, this factory signals the beginning of a new era for automotive production in Algeria. [Read more.](#)

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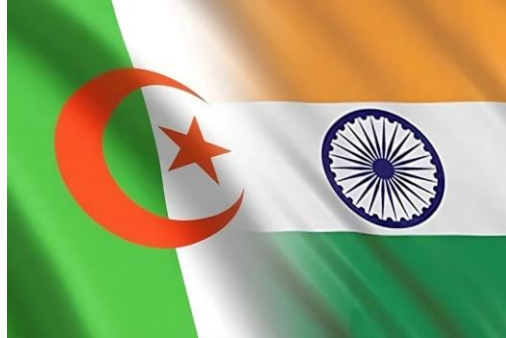
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The pharmaceutical sector offers vast opportunities for partnerships focused on regional markets.

The pharmaceutical sector offers vast opportunities for Algerian and Indian companies to realise joint investment projects and build a sustainable and mutually beneficial partnership, particularly in regional and African markets, participants at the India-Algeria Pharmaceutical Business Forum stressed in Algiers. [Read more.](#)



The Exhibition Centre will host 60 economic events in 2026

The Palais des Expositions des Pins Maritimes (Algiers) will host 60 national and international economic events in 2026, covering various fields, according to a statement released by Algeria Exhibitions. [Read more.](#)



The International Agricultural Show from 21st to 24th January

The eighth edition of the Oran International Agriculture Fair (Agri Pro Expo 2026) will be held at the "Mohamed Benahmed" Conference Centre in Oran from January 21 to 24, organisers announced.



First production hub outside Europe: why Opel chose Algeria

The official announcement of the establishment of a production unit of the German brand Opel in Algeria is a major indicator of the resurgence of the national automotive sector. [Read more.](#)

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The AAPI launches the biannual magazine "Investment.dz"

The Algerian Investment Promotion Agency (AAPI) has launched the semi-annual magazine "Investment.dz", dedicated to promoting the business climate in Algeria and highlighting investment opportunities and new developments in the economic sector, serving investors, economic operators and partners of the Agency. [Read more.](#)



Rezig oversees the launch of the first steel sheet export operation from the Tosyali complex in 2026

The Minister of Foreign Trade and Export Promotion, Kamel Rezig, oversaw in Oran the launch of the first export operations of steel sheets from the Tosyali complex for the year 2026, as part of a visit to the industrial complex. [Read more.](#)



Energy: Adjal receives the executive director of the African Energy Commission

The Minister of Energy and Renewable Energies, Mourad Adjal, received the Executive Director of the African Energy Commission (AFREC), Rachid Ali Abdallah, with whom he examined ways to strengthen cooperation and partnership in the energy sector, according to a statement from the ministry. [Read more.](#)



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A digital one-stop shop for exports: a new architecture is taking shape.

Algeria is preparing to take a decisive step in modernising its foreign trade system by undertaking a major reform based on digitisation and the overhaul of export support mechanisms. [Read more.](#)



Investment climate: Algeria strengthens its legal guarantees to attract capital

Appearing before the National People's Assembly's Committee on Economic Affairs, the Minister of Industry, Yahia Bachir, stated that Algeria has, in recent years, undertaken a coherent set of legal and institutional reforms aimed at sustainably improving the investment climate, within the framework of a national strategy focused on economic diversification, wealth and job creation, import substitution and GDP growth, relying on internationally recognised guarantees and increased modernisation of procedures. [Read more.](#)



4th edition of the International Iron, Steel and Mining Products Exhibition: Algeria showcases its strong assets

Several sectors position Algeria as a leader, or at least one capable of playing a leading role, particularly on the continental stage. Iron, steel, foundries, metallurgy, and mining are among them. [Read more.](#)

