

Civil Society Advocacy around the Continental Free Trade Area (CFTA)

2016-2017

North Africa's Trade Arrangements:

Complementarities and Contradictions with the CFTA

- 28-29 June 2017, Rabat, Morocco
- Organized by Arab NGO Network for Development, L'Espace Associatif, Third World Network-Africa, and Regions Refocus with Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung

Africa Trade Network Meeting on the CFTA and Africa's Trade and Development Challenges

- 29 February - 3 March 2016, Accra, Ghana
- Organized by Third World Network-Africa and African Trade Policy Centre, UNECA
- [Workshop Website](#): Colloquium and Civil Society Strategy Meeting

Africa Trade Network Convening on the CFTA

- 26-27 November 2016, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
- Organized by Third World Network-Africa and Regions Refocus
- African Civil Society [Statement](#) on the CFTA at Africa Trade Week
- Virtual Teach-in [Video](#): The CFTA and the Structural Transformation Agenda in Africa

East Africa (EAC) Regional CFTA Consultation

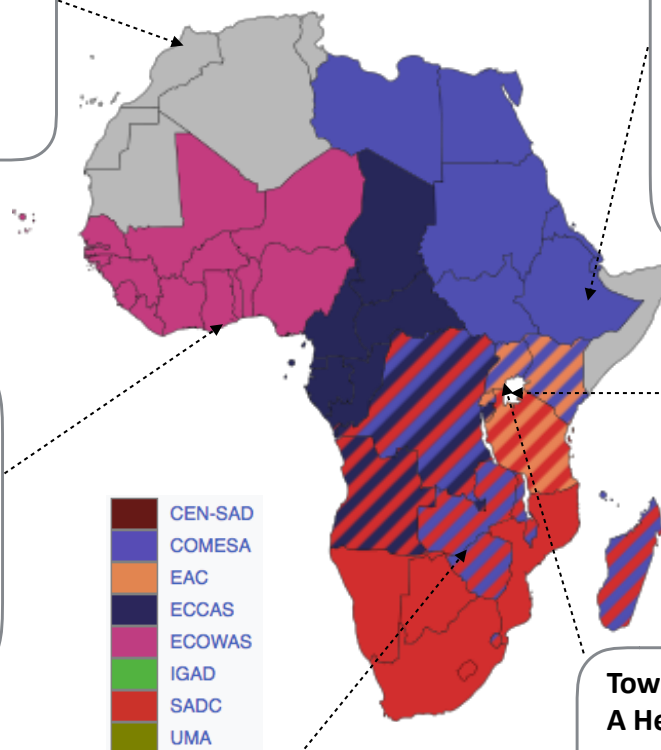
- 16-17 May 2017, Entebbe, Uganda
- Organized by SEATINI, EcoNews Africa, and Africa Trade Network with Open Society Initiative for Eastern Africa
- [Workshop Website](#) and Summary

Towards an Equitable and Transformative CFTA: A Heterodox and Feminist Approach

- 24-27 April 2016, Kampala, Uganda
- Organized by Regions Refocus, Third World Network-Africa, and SEATINI with Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung
- [Virtual Teach-ins](#) on agriculture, industrial policy, finance, extractive industries, and the role of the CFTA
- [Workshop Website](#) and Summary

Southern Africa (SADC) Regional CFTA Consultation

- 4-6 April 2017, Lusaka, Zambia
- Organized by Third World Network-Africa, Economic Justice Network of the Fellowship of Christian Councils in Southern Africa, and Centre for Trade Policy and Development

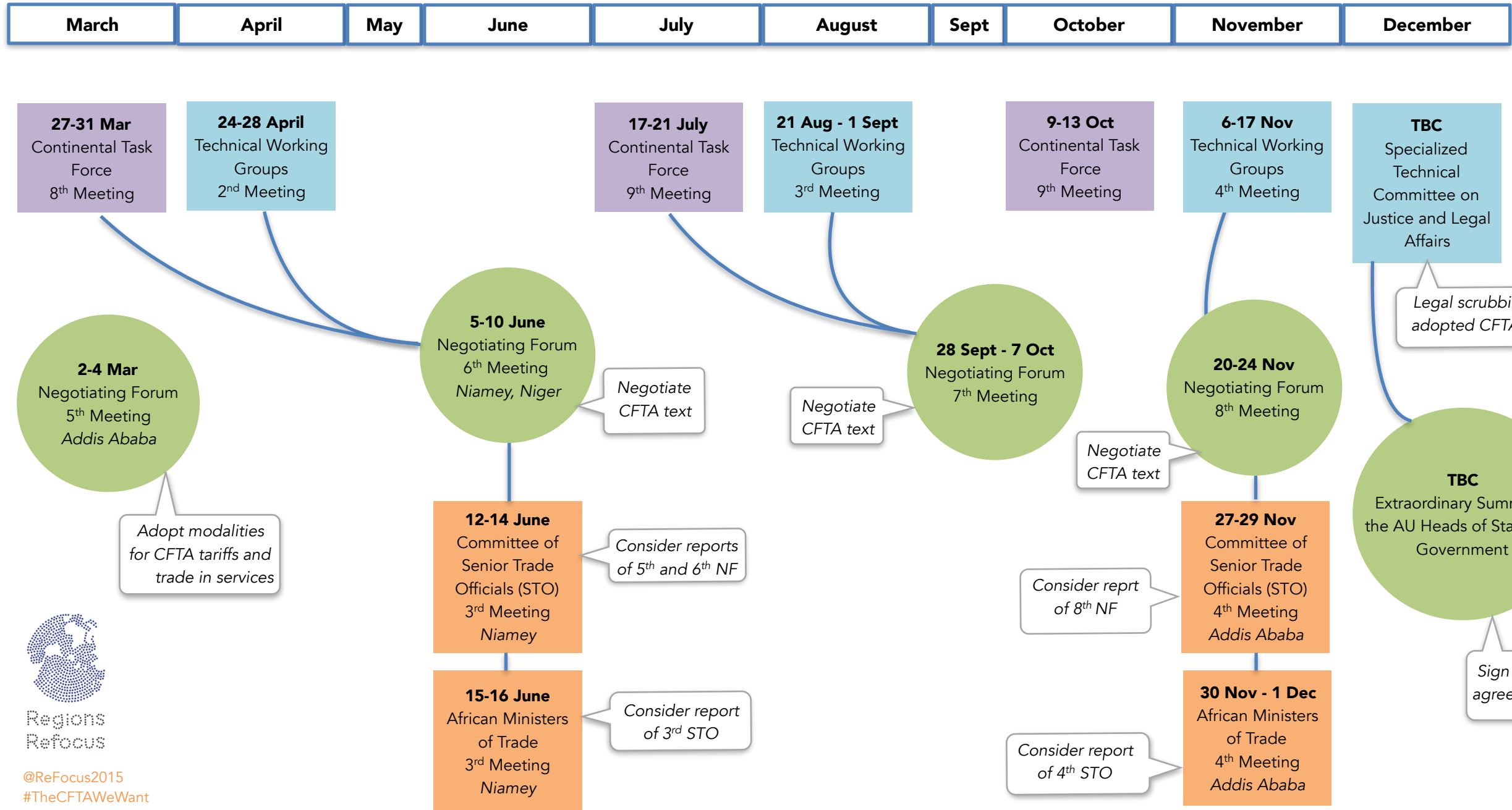


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Tentative Timeline: African Union Negotiations towards the Continental Free Trade Area, 2017



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