



Presidential Visit to Malawi and Mauritania

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Recently, India's President visited **Malawi and Mauritania**.

- This is the **first-ever visit** by an Indian **President** to **Malawi and Mauritania**.
- India is the **4th largest trading partner** of Malawi with bilateral trade of **USD 256.41 million** in 2021-22.
 - India's investment in Malawi stands over **USD 500 million**.
 - Malawi (formerly known as **Nyasaland**) is a **landlocked** country in **southeastern Africa**.



- In 2019-20, total bilateral trade between India and **Mauritania** was **USD 94.53 Million**.
 - Indigenous **Berber people** and the **Moors** inhabit Mauritania.
 - Mauritania lies in **western Africa** and is located in the **Atlantic Ocean**.
 - India opened its mission in **Nouakchott (Mauritania capital)** in June 2021.



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