

The Six-Dimension Corridor Assessment

Africa Corridor Intelligence™ is the proprietary method ACSS uses to evaluate African market expansion at the level of specific corridors rather than whole countries. It assesses each corridor across six dimensions — payment rails, regulation, banking access, treasury and FX conditions, liquidity, and partner readiness — to determine where to enter, through which corridor, and in what sequence.

THE SIX DIMENSIONS

01

Payment rails

Which rails exist on the route, their cost, and settlement speed.

02

Regulation

Licensing, compliance, and supervisory constraints that bind.

03

Banking access

Whether accounts, settlement, and routing are actually available.

04

Treasury & FX conditions

Currency exposure, spread, and settlement risk on the route.

05

Liquidity

Whether currency can be converted or settled at acceptable cost.

06

Partner readiness

Whether viable banking and payout partners are willing and fit.

A whole-country view averages away the facts that decide an outcome. ACSS evaluates each candidate corridor across the six dimensions, then reads them together: where every dimension clears, entry is viable; where one binds, it is the constraint to resolve or route around. The result is a determination of where to enter, through which corridor, and in what sequence — not a generic country overview.