

SWOT VIEWED FROM GOVERNMENT PERSPECTIVE

STRENGTH	OPPORTUNITY
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provision of Fellowship program to ensure african attendance 2. Regionalized Number Resources management policy - single Internet 3. experts Volunteer to use 4. Multi-stakeholder bottom up mechanism for engaging with the community in decision making 5. IGF at national and regional level 6. GAC high level meeting 7. AUC participation in GAC 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Emerging Internet ecosystem with the Majority of next billion Internet users will come from Africa 2. Internet Innovation driven by Mobile Technology 3. Growing interest of key actors. Government and emerging Industry 4. ICT a cross cutting pillar of most african countries development plans 5. Develop IDN to boost the internet economy in Africa
WEAKNESS	THREAT
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Absence of clear internationalization Strategy at ICANN 2. Lack ICANN presence on the continent 3. Domain name industry in its infancy 4. Poor participation of AFRICA in ICANN process. 5. Inefficient outreach to African governments 6. Lack of transparency 7. Poor communication toward AFRICA 8. Weak management and lack of support of african ccTLD - 9. Lack of outreach to African business 10. Representation of African interest on the Board 11. Lack of qualified african experts 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Poor participation and contribution of african governments in GAC 2. Lack of ICT infrastructures and awareness and capacity 3. Lack of common understanding of multistakeholder model 4. Lack of understanding of how government work and diplomacy 5. Lack of timely response and implementation of GAC advices 6. Lack of implementation of AOC recommendations 7. Linguistic barrier 1. Poor outreach to African communities 2. Lack of financial commitment to an Africa Internet Agenda 3. Poor or inadequate representation of ICANN in Africa 4. Poor perception of ICANN by african government