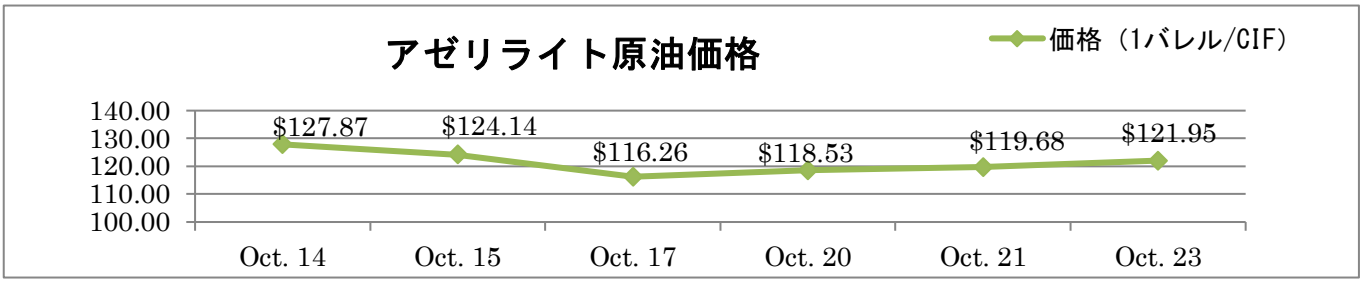
アゼルバイジャン経済情報

（公開情報とりまとめ）

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1. エネルギー・環境



●ナシロフ SOCAR 副総裁がロシア・エナジーウィークで露ガスプロムからの天然ガス購入再開の意向を表明　具体的な計画は未定

Azerbaijan intends to resume purchasing gas from Russia's Gazprom, SOCAR Vice-President Elshad Nasirov said during Russian Energy Week. "We can proudly say that our cooperation with such a giant company as Gazprom is a very good example. Because SOCAR is probably the only company in the world that initially purchased gas from Gazprom, then supplied gas to Gazprom, and now wants to purchase gas again," he said. Responding to journalists' questions about how much gas Azerbaijan intends to purchase from Gazprom, Elshad Nasirov noted that no information is available on this matter yet. "This is simply a fact confirming that we both buy and sell gas. There are no specific plans," Elshad Nasirov emphasized. (Apa, 16.10.2026)

●アゼルバイジャンとベトナムが原油供給や石油・ガス分野での協力拡大を協議

On Oct. 16, Azerbaijan’s Minister of Energy Parviz Shahbazov met with Phan Thi Thang, Deputy Minister of Industry and Trade of Vietnam. The discussions focused on implementing agreements reached at the third meeting of the Azerbaijan–Vietnam Intergovernmental Commission on Economic, Trade, Scientific and Technical Cooperation, held in Hanoi in 2025, as well as advancing joint initiatives in energy, trade, investment, transport, and other sectors. They discussed the continuation of Azerbaijani crude oil supplies to Vietnamese refineries, expanding cooperation between SOCAR and PetroVietnam, and exploring new opportunities for collaboration in oil and gas exploration and development, oil refining, petrochemicals, and oilfield services. The sides also exchanged views on the prospects for supplying LNG to Vietnam. The sides touched upon cooperation with Vietnam’s ROX Group in renewable energy. The sides discussed the potential for establishing solar power plants in the Nakhchivan Autonomous Republic and wind power plants near Baku, as well as moving projects forward based on the memorandum of understanding signed between the parties. The sides also emphasized the importance of expanding trade and economic ties in line with the potential of both countries, diversifying trade, and encouraging mutual investment. The discussions also covered boosting non-oil trade, finalizing the draft Agreement on the Promotion and Reciprocal Protection of Investments, and organizing the next meeting of the Azerbaijan–Vietnam Business Council. (Azertag, 16.10.2026)

●ロシア・エナジーウィークのサイドイベントで南コーカサス地域のエネルギー協力を協議「3＋3」枠組みを活用

A roundtable titled “The 3+3 Platform: Energy Cooperation as a Pillar of Peace and Security in the South Caucasus,” held in Moscow during Russian Energy Week, focused on prospects for electricity trade and coordination of regional energy strategies. Participants also discussed the use of existing infrastructure, the development of economic ties in the region, and joint projects aimed at strengthening stability. In his remarks, SOCAR Vice President Elshad Nasirov stressed the importance of using pipelines efficiently and expanding regional cooperation to ensure reliable energy supplies. He highlighted Azerbaijan’s close energy ties with Türkiye and Georgia, as well as its gas swap agreement with Iran to supply the Nakhchivan AR. Nasirov described the launch of Azerbaijani petrol and diesel fuel supplies to Armenia last December as an example of how practical cooperation in the energy sector can contribute to peace in the South Caucasus. (Azertag, 16.10.2026)

●ミルジヨーエフ・ウズベキスタン大統領がナジャフ SOCAR 総裁及び bp 地域代表と石油・ガス開発事業を協議

On Oct. 16, Uzbek President Shavkat Mirziyoyev received President of SOCAR Rovshan Najaf and BP Regional President for Azerbaijan, Georgia and Türkiye Giovanni Cristofoli. According to the Uzbek President's press service, Najaf and Cristofoli arrived in Uzbekistan to participate in a meeting of the Council of Investors in the fuel and energy sector. Further practical steps to develop hydrocarbon deposits on the Ustyurt Plateau were discussed. British company BP's participation in this large-scale project was highly appreciated. The importance of advancing new oil and gas projects, establishing long-term supplies, and developing a sales network for oil and petroleum products was emphasized. (report.az, 16.10.2026)

●SLB と bp がカスピ海カラバフ油田の地震探査データ処理契約を締結　bp は 2027 年半ばまでに最終投資決定予定

Oilfield services corporation SLB has signed an agreement with BP to process seismic data as part of the development of the Karabakh field in the Caspian Sea. This contract is continuation of two previously concluded agreements for other offshore oil and gas projects in the Caspian, where BP acts as the operator. "SLB's deep regional expertise and longstanding presence in Azerbaijan, combined with consistent delivery of high-quality imaging and actionable reservoir insights, continue to set the standard for seismic performance in the Caspian basin," the company's official statement emphasizes. On June 3, 2025, during Baku Energy Week, BP signed an agreement with SOCAR to acquire a 35% stake in the Karabakh field development project. The remaining 65% in the project belongs to SOCAR. BP plans to make a final investment decision on the Karabakh field by mid-2027. (report.az, 16.10.2026)

●ババエフ大統領気候問題特別代表が国連常駐調整官と気候変動・カスピ海の水位低下への対応を協議

On Oct. 20, Azerbaijan's Presidential Representative on Climate Issues Mukhtar Babayev met with UN Resident Coordinator in Azerbaijan Dmytro Shlapachenko to discuss advancing cooperation on climate and environmental priorities. The sides exchanged views on strengthening climate action and resilience, building on Azerbaijan's partnership with the UN, including cooperation during COP29. The meeting also focused on the declining water level of the Caspian Sea, which Babayev described as one of the most pressing environmental challenges facing the region. The sides discussed the need for greater international attention to the issue, as well as

deeper regional cooperation on transboundary water management, drought preparedness, early warning systems and data sharing. They also explored opportunities to further strengthen cooperation in these areas in the lead-up to COP31 and beyond. (report.az, 20.10.2026)

●シャフ・デニズ圧縮プロジェクトで 29 億米ドル規模の海上建設工事が開始

Offshore construction has begun on the $2.9 billion Shah Deniz Compression (SDC) project at Shah Deniz gas-condensate field. According to BP Azerbaijan, the transportation and offshore installation of four tubular piles that will form the foundation of the SDC platform jacket have been completed over the past few weeks. The operations were carried out using the Khankandi subsea construction vessel. The completion of this milestone paves the way for the installation of the SDC platform jacket in the first half of 2028, BP said. The main objective of the Shah Deniz Compression project is to enable production of low-pressure gas reserves from the Shah Deniz field and increase the field's gas recovery factor. The project is expected to enable the production and export of an additional nearly 50 billion cubic meters of gas and approximately 25 million barrels of condensate from the field. Construction under the project is scheduled to be completed in 2029. The SDC platform is expected to be ready to compress gas produced from Shah Deniz Alpha in 2029 and from Shah Deniz Bravo in 2030. (report.az, 20.10.2026)

●アゼルエナジーと世銀が AZURE プロジェクトや再エネ電力の送電網統合等につき協議

On Oct. 21, Chairman of the Board of Azerbaijan’s AzerEnergy OJSC Baba Rzayev met with World Bank Country Manager for Azerbaijan Sacha Backes. The discussions covered implementation status of the AZURE project, work carried out across various components, results achieved, and planned activities for the upcoming period. The parties also exchanged views on the integration of large-scale renewable energy projects into Azerbaijan’s power grid, as well as the work to be undertaken in this regard. Key topics of the discussion included the expansion of cooperation within the energy sector and potential future partnership opportunities. (Trend, 21.10.2026)

●PASHA 銀行がアゼルバイジャンの蓄電池プロジェクトに 4,000 万米ドルを融資へ 送電網の安定化と電力需給の調整を支援

PASHA Bank will provide US$40 million in financing for a new energy storage project in Azerbaijan, with a total value of US$58.6 million. The agreement-signing ceremony was attended by Bahruz Naghiyev, Deputy CEO of PASHA Bank, and Tolunay Yıldız, Chairman and CEO of YEO Teknoloji. The project will be carried out by YEO Teknoloji, a Turkish energy technology company, for Azerbaijan’s power system. It involves the installation of a battery energy storage system with a power rating of 125 MW and a storage capacity of 250 MWh. The work will be undertaken on a turnkey basis under the EPC-F (Engineering, Procurement, Construction and Financing) model. Two energy storage systems with a combined capacity of 500 MWh were commissioned in Azerbaijan in the second quarter of 2026. The new project will add a further 250 MWh of storage capacity to the country's existing infrastructure. The system is designed to improve grid stability and help maintain the balance between electricity generation and consumption. Making better use of electricity produced from renewable sources is another key objective. Alongside the battery installation, a high-voltage substation will be built to connect the new system to the electricity grid. (Trend, 21.10.2026)

●SOCAR トルコ（SOCAR 子会社）が既存融資の借換に向け 16 億米ドルの資金調達を実施

SOCAR Türkiye, Turkish subsidiary of SOCAR, has secured $1.6 billion in five-year financing from international banks to refinance existing loans on more favorable terms. SOCAR Türkiye,

offers totaled 1.8 times the targeted amount, demonstrating international financial markets' interest in the company. The transaction was led by First Abu Dhabi Bank (FAB) and Mizuho Bank, with 22 banks from Europe, the Far East and the Middle East participating. The five-year financing, guaranteed by SOCAR, carries an annual interest rate of SOFR plus 230 basis points. The company said its interest costs are lower than those of its previous loans and comparable transactions in the market. The transaction's main purpose is to refinance existing financial obligations on more favorable terms. The long-term financing allows SOCAR Türkiye to improve its loan terms and optimize its financial structure without taking on additional obligations. (report.az, 21.10.2026)

●アゼルバイジャンがトルクメニスタン産電力の欧州向け輸送を提案

Azerbaijan proposes exploring the possibility of transiting electricity generated in Turkmenistan to European markets, Deputy Minister of Energy of Azerbaijan Kamal Abbasov said at the “Oil and Gas of Turkmenistan – 2026” (OGT 2026) international conference and exhibition in Ashgabat on Oct. 21. "We believe that Turkmenistan also has potential for cooperation in the electric power sector; together with our esteemed Turkmen partners, we could explore the possibility of exporting electricity generated in Turkmenistan to European countries via Azerbaijan," Abbasov said. According to him, Azerbaijan is also engaging with Kazakhstan and Uzbekistan to advance the Central Asia-Azerbaijan Green Energy Corridor project, which envisions the transmission of electricity from renewable sources from Central Asian countries, through Azerbaijan, to European markets. Abbasov noted that deepening cooperation in this area would allow for a more efficient use of the countries' energy potential, strengthen regional connectivity, and create new opportunities for a mutually beneficial partnership. (Trend, 21.10.2026)

●アゼルバイジャンの 2026 年 1 月-8 月期における天然ガス輸出量・額ともに減少　輸入元はイランのみ（当館注：昨年同期は露及びトルクメニスタンからも）

Syria imported $294.583 million worth of natural gas from Azerbaijan from January through August 2026, totaling 864.410 million cubic meters, State Statistical Committee said. Overall, Azerbaijan exported 16.378 billion cubic meters of natural gas worth $5.711 billion to eight countries during the first eight months of 2026. Compared with the same period in 2025, the value of natural gas exports decreased by $286.011 million, or 4.8%, while export volumes fell by 75.102 million cubic meters, or 0.5%. Meanwhile, Azerbaijan imported natural gas worth $14.471 million, totaling 215.022 million cubic meters, from a single country, Iran, from January through August 2026. During the same period in 2025, Azerbaijan imported 233.303 million cubic meters of natural gas worth $36.321 million from two countries, Russia and Turkmenistan. As a result, the value of Azerbaijan's natural gas imports declined by $21.850 million, or about 60.2%, year-on-year, while volumes decreased by 18.281 million cubic meters, or 7.8%. (Trend, 22.10.2026)

●グリーンエネルギー回廊国際フォーラムがバクーで開催　実現可能性調査の結果を公表、日本企業も参加

The Green Energy Corridor: From Feasibility Study to Implementation Forum, dedicated to investment and partnership opportunities for the Caspian-Black Sea-Europe Green Energy Corridor project, was held in Baku on Oct. 23. The results of the project's feasibility study were presented for the first time at the forum to international investors, financial institutions, and business partners by Italy’s CESI. The project's investment attractiveness, business model, financing opportunities, and the establishment of new partnerships were discussed, with a focus on accelerating preparations for the final investment decision in 2029. The event brought together

representatives of government institutions from Azerbaijan and partner countries, the European Union, international financial institutions, investment funds, energy companies, offtakers, transmission system operators, cable manufacturers, technology suppliers, engineering firms and insurance companies. Representatives from the World Bank, EIB, EBRD, ADB, Black Sea Trade and Development Bank, Islamic Development Bank, Brookfield Asset Management, ACWA Power, Masdar, SOCAR Green, China Datang, State Grid Corporation of China, PowerChina, Siemens Energy, ABB, Hitachi Energy, Xlinks, Zhero, TotalEnergies, Jan De Nul, Prysmian, NKT, Hellenic Cables, ZTT, Hengtong, Orient Cable, Mitsui, CESI and other international companies participated at the forum. Minister of Energy Parviz Shahbazov addressed opening of the forum. It was noted that the Green Energy Corridor, approximately 3,000 kilometres long, is expected to be commissioned in phases starting in 2032, with its transmission capacity reaching 4 GW. According to the feasibility study, the project will facilitate the development of at least 8 GW of renewable energy capacity in the region, enable the transmission of approximately 20 billion kilowatt-hours of electricity annually to Europe from 2040, and reduce carbon emissions by up to 3.6 million tonnes. The importance of deploying advanced technological solutions for laying the submarine cable at depths of up to 2200 metres in the Black Sea was also emphasized. To ensure the project's commercial viability, a hybrid business model combining regulated and commercial components is under consideration. The model is based on long-term Power Purchase Agreements (PPAs), private equity participation and the development of cross-border electricity trade. At the end of the forum, the next steps regarding the preparation of the Partnership Roadmap and the adoption of the Final Investment Decision (FID) on the Green Energy Corridor Project were agreed upon. (Azertag, 23.10.2026)

●シャフバゾフ・エネルギー大臣と「カスピ海・黒海・欧州グリーンエネルギー回廊フォーラム」に参加のため来訪した中国の大唐が太陽光・洋上風力発電事業の推進を協議

On Oct. 22, Parviz Shahbazov, Azerbaijan’s Minister of Energy met with a delegation from China, led by Zhao Yongli, Chairman of China Datang Overseas Investment Co., Ltd. on the margins of the Caspian-Black Sea-Europe Green Energy Corridor Forum in Baku. The meeting discussed the implementation status of a 100 MW solar power plant project in Azerbaijan, as well as the possibilities of establishing a 200 MW offshore wind power plant in the initial phase. The discussions highlighted the opportunities created by the Green Energy Corridor for expanding renewable energy production and export in Azerbaijan. The Chinese company expressed readiness to advance work on solar and offshore wind energy projects, as well as to explore opportunities for participation in the Green Energy Corridor. The meeting also reviewed the continuation of cooperation in the field of personnel training and technical experience exchange in the energy sector. (Azertag, 23.10.2026)

●シャフバゾフ・エネルギー大臣と蘭 Zhero 社がアゼルバイジャン・グリーンエネルギー回廊計画への事業参画の可能性等を検討

On Oct. 23, Parviz Shahbazov, Azerbaijan’s Minister of Energy met with Michele Vadora, Managing Director of Zhero, on the sidelines of the Green Energy Corridor: From Feasibility Study to Implementation Forum in Baku. The meeting focused on the company’s potential participation in the development of the Caspian-Black Sea-Europe Green Energy Corridor, the development of the project’s commercial model, attracting European electricity offtakers, and financing opportunities. Michele Vadora briefed Shahbazov on the company’s experience in developing large-scale energy infrastructure and international electricity interconnections, including the Medlink projects, which aim to connect North Africa with Italy. The company outlined its approach to building a portfolio of buyers for long-term electricity procurement, gaining access to European markets, and applying its experience of working with cable manufacturers to the Green Energy

Corridor. It also expressed interest in partnering in the project's development. The discussions also covered opportunities arising from the EU's Project of Mutual Interest (PMI) status and mechanisms for financial support for research and engineering work. The sides also reviewed opportunities to supply green energy to the Central Europe and neighboring markets, including Germany's southern regions, as well as prospects for cooperation in this area. (Azertag, 23.10.2026)

●シャフバゾフ・エネルギー大臣と英 Xlinks がグリーンエネルギー回廊への参画・投資を協議

On Oct. 23, Azerbaijan's Minister of Energy Parviz Shahbazov met with James Humfrey, CEO of the UK-based Xlinks company. During the meeting, the sides exchanged views on Xlinks' potential participation in the development of the Caspian–Black Sea–Europe Green Energy Corridor, as well as the project's technical and commercial solutions, financing, and management model. James Humfrey expressed interest in supporting the company's project development, making joint investments, and contributing its own funds during the development phase. He also briefed Shahbazov on Xlinks' technical team and its experience working with submarine cable and high-voltage direct current (HVDC) technology providers. The officials discussed ways to optimize capital expenditure, shorten implementation timelines, and enhance the competitiveness of electricity supplied to European markets. They also reviewed financing options for a hybrid model combining regulated and commercially based components, as well as its compatibility with the European Union's regulatory framework. The sides also highlighted that incorporating a fiber-optic connection into the Green Energy Corridor would expand opportunities for energy and digital cooperation. (Azertag, 23.10.2026)

●シャフバゾフ・エネルギー大臣と世銀エネルギー・プラクティス部長がグリーンエネルギー回廊や地域間電力連系での協力強化につき意見交換

On the sidelines of the Green Energy Corridor: From Feasibility Study to Implementation Forum in Baku, on Oct. 22, Minister of Energy Parviz Shahbazov met with Stephanie Gil, the World Bank's Energy Practice Manager for the Europe and Central Asia Region (ECA). The meeting reviewed cooperation between Azerbaijan and the World Bank in the energy sector, including the AZURE project and technical assistance for the development of green energy corridors. Cooperation in expanding renewable energy generation, strengthening the electricity grid, and establishing regional energy interconnections was highlighted. The discussions focused in particular on the Caspian–Black Sea–Europe Green Energy Corridor, with emphasis on the importance of the World Bank's active participation in the process. The parties also reviewed prospects for developing energy and digital connectivity from the Caspian Sea to Central Europe, including the integration of a fiber-optic link into the Green Energy Corridor. It was noted that the Bank's technical assistance covers assessments of the regulatory frameworks in participating countries, electricity supply and demand, cross-border transmission capacity, business models, and financing options. The meeting also addressed opportunities to develop regional electricity markets and establish cross-border electricity flows. (Azertag, 22.10.2026)

●王毅中国外交部長が中国のアゼルバイジャン及びバルカン諸国とのエネルギー・交通インフラ・グリーン経済・AI 分野の協力拡大につき言及

"China plans to expand cooperation with Azerbaijan, Bulgaria, Croatia, and Montenegro in the fields of energy, transport infrastructure, the green economy, and artificial intelligence," Chinese Foreign Minister Wang Yi said on Oct. 19 as he commented on the outcomes of his visits to Azerbaijan, Croatia, Montenegro, and Bulgaria. The article, posted in the Romanian publication "Financial Intelligence", states that Wang Yi described the solar power plant in Azerbaijan's

Gobustan region as the country's first large-scale new energy project and presenting it as one of the tangible outcomes of cooperation with China in the field of green energy. The article also highlights that China attaches special importance to aligning projects implemented under the Belt and Road Initiative with the Middle Corridor. The Middle Corridor, which provides transport connectivity between Asia and Europe, plays a significant role in expanding Azerbaijan's international transit and logistics capabilities. According to the Foreign Minister, China will strive to make more effective use of the existing cooperation potential with the four countries, and to enhance the economic outcomes of joint projects. (Azertag, 22.10.2026)

2. マクロ経済・財政

公式為替レート(出典：中央銀行)

Date	10/14	10/15	10/16	10/19	10/20	10/21	10/22	10/23
USD/ AZN	1.7000	1.7000	1.7000	1.7000	1.7000	1.7000	1.7000	1.7000
EURO/AZN	1.9055↑	1.9067↑	1.9090↑	1.9094↑	1.9097↑	1.9082↓	1.9113↑	1.9055↓

●国内 2 銀行でイスラム金融商品の試験提供　税制・預金保険制度の改正も検討

Demand for Islamic banking in Azerbaijan was assessed before initiatives to develop the sector were launched, Nargiz Shiraliyeva, head of the Financial Sector Development Department at the Central Bank of Azerbaijan (CBA), said at the third Islamic Finance Forum held in Baku on Oct. 22. She noted that research showed considerable interest in Islamic finance products among many businesses. However, limited awareness of the sector could have led to inflated survey results in some cases. Therefore, it was decided to introduce legislative changes in stages."At the first stage, a pilot project was launched under the regulatory sandbox initiative, and two banks are currently offering Islamic finance products. The legislation has been designed to address the practical challenges banks encounter during the project," she said. According to Shiraliyeva, the initiative includes five key Islamic finance products as alternative financial instruments."These include Ijarah and Istisna products, as well as alternative term deposits and alternative demand deposits. Amendments to the Tax Code and the Law on Deposit Insurance have been proposed to ensure that the new products remain competitive with conventional banking products and do not cost more. For example, discussions have been held with the State Tax Service to eliminate the additional VAT burden arising from Murabaha products and the double application of state fees," she emphasized. She added that the legislation also provides for insurance coverage for Islamic deposits placed by citizens with banks. At the same time, measures have been taken to assess risks for depositors without creating an additional burden on banks. (Trend, 22.10.2026)

3. 国内経済

●ムサエフ保健大臣を副首相に任命　保健大臣を解任

Teymur Yusif oglu Musayev has been appointed Deputy Prime Minister of Azerbaijan. President Aliyev signed an order in this regard on Oct. 19. Under another order signed by the head of state, Teymur Musayev has been dismissed from his post as Minister of Health of Azerbaijan. (report.az, 19.10.2026)

●ナヒチバン農業サービス社会長　国有資金横領の疑いで逮捕

Javid Aghamaliyev, Chairman of the Board of Nakhchivan Agroservice Open Joint Stock Company has been arrested. Based on a decision of the Nakhchivan City Court, a four-month pretrial detention measure has been imposed on Javid Aghamaliyev. It should be noted that he is suspected of embezzling state funds. Javid Aghamaliyev was detained by the prosecutor's office as a suspect. He has been charged under Article 179 (Embezzlement) of the Criminal Code. (Azertag, 22.10.2026)

4. 対外経済関係

●財務省第一副大臣がタイで IMF・世銀等と財政改革や協力拡大等につき協議

First Deputy Minister of Finance Anar Karimov held meetings in Thailand on the sidelines of the annual meetings of the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund on Oct. 16.

- Karimov met with Jihad Azour, Director of the IMF's Middle East and Central Asia Department, and Rodrigo Valdés, Director of the Fiscal Affairs Department. They discussed the outcomes of the IMF Article IV consultations for 2026, the main directions of Azerbaijan's macroeconomic and fiscal policy, as well as medium-term structural reforms. Special attention was paid to the digitalization of public financial management, the improvement of budget planning and execution mechanisms, and the introduction of performance-based and programmatic budgeting. Karimov emphasized the importance of the IMF's technical assistance and expert support in these areas.
- Karimov met with Manuel Schiappa Pietra, President of the Canadian company FreeBalance. They discussed prospects for cooperation in improving the public financial management system, modernizing budget planning, and implementing digital solutions.
- Karimov met with the US Executive Director of the ADB, Ambassador Robert S. Sweeney. They discussed the current state and prospects of the partnership, joint projects, support for the private sector, and regional cooperation.
- Karimov met with the Vice President for Banking Operations of the Black Sea Trade and Development Bank, Ziya Aliyev. They discussed the current state and directions for developing cooperation, as well as the significance of the bank's 28th annual meeting, which was held in July in Baku.
- Kazimov met with IMF Deputy Managing Director Bo Li. Karimov emphasized the importance of cooperation with the IMF in public financial management, medium-term budget planning, the application of fiscal rules, and strengthening institutional capacity. Bo Li, in turn, positively assessed the results achieved in increasing Azerbaijan’s non-oil revenues and strengthening fiscal sustainability. He said the IMF is ready to continue supporting Azerbaijan in these areas.
- Kazimov met with Antonella Bassani, World Bank Vice President for Europe and Central Asia. The parties discussed prospects for developing existing cooperation between Azerbaijan and the World Bank. It was announced that the next meeting of the Global Conference on State-Owned Enterprises is planned to be held in Baku in 2027. (report.az and Apa, 17.10.2026)

●中銀代表がタイでスイス国立銀行や Black Rock 等と金融協力につき協議

On the sidelines of the annual meetings of the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund held in Thailand, Azerbaijani delegation led by Chairman of the Central Bank of Azerbaijan Taleh Kazimov held the following meetings:

- On Oct. 16, Taleh Kazimov met with Martin Schlegel, Chairman of the Governing Board of the Swiss National Bank. The two sides discussed global challenges, emerging trends in the financial sector, and efforts to safeguard macroeconomic and financial stability. They discussed opportunities to expand cooperation.
- On Oct. 16, Taleh Kazimov met with BlackRock executives. The talks focused on efforts to strengthen Azerbaijan's investment climate, deepen its capital markets and diversify funding sources. The two sides discussed potential opportunities for cooperation.
- On Oct. 16, Aliyar Mammdyarov, First Deputy Governor of the Central Bank of Azerbaijan met with senior executives of Abu Dhabi Commercial Bank and UBS Asset Management. The discussions focused on global and regional economic conditions, financial sector trends, and approaches to managing debt, financial risks, liquidity and risk exposures at financial institutions. The meetings also provided an opportunity to review and explore ways to strengthen and expand the existing cooperation.
- On Oct. 16, Taleh Kazimov gave an interview to Global Finance, an international financial magazine. In his interview, Kazimov touched upon Azerbaijan's macroeconomic resilience amid global economic risks, improvements to the monetary policy framework, financial sector reforms, and economic diversification. (Azertag, 16.10.2026)

●日本の人気ドラマ「VIVANT」シーズン 2 が放映中　アゼルバイジャン各地で撮影　観光促進へ

On Oct. 15, Azerbaijan Tourism Board issued a statement saying: "Azerbaijan's landscapes, heritage and distinctive regional character will reach millions of viewers through the second season of Japan's hit series VIVANT, which recently completed filming across the country with support from the Azerbaijan Tourism Board (ATB). ATB also supported the post-production process as part of its ongoing collaboration with Tokyo Broadcasting System Television, Inc. (TBS), helping bring Azerbaijan's diverse destinations to the screen and creating a new opportunity to introduce the country to Japanese and international audiences through one of Japan's most widely followed television series. The collaboration will include a dedicated promotional campaign designed to further immerse VIVANT viewers in the Azerbaijan experience. Planned activities across TBS and the series' promotional channels include social media posts, media and newspaper coverage, a dedicated Azerbaijan section on the VIVANT website, a special guidebook, television programmes featuring the cast, and behind-the-scenes videos. The second season will be broadcast on TBS and made available on U-NEXT and TVer in Japan before reaching international audiences on Netflix. The first season of VIVANT captivated more than 60 million viewers in Japan, establishing the series as one of the country's most popular television productions. With Azerbaijan featuring prominently in the second season, the country's landscapes and heritage will be introduced through a series with an established and highly engaged audience, offering viewers a fresh perspective on destinations across the country". (tourismboard.az, Azertag, 15.10.2026)

●アゼルバイジャン観光局が中国の旅行会社に冬季観光の魅力を紹介

On October 16, the Beijing office of the Azerbaijan Tourism Board (ATB), together with Shahdag Mountain Resort, hosted a destination presentation for more than 10 established Beijing-based travel agencies, introducing them to Azerbaijan's winter tourism opportunities. As Azerbaijan approaches the winter season, Shahdag Mountain Resort offers an opportunity to expand the range of experiences available to Chinese travelers. The presentation highlighted the resort's winter tourism offerings and explored ways to incorporate these experiences into travel programmes featuring Azerbaijan. The session also provided a platform for Azerbaijani tourism

businesses and Chinese travel trade partners to exchange information and explore opportunities for cooperation. (Azertag, 16.10.2026)

●アゼルバイジャン国家石油基金（SOFAZ）が日本のみずほ銀行への短期預金を約７倍に拡大

In 2025, SOFAZ placed a short-term deposit worth 357.823 million manats in the UAE-based First Abu Dhabi Bank. According to the Fund, this was 5.1% more than in 2024. Last year, the amount of short-term deposits SOFAZ held with Japan"s Mizuho Bank increased 7.15-fold to 14.857 million manats. As of January 1 this year, SOFAZ's term deposits totalled 13.731 million manats, up 17.5% from January 1, 2025. As of Sept. 30, 2026, assets of SOFAZ amounted to USD 74.004 billion (AZN 125.807 billion). (report.az, 19.10.2026)

●アゼルバイジャン鉄道公社（ADY）代表団が AI・ビッグデータを活用した鉄道運営技術研修のため訪韓

A delegation of six executives and specialists from Azerbaijan Railways CJSC is in South Korea for a five-day visit to complete a specialized training program. The opening ceremony of the training course took place on Oct 19 at Seoul Station with the participation of about 10 representatives from the railway authorities of both countries. The program is being implemented as part of an ADB technical assistance project titled "Azerbaijan Railways Digitalization Capacity Development." This technical assistance mechanism is designed to facilitate the transfer of specialized knowledge and expert advice, as well as the provision of training, with the aim of enhancing the technological level of developing countries. During the training, KORAIL will provide Azerbaijani railway officials with classroom instruction on advanced digital technologies, including condition-based maintenance (CBM) and safety management platforms powered by artificial intelligence (AI) and big data. Participants will also visit key facilities, including the Goyang KTX depot, the Railway Traffic Control Center and the IT Operations Center, to learn from multiple perspectives how digital expertise is applied in day-to-day operations. (report.az, 20.10.2026)

●中銀とスロバキア国立銀行が金融協力強化に向け覚書に署名

On Oct 19, Taleh Kazimov, Governor of the Central Bank of Azerbaijan met with Peter Kažimír, Governor of the National Bank of Slovakia, on the sidelines of the Annual Meetings of the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund. The meeting covered global and regional economic conditions, developments in the financial sector and existing ties between the institutions. Following the meeting, the two central banks signed a MoU to strengthen the legal and institutional framework for cooperation, expand bilateral engagement and encourage the exchange of expertise and best practices in central banking. Under the memorandum, the two institutions plan to cooperate on monetary policy, payment systems and financial technology, as well as the regulation and supervision of banks, insurers and capital markets. (Azertag, 19.10.2026)

●アゼルバイジャンが 2026 年 1 月-9 月にアルメニアへ 2,345 万ドル相当の商品を輸出

In January–September 2026, Azerbaijan exported goods worth $23,450,070 to Armenia, according to the State Customs Committee. The figure accounted for 0.1 percent of Azerbaijan’s total exports, the report said. During the nine-month period, Azerbaijan imported goods worth $96,500 from Armenia. (Azertag, 19.10.2026)

●中銀副総裁と財務副大臣が世銀と 2025-2029 年の国別協力枠組みや今後の事業を協議

On Oct. 19, First Deputy Chairman of the CBA, Aliyar Mammadyarov and First Deputy Minister of Finance, Anar Karimov met with World Bank's Vice President for the Europe and Central Asia region, Antonella Bassani, on the sidelines of the Annual Meetings of the WB and the IMF in Thailand. During the meeting, information was provided on the country's macroeconomic environment, development trends in the financial sector, and the current status of projects being implemented in cooperation with the WB. Furthermore, it was emphasized that the long-standing and effective partnership between Azerbaijan and the WB has made a significant contribution to expanding financial inclusion, developing the financial sector, and fostering sustainable economic growth in the country. During the meeting, an exchange of views also took place regarding mechanisms to support the achievement of Sustainable Development Goals, as well as projects, both ongoing and planned, within the framework of the WB's Country Partnership Framework for 2025–2029. (Trend, 19.10.2026)

●2026 年 1 月-9 月におけるアゼルバイジャンのトランジット貨物輸送量は 1,200 万トン超　過去 5 年で最高　中央回廊・南北国際輸送回廊ともに前年同期比約 20%増

Azerbaijan is expanding its role as an international transport and logistics hub. As a result of the development of the East-West and North-South international transport corridors, as well as major infrastructure projects implemented in recent years, the volume of transit cargo transportation exceeded 12 million tons in the first nine months of 2026, reaching a record high for the past five years, Ministry of Digital Development and Transport said. According to the information, this figure is by 14.5% higher than was in the same period of last year. In particular, the volume of transit cargo transportation increased by 20.2% along the East-West route and by 19.0% along the North-South route. Positive dynamics were also observed in port operations. In nine months of this year, container handling increased by 29% compared to the same period last year, reaching 100,000 TEU, while dry cargo handling rose by 71% to 1.73 million tons. (Apa, 20.10.2026)

●アゼルバイジャン観光局がロンドンの国際展示会で冬季観光・スキーリゾートを PR

Azerbaijan's winter tourism opportunities were showcased at the London Snow Show 2026. As part of the exhibition, Florian Sengstschmid, CEO of the Azerbaijan Tourism Board (ATB), participated in a panel discussion titled "The Future of the Ski Holiday", moderated by Lilly Dause, host of Euronews' travel programme Grand Voyager. The discussion also featured Sandra Spitz, Director of Sport and Events at the International Ski and Snowboard Federation (FIS), and James Gambrill, founder of the "Mountain Trade Network" and Event Director of the "Snow Show," with participants exploring new mountain ski destinations, the evolving expectations of travelers, and future development trends in winter tourism. ATB CEO Florian Sengstschmid provided insight into the development of mountain tourism in Azerbaijan and the country's existing potential. At the exhibition, the Shahdag Tourism Center and the Tufandag Winter-Summer Tourism Recreation Complex showcased their offerings for skiing, snowboarding and other outdoor activities. (Azertag, 19.10.2026)

●アゼルバイジャン観光局とアルバニア観光庁が観光交流拡大に向けた共同事業を検討

On Oct. 14, Florian Sengstschmid, CEO of the Azerbaijan Tourism Board, met with Jola Hysaj, General Director of the Albanian National Tourism Agency, and Besart Kadia, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Albania to the Republic of Azerbaijan to explore joint initiatives, strengthen connectivity between the two destinations, and discuss ways to encourage greater tourism exchange. During the discussions, the sides explored opportunities to develop joint tourism activities in 2027, with a particular focus on improving connectivity between the destinations and encouraging greater travel exchange. As a next step, a follow-up

visit was planned to continue discussions and explore ways to turn shared priorities into practical initiatives. (Azertag, 16.10.2026)

●東京で中央回廊への投資促進に関する会議が開催　アゼルバイジャンとカザフスタン両大使が日本の関係機関・企業関係者等に輸送戦略を紹介

On Oct.19, Tokyo hosted a conference on strengthening transport connectivity between Japan, Central Asia and the Caucasus through the development of the Trans-Caspian International Transport Route (TITR) and the launch of a direct air service between Tokyo and Almaty. The event, aimed at attracting Japanese investment in the TITR's infrastructure, brought together approximately 100 participants, including representatives of relevant government ministries, the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), the Business Association ROTOBO, and Japan's logistics sector, the press service of the Kazakh Foreign Ministry said. Ambassadors of Kazakhstan, Yerlan Baudarbek-Kozhatayev, and Azerbaijan, Farid Talibov, presented the countries' transport development strategies, highlighting efforts to improve the efficiency of logistics chains and expand international transport cooperation. Japan's State Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry, Kei Takagi, emphasized the strategic importance of the TITR for Tokyo in the context of diversifying international transport and logistics routes. He noted that the development of the Middle Corridor offers additional opportunities to strengthen Japan's trade and economic ties with the countries of Central Asia and the Caucasus. Mieko Koyanagi, Director of the International Logistics Office at Japan's Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism (MLIT), briefed participants on the results of trial shipments conducted by Japanese companies along the Middle Corridor. These trials made it possible to analyze key parameters of the route, including delivery times and costs, the specifics of customs clearance procedures, and the quality of transport and logistics services. (Azertag, 20.10.2026)

●ナビエフ・デジタル開発運輸大臣と米 DFC が AI データセンター整備やデジタルインフラ投資を協議

On Oct. 20, Rashad Nabiyev, Azerbaijan`s Minister of Digital Development and Transport met with Caroline Vik, Chief Policy Officer of the U.S. International Development Finance Corporation (DFC). The discussions focused on establishing AI data centers in Azerbaijan, expanding digital infrastructure, and enhancing cooperation in transport and logistics, as well as developing the Middle Corridor, strengthening supply chains, and financing joint investment projects. (Azertag, 20.10.2026)

●AzerGold と ADB が重要鉱物・金鉱開発等で協力拡大を検討

On Oct. 20, Zakir Ibrahimov, Chairman of the Executive Board of AzerGold CJSC met with Sunniya Durrani-Jamal, ADB Country Director for Azerbaijan. During the meeting, Sunniya Durrani-Jamal provided information on the Bank's primary operational areas and strategic targets for private sector financing. Stating that the ADB actively applies new financing mechanisms in the extraction and processing of critical minerals, she expressed strong interest in expanding cooperation on strategic projects that support sustainable development, employment growth, and the overall strengthening of the regional economy. During the discussions, the key strategic projects of AzerGold CJSC were highlighted, including the ongoing feasibility study for the Filizchay polymetallic deposit located in the Balakan district, the planned hot-briketted iron (HBI) production complex based on green energy principles in the Western Industrial Park in the Shamkir district, as well as the current status and future exploitation plans for the Soyudlu (Zod) gold deposit. At the end of the meeting, the parties agreed to maintain regular contacts at the level of technical and financial working groups and to systematically evaluate concrete cooperation opportunities on specific projects. (Azertag, 20.10.2026)

●アゼルバイジャン航空会長と韓国大使が航空協力を協議　2030 年までの直行便就航も視野に

On Oct.20, Samir Rzayev, Chairman of the Board of AZAL met with Kang Kymgu, South Korea's Ambassador to Azerbaijan. During the meeting they discussed prospects for expanding cooperation in the aviation sector, Baku's growing role as a regional aviation hub, as well as plans by the two countries' airlines to expand their aircraft fleets and route networks. "In line with our route network development strategy, we also discussed the prospects of launching direct flights between Azerbaijan and Korea by 2030. We further reviewed potential cooperation opportunities between the airports and aviation authorities of the two countries. I believe expanding cooperation in these areas will contribute to tourism development and create new opportunities in aviation," Rzayev posted on X. (report.az, 20.10.2026)

●デジタル協力機構がアゼルバイジャンのスタートアップの海外市場進出を支援へ

The Digital Cooperation Organization (DCO) is ready to support the access of Azerbaijani startups to international markets, Chief of Council Affairs & Strategic Relations of DCO, Omar AlNemer, told journalists on Oct. 20. He noted that Azerbaijan’s signing of the DCO Charter is an important step toward full membership and the deepening of international digital cooperation. This process creates new opportunities for collaboration in areas such as digital trade, artificial intelligence (AI), digital government infrastructure, and access to international markets for Azerbaijani technology companies. DCO can support attraction of investments into Azerbaijan's digital economy by connecting national digital priorities with international investors, markets and policy frameworks. According to him, through initiatives such as STRIDE and DCO InvestConnect, DCO can explore opportunities to connect Azerbaijani technology companies with international investors and strategic partners. “Through frameworks such as the Model Digital Economy Agreement (MDEA), DCO can support dialogue on regulatory interoperability, digital trade and trusted cross-border data exchange,” AlNemer pointed out. According to AlNemer, one of the DCO’s priorities is to expand digital opportunities for startups and businesses, and to transform international cooperation into concrete avenues for accessing new markets, investments, customers, and strategic partnerships. He noted that the Charter signing by Azerbaijan provides an opportunity to explore stronger connections between Azerbaijan’s innovation ecosystem and DCO initiatives such as STRIDE, Startup Nexus and DCO InvestConnect. “These programmes can provide potential pathways to entrepreneurship networks, investors, accelerators and commercial partners across DCO markets, subject to appropriate arrangements,” he noted. The DCO representative stressed that the organization is ready to evaluate opportunities to identify promising Azerbaijani companies, assess their international expansion potential and connect them with relevant partners. (Trend, 21.10.2026)

●アゼルバイジャン企業が農業分野におけるオランダとの協力機会・課題に関する調査を実施

With the support of the Embassy of the Kingdom of the Netherlands in Azerbaijan, Azerbaijani company PFF Agro Consulting has conducted a study on the agricultural sector, including the opportunities and challenges for cooperation with the Netherlands. The study covers areas including greenhouse farming, floriculture, seed production, livestock farming, water resource management and the food industry. It outlines investment opportunities, options for establishing local partnerships and ways to enter the market. The report also highlights innovative solutions, expertise and technologies that the Netherlands, one of the world"s leading exporters of agricultural and food products, can offer. (report.az, 20.10.2026)

●アゼルバイジャン・EU ビジネスフォーラムがバクーで開催　輸送回廊とインフラ投資等につき協議

The Azerbaijan–European Union Business Forum 2026 on the theme “Bridging Corridors: Connectivity and Infrastructure” started in Baku on Oct. 21. The event discussed the expansion of economic cooperation between Azerbaijan and the European Union, the development of transport and logistics links, investment opportunities, and the prospects of the Middle Corridor. As part of the forum, the presentation of the “EU Business Climate Report Azerbaijan 2025/2026”, as well as a research report on the development of the trade sector in the country, is planned. Representatives of international financial institutions, government agencies, and the business sector are participating in the event. (Apa, 21.10.2026)

●欧州投資銀行（EIB）が南北鉄道及びナヒチバン鉄道等のプロジェクトへの融資可能性を検討

The European Investment Bank (EIB) is considering the possibility of financing projects in the field of transport connectivity in Azerbaijan, including the North-South railway, Head of EIB Group Regional Representation for the South Caucasus (Tbilisi), Stella Renita, said at the EU-Azerbaijan Business Forum in Baku on Oct. 21. According to her, currently, the bank is exploring investment opportunities in the field of transport connectivity in Azerbaijan, including specific projects, such as the North-South railway and Nakhchivan railway. "We also consider other directions of connectivity. It is not only about transport infrastructure, but also about energy, as well as the digital sphere," she noted. Renita cited the project of digital connectivity of the Black Sea and the project "Caspian-Black Sea Green Energy Corridor" as examples of the considered projects. According to her, the next day after the forum, the presentation of the technical and economic justification of the last project, in which EIB participates, should take place. The Bank also provides technical assistance in the preparation and implementation of projects. In Azerbaijan, such assistance, in particular, was provided to assess the safety of Boyuk-Kasik corridor, which should become the basis for further implementation of the project. (Trend, 21.10.2026)

●EBRD が中央回廊発展に向けインフラ投資・デジタル化及び産業振興を提言

Infrastructure investments, digitalization, and the development of economic activities beyond transport should be the main priorities to ensure the efficient and commercially sustainable operation of the Middle Corridor, Nataly Mouravidze, Head of the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD) Resident Office in Azerbaijan, said at the Azerbaijan–European Union Business Forum on Oct. 21. According to her, the first priority is investments aimed at eliminating existing bottlenecks in ports, railways, maritime transport infrastructure, and multimodal logistics facilities. The second priority is strengthening digitalization and coordination. This includes harmonizing procedures, improving data exchange, increasing transparency, and expanding cooperation among participants. The third priority is the development of logistics, manufacturing, processing, and export-oriented activities along the corridor. N. Mouravidze emphasized that for businesses, the reliability, predictability, and costs of the entire transport chain are important, rather than those of individual sections of the route. (Apa, 21.10.2026)

●AzerGold が初の子会社 AzerGold Uzbekistan をウズベキスタンに設立

AzerGold CJSC's first subsidiary abroad, AzerGold Uzbekistan LLC with Foreign Investment, has been officially registered in the Republic of Uzbekistan, the company told. The new company, which will contribute to expanding cooperation between the two countries in the mining industry and geological exploration, will primarily focus on implementing a project involving geological

exploration, assessment of mineral resources, and identification of future exploitation opportunities at the Akba gold deposit located in Uzbekistan's Kashkadarya region. Procedures are currently underway to obtain the necessary permits for geological exploration at the Akba gold deposit. Once a license is obtained based on the relevant decision of the Uzbek government, geological exploration work, expected to last 18 months, will begin. Another important area that AzerGold CJSC plans to pursue in Uzbekistan is the joint geological exploration of the country's promising mineral resources. For this purpose, on July 17, 2026, a document defining the main terms of trilateral cooperation was signed between AzerGold CJSC, Uzbekgeologorazvedka Joint Stock Company, and the Azerbaijan-Uzbekistan Investment Company. The project envisages establishing a joint venture to conduct geological exploration in promising areas located between the cities of Navoi and Nurata in Uzbekistan. Work is currently underway to agree on the company's founding documents and obtain the necessary government permits. Once the joint venture is established, geological surveys and exploration activities are planned to be carried out in stages in the promising areas. (Apa, 21.10.2026)

●経済副大臣とクロアチアの外務・欧州担当次官がエネルギー・農業・医薬品などで企業間協力を協議

Azerbaijan's Deputy Minister of Economy Anar Akhundov met with State Secretary of Croatia's Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs Frano Matušić on Oct. 21. The meeting emphasized the importance of expanding bilateral economic relations between Azerbaijan and Croatia and strengthening trade and investment partnerships. The sides noted the significant potential for developing joint activities in the fields of energy, industry, agriculture, pharmaceuticals, and transport and logistics. Opportunities for Croatian companies' participation in projects implemented in Azerbaijan were discussed. The parties exchanged views on developing cooperation in areas of mutual interest and expanding collaboration between business communities. (Apa, 21.10.2026)

●ジャバロフ経済大臣がイタリア訪問　重要鉱物資源分野の戦略的パートナーシップに関する共同声明に署名

- As part of his working visit to Italy on Oct. 22, Mikayil Jabbarov, Azerbaijan's Minister of Economy met with Claudio Descalzi, CEO of Eni, discussing opportunities to further expand bilateral partnership. The exchange covered SOCAR's participation in new initiatives with Eni and opportunities to strengthen cooperation on joint projects in third countries. They also reviewed the progress of the joint pilot project for biofuel production in Azerbaijan and explored prospects for cooperation in the energy transition and the exchange of technological expertise.
- Jabbarov also met with Adolfo Urso, Minister of Enterprises and Made in Italy, discussing opportunities to expand bilateral partnership in industry, trade, and investment. The exchange covered joint projects in critical minerals, metallurgy, and digital technologies, as well as the participation of Italian companies in manufacturing projects and technology transfer in Azerbaijan. They also explored prospects for financing initiatives aimed at industrial modernization and strengthening cooperation between the business communities of both countries.
- Jabbarov also attended an event titled "Italy–Azerbaijan: Strengthening Economic and Industrial Cooperation". During the meeting the exchange focused on Azerbaijan's investment opportunities and new areas of economic partnership, including cooperation in critical minerals, mining and metallurgy, artificial intelligence and data centers, as well as the application of Italian technologies in industrial sector of Azerbaijan. Projects presented by Azerbaijani companies also demonstrated practical opportunities to expand business

ties and advance joint investment initiatives. The event saw the signing of the Joint Statement on strategic partnership in the field of critical raw materials. The document was inked by Azerbaijani Economy Minister Mikayil Jabbarov, Italian Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation Antonio Tajani, and Minister of Enterprises and Made in Italy Adolfo Urso. The document aims to strengthen industrial cooperation between the two countries by combining Azerbaijan's resource potential with Italy's technological expertise. This partnership opens new opportunities for joint initiatives to develop processing capacities and produce high-value-added products. (Azertag, 22.10.2026)

●アゼルバイジャン代表団が航空フォーラム Routes World 2026 に参加　各国航空会社と新規直行便の就航や路線網の拡大につき協議

The international aviation forum Routes World 2026 is taking place in Frankfurt, Germany, from October 21 to 23. Azerbaijan is jointly represented at the forum by Azerbaijan Airlines CJSC (AZAL) and the Azerbaijan Tourism Board (ATB). As part of the event, bilateral meetings were held between representatives of international airlines and Samir Rzayev, Chairman of the Management Board of Azerbaijan Airlines CJSC; Florian Sengstschmid, CEO of the Azerbaijan Tourism Board; and senior representatives of the country's airports. The discussions focused on launching new direct flights from Azerbaijani airports, attracting new airlines to the country, and expanding cooperation with existing partners. Business meetings are also scheduled with representatives of Lufthansa Group, AirAsia Group, Air Serbia, Aegean Airlines, Etihad Airways, Transavia France, Malaysia Airlines, easyJet, Jazeera Airways, Oman Air, Wizz Air, and VietJet Air. (Azertag, 22.10.2026)

●トルコ・アゼルバイジャン・米国の投資・ビジネス交流サミットがバクーで開催

The TABA-AmCham Eurasia Investment & Networking Summit 2026 was held in Baku on Oct. 22, focusing on expanding trade relations, investment opportunities, energy and logistics partnerships, and technological innovation among Azerbaijan, Türkiye, and the United States. The event provided a platform for strengthening regional economic ties, fostering direct business-to-business contacts, and promoting new investment projects. (Azertag, 22.10.2026)

●アゼルバイジャンとウズベキスタンが欧州市場向け共同観光ルート「シルクロード・ハイライト・ツアー」を発表

A presentation of the "Joint Silk Road Highlights Tour," a joint tourism route between Azerbaijan and Uzbekistan, was held in Berlin to promote the tourism potential of both countries in the European market and attract more foreign visitors. The event was organized as part of a joint initiative launched under a memorandum of understanding on cooperation signed by the Azerbaijan Tourism Board and the Uzbekistan National PR Center in July 2026. (Azertag, 22.10.2026)

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