

BE PART OF A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO INCREASE YOUR COMPANY'S EXPORTS AND TURNOVER!

INVITATION TO:

THE SOUTH AFRICAN DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY INDUSTRIAL WEEK PLANNED FROM 27- 31 JULY 2026

The Department of Trade, Industry and Competition (**the dtic**) invites South African exporters and industrialists to showcase their products and services at the Southern African Development Community (SADC) Industrial Week (SIW) in Durban, KwaZulu-Natal, from 27 – 31 July 2026.

The SIW event will be held as a high-level, high impact precursor event to the 46th SADC Summit of Heads of State and Government. The event provides platforms for SADC Member States, private sector role players and various relevant stakeholders, an opportunity to discuss and promote industrialisation strategies and opportunities and exhibit their businesses or trade offerings.

the dtic will focus on showcasing the following sectors:

- Mineral beneficiation
- Agro-processing
- Pharmaceuticals
- Fast Moving Consumer Goods
- Infrastructure and logistics (to support trade and investment)
- Light manufacturing and the automotive sector - Financial Sector.

the dtic will offer the following support to qualifying entities as per the Export Marketing and Investment Assistance (EMIA) scheme guidelines:

- ☐ Exhibition space and booth rental costs
- ☐ Freight forwarding of display material
- ☐ Air travel assistance up to R5,000.00 (SMME, BOE and Emerging Companies located outside KwaZulu-Natal)
NB: Companies to make their own reservation and claim back after event.
- ☐ Daily subsistence allowance of R2,000.00 per day (SMME, BOE and Emerging Companies located outside KwaZulu Natal). **NB: Companies to make their own reservation and claim back after event.**

NB: B-BBEE certificate - all applicants must submit a valid B-BBEE certificate with a maximum **Level 8** or a sworn affidavit (an affidavit is for entities with less than R10 Million in turnover) in compliance with the B-BBEE Amendment Act

Applications are to be submitted through <https://forms.thedtic.gov.za/form/SADCIW2026> together with the required documents.

Hand-delivered/couriered applications will NOT be accepted

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NB!! The deadline for submission of complete National Pavilion application form accompanied by all supporting documentation is

25th JUNE 2026 @ 16H00

Late applications will not be considered