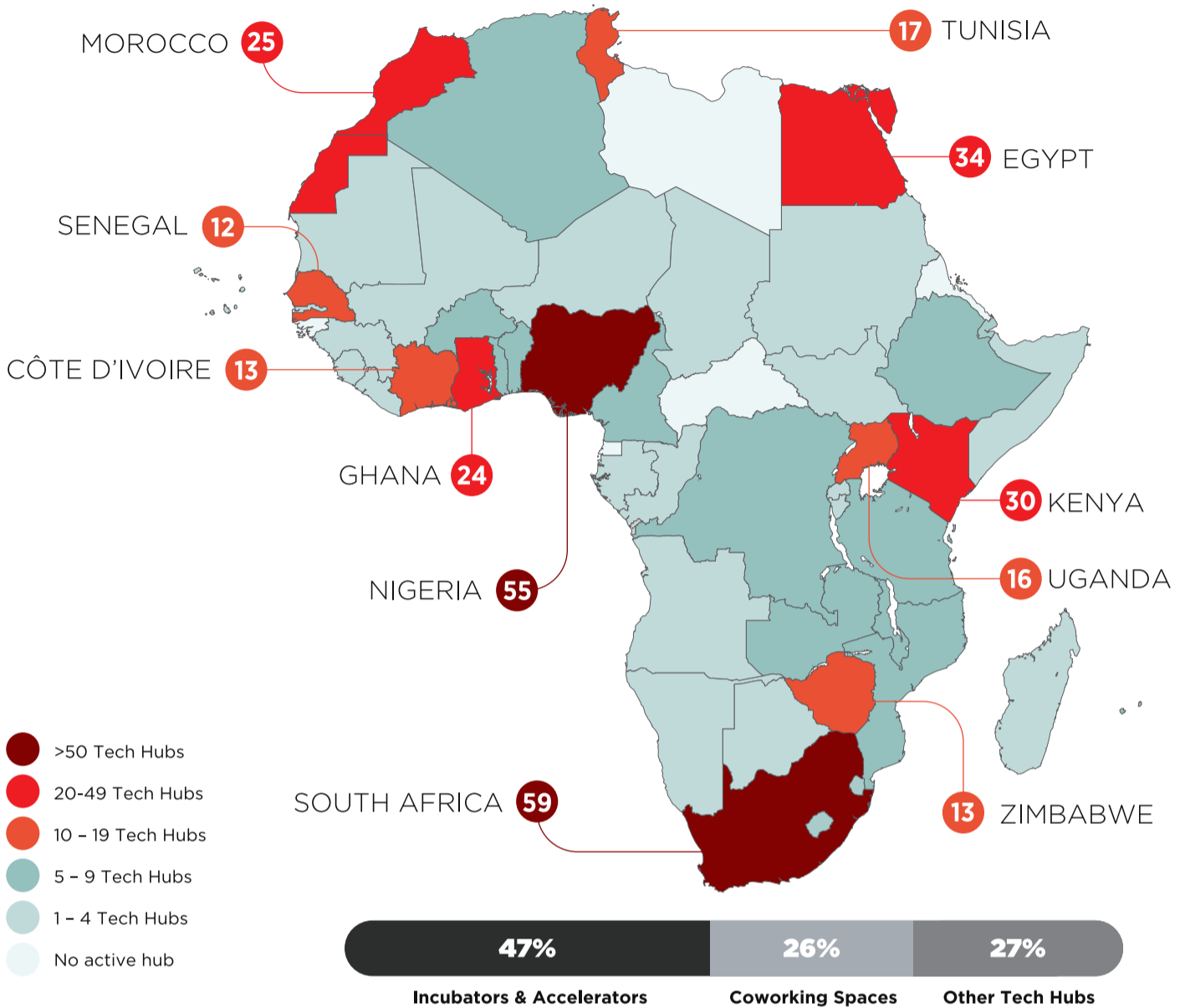




# Ecosystem Accelerator AFRICA Tech Hubs Landscape 2018

# 442 ACTIVE TECH HUBS\*



## Fastest growing ecosystems (2016-2018)



- Democratic Republic of the Congo +200%
- Zambia +200%
- Cote d'Ivoire +160%
- Togo +150%
- Nigeria +139%

## Top 5 Ecosystem Cities by number of Active Tech Hubs



- Lagos - 31 Hubs
- Cape Town - 26 Hubs
- Nairobi - 25 Hubs
- Cairo - 23 Hubs
- Accra - 16 Hubs



13% of the hubs are partnering with mobile operators. MTN, Orange, and Vodacom are among the most represented.

## 5 Countries



South Africa, Nigeria, Egypt, Kenya, Morocco totalise over 45% of all hubs.

## 5 y/o Hubs Maturity



Average age of active tech hubs is 5 years - launched in 2013.

## Social Media Reach



1.4 Million Followers



4 Million Likes

## Main tech hub alliances



\*Tech Hubs are defined as physical spaces designed to foster and support tech start-ups. These include incubators, accelerators, co-working spaces, fab labs, makerspaces, hackerspaces, and other innovation centres. Active tech hubs are defined as hubs that have shown active digital presence (website, news, social media) since October 2017.



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