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The impact of Brexit on South Africa

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An article about the impact of Brexit on South Africa and future trade relationships.

South Africa can be reasonably confident that by the end of 2019, at the latest, the UK will not legally be part of the European Union (EU), nor a signatory to the EU's myriad trade agreements, including the recently agreed Economic Partnership Agreement (EPA) between the EU and the South African Development Community (SADC).

What is less clear is the nature and character of the trading relationship the UK will have with the EU after Brexit is formalised.

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