Flutterwave

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Fintech	Nigeria	Lagos	2016
Industry	Country	Head office	Founded

Key information

Industry	**Fintech**
Country	**Nigeria**
Founded	**2016**
Head office	**Lagos**
Employees	**1000+**

About

Flutterwave is a Nigerian-founded payments infrastructure company that was created in 2016 to solve one of the hardest problems in African commerce: moving money reliably across fragmented payment systems, currencies, and regulatory environments. Its core innovation was not simply building a payment gateway, but creating a technical layer that lets businesses accept and route payments across multiple African markets and beyond through a single integration.

That matters because cross-border trade in Africa has historically been far more complicated than comparable commerce in more integrated markets. Businesses often have to deal with different payment preferences, currency constraints, and local banking rules from one country to the next. Flutterwave's model addresses that complexity by giving merchants access to a broad payment infrastructure that supports many currencies and payment methods without requiring separate integrations for each market.

Over time, that proposition helped Flutterwave become one of the most visible fintech companies to emerge from Africa's digital economy. It built a reputation as a commerce infrastructure company rather than just a consumer payments app, which is why its story has been so closely watched by founders, investors, and regulators. The company's growth also reflected a broader shift in the market: African businesses increasingly needed systems that could support regional scale, not just local checkout.

Flutterwave's rise to unicorn status in 2021 and its subsequent valuation at around $3 billion in

2022 signaled that the market viewed cross-border payments infrastructure as a foundational layer for the continent’s digital economy. That valuation was not just a funding milestone; it was a recognition that payment interoperability is a critical piece of commercial infrastructure in Africa.

> **To simplify payments for endless possibilities.**
> *Mission statement*

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Primary logo

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Head office	**Lagos**

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