

# LET'S TALK ABOUT MONEY IN WEST AFRICA AND ITS RELATIONS WITH ASIA

FROM INDIAN COTTON CLOTH TO A SINGLE CURRENCY  
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