

## “The World Ahead 2025 – The Economist”



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The Economist publishes this every year. This time its a 126 page magazine and is compiled superbly. This is my must read for years. Whatever you read or not about 2025, this is it. The comments are sharp, the analysis detailed and it calls it out as is. Upasana Dutt of The Economist sent me an early copy since I am on the EICN advisory board.

Attached is the summary

5 lessons I pick up for 2025:

1. America contributes 26 % of world GDP, the same it was in 1987. Mr Trump's actions and transactional nature will keep the world guessing
2. Europe has to remake itself, it needs leaders who can stand up and be counted
3. Inflation is down everywhere except in Turkey, Egypt, Venezuela, Ethiopia and Iran.
4. Chinese EV cars and their innovations are a combination of 4 wheels supporting an electronics studio
5. 9 of the Top 20 GDP growth countries will be in Africa

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