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Welcome to Guangdong

This year marks the 45th anniversary of China's reform and opening up. Standing at a new historical juncture, China remains fully committed to a win-win strategy of opening up and will only open its doors wider to the rest of the world. A model of all-round opening up on a grand scale has gradually taken shape. Chinese President Xi Jinping has emphasized that China's policy of reform and opening up will remain unchanged over the long term. China is ready to collaborate with any nations that are interested in engaging in mutually beneficial cooperation to advance shared prosperity and the development of the global economy.

With a rich historical background, Guangdong epitomizes opening up. As a trailblazer in foreign investment over the past four decades, it has attracted investors and entrepreneurs worldwide to invest and start businesses here.

Guangdong serves as an important window to showcase China's reform and opening up to the world and a window for the international community to observe China's success. Despite a volatile global situation in 2022 and the challenge of continuing reform and development while maintaining stability, the province achieved year-on-year growth of 1.9 percent in GDP, which rose to 12.9 trillion RMB, ranking first in the country for all of the past 34 years.

Guangdong boasts a well-established industrial system, an aptitude for innovation, and a favorable business environment. It is home to over 16 million market entities, some 40 million middle-income earners, a labor force of 70 million, 127 million permanent residents, eight industrial clusters worth trillions of RMB, over 69,000 hi-tech enterprises, and many universities and research institutes, all combining to provide the base for a surging economy. Guangdong benefits from some major national development strategies, including the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area (GBA), the Shenzhen Pilot Demonstration Area of Socialism with Chinese Characteristics, and three major platforms - Hengqin, Qianhai and Nansha.

Guangdong remains committed to openness and embraces a business culture that promotes and supports trade. We warmly welcome investors, entrepreneurs, and talented individuals from around the world to come to Guangdong, start businesses here, and make their dreams come true.

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Guangdong: A Profile

Overview

Located in the southernmost part of the Chinese mainland, Guangdong borders Fujian Province to the east, Jiangxi and Hunan provinces to the north, Guangxi Zhuang Autonomous Region to the west. The South China Sea lies to the south.

The Pearl River Estuary adjoins the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region (SAR) and the Macao SAR on its east and west banks. The Leizhou Peninsula, situated in the southwest of Guangdong, faces Hainan Province across the Qiongzhou Strait. Guangdong extends over an area of 179,700 km², and its coastline stretches for 4,114 km. It was home to 126.568 million permanent residents at the end of 2022.

Guangdong belongs to the East Asian monsoon region. The province enjoys abundant sunshine, heat, and water resources. Both rainfall and peak temperatures occur mainly between April and September. The annual average temperature is 21.9°C.

Guangdong is a vital hub of Lingnan culture, which includes Guangfu, Hakka and Chaoshan. The province is home to a magnificent range of cultural heritage featuring Cantonese opera, Cantonese cuisine, lion dance, Kung Fu Tea, and Duan inkstand. It also owns distinctive cultural symbols like dialect, customs, painting, and music.

In 2022, Guangdong's GDP exceeded 12.9 trillion RMB, maintaining its top position among China's provinces for the 34th year in succession. The total value of imports and exports reached 8.31 trillion RMB, ranking first in the country for the 37th year in succession. Actual utilization of foreign investment surpassed 180 billion RMB, with 13,365 newly-established foreign direct investment (FDI) enterprises and investment from 155 countries (regions).

Guangdong is the province with the largest number of ports in China. There are 56 national first-class ports, including 35 ports, 5 aviation ports, 12 land ports and 4 railway ports. With a well-laid port layout, it provides strong support and service guarantee for the development of foreign trade and foreign exchanges in the province and even the country.

Opening up

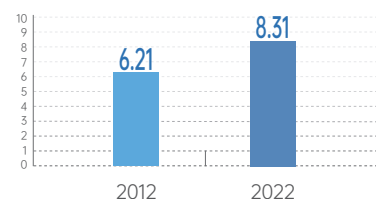
Since reform and opening up, Guangdong has charted new territories and garnered worldwide attention with its pioneering spirit. In particular, over the past decade, it has shown the resolve to seize historic opportunities brought by the development of the GBA and Shenzhen Pilot Demonstration Area of Socialism with Chinese Characteristics, and to raise reform and opening up to a higher level, giving a solid boost to high-quality development.

At present, Guangdong is expanding opening up through a slew of integrated measures in foreign trade, foreign investment, foreign economic cooperation, foreign outsourcing, and overseas talent attraction.

Guangdong's foreign trade amount

(Trillion RMB)

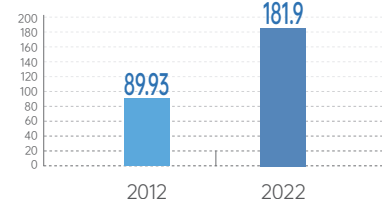
33.8% increase compared to 2012



The actual utilization of foreign investment in Guangdong

(Billion RMB)

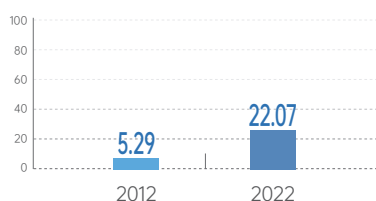
102.3% increase compared to 2012



Guangdong's outward FDI

(Billion RMB)

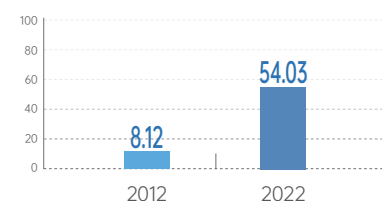
317.2% increase compared to 2012



Guangdong's contracted service outsourcing (offshore and onshore)

(Billion RMB)

565.8% increase compared to 2012



Overseas Talent Attraction

Since 2015, Guangdong has issued approximately 230,000 permits for foreigners to come to China, including over 37,000 permits for Class A high-end talent.

Development Platforms

01 Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area (GBA)

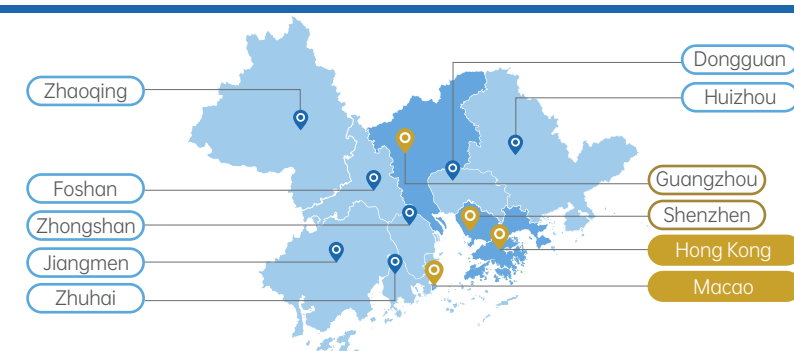
The GBA is a key national strategy personally planned, launched and promoted by President Xi Jinping. It is designed to break new ground in opening up on all fronts in a new era, and to advance the practice of "one country, two systems".

The GBA consists of Hong Kong SAR, Macao SAR, and nine cities in Guangdong (Guangzhou, Shenzhen, Zhuhai, Foshan, Huizhou, Dongguan, Zhongshan, Jiangmen and Zhaoqing), covering a total area of 56,000 km², with a total population of about 70 million. It is one of the most open regions in China, with a dynamic economy that is of particular strategic importance.

The GBA's economic aggregate in 2022 surpassed 13 trillion RMB. With its expanding comprehensive strength, the GBA is rapidly becoming an internationally renowned bay area and a world-class city cluster.

GBA cities

Core cities Key node cities



Strategic positioning



A dynamic world-class city cluster



An international center for technology and innovation



A key component of the Belt and Road Initiative



A demonstration zone of in-depth cooperation between the Chinese mainland, Hong Kong, and Macao



An ideal location for living, working and traveling

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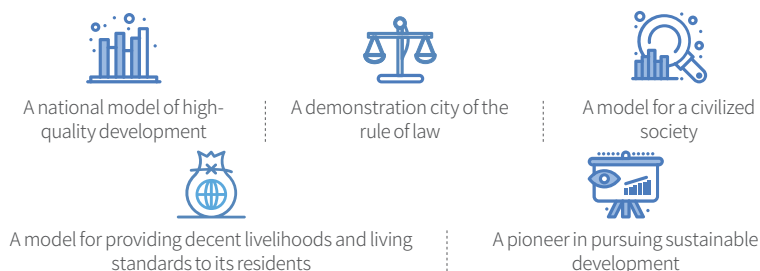
- Official Website of the GBA
<https://www.cnbayarea.org.cn/english/>
- Outline Development Plan for the Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao Greater Bay Area (in Chinese)
https://www.cnbayarea.org.cn/news/headline/content/mpost_165662.html

02 Shenzhen: Building a Pilot Demonstration Area of Socialism with Chinese Characteristics

Leading the vanguard in China's reform and opening up, Shenzhen has been transformed from a small fishing village into an international city full of excitement, vitality, innovation and creativity. On August 18, 2019, China issued a plan on implementing pilot reforms in Shenzhen to build the city into a pilot demonstration area of socialism with Chinese characteristics.

In 2022, the city's GDP grew year-on-year by 3.3% to 3.23 trillion RMB, and the total value of trade in goods grew year-on-year by 3.7% to 3.67 trillion RMB. At 11 billion USD, Shenzhen's actual utilization of foreign investment led the province and accounted for 39.3% of Guangdong's total.

Strategic positioning



Reference:

- Guidelines of the CPC Central Committee and the State Council on Supporting Shenzhen in Building a Pilot Demonstration Area of Socialism with Chinese Characteristics (in Chinese)
https://www.gov.cn/zhengce/2019-08/18/content_5422183.htm



03 Three Cooperation Platforms

Hengqin, Qianhai and Nansha are the three major cooperation platforms specified in the Outline Development Plan for the GBA. In 2022, the GDP of these three platforms reached 466.3 billion RMB.

Guangdong-Macao In-Depth Cooperation Zone in Hengqin

The Guangdong-Macao In-Depth Cooperation Zone in Hengqin is located on Hengqin Island in Zhuhai. It covers an area of approximately 106 square kilometers. The general plan for building the Cooperation Zone was rolled out in September 2021.

Strategic positioning



Reference:

- General Plan for Building Guangdong-Macao In-Depth Cooperation Zone in Hengqin issued by the CPC Central Committee and the State Council (in Chinese)
http://www.xinhuanet.com/2021-09/05/c_1127830256.htm

Qianhai Shenzhen-Hong Kong Modern Service Industry Cooperation Zone

The Qianhai Shenzhen-Hong Kong Modern Service Industry Cooperation Zone is located in Shenzhen. It covers an area of about 120 square kilometers. On September 6, 2021, China's central authorities issued a new plan for further developing a cooperation zone for Shenzhen and Hong Kong SAR. Since the Qianhai Plan was implemented, the Ministry of Finance, the State Administration of Taxation, the Supreme People's Court, the General Administration of Customs, the Ministry of Transport, the People's Bank and other ministries and commissions have issued special policies to support Qianhai's reform and opening up, making the policy system more perfect for Qianhai's further reform.

Strategic positioning



Reference:

- The Plan for Comprehensively Deepening Reform and Opening up in the Qianhai Shenzhen-Hong Kong Modern Service Industry Cooperation Zone issued by the CPC Central Committee and the State Council (in Chinese)
https://www.gov.cn/zhengce/2021-09/06/content_5635728.htm

Nansha Demonstration Zone for Comprehensive Cooperation between Guangdong, Hong Kong and Macao

On June 14, 2022, China detailed measures to expand the development of Nansha District in the city of Guangzhou, increase comprehensive cooperation in the GBA, and raise opening up to a higher level.

Strategic positioning



A scientific and technological innovation industry cooperation base



A youth entrepreneurship and employment cooperation platform



A high-level opening up portal



A high ground for convergence of rules and mechanisms



A model of high-quality urban development

Reference:

- The Master Plan of Guangzhou Nansha on Deepening Comprehensive Cooperation between Guangdong, Hong Kong and Macao with Global Perspective (in Chinese)
https://www.gov.cn/zhengce/zhengceku/2022-06/14/content_5695623.htm

04 China (Guangdong) Pilot Free Trade Zone (Guangdong FTZ)

<http://com.gd.gov.cn/zggdzymysyq/zjzmq/zmsyqjj/index.html>

Guangdong FTZ has now been in operation for eight years since December 31, 2014. Over the past eight years, Guangdong FTZ has succeeded in accumulating a total of 696 innovative institutional outcomes.

Nansha Area plans to build a comprehensive national science center in the GBA, a special zone for international talent, an import trade promotion and innovation



demonstration zone, and a demonstration zone for all-round cooperation between Guangdong, Hong Kong, and Macao.

Working with Hong Kong, the Qianhai-Shekou Area is building a new international trade center, an international high-end shipping service center, an international legal service center, and an international commercial dispute resolution center.

Hengqin Area will expedite the construction of the Guangdong-Macao In-Depth Cooperation Zone in Hengqin, integrate compatible rules and regulations between Guangdong and Macao, and develop a Guangdong-Macao "mutual discussion, joint construction, joint administration and shared benefits" mechanism.

Guangdong also released a series of 27 specific measures on 15 fronts to boost trade and facilitate investment on February 15, 2022. By actively leveraging the leading role of Guangdong FTZ in reform and innovation, it aims to establish a gateway for increased opening up.

References:

- The "14th Five-year Plan" for the Development of China (Guangdong) Pilot Free Trade Zone (in Chinese)
http://www.gd.gov.cn/xxts/content/post_3533835.html
- Measures to Promote the Reform and Innovation of Trade and Investment Facilitation in Guangdong Pilot Free Trade Zone (in Chinese)
http://www.gd.gov.cn/zwgk/wjk/qbwj/yfh/content/post_3814464.html

Nansha Area

<http://www.gzns.gov.cn/tzns/>



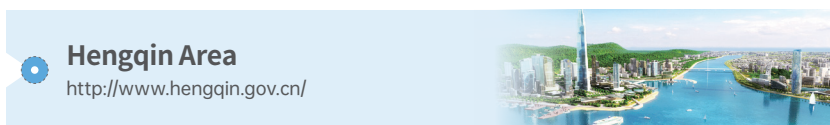
Nansha Area covers a total area of 60 square kilometers (including the 7.06-square-kilometer Nansha Bonded Port Area). Due to its geographical advantages, the area focuses on shipping logistics, international finance, international trade, science and technological innovation, the marine economy, and high-end manufacturing industries. It emerges as a modern industrial base and a world-class integrated service hub, as well as an all-round Guangdong-Hong Kong-Macao cooperation demonstration area.

Qianhai-Shekou Area

<http://qh.sz.gov.cn/tzqh/index.html>



Covering an area of 28.2 square kilometers, the Qianhai-Shekou Area is the city's new center and demonstration zone for deeper cooperation between Guangdong, Hong Kong and Macao, and a center of strategic support for the Belt and Road Initiative.



Hengqin Area in Zhuhai is located on the west bank of the Pearl River Estuary, across the river from Macao. Covering a total area of 28 square kilometers, the Area is connected with Hong Kong and Macao by land through the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge and the Lotus Bridge. With institutional innovation at the core, it has introduced a number of ground-breaking reform measures in investment and trade, cooperation with Hong Kong and Macao, the industrial system, human resources services and opening up. Focusing on six major industries - sci-tech innovation, modern finance, medical treatment and health, cultural tourism, conventions and exhibitions, cross-border commerce and trade, and professional services - it has introduced many preferential policies in areas such as customs clearance, taxation, talent, finance and informatization. It is gradually being built into an internationally advanced and domestically pace-setting pilot free trade zone that offers free and convenient international investment, outstanding international trade functions, a business environment aligned with international standards, and distinctive administrative and legal practices.

Coordinated Development Zones

In June 2022, Guangdong approved the establishment of coordinated development zones of Guangdong FTZ in 13 cities - Guangzhou, Shenzhen, Zhuhai, Shantou, Foshan, Shaoguan, Huizhou, Shanwei, Dongguan, Zhongshan, Yangjiang, Zhanjiang, and Maoming. Through "coordinated experiments, collaborative innovation, and resource sharing" with the Guangdong FTZ, the province can inject new vitality into local development, expand new space for reform and innovation in the Guangdong FTZ, and explore new paths for the coordinated regional development of Guangdong.

Since their establishment a year ago, the Coordinated Development Zones have implemented 62 reform and innovation measures, explored 117 institutional innovation mechanisms, and launched 60 collaborative industrial projects, paving the way for further development.

05 Fairs & Exhibitions

Name	Introduction	City	Website
China Import and Export Fair (Canton Fair)	Established in 1957, the Canton Fair is held every spring and autumn in Guangzhou. It is a comprehensive international trade exhibition. It is the largest and the longest-running event of its kind in China, with the widest range of exhibitors and the highest business turnover. It also attracts the largest number of buyers from the broadest distribution of source countries.	Guangzhou	
China Hi-Tech Fair (CHTF)	CHTF has become the largest and the most influential sci-tech fair in China and is renowned as "China's No.1 Technology Show". It offers a range of services: trading in technology, exhibition of products, a high-level forum, investment attractions, and cooperation & exchange. It focuses on advanced technologies and products in fields such as energy conservation, environmental protection, NGIT, biology, manufacture of high-end equipment, new energies, new materials, and new energy vehicles.	Shenzhen	
China International Small and Medium Enterprises Fair (CISMEF)	Hosted by the Ministry of Industry and Information Technology, the State Administration for Market Regulation, the People's Government of Guangdong Province and other departments in China, it is held every autumn in Guangzhou, and now CISMEF is a Union of International Fairs (UFI) approved event. It aims to build a platform of "display, trade, exchange and cooperation" for SMEs home and abroad.	Guangzhou	
China Marine Economy Expo (CMEE)	CMEE is a high-end international platform for marine economic exchange and cooperation. It serves the national strategies of building the 21st Century Maritime Silk Road and implementing innovation-driven development, civil-military integration, and coordinated regional development.	Shenzhen	
China (Shenzhen) International Cultural Industries Fair (ICIF)	ICIF focuses on intensive exhibitions and exchange. It is committed to hosting and building a trade platform for China's cultural industrial products and projects, driving the development of China's cultural industry, and advancing the globalization of Chinese cultural products. ICIF is the top Cultural Fair in China.	Shenzhen	
China Processing Trade Products Fair (CPTPF)	Established in 2009, CPTPF is the only national exhibition to focus on the innovative development of the processing trade, and has played an active role in promoting the transformation and upgrading of national processing trade enterprises, creating brands, and expanding the domestic sales market.	Dongguan	
Guangdong 21st Century Maritime Silk Road International Expo (MSRE)	Established in 2014, MSRE demonstrates that Guangdong is fully committed to the Belt and Road Initiative and intends to make itself the ideal place to do business and seek cooperation. It is accelerating Guangdong's internationalization, branding, and marketization, while enlarging its circle of international friends.	Guangzhou	

06 Investment Promotion Activities

Name	Introduction	City	Website
The GBA Global Investment Promotion Conference	Jointly organized by the governments of Guangdong and the Hong Kong and Macao SARs, the GBA Global Investment Promotion Conference is designed to share the development potential and investment opportunities of the GBA and bring together global high-quality industries and innovative resources. The first conference was held in Guangzhou on December 21, 2022.	Guangzhou	
Conference for Economic and Trade Cooperation between the PRD and the Eastern, Western and Northern Regions	The conference focuses on domestic industrial cooperation, boosting Guangdong's coordinated regional development and promoting orderly industrial transfer from the Pearl River Delta to the Eastern, Western and Northern Regions of Guangdong. On May 11, 2023, the first conference kicked off in Guangzhou.	Guangzhou	

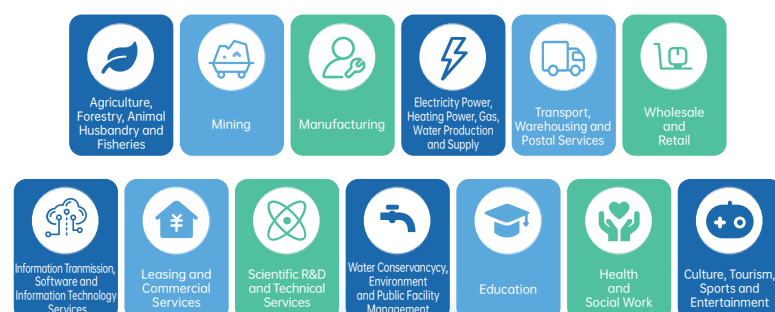


Investment Opportunities

Guangdong has one of the most robust economies in China. The province hosts the highest number of foreign businesses, which are able to achieve rapid growth here and are now heading towards high-quality development. Working with Hong Kong and Macao to forge a framework of competitive modern industries on an international scale, Guangdong is continuing to ease market access, improve the fast-track communication mechanism between the provincial leadership and multinational corporations, and provide better services for large foreign investment projects. It cooperates closely with foreign economic and trade organizations and overseas Chinese and collaborates with Hong Kong and Macao to promote the GBA.

China's high-level opening up

China is currently building a new double development dynamic, improving the business environment, and expediting a more robust market. Foreign investment is encouraged in 519 sectors in the following categories, as listed in China's Catalogue of Encouraged Industries for Foreign Investment 2022:



Reference:
 • Catalogue of Encouraged Industries for Foreign Investment (2022 edition) (in Chinese)
https://www.gov.cn/zhengce/2022-11/29/content_5730383.htm

High-Quality Development in Guangdong

In May 2023, Guangdong released a policy document to further clarify its goals and principal tasks for future development in the new era. As the document explains, Guangdong aims to achieve new progress in high-quality development by 2027, with greater independent innovation capability, more coordinated urban-rural development, steady growth of the open economy, positive progress in eco-environmental development, and a considerable improvement in living standards. By 2035, it will have taken further strides in all these areas, and built strong foundations for achieving socialist modernization.

Highlight 1 Promoting the GBA as a vital driver for high-quality development

In building the GBA, Guangdong will plan and execute projects effectively, transform a long-term vision into practical actions, prioritize the people's well-being, build a world-class bay area, and shape it into the best of its kind.

Key measures

Prioritize the role of the GBA as an International Sci-Tech Innovation Center	Promote the development of Hengqin, Qianhai and Nansha platforms
Extend the implementation of the GBA Connectivity Initiative	Facilitate the role of Guangzhou and Shenzhen as core engines for development

Highlight 2 Steadily and effectively expanding domestic demand

Guangdong will steadfastly implement the strategy of expanding domestic demand, tap its full potential, and accelerate its integration into the unified national market. It will capitalize on the role of domestic demand in driving growth so as to strengthen and expand China's internal economic flows.

Key measures

Upgrade consumption	Expand effective investment
Create efficient, smooth, and modern economic flows	

Highlight 3

Safeguarding the fundamental role of the manufacturing industry

Guangdong will remain committed to deepening the supply-side structural reform and creating a manufacturing powerhouse. As part of the drive for modernization, it will focus on major industries, platforms, projects, enterprises, and the environment, and accelerate the upgrading and development of its industrial structure.

Key measures

Build modern industrial clusters	Cultivate world-class business clusters
Create high-level industrial development platforms	Attract and execute high-quality industrial projects

Highlight 4

Advancing self-reliance in high-quality sci-tech

Guangdong will prioritize the development of education, self-reliance in science and technology, and talent-driven innovation, and accelerate the creation of a whole-process innovation-driven chain that encompasses basic research, technological breakthroughs, industrialization of results, fintech, and talent support.

Key measures

Build an enterprise-oriented innovation system	Promote demand-driven sci-tech breakthroughs
Strengthen education and talent support for sci-tech innovation	

Highlight 5

Deepening reform and opening up to stimulate vitality

Guangdong will continue to take advantage of the reform and opening up policy, vigorously promote reform and innovation, expand high-level opening up, and broaden the development space for China's path to modernization.

Key measures

Improve institutional mechanisms for integrating the development of various market entities	Establish new systems for a more open economy
Build a market-oriented and law-based international business environment	

Highlight 6

Coordinating urban-rural development

Guangdong will fully implement the rural revitalization and new urbanization strategies, and mobilize efforts on all fronts to press ahead with the "High-quality Development Project for Guangdong Counties, Towns and Villages," so as to raise the level and quality of coordinated urban-rural development.

Key measures

Develop and boost county economies	Accelerate agricultural and rural modernization
Promote new urbanization	Strengthen regional coordination and cooperation

Highlight 7

Promoting the green development

Guangdong will coordinate industrial restructuring, pollution control, eco-environmental conservation, and climate response, and make concerted efforts to cut carbon emissions, reduce pollution, and increase green areas so as to manifest the concept of "lucid waters and lush mountains are invaluable assets" in the new era.

Key measures

Advance the Green and Beautiful Guangdong Campaign	Intensify efforts in pollution control and environmental protection
Embrace a green and low-carbon approach to work and daily life	

Reference:

- Opinions of the Guangdong Provincial Committee of the CPC and the People's Government of Guangdong Province on High-Quality Development of Guangdong Province in the New Era (in Chinese)
http://www.gd.gov.cn/gdywdt/gdyw/content/post_4188047.html



Guangdong's key industries

With a solid industrial foundation providing complete support facilities and a complete industrial chain, Guangdong has formed an efficient industrial configuration with Hong Kong and Macao.

01 Advanced Manufacturing

On June 1, 2023, Guangdong introduced a package of 22 policies to promote the high-quality development of the manufacturing industry.

Goals

By 2027, the value added of the manufacturing industry will account for more than 35 percent of the province's GDP. Together with producer services the figure will be 65 percent. the value added of high-tech manufacturing will be 33 percent of the total of **industrial enterprises above the designated size**¹. The labor productivity of manufacturing enterprises above the designated size will reach 370,000 RMB per person, while the annual average year-on-year increase in industrial investment will exceed 100 billion RMB. More than ten strategic industrial clusters will be cultivated, each with an output value exceeding one trillion RMB, and over ten manufacturing enterprises will make it to the Fortune Global 500 list.

By 2035, the value added of the manufacturing sector and producer services will remain at about 70 percent of the GDP. A basic modern industrial system will be established. Manufacturing industry will reach an advanced level, positioning Guangdong as a manufacturing heartland. The goal of establishing the province as a manufacturing powerhouse in all respects will be accomplished.

Footnote 1: It refers to industrial enterprises with revenue from principal activities over 20 million RMB.

Main Tasks

- Build an internationally competitive modern industrial system
- Establish a number of world-leading industrial development platforms
- Become a top destination for major projects and investments nationwide and worldwide
- Cultivate world-class business clusters
- Build a world-class manufacturing heartland

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http://www.gd.gov.cn/gdywdt/gdyw/content/post_4190174.html
- The 14th "Five-Year Plan" on High-Quality Manufacturing Development in Guangdong (in Chinese)
<http://www.gd.gov.cn/attachment/0/438/438152/3496256.pdf>

The ★ shows the importance of the industrial clusters in difference cites.

Core cities are marked with ★★☆☆, key cities with ★★☆☆, general cities with ★☆☆; Cities not marked with any stars are encouraged to develop based on their actual situation.

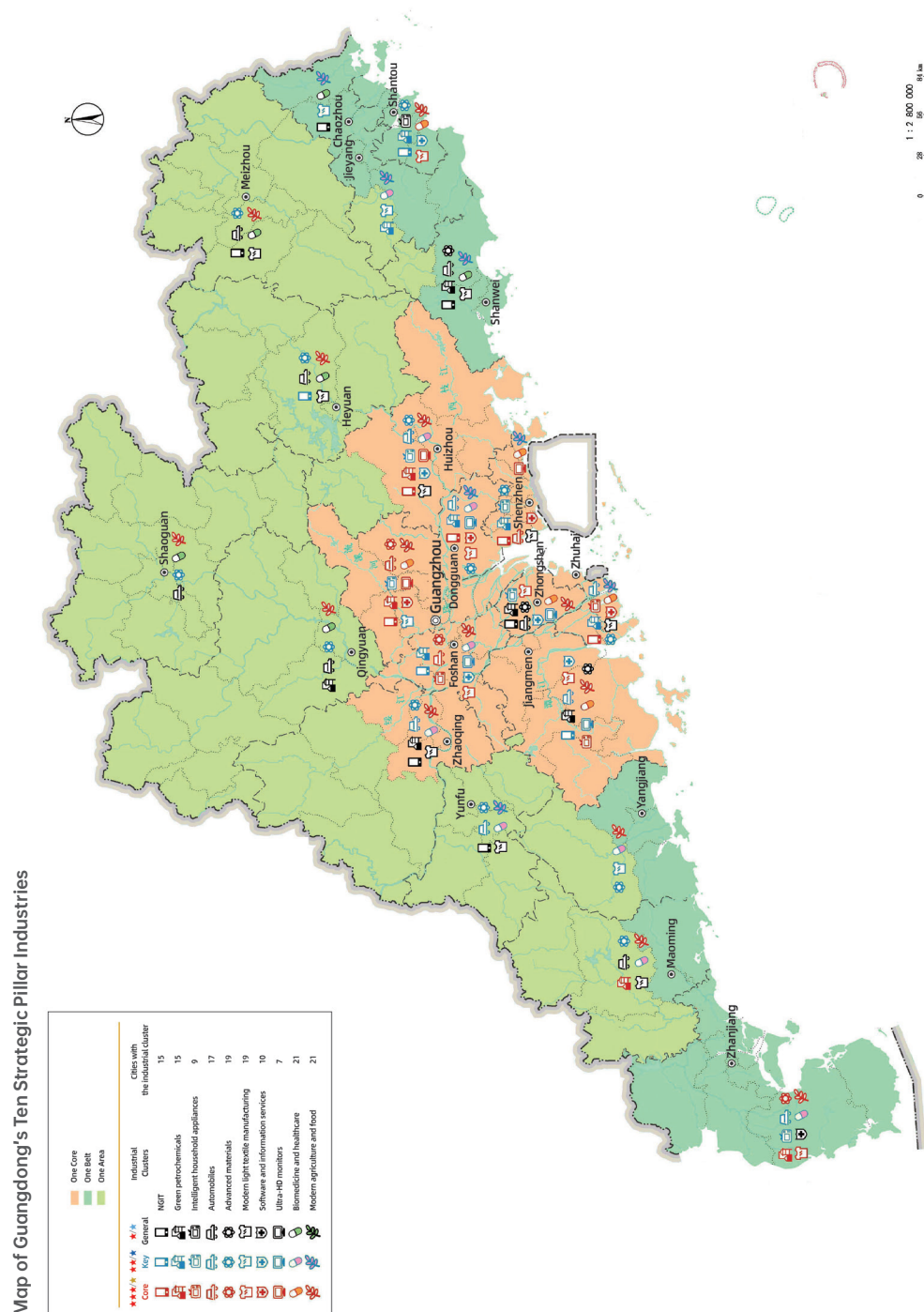
Layout of Ten Strategic Pillar Industries (Map in P20)

Industrial Clusters	The Pearl River Delta										East Wing of Coastal Economic Belt				West Wing of Coastal Economic Belt			Northern Ecological Development Area					Number of cities with the industrial cluster
	Guangzhou	Shenzhen	Zhuhai	Foshan	Dongguan	Huizhou	Zhangzhou	Jiangmen	Zhaoqing	Shantou	Shanwei	Jieyang	Qiongzhou	Zhanjiang	Maoming	Jiangling	Shaoqian	Meizhou	Hepu	Qingyuan	Yunli		
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Intelligent household appliances	★	★	★	★		★	★	★		★				★								9	
Automobiles	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★		★			★	★		★	★	★	★	★	17	
Advanced materials	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★			★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	19	
Modern light textile manufacturing	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★		★	★		★	19	
Software and information services	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★		★				★								10	
Ultra-HD monitors	★	★		★	★	★	★	★														7	
Biomedicine and healthcare	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	21	
Modern agriculture and food	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	21	
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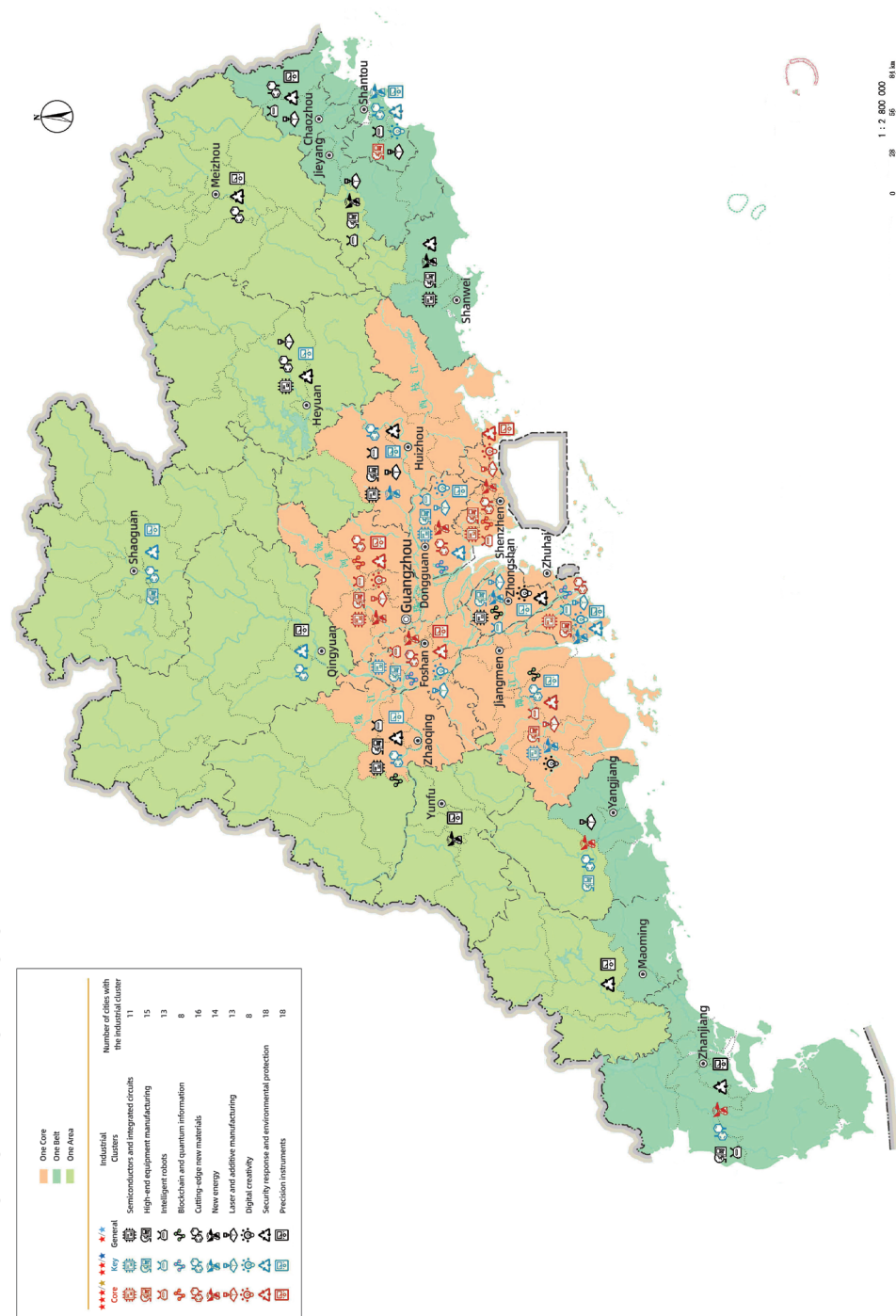
Layout of Ten Strategic Emerging Industries (Map in P21)

Industrial Clusters	The Pearl River Delta										East Wing of Coastal Economic Belt				West Wing of Coastal Economic Belt			Northern Ecological Development Area					Number of cities with the industrial cluster
	Guangzhou	Shenzhen	Zhuhai	Foshan	Dongguan	Huizhou	Zhangzhou	Jiangmen	Zhaoqing	Shantou	Shanwei	Jieyang	Qiongzhou	Zhanjiang	Maoming	Jiangling	Shaoqian	Meizhou	Hepu	Qingyuan	Yunli		
Semiconductors and integrated circuits	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★		★								★			11	
High-end equipment manufacturing	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★		★		★	★					15	
Intelligent robots	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★		★	★	★								13	
Blockchain and quantum information	★	★	★	★	★		★	★	★													8	
Cutting-edge new materials	★	★	★	★	★	★		★	★	★			★	★		★	★	★	★	★	★	16	
New energy	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★		★	★	★		★		★					★	14	
Laser and additive manufacturing	★	★	★	★	★	★	★	★		★		★	★		★				★			13	
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Number of pillar industrial clusters in each city	10	10	10	10	10	8	9	10	7	8	4	4	5	6	2	4	4	3	5	3	2		

Overall Layout of Guangdong's Manufacturing Industry during the 14th Five-Year Plan Period



Map of Guangdong's Ten Strategic Emerging Industries



02 Modern Service Industries

Guangdong will upgrade modern service industries and establish closer cooperation with Hong Kong and Macao. The province will make productive services more professional and raise them up the value chain. Consumer services will be diverse and of high quality, and greater efforts will be made to encourage emerging services.

Building a Robust Digital Economy

Guangdong has carried out measures to boost the all-round development of a robust digital economy, including upgrading digital infrastructure, promoting digital industrialization and industrial digitalization, and improving digital public services.

High-Quality Development of Trade in Services

Trade in services constitutes a crucial part of international trade and an important area of international economic and trade cooperation. Guangdong has implemented an action plan to promote high-quality development of trade in services along four axes:

Accelerate the development of emerging trade in services.

Guangdong will develop trade in digital, technology, professional services and financial services, strengthen IPR protection and use, foster digital trade carriers and digital services export clusters, and establish a national digital trade demonstration zone.

Promote the transformation and upgrading of traditional trade in services.

Guangdong will speed up the digital transformation of traditional trade, develop trade in tourism, transport, culture, TCM, and service outsourcing, and establish a pilot area for global trade digitalization in the GBA.

Cultivate service trade subjects and platforms.

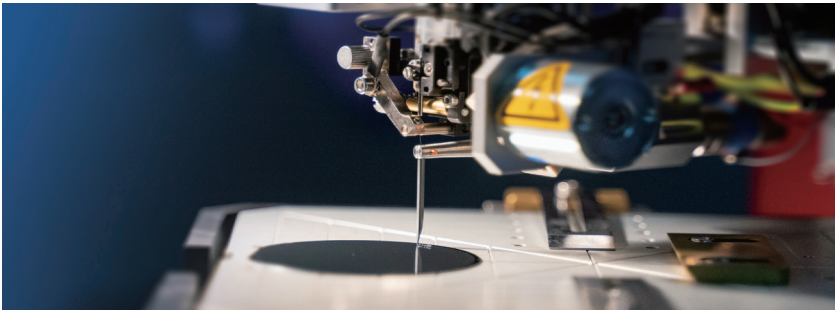
Guangdong will cultivate market players in services, expand the reform of trade in services in Hengqin and Qianhai cooperation zones, help to strengthen key trade service platforms, and organize high-standard exhibitions, including the GBA Fairs for Trade in Services.

Optimize the promotion system for trade in services.

Guangdong will strengthen policy guidance for trade in services and outbound investment cooperation in the service sector, promote stable and orderly outbound investment of enterprises in the productive services industry, increase financial support, facilitate trade in services, and improve data gathering for trade in services.

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03 Sci-tech Innovation Industry

Guangdong tops the country in key innovation indicators such as the number of R&D specialists, high-tech enterprises, valid invention patents and PCT international patent applications. In 2022, the province's investment in R&D reached 420 billion RMB and the number of high-tech enterprises increased to 69,000.

During the 14th Five-Year Plan period, Guangdong will focus on sci-tech innovation and implement ten key action plans in following areas:

Major Sci-tech Infrastructure Construction	New Round of Provincial R&D Programs in Key Areas
Laboratories	Development in High-tech Districts
Construction of GBA National Technological Innovation Center	Development of Sci-tech Incubation Systems
Basic and Applied Research	Development of Sci-tech Enterprises
Research on Frontier and Disruptive Technologies	Sci-tech Talent Team Building

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Investment Incentives

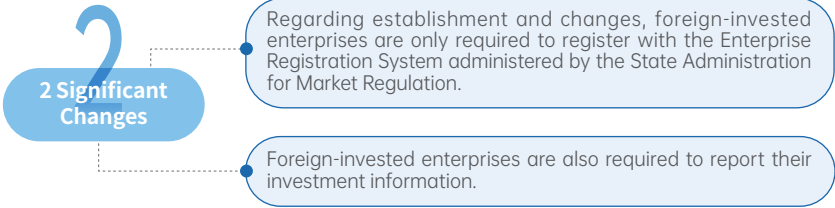
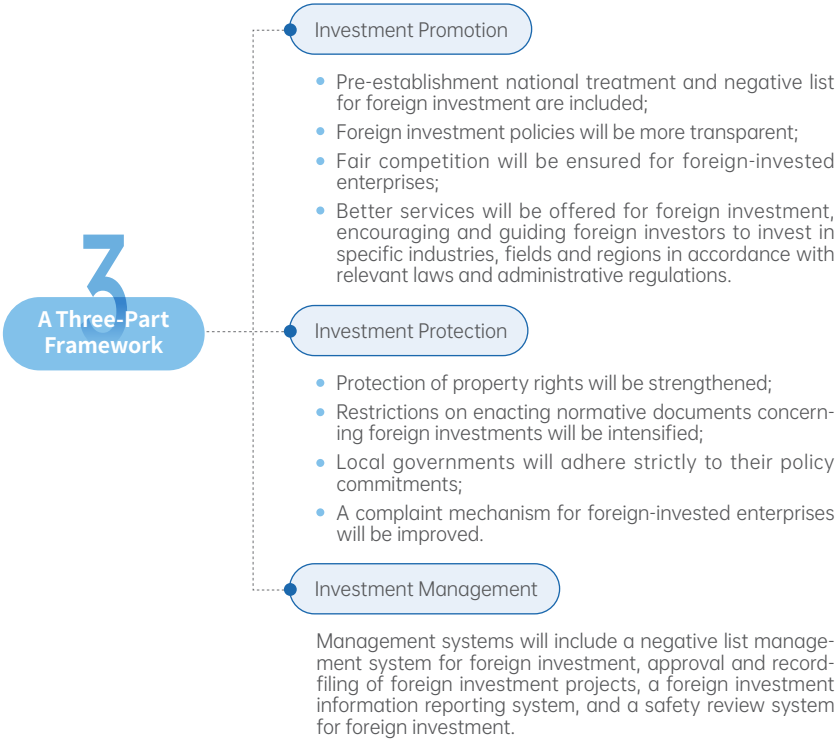
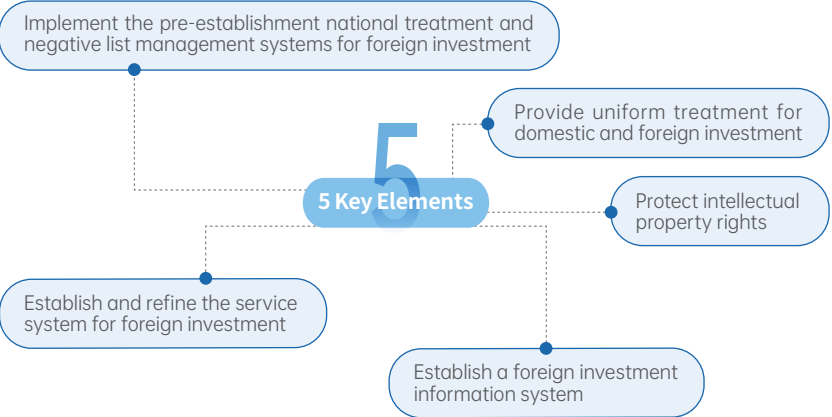
This year marks the 45th anniversary of China's reform and opening up. As essential participants in China's reform and opening up, foreign investors have witnessed and benefited from the great success of the country's economic transformation over the past decades. Guangdong has shown great initiative in reforming its market to attract foreign investment.

With the implementation of the *Foreign Investment Law of the People's Republic of China*, Guangdong continues to improve market access, IPR protection, government services, and law-based governance, ensuring foreign investors' legitimate rights and interests are protected while creating a stable, fair, transparent, and predictable business environment.



Foreign Investment Law

The promulgation of the *Foreign Investment Law* is a move to expand opening up further and promote foreign investment. Under the Law, foreign investors' legitimate rights and interests are better protected, and the management of foreign-invested projects is better regulated. The Law, which came into force on January 1, 2020, also serves as the fundamental law on foreign investment in China, replacing three previous laws on foreign investment.



Reference:

- Foreign Investment Law of the People's Republic of China
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Investment Policies of Guangdong Province

01 The Regulations on Optimizing the Business Environment in Guangdong Province

In 2022, Guangdong's legislature voted to adopt new regulations to further optimize the business environment and stimulate the vitality of market entities and overall capacity for innovation. The regulations took effect on July 1, 2022.

Highlights of the Regulations



- Strengthen marketing policies

All marketing policies will be strengthened involving factor resources including workforce, land, capital, technology and data.

- Increase support for SMEs

Micro, small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) will be provided with support in terms of financing, business loans and government procurement.

- Strengthen exchanges and cooperation with Hong Kong and Macao

This will include aligning the rules and mechanisms in terms of investment and trade, market access, recognition of standards, property rights protection, and government and legal services, whilst also facilitating the free flow and allocation of various cross-border factors.

- Improve foreign-related legal services

The working mechanism for foreign-related legal services will be improved, and the development of foreign legal institutions and the cultivation of foreign legal talent will be strengthened.

- Build a foreign-related legal service platform

A foreign-related legal service platform for parties involved in both supply and demand will be built, and lawyers and other legal service talents will be encouraged to play a role in overseas investment decision-making, project evaluation, and risk prevention for different market entities.

Reference:

- Regulations on Optimizing the Business Environment in Guangdong Province (in Chinese)
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02 The Regulations on Protection of Rights and Interests of Foreign Investors in Guangdong Province

The Regulations on Protection of Rights and Interests of Foreign Investors in Guangdong Province came into force on March 1, 2022. These regulations were China's first local version of foreign investment regulations dedicated to protecting the rights and interests of foreign investors.

1. Emphasis on equal protection

The province will implement pre-establishment national treatment and the negative list for foreign investment.

People's governments at all levels and their related departments will treat foreign-invested enterprises and domestic-invested enterprises equally in government funding arrangements, government investment projects, land supply, tax relief, qualifications and permits, standards formulation, etc. No discriminatory policies or measures will be formulated or implemented.

2. Equal access to government procurement

Regarding government procurement participation, people's governments at all levels and their related departments will ensure foreign-invested enterprises can participate equally in government procurement. Purchasers and purchasing agencies will treat foreign-invested enterprises equally in terms of releasing government procurement information, determining supplier conditions and review qualifications, and devising bid evaluation criteria.

Foreign-invested enterprises will have the right to equal participation in the R&D of public service platforms and applications for scientific and technological programs of governments, in addition to enjoying equal access to support policies. Large research instruments and major scientific and technological infrastructure will be open to foreign investors and foreign-invested enterprises.

3. Multifaceted reinforcement of IPR protection

They propose to establish a cross-regional, inter-departmental fast response mechanism to protect IPR, putting in place a complete set of administrative law enforcement systems related to IPR protection, and handling infringements of IPR owned by foreign investors and foreign-invested enterprises.

People's governments at or above county level must make sure foreign-invested enterprises can make fair use of public service resources related to IPR in accordance with the law, and have access to services concerning fast review, ownership confirmation, and protection of IPR.

People's courts at all levels must take up, investigate, and rule on applications for preservation of IPR-related evidence, behavior, and property filed by foreign investors and foreign-invested enterprises promptly. Punitive damages will be applied to the intentional infringements of IPRs, if the circumstances are severe.



4. Complaint handling for foreign investors

The Regulations also specify the time limit for handling complaints. After receiving a complaint filed by a foreign investor or foreign-invested enterprise, the handling agencies will decide whether to accept the complaint within five working days. The agencies will settle a complaint within twenty working days from the date when the complaint is accepted.

5. Exploration of pilot policies in Guangdong FTZ

In terms of talent policy, the Regulations propose that commerce and other relevant departments of the provincial people's government should leverage the pilot role of the Guangdong FTZ by following the development strategy for the GBA, exploring experimental policy measures for protecting foreign investors' rights and interests, and accumulating replicable and scalable experience. The Regulations stipulate that high-end, urgently-needed foreign talent identified in the GBA will be entitled to entry and exit, visit and residency, and other preferential measures as stipulated.

In terms of work permits, the Regulations stipulate that when foreign-invested enterprises apply for work permits for high-end foreign talent they have introduced, restrictions on age, education, and work experience may be waived. Work permit applications for foreign professionals introduced by foreign-invested enterprises may be subject to moderately relaxed restrictions on age, education, and work experience.

Reference:

- The Regulations on Protection of Rights and Interests of Foreign Investors in Guangdong Province (Bilingual version)

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03 Guangdong Intellectual Property Rights Protection Regulations

Guangdong Intellectual Property Rights Protection Regulations came into force in May 2022, designed to strengthen IPR protection, efficiently promote IPR use, and encourage innovation.

1. Strict IPR protection policies



- Delineate severe penalties for IPR infringements
- Promote the construction of an IPR credit system and establish a disciplinary system for breaches of trust
- Launch special actions for IPR protection, and ramp up efforts to investigate and combat repeated infringements, malicious infringements, and group infringements
- Effectively regulate the fast track for patent application and confirmation of rights, trademark protection, copyright protection of works, trade secret protection, IPR protection for time-honored brands, and protection of new fields and new forms of business. The government also plans to intensify administrative guidance, and explore IPR protection in new fields and forms of business

2. Extensive IPR protection structure

- Introduce an IPR analysis and review system and mechanism
- Establish and improve the IPR enforcement collaboration mechanism, and strengthen IPR protection at the administrative level
- Intensify intelligent IPR protection and explore an intelligent, efficient and collaborative digital IPR protection system
- Establish a compatibility mechanism between administrative law enforcement and criminal justice for IPR protection, coordinate the compatibility of criteria for administrative enforcement and judicial filing, prosecution, and adjudication
- Encourage non-governmental engagement, establish and improve the multiple settlement mechanism for IPR disputes, and create a favorable environment for IPR protection
- Establish and improve public services, optimize government services, provide risk warning services, promote the IPR service industry, strengthen the professionalization and standardization of IPR appraisal, establish and improve the IPR work assessment mechanism, and promote the construction of an IPR credit system

3. Implement key measures for prompt IPR protection

- ✎ Establish a rapid patent review mechanism to expedite patent application and confirmation of rights for national key development industries, strategic emerging industries in the province, etc.
- ✎ Build a prompt IPR protection mechanism, and provide support for advantageous industry clusters to set up IPR protection centers and rapid rights protection centers
- ✎ Establish a rapid processing mechanism for patent infringement disputes, etc.
- ✎ Reinforce the use of mediation to resolve IPR disputes

4. More cooperation with Hong Kong and Macao to provide overseas IPR protection

- ✎ Strengthen the GBA IPR Cooperation Mechanism, and promote collaboration in IPR protection, dispute resolution, information sharing, academic research, and talent training through the IPR cooperation mechanisms in Guangdong-Hong Kong, Guangdong-Macao, and the Pan-Pearl River Delta regions
- ✎ Step up efforts to provide IPR protection support at home and abroad:
 - Establish a sound system for IPR protection support and IPR protection aid organizations
 - Encourage insurance institutions to carry out IPR insurance business pursuant to the needs of IPR protection, overseas rights protection, etc.
 - Establish and improve guidance mechanisms for dealing with overseas IPR disputes to improve overseas IPR protection services
 - Help IPR-related NPOs provide guidance for dealing with overseas disputes, encourage the establishment of overseas working mechanisms for IPR protection, create expert, case and law libraries for overseas rights protection, and offer overseas rights protection services
 - Guide enterprises, industry associations and chambers of commerce of key industries to establish overseas IPR protection alliances, set up overseas IPR assistance funds, and improve the ability to deal with overseas IPR disputes

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- Guangdong Intellectual Property Rights Protection Regulations (in Chinese)
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- Notice of the General Office of the People's Government of Guangdong Province on Printing and Issuing the 14th Five-Year Plan for Intellectual Property Rights Protection and application (in Chinese)
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04 Several Measures to Promote the High-Quality Development of Investment Promotion in Guangdong Province

In 2023, Guangdong is rolling out a range of policy measures to promote high-quality investment, optimize the investment environment, and increase efficient investment.

The policy highlights for foreign investors:

- Encourage foreign investment in high-end manufacturing, such as green petrochemicals, advanced materials, semiconductors and integrated circuits.
- Exempt tariffs and value-added and consumption taxes for eligible sci-tech goods imported by the certified foreign R&D centers.
- Boost efforts to attract multinationals to set up regional headquarters in Guangdong and arrange special financial incentives for foreign investment.
- Organize high-level GBA multinational forums on a regular basis and hold the Global Investment Conference for the GBA every year.
- Strengthen the protection of foreign investors' rights and interests and level the playing field for foreign and domestic businesses to participate in government procurement and standard-setting.
- Optimize the market environment for fair competition, strengthen the protection of IP rights, and standardize inspections and law enforcement related to enterprises.
- Improve Guangdong's global investment attraction network through overseas economic and trade offices (representative offices), chambers of commerce, and overseas Chinese groups.
- Provide one-stop approval services for foreigner's work and residence permits and implement individual income tax preferential policies in the GBA.
- Build a digital platform for business and investment attraction, which can provide functions including information release, review, statistics, and government / enterprise communication.



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05 Several Measures to Promote Stable Growth of Foreign Trade in Guangdong Province

On March 2, 2023, Guangdong released the first batch of nine policy packages to support businesses in achieving high-quality development. One of these was to promote the stability in the scale of foreign trade and optimize its structure.

1. Increase cargo transport routes by sea and air

To accelerate the import and export of goods, the province will increase sea and air cargo transport routes and fully resume land transport links with Hong Kong.

2. Help companies get more overseas orders

Guangdong plans to organize 242 overseas exhibitions under the "Cantonese Business Go Global" project and encourage over 10,000 companies to explore overseas markets.

3. Provide more financial support for export-oriented companies



Guangdong will further increase the credit for export-oriented companies to meet their financing needs. It will fully leverage financing platforms featuring government, bank and enterprise cooperation to reduce financing costs and exchange risks for SMEs. An annual sum of 100 billion USD will be arranged for export credit insurance coverage.

4. Optimize foreign trade structure

The province manages to stabilize traditional robust industries such as electronic information and home appliances and foster thriving industries such as automobiles, new energy batteries and photovoltaic cells. Efforts will also be made to accelerate the construction of six major import bases for bulk commodities, electronic components, aeroplanes, automobiles, agricultural byproducts, and medium and high-end consumer goods and develop them as import hubs. The catalogue of imported subsidized products will be optimized to ensure full coverage for eligible products and boost the import of advanced technologies and equipment.

5. Build cross-border e-commerce industrial parks and overseas warehouses

The province will build a number of cross-border e-commerce industrial parks and overseas warehouses and promote the development of leading export-oriented enterprises. It will expand the global bonded maintenance business, stabilize market procurement trade, and encourage enterprises to build export brands.

06 Several Measures to Promote Orderly Industrial Transfer and Facilitate Coordinated Regional Development

In March 2023, Guangdong issued a set of measures to promote orderly industrial transfer and facilitate coordinated regional development. These are designed to give greater support to the province's eastern, western and northern regions so that these places can better benefit from orderly industrial transfer, especially from the Pearl River Delta, and gain impetus for further development.

1. Expand cross-regional industrial cooperation

Guangdong will improve the working mechanism for market entities to participate in the industrial transfer. It plans to establish and enhance the service mechanism for private and foreign-funded enterprises to provide better services for enterprises and projects relocated in eastern, western and northern Guangdong.

2. Build a batch of industrial parks for the relocation of industries

Guangdong will promote the standard for constructing parks for firms' relocation in eastern, western and northern Guangdong. It supports the industrial parks in these regions to enhance their facilities, including road, water supply, drainage, electricity and network.

3. Foster characteristic industrial clusters in eastern, western and northern Guangdong

Guangdong supports eastern, western and northern Guangdong in building large-scale processing trade manufacturing bases to undertake the relocation of processing trades from the Pearl River Delta. Ecological development areas in northern Guangdong are encouraged to undertake the relocation of competitive industries such as new materials, biomedicine and health care, resource processing and clean energy. Resource-depleted areas are supported to develop alternative industries.

4. Provide more support for production factors

Guangdong will reinforce the role of production factors in terms of land use, fiscal and financial backup, and energy use and implement sci-tech and talent policies.

5. Create a favourable development environment

Guangdong will step up efforts to optimize the business environment and facilitate the circulation network.

Reference:

- Several Measures to Promote Orderly Industrial Transfer and Facilitate Coordinated Regional Development (in Chinese)
http://www.gd.gov.cn/gdywdt/gdyw/content/post_4139523.html

07 Measures to Encourage Multinational Companies to Establish Regional Headquarters in Guangdong Province (Revised Edition)

1. Definition of regional headquarters of a multinational company

The regional headquarters of a multinational company is a legal entity established in Guangdong by an overseas multinational company in forms such as an investment company or a management company, to undertake functions such as fund management, research and development, procurement, sales, logistics, settlements, support services, etc. for several enterprises across regions (including countries or regions) through investment and other forms of authorization. Quasi-headquarters institutions established by foreign multinational companies in Guangdong, which undertake parts of the regional headquarters functions, shall be deemed regional headquarters.

2. Conditions for regional headquarters of multinational companies

- The applicant meets the definition above.
- The applicant must be an independent legal person, with paid-in registered capital of no less than 2 million USD, and its registered address and main business premise must be within Guangdong.
- The applicant must be authorized to manage no less than three domestic and overseas independent legal person enterprises, among which at least one is registered outside of Guangdong.
- The total assets of the overseas parent company must be no less than 200 million USD. For a regional headquarters established by an enterprise in the service industry, the total assets of its overseas parent company must not be less than 100 million USD.

3. Conditions for regional quasi-headquarters institutions of multinational companies

- The applicant actually assumes part of the regional headquarters functions of a multinational company.
- The applicant's registered address and main business premise must be within Guangdong. It should be an independent legal person, with paid-in registered capital of no less than 1 million USD. For a branch, the amount of working capital appropriated by its head office must not be less than 1 million USD.
- The applicant must be authorized to manage no less than three domestic and overseas independent legal person enterprises, among which at least one enterprise is registered outside of Guangdong.
- The total assets of the overseas parent company must be no less than 100 million USD, and the accumulative registered capital paid by the head office in the Chinese mainland must be no less than 2 million USD.

4. Recognition procedures

The applicant should apply for recognition to the municipal commerce authorities above prefecture level in the jurisdiction where it operates. The Department of Commerce of Guangdong Province will organize reviews of applications submitted from different areas on a regular basis, and announce the results after seeking the opinions of the relevant members of the Joint Meetings.

5. Financial rewards

Qualified regional headquarters of multinational companies may apply for financial awards pursuant to relevant provisions.

6. Financing issues

Regional headquarters/quasi-headquarters institutions of multinational companies may conduct various cross-border RMB and foreign exchange businesses. Regional headquarters/quasi-headquarters institutions of multinational companies set up in the Guangdong FTZ may open FT accounts that integrate Renminbi and foreign currencies into one account to handle current accounts and capital accounts applicable to and carried out in the Guangdong FTZ and related business.

7. Entry and exit

Expatriates employed by regional headquarters/quasi-headquarters institutions of multinational companies may apply for a work-type residence permit valid for five years. High-level foreign talent may apply for a foreigner's work permit in China. Expatriates invited by regional headquarters/quasi-headquarters institutions of multinational companies to China for urgent business matters may apply for a port visa, and upon entry into China submit the relevant materials to apply for a multiple-entry visa or a residence permit valid for five years. Convenient arrangements will be provided for the outbound business trips of Chinese mainland employees.

8. Talent support

Guangdong will include eligible senior management of regional headquarters/quasi-headquarters institutions of multinational companies and other talent as the service targets of the Guangdong Superior Talent Card, and a cardholder, together with his/her spouse and minor children, will enjoy the same treatment as local residents. Convenient arrangements will be made for expatriate senior management personnel working in regional headquarters/quasi-headquarters institutions of multinational companies, to allow their family members to enter and exit, stay and reside in China. Their children may apply for school enrollment as international students.

Reference:

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08 Ten Policies and Measures for Investing in Advanced Manufacturing in Guangdong

1. Strengthen guidance for different regions and sectors

Focus on the ten strategic pillar industrial clusters and ten strategic emerging industrial clusters, proactively introducing advanced manufacturing projects with strong industrial drive, and advanced green and low-carbon technology

2. Increase incentives for manufacturing investments



Special development funds for advanced manufacturing have been set up. Specific measures include a reward scheme for investments; supporting the R&D, popularization, and application of major new technical equipment; rewarding large-scale technical renovation projects of the 20 strategic industrial clusters

3. Integrate domestic and foreign investment in the whole industrial chain

- ✎ • Hold regular investment promotion conferences at all levels
- ✎ • Establish an industrial chain investment promotion alliance, and create an industrial investment database listing target enterprises
- ✎ • Establish synergies with major national strategies, strengthen interconnections with Hong Kong and Macao, and promote complementary investment across the industrial chain

4. Develop science and technology innovation platforms

- ✎ • For each strategic industrial cluster, establish at least one provincial technology innovation center, one industrial innovation center, or one manufacturing innovation center
- ✎ • Support the establishment of new types of R&D institutes, and encourage existing R&D institutes to launch sub centers and labs in Guangdong
- ✎ • Accelerate the construction of national and provincial quality inspection centers
- ✎ • Accelerate the construction of new types of infrastructure including 5G and industrial Internet platform

5. Strengthen the supply of resources

The province will allocate land use quotas for advanced manufacturing projects in advance every year. If an eligible advanced manufacturing project in a prefecture-level city is not able to get sufficient indicators in the current year, it may apply to the province for in-advance land use quotas

6. Improve the environmental impact assessment ("EIA") service

The EIA approval process can be handled in one step if the relevant documents are prepared in accordance with spatial planning, environmental management standards, and technical guidelines and norms, and as long as they comply with relevant laws and regulations

7. Strengthen financial and industrial funding support

- ✎ • Support financial organizations to grant more credits to enterprises and projects in strategic industrial clusters
- ✎ • Guide financial institutions to improve their credit management mechanisms
- ✎ • Encourage cities to set up special teams for financial and credit work for key advanced manufacturing projects within their jurisdiction
- ✎ • Encourage insurance institutions to develop exclusive insurance products

8. Strengthen support for high-quality talent

- ✎ • Encourage more training programs for cultivating skilled workers and projects to introduce talent within the GBA
- ✎ • Guidance will be provided for vocational colleges (including technical schools) to emphasize the 20 highlighted industries in their education and training

9. Build platforms to carry out high-level projects

- ✎ • Encourage cities to delegate more administrative authority to industrial parks where appropriate
- ✎ • Accelerate the construction of provincial high-tech industrial development zones in advanced manufacturing, and plan new provincial industrial parks

10. Strengthen overall planning and coordination

- ✎ • A work system will be introduced whereby provincial leaders maintain direct contact with several strategic industrial clusters, and an expert consultation system will be established. The 20 strategic industrial clusters will be paired up with provincial leaders, leading departments, and support departments
- ✎ • Encourage companies, especially Fortune Global 500 companies and global industry-leading enterprises, to launch more advanced manufacturing projects in Guangdong, using the existing incentive mechanisms

Reference:

- Several Policies and Measures for Boosting Investment and Construction of Advanced Manufacturing Projects in Guangdong (in Chinese)
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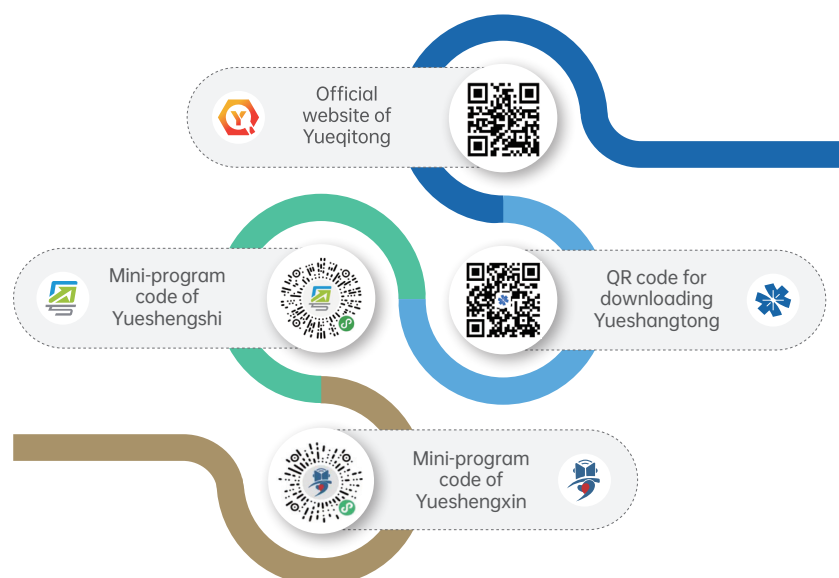
Investment Services

Guangdong is pressing ahead with the reform and construction of a digital government and the creation of a market-based, law-based, and international business environment so as to provide convenient services for enterprises. The province has also continued to lift restrictions on market access and created a more attractive investment environment in entry clearance, enterprise establishment, foreign exchange administration and tax administration. Currently, Guangdong is working with Hong Kong and Macao to improve public services in education, culture, medical care, elderly care, tourism, and create an ideal environment for living, working, and traveling.

Digital Government 2.0

On June 26, 2023, Guangdong detailed measures to further reform in the construction of a digital government.

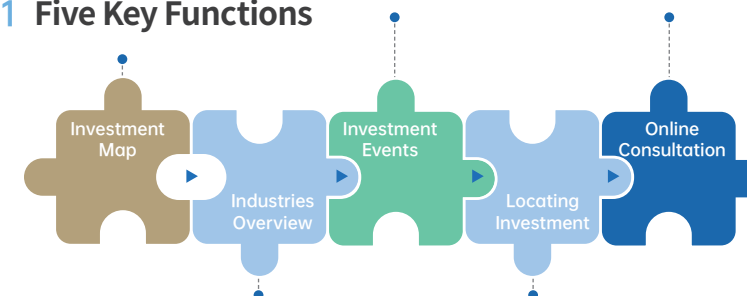
In recent years, Guangdong has strengthened the application of administrative mobile service platforms such as Yueqitong, Yueshangtong, Yueshengshi, and Yueshengxin by launching digital reform of government affairs.



Guangdong Investment Promotion Platform

The Guangdong Investment Promotion Platform, commonly known as "Invest Guangdong", is an important portal providing an investment and business guide for domestic and foreign investors. Bringing together information on resources such as business parks, plots, buildings, factories, and projects, along with information on leading industries, utility prices, and supporting facilities, it provides a dynamically updated investment database and map to enable efficient site selection for businesses and cut negotiation costs for all parties involved.

01 Five Key Functions



- Investment Map:** providing investment resources across the province, allowing users to submit proposals directly to investment promotion departments.
- Industries Overview:** covering diverse industrial information and recommending latest news about industrial resources.
- Investment Events:** presenting the latest investment events in the province, allowing enterprises to view event details and register online.
- Locating Investment:** helping enterprises find suitable business parks, plots, factories, buildings, etc. by browsing through the options of industries and regions.
- Online Consultation:** allowing enterprises to initiate online consultation regarding their required resources, and interact with investment promotion departments to obtain more details.

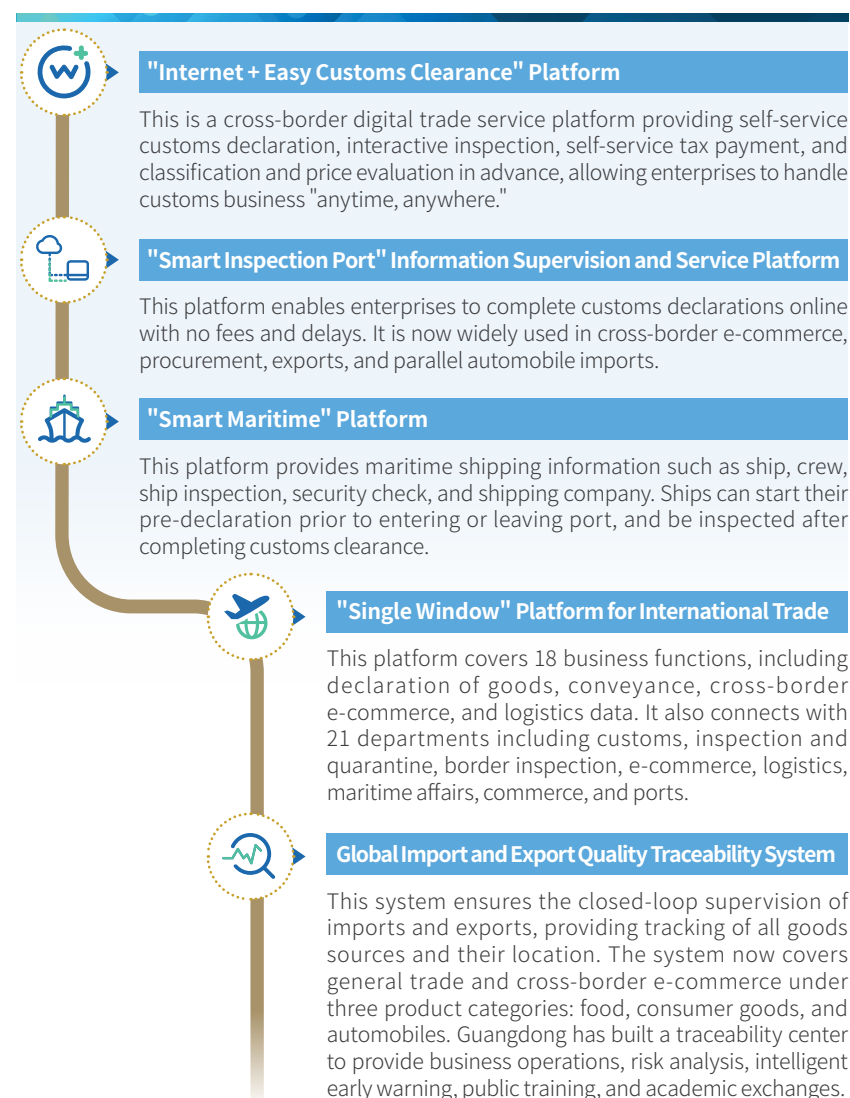
02 How to access the platform

- APP:** Scan the QR code on the right to download Yueshangtong, and click the "Investment Promotion Platform" module or the "Investment and Business Guide" button on the homepage.
- WeChat Mini-Program:** Scan the mini-program code on the right using WeChat.
- Website:** <https://tzgd.gdzwfw.gov.cn/#/index>



Trade Customs Clearance

In recent years, Guangdong has adopted innovative measures, including online platforms that help improve the efficiency of customs clearance, port inspection, and international trade, designed to create a fast channel that is free of charge and unrestricted and does not require any physical presence.



Reference:
• Exclusive website for enterprises in Guangdong FTZ (in Chinese)
<https://apps.gdzwfw.gov.cn/portal-ftz/>

Convenient Investment

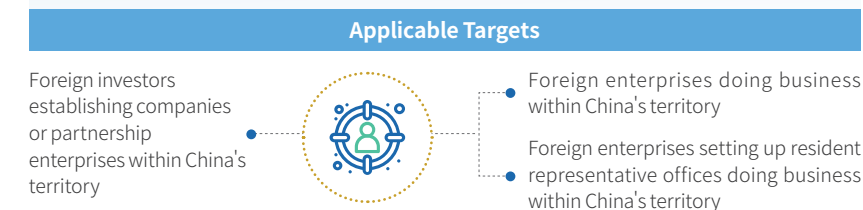
01 Establishment and Modification procedures for Foreign-invested Enterprises

Applicants seeking to establish and register a foreign-invested enterprise should log onto <http://qykb.gdzwfw.gov.cn/qcdzhdj/>. Through the "Start a Business" module, they can submit company information. The system allows applicants to register their company seal, complete the administrative requirements, and apply for official invoices. Users can also download the operation manual.

Hong Kong and Macao residents who register with a mainland travel permit or an ordinary passport for Chinese citizens living overseas for a long time can verify their identity through the management system of registered information.

Reporting of foreign investment information

Foreign-invested enterprises established or altered after January 1, 2020, only need to report their investment information following the *Measures for the Reporting of Foreign Investment Information* and corresponding requirements.



Reporting of modifications

If a domestic company with no foreign investment wishes to become a foreign-invested enterprise, it must submit an initial report online for the modification. In the case of modifications that do not require registration with the market supervision department, such as changes in the actual owners of foreign-invested enterprises, enterprises can report the modification through the online system within 20 workdays after it occurs.

Interconnection of Reports

Initial reports, modifications, cancellations, and annual reports of domestic investment by foreign-invested enterprises (including multi-level investment), are shared with the State Administration for Market Regulation and the Ministry of Commerce.

Reference:
• Foreign Investment Information Reporting and Management System (in Chinese)
<http://qykb.gdzwfw.gov.cn/qcdzhdj/>

02 Foreign Exchange Administration

Since the implementation of the *Foreign Investment Law*, the following preferential policies have been proposed for administering the foreign exchange affairs of foreign investors in China:

- Foreign investors' capital contributions, profits, capital gains, income from asset disposals, royalties from intellectual property rights, lawfully obtained compensation or indemnity, income from liquidation within the territory of China, can be freely transferred in the form of RMB or a foreign currency.
- In carrying out production and other commercial operations, foreign-invested enterprises must conform to all relevant provisions concerning labor protection and social insurance, and handle tax, accounting, and foreign exchange in accordance with China's laws, administrative regulations, and other provisions.
- Concerning foreign investors conducting investment in financial industries such as banking, securities, and insurance, or in financial markets such as the securities and foreign exchanges within the territory of China, if the country stipulates otherwise, such provisions shall prevail.
- Foreign workers in foreign-invested enterprises and workers from Hong Kong, Macao, and Taiwan may freely transfer outward their salaries and other legitimate income in accordance with the law.

03 Preferential Tax Arrangements

China remains the world's second largest recipient of foreign direct investment. Its *Individual Income Tax Law* (IIT Law) has been in effect since January 1, 2019, and some preferential policies are also applicable to foreign individuals working and living in China.

Residents

The threshold of tax deduction is increased to 5,000 RMB per month, and there are specific deductible items. The adjustment of the new IIT law may affect foreign resident taxpayers. Enjoying additional tax deductions and tax-exempt benefits at the same time for the same expenditure is not allowed. Once a taxpayer has chosen which system to apply, it will remain in force until the end of the tax year, and cannot be changed until the following year.

- **Additional tax deductions include:**
the cost of caring for the elderly, children's education, continued education, medical expenses for serious illness, housing loan interest, housing rental and infants.
- **Tax-exempt benefits include:**
rental and meal allowance, laundry, relocation, language training, children's education expenses, allowances for family visits, and business trips at home and abroad.

Table of individual income withholding tax rate

(Applicable to the withholding of residents' individual wages and salaries)

Level	Taxable income (RMB)	Rate (%)	Quick calculation deduction
1	0-36,000	3 %	0
2	36,000-144,000	10 %	2,520
3	144,000-300,000	20 %	16,920
4	300,000-420,000	25 %	31,920
5	420,000-660,000	30 %	52,920
6	660,000-960,000	35 %	85,920
7	Over 960,000	45 %	181,920

Non-Residents

For non-residents, the new IIT tax rate is applied to wages and salaries, income from remuneration for personal service, authors' remuneration, and income from royalties to calculate individual income tax according to the basic standard deduction of 5,000 RMB per month.

Table of individual income withholding tax rate

(Applicable to non-resident individual incomes from wages and salaries and from remuneration for personal service)

Level	Taxable income (RMB)	Rate (%)	Quick calculation deduction
1	0-3,000	3 %	0
2	3,000-12,000	10 %	210
3	12,000-25,000	20 %	1,410
4	25,000-35,000	25 %	2,660
5	35,000-55,000	30 %	4,410
6	55,000-80,000	35 %	7,160
7	Over 80,000	45 %	15,160

04 Labor and Social Security

The promulgation and implementation of *Interim Measures for Foreigners Employed in China to Participate in Social Insurance* provides a legal basis for foreigners working in China to benefit from social insurance, and effectively protects their social insurance rights and interests.

Application Process

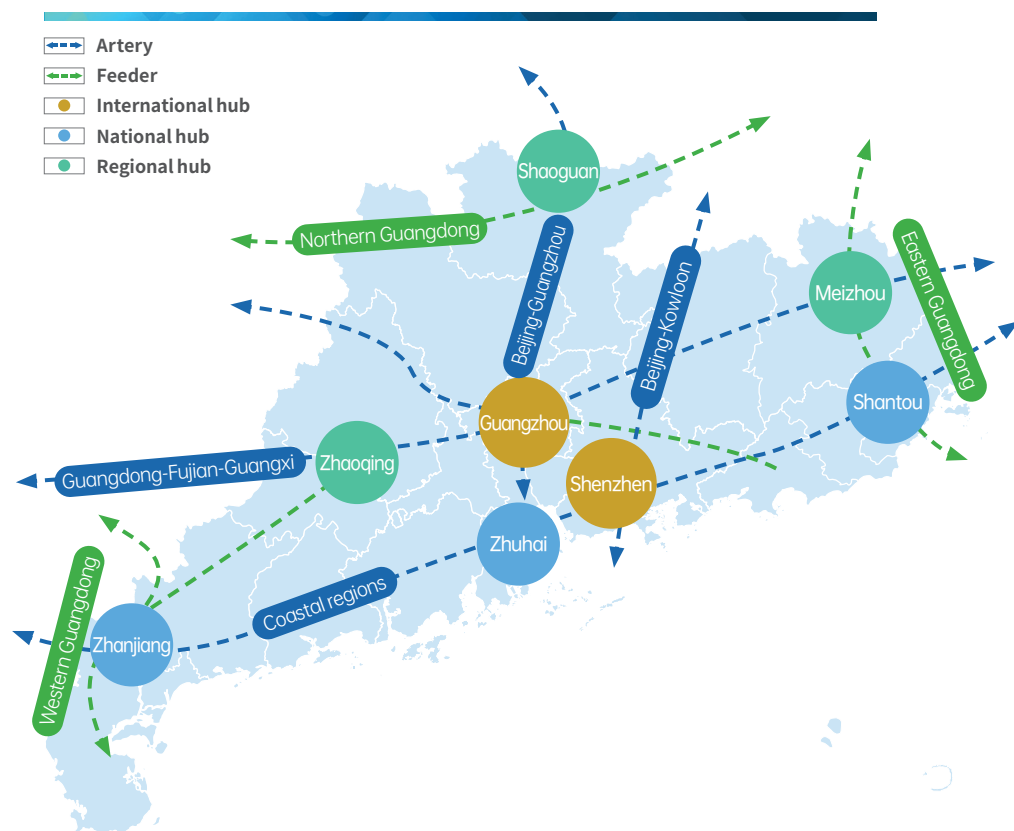
Foreigners working in Guangdong can submit applications for social insurance to their employers and handle their affairs in the tax service halls of local tax bureaus with the following documents: 1. Passport and employment certificate (Foreigner's Work Permit, Foreign Expert Certificate, or Press Card for Resident Foreign Journalists, etc.); 2. Passport and Foreigner Residence Permit; 3. Permanent Resident Card for Foreigners; 4. Declaration Form of Changes in Social Insurance Premiums (with the company's official seal).

Note: For Points 1-3, you only need to choose item(s) from one set and provide the corresponding original certificates and copies.

An Ideal Location for Living and Working

01 Infrastructure Connectivity

Convenient Transport



Guangdong continues to shine as China's economic powerhouse. It has built a land, sea, and air transport network with global connections. Together with Hong Kong and Macao, it is jointly building an internal rapid transport network in the GBA that aims to achieve one-hour access to the major cities. The landmark projects such as the Hong Kong-Zhuhai-Macao Bridge, the Guangzhou-Shenzhen-Hong Kong Express Rail Link, and Nansha Bridge have greatly facilitated the flow of passengers and goods. In the future, Guangdong will further improve the network that connects the province with the rest of the world and accelerate the construction of world-class airport and seaport clusters.

Rapid Development of Network Communications

In 2021, Guangdong constructed 46,700 new 5G base stations, bringing the province's total to 170,000 and accounting for one-eighth of the national figure. In 2022, Guangdong promoted further construction and application of the 5G network to realize a broad coverage of 5G across the whole province. It accelerated coverage of optical fiber broadband in the province, and the number of gigabit broadband users reached 3.6 million.

References:

- The "14th Five-Year Plan for the Information and Communication Industry of Guangdong Province" (in Chinese)
https://gdca.miit.gov.cn/zwgk/tzgg/art/2021/art_87745b1a9f5a4470a8b1506b85ab0a70.html
- The Notice on "Several Policies and Measures for Accelerating the Construction of 5G Networks" (in Chinese)
http://gdii.gd.gov.cn/xrc/content/post_3057993.html

02 Education of an International Standard

Guangdong has achieved remarkable results in education across higher, vocational and primary education. Over the past seven years, Guangdong's universities have cultivated more than 7 million graduates in various specializations. Over 70% of new technical and skilled personnel come from vocational schools, and the initial employment rate of college graduates remains stable at about 95%. Guangdong is home to 178 institutions of higher education, including Sun Yat-sen University and South China University of Technology (both included in China's "double first-class university plan"), as well as a number of emerging universities represented by Southern University of Science and Technology and Shenzhen University. 69 disciplines across 15 universities in the province are ranked among the top 1% globally by ESI (Essential Science Indicators). It has the most extensive vocational education system in the country, with over 2.24 million students on campus. Nearly 800,000 highly-skilled personnel are nurtured every year, contributing to Guangdong's economic aggregate that has ranked first in the country for the past 32 years.

Guangdong has also set up international schools with excellent education resources that enable international students to receive an education.

03 High-quality Medical and Health care Facilities

In 2021, Guangdong added 20 more hospitals to the high-level hospital list, joining 30 already listed. The quality medical services provided by hospitals in 21 cities has greatly improved medical provision for foreigners in the province.

Appendix: Service Organizations

Governmental Departments of the PRC and Guangdong Province

Institution	Address	Post Code	Telephone	Website
Ministry of Commerce of the People's Republic of China (MOFCOM)	No. 2, Dong Chang'an Avenue, Beijing	100731	010-85093485	http://www.mofcom.gov.cn
Investment Promotion Agency of Ministry of Commerce, P. R. China	No. 28, Donghous Lane, Andingmenwai, Beijing	100710	010-64515344	http://www.cipainvest.org.cn
People's Government of Guangdong Province	No. 305, Dongfeng Middle Road, Guangzhou	510031	020-83135078	http://www.gd.gov.cn
Department of Commerce of Guangdong Province	No. 351, Tianhe Road, Guangzhou	510620	020-38802165	http://com.gd.gov.cn
China (Guangdong) Pilot Free Trade Zone Leading Group Office	No. 351, Tianhe Road, Guangzhou	510620	020-38819908	http://ftz.gd.gov.cn
Guangdong Provincial Development and Reform Commission	No. 305, Dongfeng Middle Road, Guangzhou	510031	020-34121084	http://drc.gd.gov.cn
Department of Industry and Information Technology of Guangdong Province	No. 100, Jixiang Road, Guangzhou	510030	020-83133200	http://gdi.gd.gov.cn
Department of Education of Guangdong Province	No. 723, Dongfeng East Road, Guangzhou	510080	020-37627697	http://edu.gd.gov.cn
Department of Science and Technology of Guangdong Province	No. 171, Lianxin Road, Guangzhou	510033	020-83163930	http://gdstc.gd.gov.cn
Ethnic and Religious Affairs Commission of Guangdong Province	No. 58, Mishi Road, Guangzhou	510180	020-83183721	http://mzzjw.gd.gov.cn
Guangdong Provincial Public Security Department	No. 97, Huanghua Road, Guangzhou	510050	020-83832980	http://gdga.gd.gov.cn
Guangdong Provincial Supervisory Committee	Hequnsan Road, Guangzhou	510082	020-12388	http://www.gdjc.gd.gov.cn
Department of Civil Affairs of Guangdong Province	No. 118, Yuehua Road, Guangzhou	510030	020-83185416	http://smzt.gd.gov.cn
Department of Justice of Guangdong Province	No. 51, Zhengmin Road, Guangzhou	510405	020-86351202	http://sft.gd.gov.cn
Department of Finance of Guangdong Province	No. 376, Beijing Road, Guangzhou	510030	020-83178555	http://czt.gd.gov.cn
Human Resources and Social Security Department of Guangdong Province	No. 88, Jiaoyu Road, Guangzhou	510030	020-12333	http://hrss.gd.gov.cn
Department of Natural Resources of Guangdong Province	No. 160, Tiyu East Road, Guangzhou	510620	020-38807079	http://nrgd.gd.gov.cn
Department of Ecology and Environment of Guangdong Province	No. 213, Longkou West Road, Guangzhou	510630	020-87539994	http://gdee.gd.gov.cn

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Department of Housing and Urban-Rural Development of Guangdong Province	No. 483, Dongfeng Middle Road, Guangzhou	510045	020-83133512	http://zfcxjst.gd.gov.cn
Department of Transport of Guangdong Province	No. 27, Baiyun Road, Guangzhou	510101	020-83835328	http://tdl.gd.gov.cn
Water Resources Department of Guangdong Province	No. 116, Tianshou Road, Tianhe District, Guangzhou	510635	020-38356100	http://slt.gd.gov.cn
Department of Agricultural and Rural Affairs of Guangdong Province	No. 135, Xianlie East Road, Guangzhou	510050	020-37288891	http://dara.gd.gov.cn
Forestry Administration of Guangdong Province	No. 343, Zhongshan No. 7 Road, Guangzhou	510173	020-81723806	http://lyj.gd.gov.cn
Department of Culture and Tourism of Guangdong Province	No. 701, Dongfeng East Road, Guangzhou	510080	020-37803312	http://whly.gd.gov.cn
Health Commission of Guangdong Province	No. 17, Xianlie South Road, Guangzhou	510060	020-83828646	http://wsjkw.gd.gov.cn
Guangdong Audit Office	No. 361, West Huangpu Dadao, Tianhe District, Guangzhou	510630	020-87078003	http://www.gdfao.gd.gov.cn
Foreign Affairs Office of Guangdong Government	No. 45 Shamian Street, Guangzhou	510130	020-81218888	http://www.gdfao.gd.gov.cn
Taiwan Affairs Office of Guangdong Government	No. 58, Mishi Road, Guangzhou	510180	020-83335545	http://gd.huaxia.com/gdtb
Guangdong Administration for Market Regulation	No. 363, West Huangpu Dadao, Tianhe District, Guangzhou	510620	020-38835114	http://amr.gd.gov.cn
Guangdong Sub-Administration of GACC	No. 2, Shamian 5th Street, Guangzhou	510130	020-12360	http://gdifs.customs.gov.cn/guangdong_sub/index/index.html
Guangdong Branch of the State Administration of Foreign Exchange	No. 137, Yanjiang West Road, Guangzhou	510120	020-81882150	https://www.safe.gov.cn/guangdong/
Guangdong Provincial Tax Service, State Taxation Administration	No. 19, Huacheng Dadao, Tianhe District, Guangzhou	510627	020-12366	https://guangdong.chinatax.gov.cn/gdsw/index.shtml
Hong Kong and Macao Affairs Office of Guangdong Government	No. 305, Dongfeng Middle Road, Yuexiu District, Guangzhou	510031	020-83135663	http://hmo.gd.gov.cn
Guangdong Financial Supervisory Authority	No. 305, Dongfeng Middle Road, Guangzhou	510031	020-83135340	http://gdjr.gd.gov.cn

Government Agencies for Commerce and Investment Promotion in 21 Prefecture-level Cities

Department	Address	Post Code	Telephone	Website
Department of Commerce of Guangdong Province	No. 351, Tianhe Road, Guangzhou	510620	020-38847345	http://com.gd.gov.cn/zwgk/jgzq/#office666555
Guangdong Board of Investment Promotion (Guangdong Province Center for Complaints from Foreign-invested Enterprises)	No. 351, Tianhe Road, Guangzhou	510620	020-38819398	http://com.gd.gov.cn/zwgk/jgzq/#666571
Guangzhou Municipal Commerce Bureau	No. 158, Dongfeng West Road, Guangzhou	510170	020-81097472	http://sw.gz.gov.cn/
Commerce Bureau of Shenzhen Municipality	No. 1, Fuhua 1st Road, Futian District, Shenzhen	518034	0755-88107023 0755-88107008	http://commerce.sz.gov.cn
Zhuhai Municipal Bureau of Commerce	No. 125, Renmin East Road, Zhuhai	519000	0756-2605613	http://swj.zhuhai.gov.cn
Zhuhai Investment Promotion Bureau	No. 9, Shihua East Road, Xiangzhou District, Zhuhai	519000	0756-2605600	
Shantou Municipal Bureau of Commerce	Building 47, East Area of Jintaozhuang, Shantou	515041	0754-88931866	http://www.shantou.gov.cn/swj/
Shantou Investment Promotion Bureau	No. 32, Huangshan Road, Longhu District, Shantou	515041	0754-88072233	https://www.shantou.gov.cn/tcj/
Foshan Bureau of Commerce	No. 135, Fenjiang Middle Road, Foshan	528000	0757-83352584	http://fscm.foshan.gov.cn/
Foshan Investment Promotion Bureau	No. 148, Yuhe Road, Foshan	528000	0757-81261739	
Shaoguan Municipal Bureau of Commerce	No. 125, Fengdu North Road, Shaoguan	512002	0751-8883451	http://swj.sg.gov.cn
Heyuan Municipal Bureau of Commerce	No. 1, Kaifeng Road, Xinshi District, Heyuan	517000	0762-3387280	http://www.heyuan.gov.cn/bmjy/hyswj20/swxx/
Meizhou Municipal Bureau of Commerce (Meizhou Investment Promotion Bureau)	No. 3, Binfang Road, Meijiang District, Meizhou	514021	0753-2255153	https://www.meizhou.gov.cn/zwgk/zfig/sswj/
Bureau of Commerce of Huizhou Municipality	No. 31, Sanxin North Road, Huizhou	516000	0752-2231649	http://swj.huizhou.gov.cn/
Shanwei Municipal Bureau of Commerce	No. 80, Xiangcheng Road, Shanwei	516600	0660-3367493	http://www.shanwei.gov.cn/swsw/
Shanwei Investment Promotion Bureau	Adjacent to Shanwei Municipal People's Government, Shanwei Avenue	516600	0660-3600090	https://www.shanwei.gov.cn/swtcj/minde.html
Bureau of Commerce of Dongguan City	No. 33, Guantai Road, Dongguan	523071	0769-22819719	http://dgboc.dg.gov.cn/

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Department	Address	Post Code	Telephone	Website
Dongguan Investment Promotion Bureau	No. 26, Guantai Avenue, Nancheng District, Dongguan	523071	0769-28331803	http://www.dg.gov.cn/dgipb/
Zhongshan Municipal Bureau of Commerce	No. 57, Zhongshan 2nd Road, Zhongshan	528400	0760-89892813	http://www.zs.gov.cn/swj/
Zhongshan Investment Promotion Bureau	No. 2, Zhongshan Fifth Road, Zhongshan	528400	0760-28330168	
Jiangmen Municipal Bureau of Commerce	No. 10, West Baisha Dadao, Jiangmen	529000	0750-3561226	http://www.jiangmen.gov.cn/bmpd/jmsswj/
Investment Promotion Center of Jiangmen Municipal People's Government	No. 10, Baisha Avenue West, Jiangmen	529000	0750-3507986	
Yangjiang Municipal Bureau of Commerce	No. 58, Jinbi Road, Yangjiang	529500	0662-3361879	http://www.yangjiang.gov.cn/yjshangwu/gkmlpt/index
Yangjiang Inward Investment Bureau	No. 58, Jinbi Road, Jiangcheng District, Yangjiang	529500	0662-3360711	http://www.yangjiang.gov.cn/yjshangwu/gkmlpt/index
Zhanjiang Municipal Bureau of Commerce	No. 31, Nanfang Road, Zhanjiang	524000	0759-3620101	https://www.zhanjiang.gov.cn/zjswj/
Zhanjiang Investment Promotion Bureau	No. 35, Leshan East Road, Zhanjiang	524022	0759-3380661	https://www.zhanjiang.gov.cn/tcj/
Maoming Bureau of Commerce (Maoming Investment Promotion Bureau)	No. 10, Guanghua North Road, Maoming	525000	0668-2873833	http://mmswj.maoming.gov.cn
Zhaoqing Municipal Bureau of Commerce	No. 18, Jiangbin West Road, Zhaoqing	526040	0758-2828903	http://www.zhaoqing.gov.cn/zqswj/gkmlpt/index
Zhaoqing Investment Promotion Center	No. 1, Jinhua Road, Fenghuang Town, Dinghu District, Zhaoqing	526040	0758-2813213	
Qingyuan Municipal Bureau of Commerce	Administrative Service Center, Renmin 2nd Road, Qingyuan	511518	0763-3363854	http://www.gdqy.gov.cn/channel/qyswj/
Chaozhou Municipal Bureau of Commerce	Foreign Economic & Trade Building, South Section, Chaozhou Dadao, Chaozhou	521011	0768-2398226	http://www.chaozhou.gov.cn/czshwj/gkmlpt/guide
Jieyang Municipal Bureau of Commerce	Municipal Government Office Building, Linjiang North Road, Jieyang	522000	0663-8768009	http://www.jieyang.gov.cn/swj/
Yunfu Municipal Bureau of Commerce	No. 120, Xingyun East Road, Yunfu	527300	0766-8833190	http://www.yunfu.gov.cn/yfswj/
Yunfu Investment Promotion Bureau	No. 65, Hebin West Road, Yuncheng District, Yunfu	527300	0766-8936123	https://www.yunfu.gov.cn/tzcj/

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Guangdong Economic and Trade Office, Southeast Asia (Kuala Lumpur)	
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