



Export and Investment Promotion Agency of the Republic of Azerbaijan

EXPORT AND INVESTMENT PROMOTION AGENCY OF THE REPUBLIC OF AZERBAIJAN – AZPROMO

INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITIES IN AZERBAIJAN

STATE OF ECONOMY – 2022



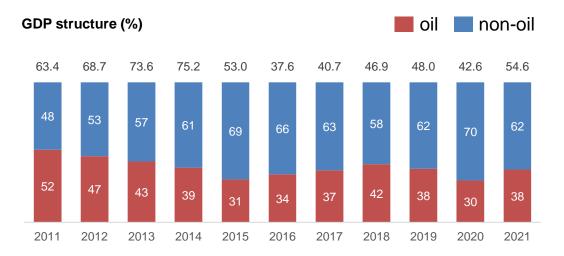


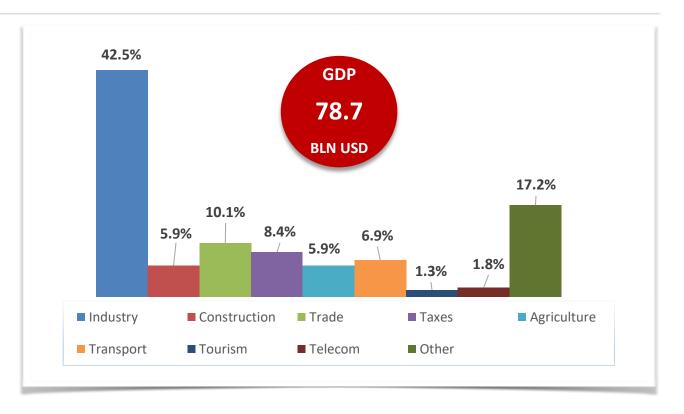
7,819 USD GDP PER CAPITA



10.1 MILLION POPULATION

NON OIL GDP IN 2022: (52%)







During 1995 – 2021:

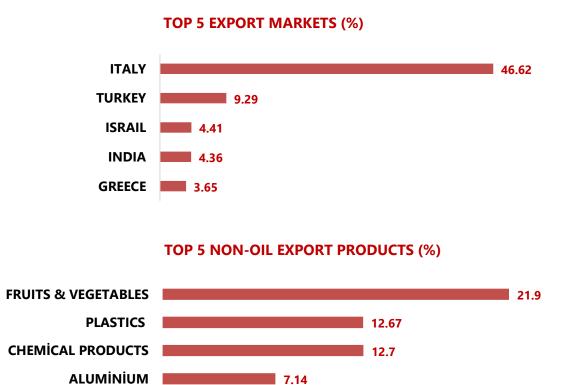
63.9 bln usd – the volume of investment in the non-oil sector.

17.0 bln usd – the volume of FDI in the non-oil sector.

PROVEN TRADING PARTNER – 2022

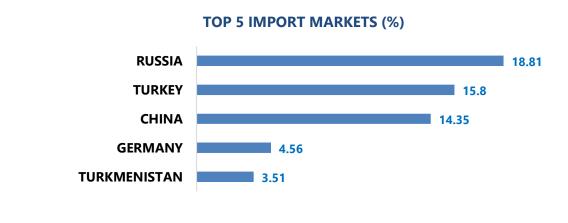


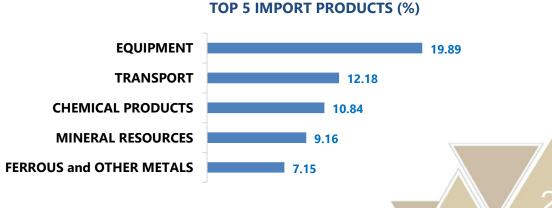
US\$ 38.1 BLN TOTAL VALUE OF EXPORTS



5.76

US\$ 14.5 BLN TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS





Source: State Customs Committee of Azerbaijan

COTTON FIBER

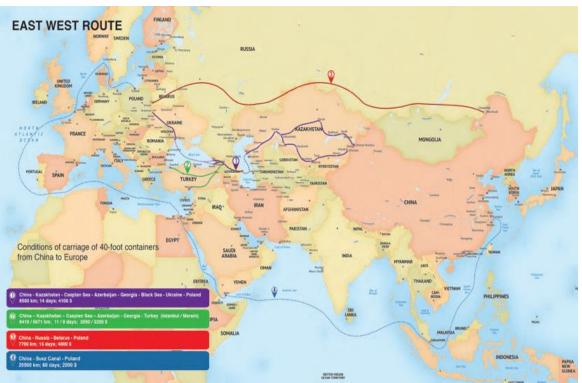
EFFECTIVE TIME SAVING ROUTES



60% TIME SAVING FOR NORTH-SOUTH ROUTE (INDIA - EUROPE)



70% TIME SAVING (CHINA - EUROPE MARITIME ROUTE)



WELL DEVELOPED INFRASTRUCTURE



- Almost 20 thousand km of roads and highways constructed and rehabilitated
- 8 new international **airports**, including in the liberated areas of Azerbaijan
- Baku-Tbilisi-Kars railroad ("The Iron Silkway")
- New Baku International Sea Trade Port
- AFEZ is a multi-modal site in a prime strategic location offering a wide range of incentives and benefits

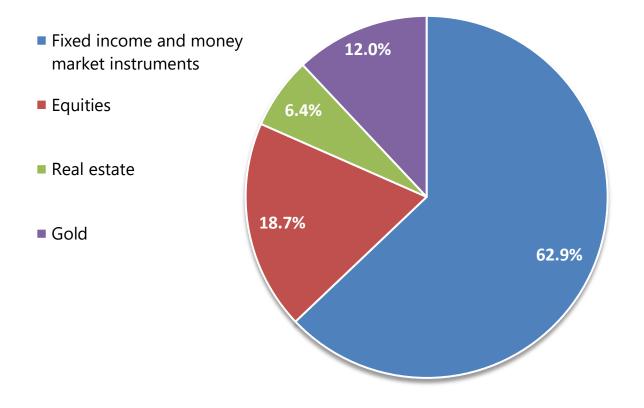




STATE OIL FUND AND SOVEREIGN RATINGS



49.0 BLN.USD - AS OF JANUARY 1, 2023 SOFAZ'S PORTFOLIO BREAKDOWN BY ASSET CLASS



SOVEREIGN RATINGS BY MAJOR RATING AGENCIES

• BB+, Outlook Stable

Moody's

• Ba1, Outlook Stable

• BB+, Outlook Positive

Fitch

BUSINESS ORIENTED



ONGOING REFORM AREAS

- STARTING A BUSINESS
- GETTING CREDIT
- DEALING WITH CONSTRUCTION PERMITS
- REGISTERING PROPERTY
- PROTECTING MINORITY INVESTORS
- PAYING TAXES
- TRADING ACROSS BORDERS
- ENFORCING CONTRACTS
- RESOLVING INSOLVENCY

REDUCED RED TAPE

- NO STATE INSPECTIONS OF BUSINESSES
- STREAMLINED LICENSING SYSTEM
- E-GOV SERVICES FOR BUSINESS
- STREAMLINED PUBLIC SERVICES
- ONE-STOP-SHOP SYSTEMS
- LOW TAX BURDEN





NO EXPORT DUTIES REMOVING TRADE BARRIERS

TRADE HOUSES

- CHINA
- POLAND
- UAE
- KAZAKHSTAN
- BELARUS
- QATAR

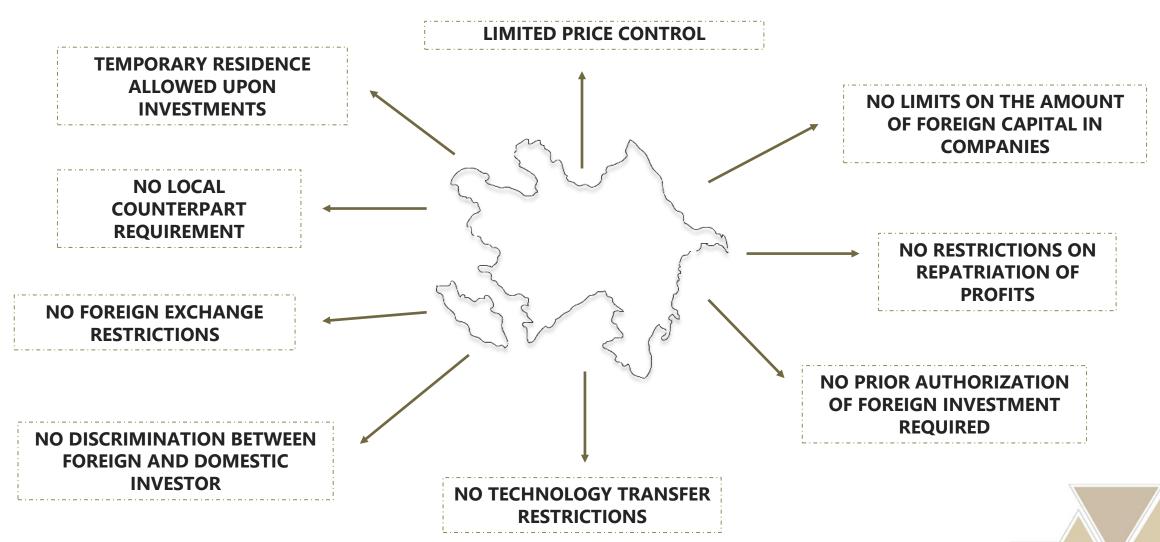


TRADE REPRESENTATIVES

- CHINA
- UNITED ARAB EMIRATES
- POLAND
- RUSSIA
- ISRAEL
- TÜRKİYE

INVESTMENT CLIMATE





BILATERAL INVESTMENT TREATIES



ALBANIA AUSTRIA BELARUS BELGIUM BULGARIA

CROATIA CZECH REP **ESTONIA FINLAND FRANCE**

GEORGIA GERMANY GREECE HUNGARY ITALY

LATVIA LITHUANIA LUXEMBOURG MACEDONIA FYR **MOLDOVA**

MONTENEGRO NORWAY POLAND ROMANIA RUSSIA

SAN MARINO SERBIA SWITZERLAND TURKEY UK **UKRAINE USA**



EGYPT IRAN ISRAEL JORDAN **PAKISTAN** QATAR

TURKMENISTAN UAE **UZBEKISTAN**

KYRGYZSTAN KOREA REP.

DOUBLE TAXATION TREATIES

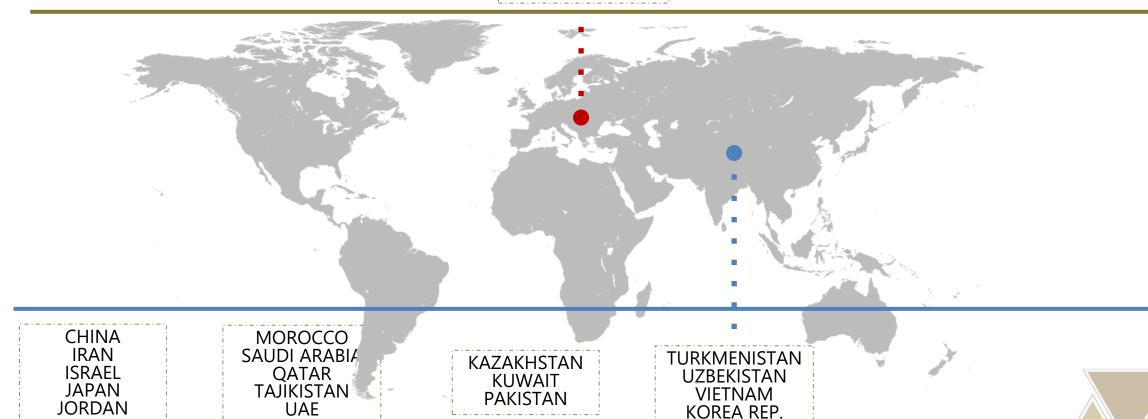


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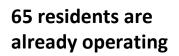
INDUSTRIAL PARKS, DISTRICTS AND AGROPARKS (INDUSTRIAL ZONES)



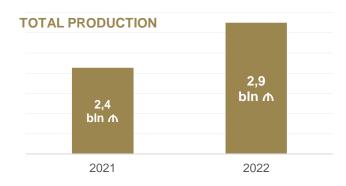
STATISTICS OF INDUSTRIAL ZONES FOR 2022

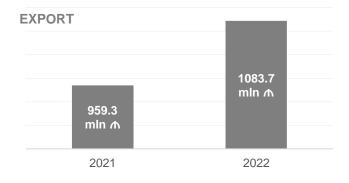
116 business entities were granted residency status





PRODUCTION AND EXPORT IN INDUSTRIAL ZONES





made

6.47 bln finvestment

10,325 new jobs

planned

458 mln f

4,567 new jobs



- Sumgait Chemical Industrial Park 2011
- Balakhani Industrial Park 2011
- Mingachevir Industrial Park 2015
- Garadagh Industrial Park 2015
- Pirallahi Industrial Park 2016
- Agdam Industrial Park 2021
- Araz Valley Economic Zone 2021

- Masalli Industrial District
- Neftchala Industrial District
- Hajigabul Industrial District
- Sabirabad Industrial District
- Sharur Industrial District

• 51 Agroparks

INVESTMENT INCENTIVES



HOLDERS OF INVESTMENT PROMOTION DOCUMENT

- 50% reduced corporate tax
- 0% land and property tax
- 0% vat on hardware, technological equipment and structures imported by IPD holders
- 0% customs duty on hardware, technological equipment and structures imported by IPD holders

RESIDENTS OF INDUSTRIAL AND TECHNOLOGY PARKS

- 0% corporate tax
- 0% land and property tax
- 0% vat on hardware, technological equipment and structures imported by residents
- 0% customs duty on hardware, technological equipment and structures imported by residents

SECTOR OPPORTUNITIES





AGRICULTURE

FOOD PROCESSING

CHEMICAL INDUSTRY

RENEWABLES

TRANSPORT AND LOGISTICS

INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES

LIGHT INDUSTRY

TOURISM

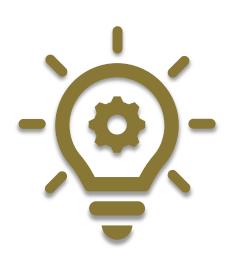


MAJOR ACTIVITIES OF AZPROMO



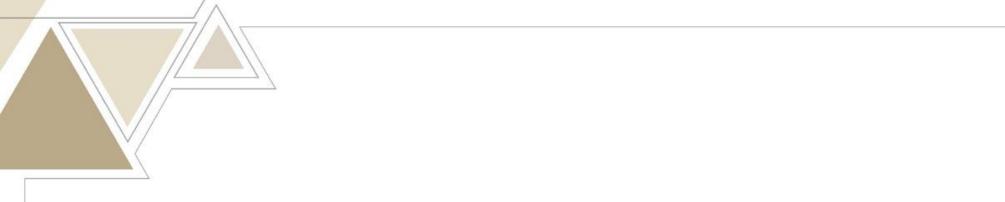
IN FIELD OF EXPORT

- NON-OIL EXPORT PROMOTION
- PROMOTION OF "MADE IN AZERBAIJAN" BRAND
- SUPPORT TO EXPORTERS
- BUILDING AND PROMOTING EXPORT CULTURE
- POLICY ADVOCACY



IN FIELD OF INVESTMENT

- ATTRACTION
- RETENTION and EXPANSION
- AFTERCARE
- POLICY ADVOCACY
- COUNTRY'S IMAGE BUILDING



THANK YOU!

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