

## INVESTMENT ENVIRONMENT AND OPPORTUNITIES IN CAMBODIA

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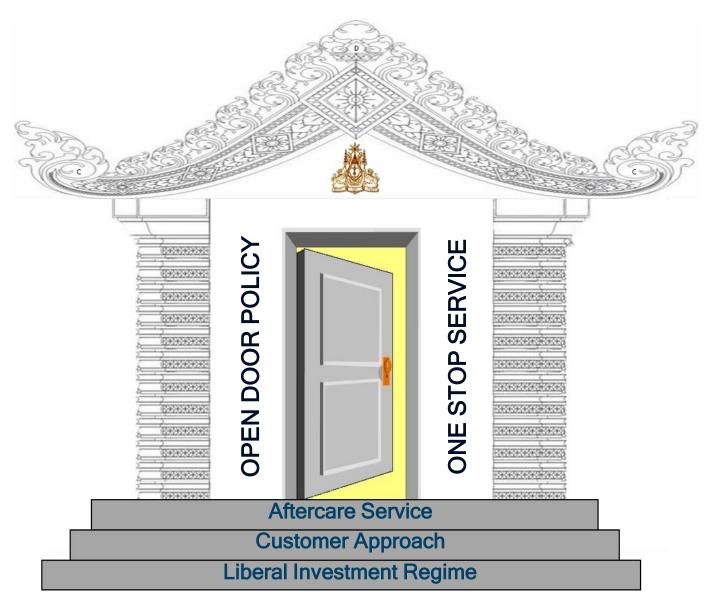
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## **Environment and Competitiveness**



## **INVESTMENT ENVIRONMENT IN CAMBODIA**

# **Council for the Development Of Cambodia (CDC)**



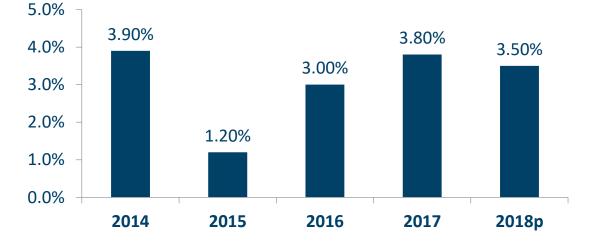


#### GDP Growth by Sector (2011-2019)

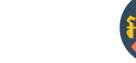




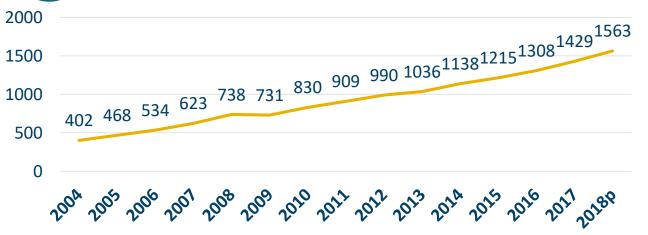
#### Low & Manageable Inflation







#### Stable Exchange Rate (USD-Riel)

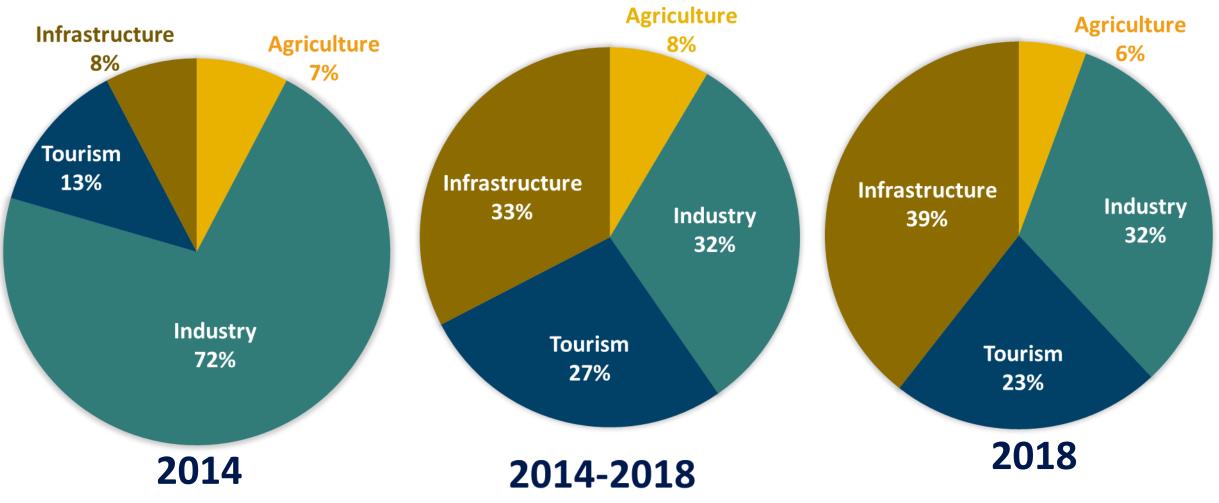




# **Investment by Country**

Year	2014		2015		2016		2017		2018	
Total	\$3.9 Billion		\$4.6 Billion		\$3.6 Billion		\$6.3 Billion		\$6.4 Billion	
Rank	Country	%								
1	Cambodia	64.00	Cambodia	69.28	China	29.92	Cambodia	50.68	China	53.24
2	China	24.44	China	18.62	Cambodia	27.55	China	25.97	Cambodia	29.77
3	Malaysia	2.18	U.K	3.00	Japan	22.78	Vietnam	9.20	Japan	13.08
4	Japan	1.72	Singapore	2.18	Thailand	4.61	Malaysia	4.37	Thailand	0.76
5	Korea	1.66	Vietnam	1.92	Korea	4.59	Singapore	4.12	BVI	0.73
6	Vietnam	1.26	Malaysia	1.61	US	3.38	Korea	3.20	Malaysia	0.65
7	UK	1.13	Japan	1.28	Singapore	3.38	Japan	1.00	Samoa	0.64
8	Singapore	0.89	Thailand	1.18	Vietnam	2.45	UK	0.88	Singapore	0.26
9	Thailand	0.88	Korea	0.21	UK	0.60	Thailand	0.25	U.K	0.22
10	Australia	0.51	Canada	0.19	India	0.55	BVI	0.12	Korea	0.22
11	Others	1.36	Others	0.52	Others	0.53	Others	0.21	Others	0.45

# **Investment by Sector**



# Bilateral agreement on the promotion and protection of investments between the Kingdom of Cambodia and other countries (29)



# **Double Taxation Agreement**

### **DTA Ratified**

- Singapore (effective 01/01/18)
- China (effective 01/01/19)
- Thailand (effective 01/01/18)
- Brunei (effective 01/01/19)
- Vietnam (ratified 15/11/18)
- Indonesia (ratified 15/11/18)

#### **DTA under Negotiation**

- Malaysia
- Myanmar
- Philippines
- Lao PDR
- Hong Kong (concluded)
- South Korea
- Japan
- Macau

# **Investment Incentives and Guarantee**

#### **Investment Incentives**

1. Corporate Income Tax: 20% Tax holidays: 0% up to 9 years or Special Depreciation

## 2. Full Import Duty Exemption

- Production equipment
- Construction materials and
- Raw materials for export processing

## 3. Export Tax Exemption

## **Investment Guarantee**

- No discrimination
- No nationalization
- No requirements of local equity participation
- No price controls on products or services
- No restriction on foreign exchanges
- No capital control

# **Investment Aftercare Mechanisms**

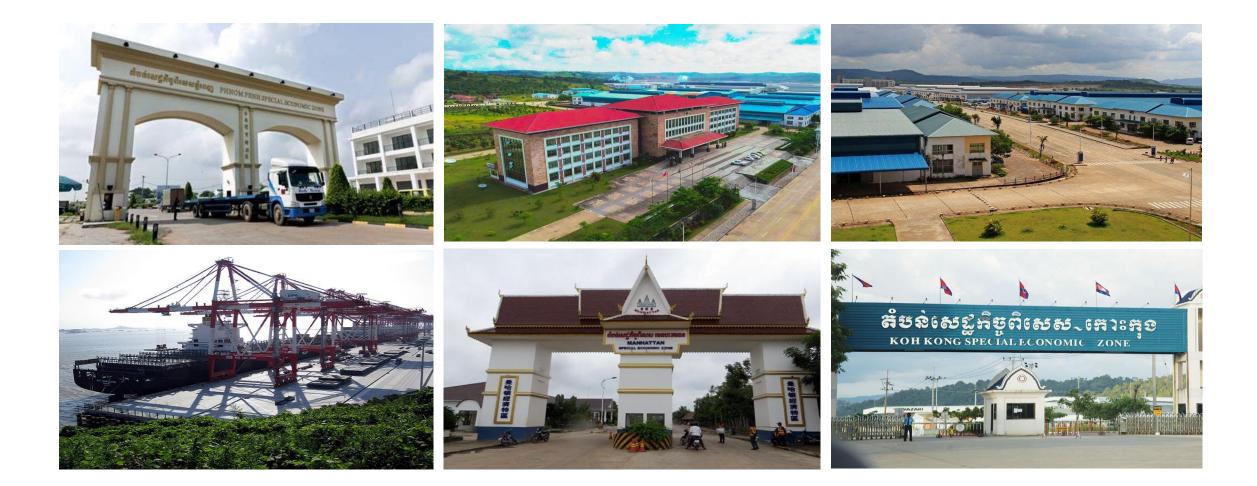
#### **Government-Private Sector Forum**

A Key Pillar in Improving the Investment Environment in Cambodia, the Decisions of the Forum are Equivalent to the Decisions of the Cabinet Plenary Meeting

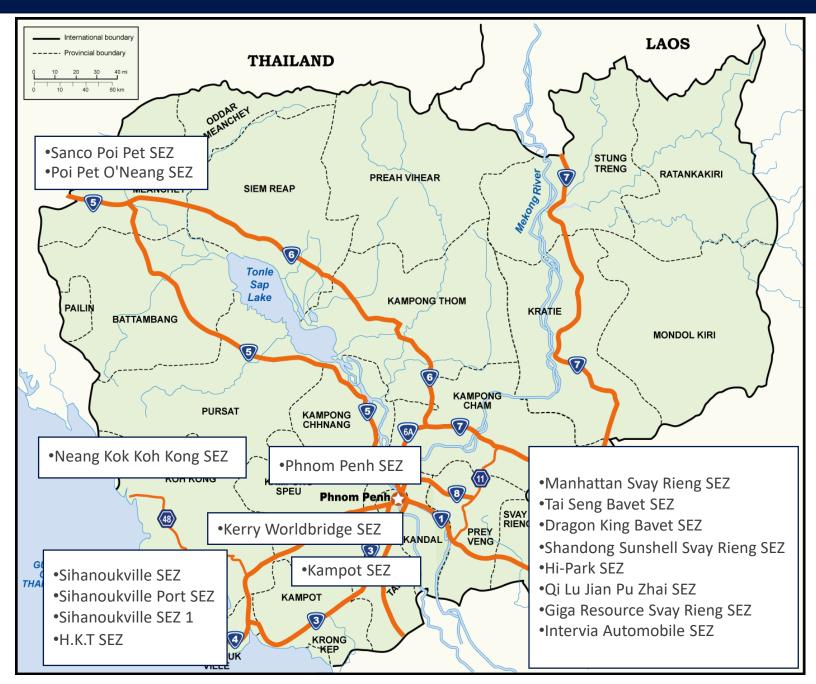
Agreement Between the Kingdom of Cambodia and Japan for the Liberalization, Promotion and Protection of Investment (entered into force on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2008)

#### **Cambodia-Japan Public-Private Sector Meeting (biannual)**

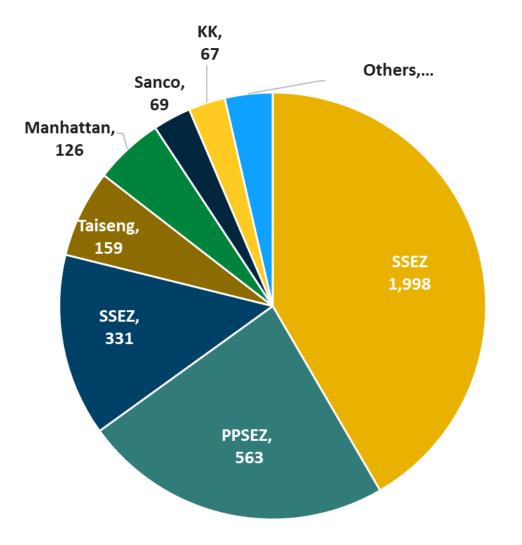
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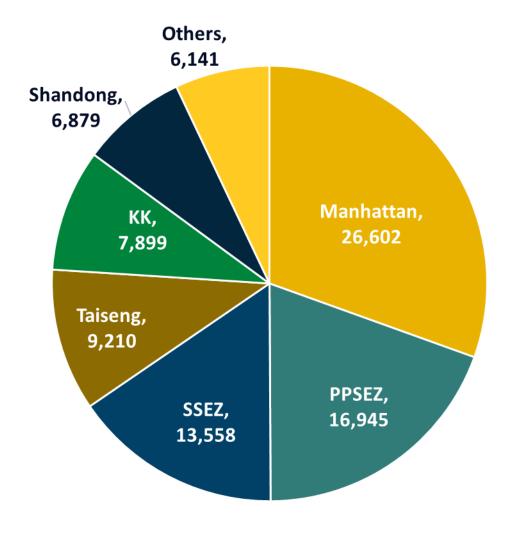
# **SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONES IN CAMBODIA**



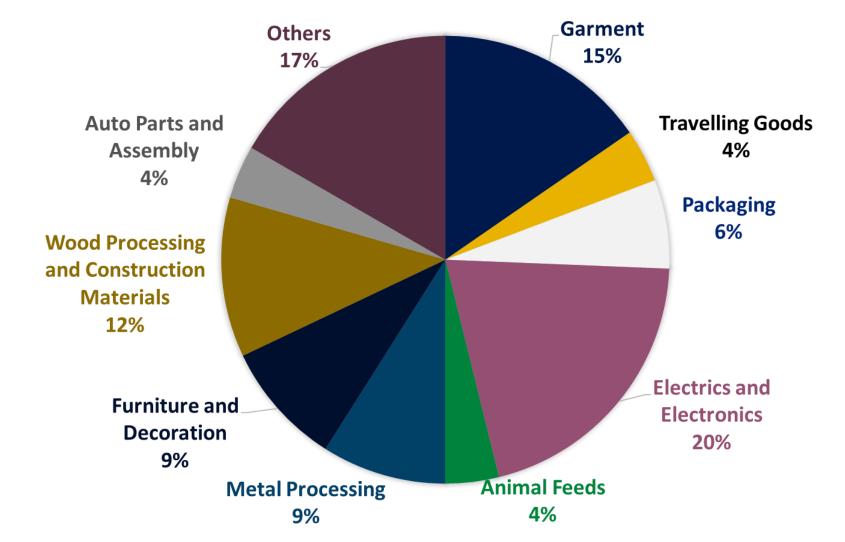
#### Total Investment Capital in SEZs (Million USD)



#### **Number of Jobs Created in SEZs**



#### Investment Sectors in SEZs in 2018 (by number of projects)



## Exports from SEZs (in Million USD)

