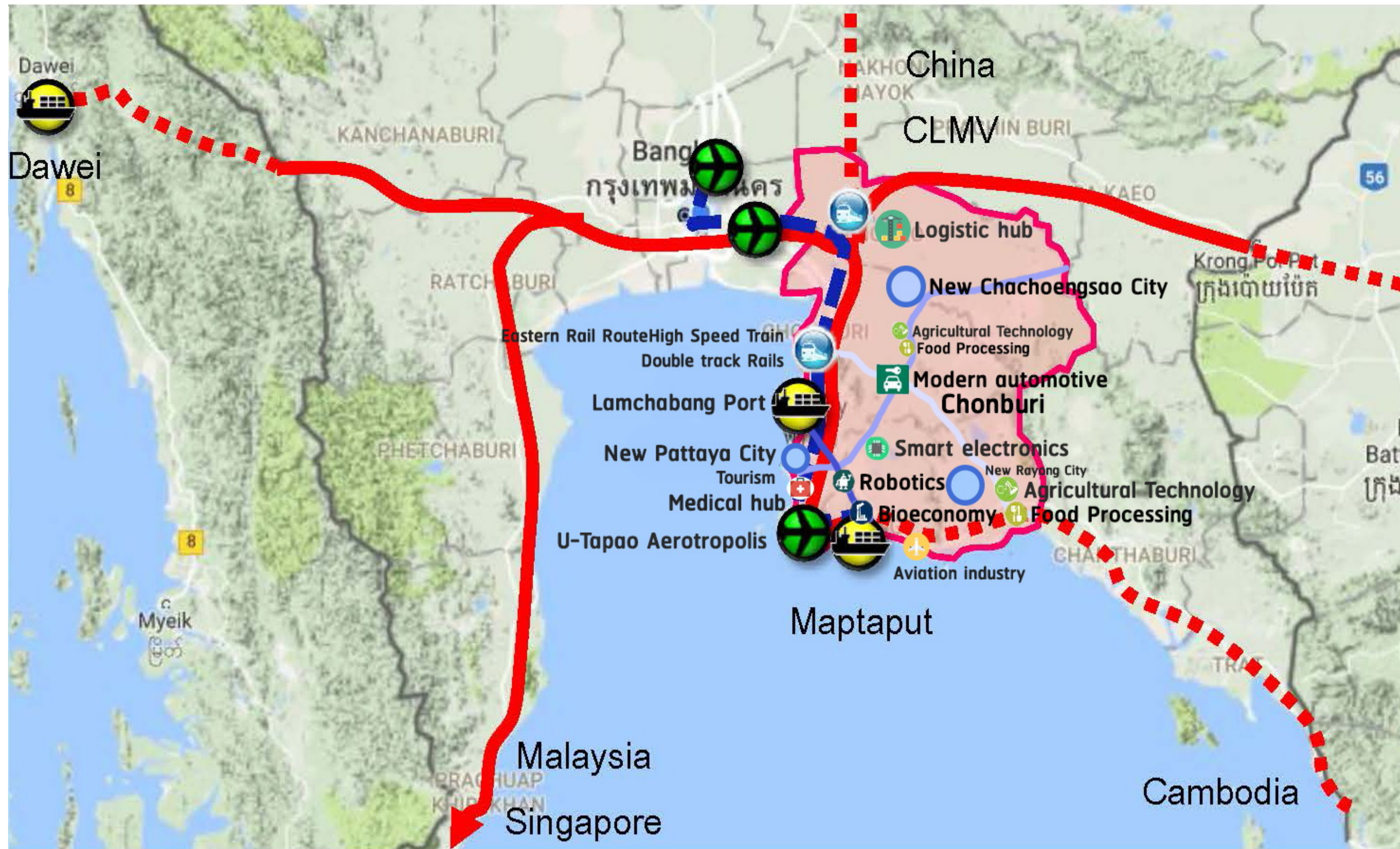


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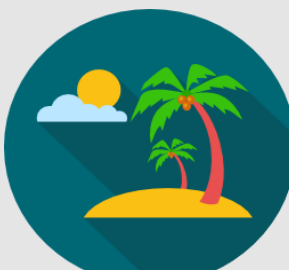
# EASTERN ECONOMIC CORRIDOR



## STRATEGIC LOCATION

- ▶ Thailand's flagship special economic zone, located in Rayong, Chachoengsao and Chonburi
- ▶ Facilitate and attract investment in 10 targeted industries
- ▶ Excellent infrastructure linkage (200 kms from Bangkok through highway linkages, Laem Chabang commercial port, Map Ta Phut industrial port, U-Tapao international airport)
- ▶ Connect Indian Ocean with Pacific Ocean, CLMV, South China: via multi-modal linkages and Free Trade Areas (FTAs)

## CORE AREAS-INVESTMENT PROJECT

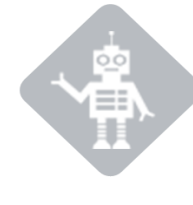





 <p><b>infrastructures</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>U-Tapao air port and aircraft maintenance</li> <li>Sattahip commercial seaport</li> <li>Laem Chabang port phase #3</li> <li>Map Ta Phut port phase #3</li> <li>High-speed rail-east route</li> <li>Double-track railway</li> <li>Highways and motorway</li> </ul>	 <p><b>Business, Industrial clusters and Innovation hub</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Next-generation automotive (EV/AV)</li> <li>Aviation industry</li> <li>Robotics, Smart electronics</li> <li>Advanced petrochemical and Bioeconomy</li> <li>Medical hub</li> </ul>	 <p><b>New cities and communities</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Global Business Hub / Free Economic Zone</li> <li>New Cities, Inclusive growth</li> <li>Public Utilities</li> </ul>	 <p><b>Tourism</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>EECi Innovation Hub</li> <li>Digital Infrastructure - Digital Park - Data Center</li> <li>EEC-A Aviation Hub</li> </ul>
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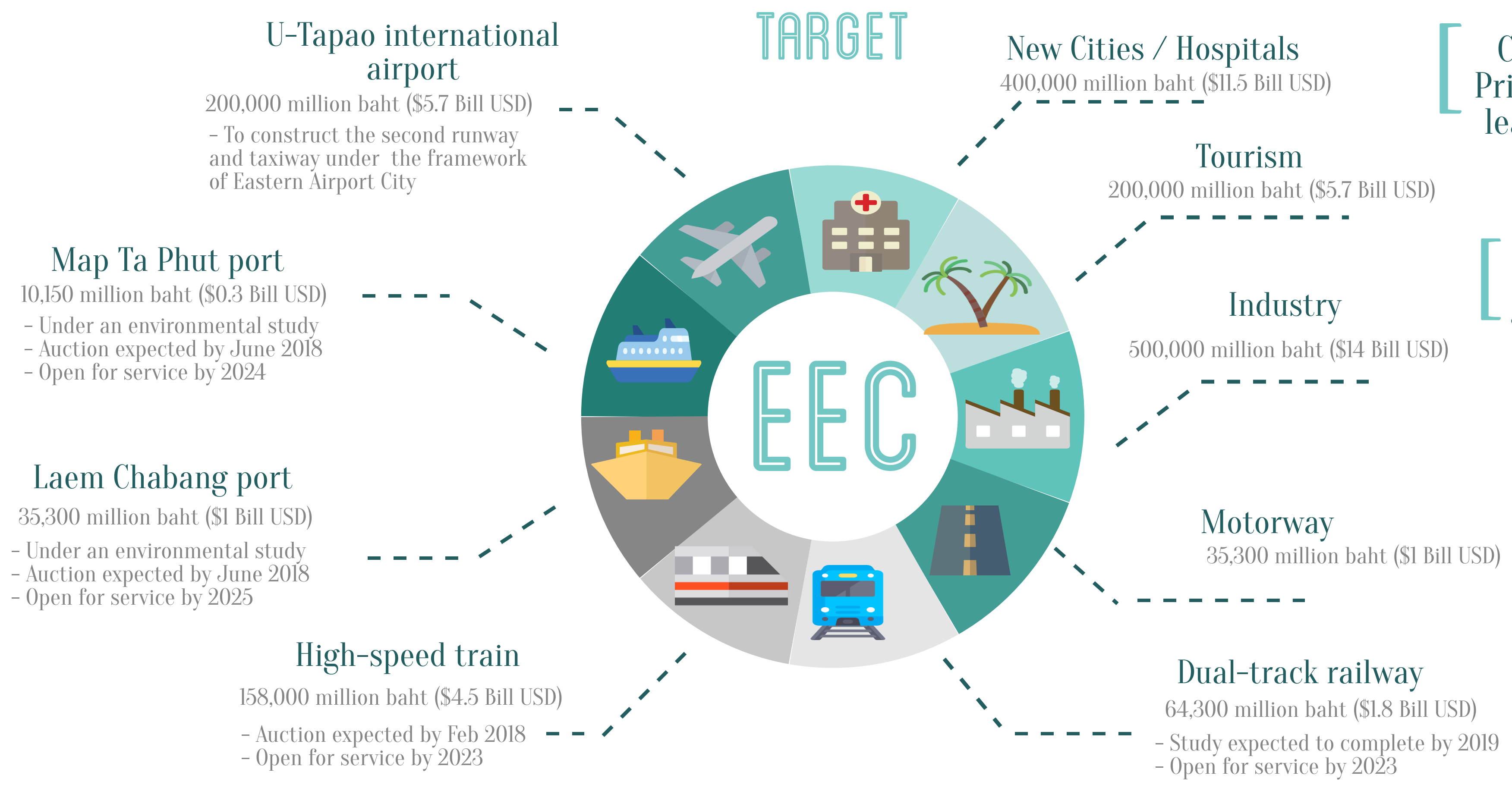
## 10 TARGETED INDUSTRIES

### First S-Curve

-  Next - Generation Automotive
-  Smart Electronics
-  Affluent, Medical and Wellness Tourism
-  Agriculture and Biotechnology
-  Food for the Future

### New S-Curve

-  Robotics
-  Aviation and Logistics
-  Biofuels and Biochemicals
-  Medical Hub
-  Digital
-  National Defense



Combined Public and Private Investments at least 1.5 Trillion baht (\$43 Billion USD) in the first 5 years

104.164 billion Baht worth of investment, applied for BOI support (67.8 billion Baht in targeted industries) (Jan-Sept 2017)

## INVESTMENT INCENTIVES

### Maximum incentives for qualified investment projects

- ▶ Exemption of corporate income tax for up to 15 years
- ▶ Exemption of import duties on machinery/raw or essential materials imported for use in production for export/goods for R&D
- ▶ Matching Grants for investment/R&D/innovation/human resources development for targeted industries.
- ▶ Permission to own land for BOI promoted projects
- ▶ Rights to state's land lease for 50 years renewable upon approval for a further 49 years
- ▶ 15% personal income tax rate, the lowest rate in ASEAN for foreign executives working for regional headquarters or international trading companies, treasury centres, along with regional R&D centres.
- ▶ One-stop service center to facilitate foreign investors provide useful information, and issue permits for trading, export and import all in one location.
- ▶ Strategic Target Center (STC) to attract investors, experts and scientists from around the world.

## SMART VISA

- ▶ Eligibility - Foreigner working in 10 targeted industries : (1) Talent (2) Investor (3) Executive/ Venture capital (4) Startup \* including spouse and children of Applicants
  - ▶ Incentives - No work permit/ Re-entry permit required - Period of stay : 1 - 4 years - Spouse and children obtained the same rights as Applicants
- \*Open for Application from 15 January 2018

## FOREIGN HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTES IN EEC

- regulatory incentive for institutes meeting requirements
- ▶ Certified by the QS World University Rankings by Subject / the Times Higher Education Subject Ranking
  - ▶ Establish campus in EEC in collaboration with Thailand's higher educational institute
  - ▶ provide the same academic standards in EEC campus as in main campus

## FOREIGN INVESTORS IN EEC\*



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