

Eastern Economic Corridor Thailand

June **2017**

20-YEAR NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY

Reform to achieve "Long-term Sustainable Growth"



THAILAND 4.0

Investment-led Transformation Roadmap Towards
High-Value Adds and Innovation-driven Economy



S-CURVE TARGET INDUSTRIES

NEW S-Curves:

High-tech Industries
New Engines of Growth

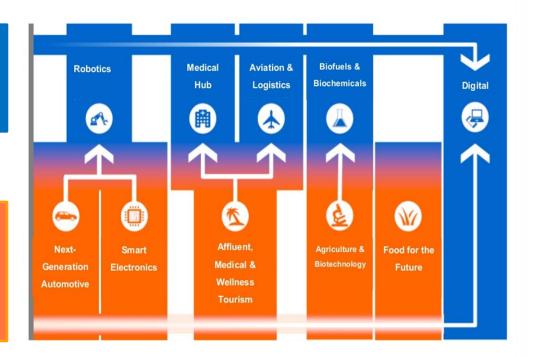


FIRST S-Curves:

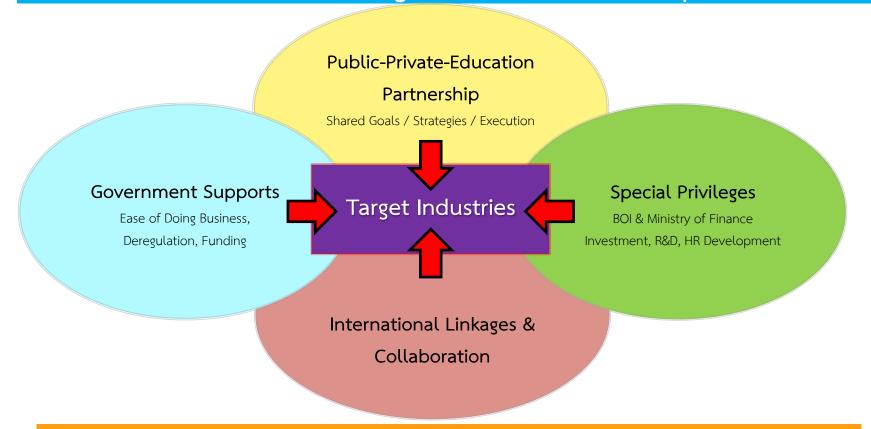
Traditional Strength

Prime for High Value-add

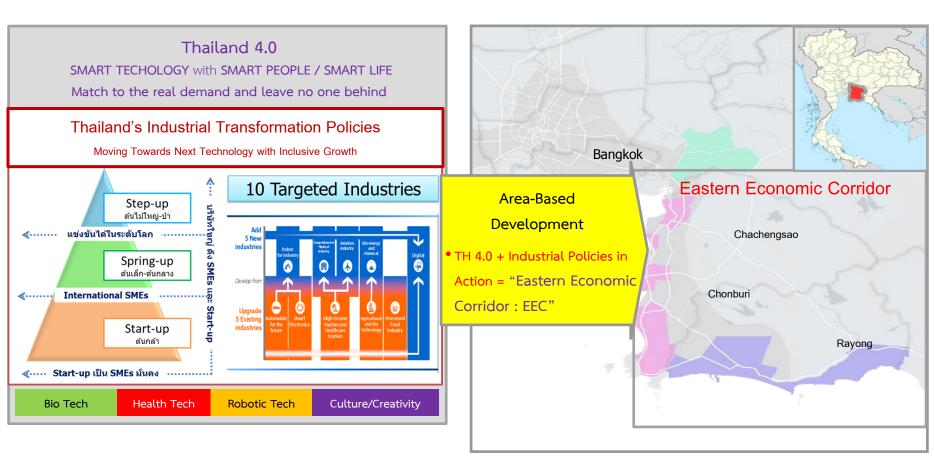
Upgrades



How do we drive Target Industries Development?



Putting Thailand 4.0 into Action



EEC builds on 30 successful years of Eastern Seaboard



Thailand Eastern Seaboard Development Project

... The beginning of the Thailand's Industrialization

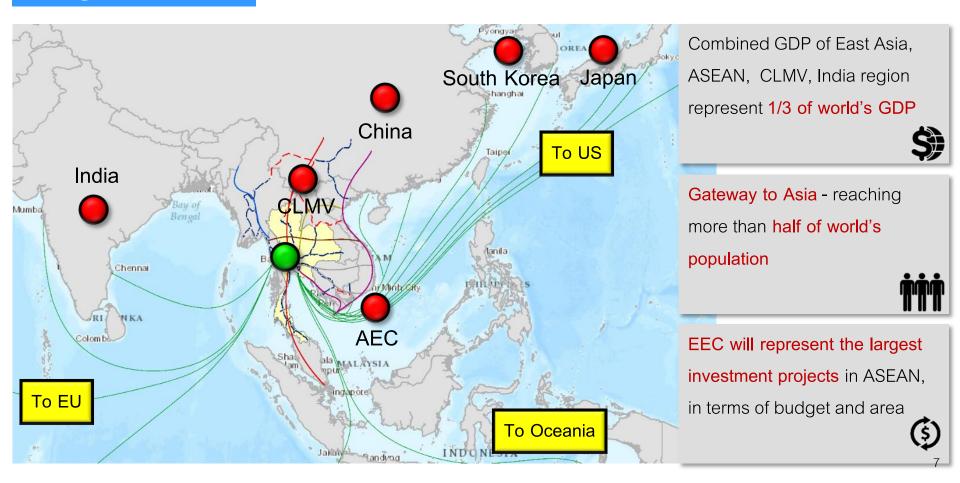
- The first industrial clusters for exports: Textiles, Electronics, Automobiles
- The first energy and petrochemical complex
 Maptaput: Refinery, Gas separation plant, Plastic and chemical
- The first integrated infrastructure for industrial needs
 Leam Chabang Seaport, Motorway, Double track railway

... The highly successful area development

- A famous destination for FDI
- Exports raised 12%, Industry grew 12%, Economy grew 7% per annum during the first 20 years.

Why wait...?

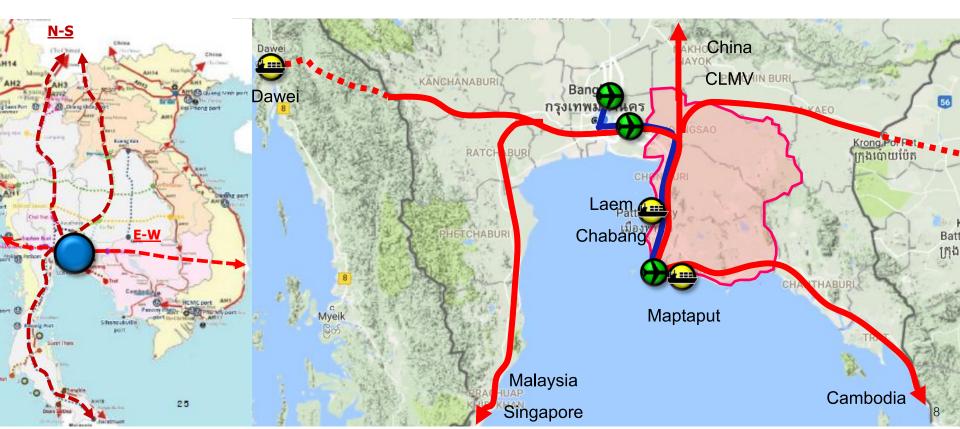
EEC is located in the best strategic location of the region...



Why wait...?

Regional Connectivity...

Center of East-West Economic Corridor and North-South Economic Corridor Connect Indian Ocean with Pacific Ocean, CLMV, South China



Why wait...? Existing Industries and Infrastructures





4 core areas will be developed... to be World-class economic zone

Ready to be upgraded...



Infrastructure



Business, Industrial clusters and Innovation hub



Tourism



New cities and communities

To be World-class economic zone



→ Aviation Hub



Logistics Hub



Trading Hub



Adv. Manufacturing Hub



◆ Tourism Hub



Global Business Hub



Metropolis of the Future



Combined Public and Private Investments at least

1.5 Trillion baht (\$43B USD) in the first 5 years



Note: Estimated investment amount shown

5 highly tangible priority projects to start in 2017







Eastern Aerotropolis (U-Tapao)

- Eastern Airport City Policy supporting 15-30-60 millions in the future
- Initiation of MRO Thai Airways Air Bus and Alliance
- Initiation of the Construction of the Second Runway and Infrastructure
- Design Contest and Bidding of Investors for providing 15 millions and relative Business within 5 years

Eastern High Speed Train Bidding of PPP High Speed Train for Eastern Line Connecting 3 Airports making EEC as permanent Bangkok extension

Eastern Sea Gateway to Asia

- 3 Sea Ports as Part of the Eastern Sea Gateway
 - Bidding of PPP Laem-Chabung Sea Port Phase 3 Gateway to Asia
 - PPP Map-Taput Sea Port
 - Construction of Ferry and Cruise at Sattahip Commercial Sea Port

Leading
Target Industries

 Investment of Leading Companies in Electric Vehicle – Robot - Medical Hub – Aircraft Parts – Bio-Economy

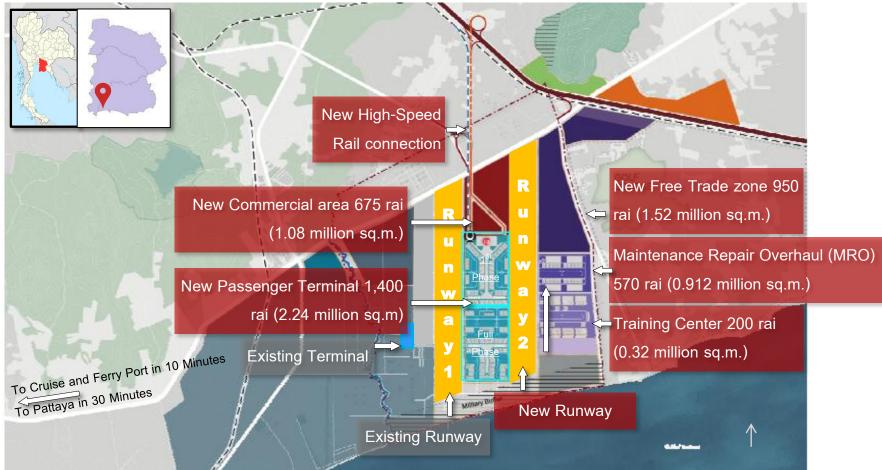
Eastern Future
Cities

Plan–Area–Criteria for the Development of 3 New Cities
 (Plan for the Development of Financial Center)

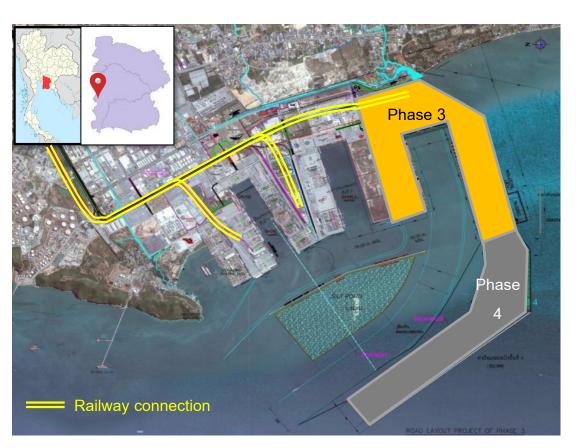
Digital Transformation and Innovation Incubators

- 2 Transformation Complexes
 - Digital Park
 - Innovation Park

#1 U-Tapao Airport city, first phase towards Aerotropolis



#2 Laem Chabang phase 3, towards World's Top 10 ports



Expansion to support growth

Double containers

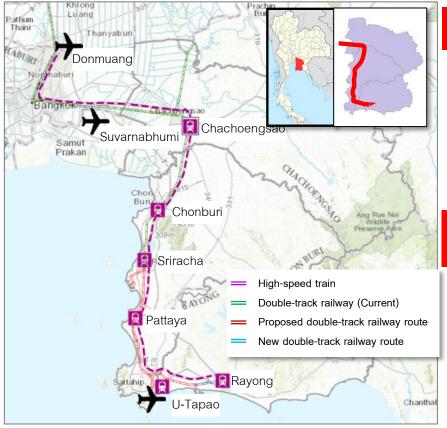
- accommodation,

 from 7 to 18 million TEU/year
- Triple car export accommodation,from 1 to 3 million units/year
- Logistics hub and Gateway for Indo-China
- Move into world's Top 10 ports

#3 High-Speed and Double-track railways

Connect 3 International Airports within 1 hour with High-Speed Railway

Connect 2 International Ports with Industrial Clusters



High-Speed Rail: Bangkok - Rayong

- Connect 3 main airports: Donmuang, Suvarnabhumi, and
 U-Tapao in 1 hour
- Suvarnabhumi to U-Tapao in 45 minutes
- Accommodate 110 million passengers/year

Double-track railway: Connect major ports with Industrial clusters

- Upgrade to double-track from Laem Chabang to Map Ta Phut seaport
- New routes...
 - Laem Chabang Pluak Daeng Rayong in the pipeline
 - Map Ta Phut Rayong Chantraburi Trat under study

#4 Target Industries in EEC... New technology and Innovation to create greater value

Bioeconomy



Functional Food



Bioplastic



Cosmetic

Auto, Auto parts,

Electronics, and Robotics



Smart Automobiles



Electronic parts



Robotics for industrial and lifestyle use

Aviation, Maintenance and Related Businesses



Aircraft parts and spare parts



Maintenance, Repair and Overhaul (MRO)



Air Cargo

Medical Hub



Wellness Center



Medical Center



Medicines and Devices

#5 New Eco Cities ... Inclusive growth, Green environment





Enhanced urbanization, communities, quality of life and environment to international standards



Leading universities and international schools



Leading hospitals and medical centers



Quality tourism spots



Regional commercial centers

EEC Communities development funds

Special Privileges and Incentives for EEC

- Most favourable in Thailand, internationally competitive
- Focus on
 - Target industries with high technology
 - Infrastructures and logistics development
 - R&D and Technology support services
 - Tourism

BOI Special Privileges

EEC to become investment promotion zone

- >BOI standard package plus 50% CIT reduction for another 5 years
- >Potential 15 years CIT waiver plus grants for strategic projects in EEC (Thailand Competitive Fund)

Additional Privilege from Ministry of Finance

• Personal Income Tax Reduction up to 17% (Cabinet Resolution on Feb 28, 2017) for Administrators, Investors, Experts in Industry or Regional Head Office and Infrastructure and Facility Investment in EEC Areas.

Thailand Competitive Fund

Special, Tellermate support and privileges for R&D, HRD, Targeted-related activities in EEC

Key enablers in the pending EEC Act (2017)

Special processes: Making private investment feasible

- Fast-track
 - Special 10 months PPP Process
- Customs Procedure
- Long-term land lease (50+49 years)

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Social Infrastructure: Modern living standard

- Promoting city development
- International school
- International hospital / medical hub
- Clean and Green
- World class power/water/waste treatment

Incentives: EEC exclusives

- Tax-incentives CIT / PIT / Free trade zone
- Non-tax incentives VISA + work permit
- Financial incentives Holding foreign currency account
- One stop services

Community based Development: Inclusive process

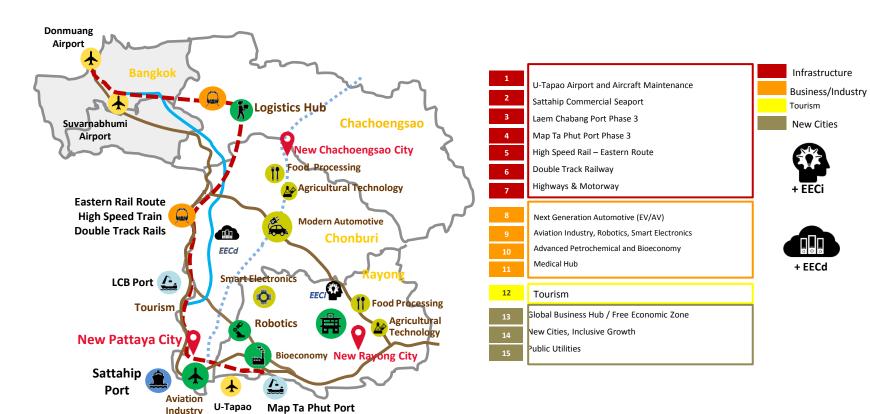
- Provided for in the pending EEC Act
 - Special Fund for EEC communities
 - Health
 - Environment
 - Education





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Aerotropolis



Driving EEC Forward

1. EEC Policy Committee

Chaired by Prime Minister General Prayut Chan-o-cha

2. EEC Management Committee



Eastern Economic Corridor Office (EECO)

Chaired by Minister of Industry, Uttama Savanayana

Headed by EEC Secretary- General, Kanit Sangsubhan

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