# Why Taiwan Should Be Included in RCEP

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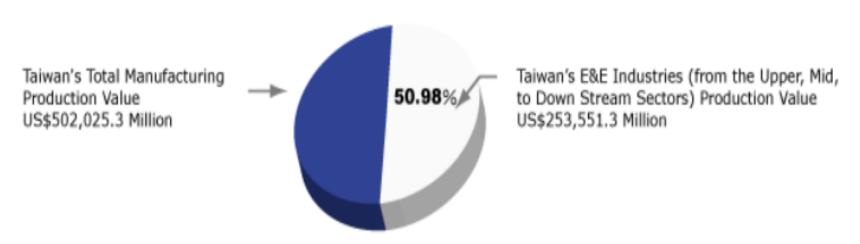
#### Overview on CNFI

- Chinese National Federation of Industries established in 1942.
- 157members associations.
- Standing for more than 100,000 industrial companies.
- Assist government in implementation of economic policies, acting as an effective bridge between the government and the business

#### Overview on TEEMA

- Taiwan Electrical and Electronic Manufacturers' Association Founded in 1948.
- 3,615 members
- Total Amount of Capital: US\$61,350.6 million; Total Number of Employees:817,177

#### **PRODUCTION VALUE in 2013**



#### Small Island, Global Powerhouse

- •Taiwan combines entrepreneurship and creative culture, and strong ties with western economies.
- •18<sup>th</sup> largest trading economy in the world and 10<sup>th</sup> largest among the 21 APEC member economies.
- •6<sup>th</sup> most competitive economy according to Swiss-based International Institute for Management.
- •4<sup>th</sup> best Investment environment according to Business Environment Risk Intelligence (BERI).

### 2012 Top 3 Merchandise in the World



Wafer Foundry, IC packaging, PC, Optical Disk, Green Algae



IC Design, DRAM, Crystalline Silicon Solar Cell, ABS Copolymer, Portable Navigation Device, Printed Circuit Board



PTA, PU Synthetic Leather, Wireless LAN, Polyester Fiber, Polyester Staple Fiber, Nylon Fiber

Source: IDB, MOEA

#### Technology Shapes the Future

- ➤ From Computer, Communication, Smart Mobile Devices, to IOT and Cloud Computing Application
- From raw material, semiconductor, display devices to system software and internet business platform
- > Taiwanese high-tech industries have the solution for smart living

### Taiwan in RCEP Boosts Members Economy

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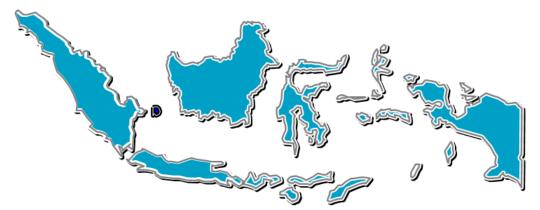


- ✓ Taiwan ranked 6 in the
   Global Manufacturing
   Competitiveness Index 2013
- ✓ Taiwan promotes long term project, including ADOC
   (APEC Digital Opportunity Center) and OVOP (One Village One Product), offering RCEP member technical assistance and capacity
- ✓ Taiwan could input resource in MPAC (Master Plan for ASEAN Connectivity) strengthening ASEAN infrastructure

#### Complementary Indonesia - Taiwan Economy

- ➤ Indonesia lead ASEAN in population and total GDP, large domestic market and plenty of natural resources
- ➤Indonesia is Taiwan 10th largest trading partner, reaching US\$12 billion in 2013
- ➤ Taiwanese own technology and export to ASEAN mostly intermediate goods or components





➤ Should cooperate in:
Education, Agriculture
Technology, SME
Entrepreneurship, Electronic
Appliance Manufacturing, etc

## Thank You!

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