



**GROW YOUR BUSINESS
INVEST IN KAZAKHSTAN**

INVITATION

New opportunities to expand your business to Kazakhstan.



On behalf of the Astana Mining and Metallurgical Congress (AMM) organizers, it is a great honour to invite your company to visit Kazakhstan and participate in a major mining Forum of the year, which will be held in Astana on June 1-2, 2023.

AMM is directly supported by the Government of the Republic of Kazakhstan and gathers key Government heads and Ministries leaders, as well as chief decision-makers from Government Agencies, NGOs and the Business community annually. Therefore, Congress delegates have a unique opportunity to schedule B2B and B2G meetings with the Kazak counterparts in person on the margins of AMM.

Canadian Business Mission to AMM will be supported by the Canada Eurasia Chamber of Commerce (CECC), the Embassy of the Republic of Kazakhstan to Canada, the Kazakh National Company - Kazakh Invest and the Kazakh private company - ID Consulting.

Finally, we would like to express our highest gratitude to SIMSA for the support in facilitating and promoting Canada-Kazakhstan bilateral relations and for the opportunity to participate in the Saskatchewan Mining Supply Chain Forum.

We are looking forward to hosting you in Astana.

Sincerely,

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AMM Congress coordinator

WHY KAZAKHSTAN IMPORTANT FACTS

based on Kazakh Invest JSC materials



Territory
2.7 mln km²
9th largest
in the world



Diverse Population
19.8 mln



Largest economy in Central Asia
GDP US \$197 bn



Region's highest GDP per capita
Upper-middle income



International Reserves
US \$89 bn



Multi-vector Diplomacy
Member of UN, WTO, OSCE, OIC, EAEU, OTS, SCO



Favorable TaxRegime
Low cumulative tax level. Double taxation treaties



Investors' Rights Protection
50 bilateral and 1 multilateral investment treaties

TOTAL VOLUME OF FDI

(since 1991)

\$411 bn

LARGEST FDI RECIPIENT IN CENTRAL ASIA

HIGHEST FDI PER CAPITA IN THE CIS



TOP 10 INVESTOR COUNTRIES

(over the last decade)



NETHERLANDS
(\$90.3 bn)



FRANCE
(\$12.8 bn)



USA
(\$42.3 bn)



BELGIUM
(\$11.1 bn)



SWITZERLAND
(\$30.7 bn)



UK
(\$10.6 bn)



CHINA
(\$19.9 bn)



SOUTH KOREA
(\$6.5 bn)



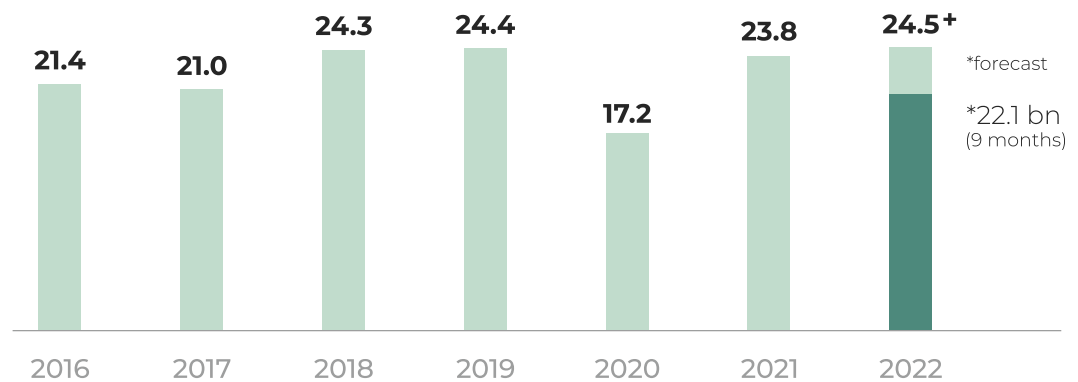
RUSSIA
(\$15.8 bn)



JAPAN
(\$5.2 bn)

GLOBAL FDI INFLOW TO KAZAKHSTAN

USD bn



TRADE TURNOVER

\$122.2 bn (2022, 11 months)

WHY KAZAKHSTAN ABUNDANT NATURAL RESOURCES

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MINERAL RESOURCES

Member of the CRIRSCO

On Subsoil and Subsoil Use Code

EITI standard

CONCEPTUAL INNOVATIONS

- THE «FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED» PRINCIPLE
- OPEN ACCESS TO GEOLOGICAL INFORMATION
- REDUCTION OF ADMINISTRATIVE BARRIERS
- PROVIDING STABILITY GUARANTEES
- ENSURING THE FUNCTIONING OF THE JUNIOR COMPANY MARKET AND OPPORTUNITIES TO RAISE CAPITAL
- THE NEW CODE IS FULLY CONSISTENT WITH GLOBAL BEST PRACTICE

KAZAKHSTAN'S GLOBAL RANKS

Reserves		Production
1	Cr Chromium	2
2	Ur Uranium	1
8	Mn Manganese	14
7	Pb Lead	12
6	Zn Zinc	8
13	Au Gold	6
11	Fe Iron ore	15
15	Cu Copper	10

BUSINESS-FRIENDLY ENVIRONMENT



#43 in the World Competitiveness Index
#1 among CIS



#28 in Global E-Government Development Index
#1 among CIS



#1 in FDI growth among transition economies and landlocked countries (UNCTAD, WIR 2021)



a comprehensive legal regime for protecting investments based on the English Common Law



Foreign Investors' Council chaired by the **President**
on strategic issues



Investment Council chaired by the **Prime Minister**
on current issues



Investment Ombudsman represented by the **Prime Minister**
protection of the rights and interests of investors



Council on Improvement Investment climate chaired by the **Prime Minister**
on systematic issues

WHY KAZAKHSTAN INVESTMENT COOPERATION BEETWEEN KAZAKHSTAN AND CANADA

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**TOTAL
NUMBER OF
PROJECTS**

11 PROJECTS

Mining & Metallurgy,
Energy, Agribusiness,
Mechanical Engineering

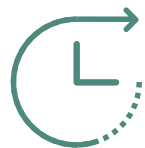
\$1,4 BLN



**ONGOING
PROJECTS**

3 PROJECTS

\$316 MLN



**PROSPECTIVE
PROJECTS**

8 PROJECTS

\$1,077 MLN

MAJOR PARTNERS



«Astana Mining and Metallurgy Congress» (AMM)



Additional information is available at amm.kz

To discuss Forum's participation conditions for Canadian companies, please reach out to:

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As an association, CECC provides an extensive network of contacts in the private and public sectors with frequent events, informative seminars on pertinent topics in the Eurasian markets, a committee of the Kazakhstan-Canada Business Council (KCBC), and annual trade missions. Additionally, CECC provides market intelligence, advocates with the Canadian and Eurasian governments on critical issues, and manages active sector-based committees to promote partnerships between CECC members and their counterparts in Eurasia.

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