

# Digital Silk Road: opportunities for business growth in Kazakhstan

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- Who we are ?
- CPC in Asia Pacific
- CPC in Europe
- BRI & Digital Silk road
- Digital Transformation



### **Our parent company – the CITIC Group**

### CITIC Group ranks 149 in 2018 Fortune Global 500

- Revenue of US\$61.4 Billion
- Profits US\$3.2 Billion





**Financial** Services

**Resources & Energy** 

**Manufacturing** 

**Information Services** 





Real Estate & Infrastructure

**Engineering** Contracting

**Others Business** 





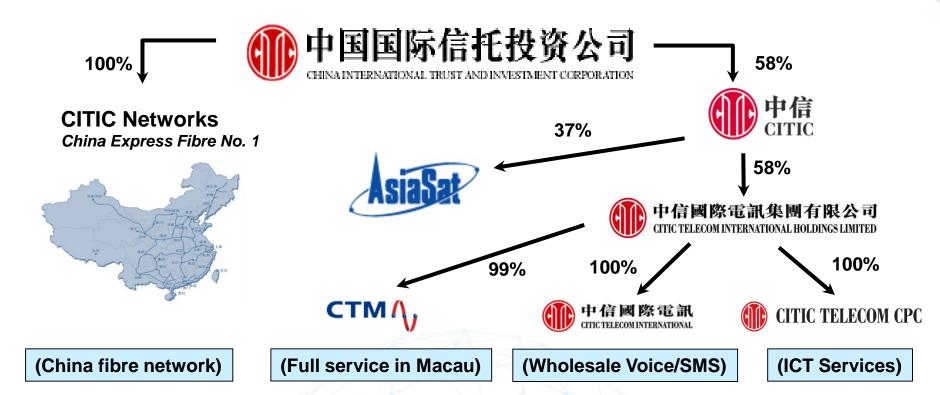








### **Telecoms in the CITIC Group**



















**Introducing CITIC Telecom CPC** 

**Established** 

CITIC Group acquired PSINet HK and created CPCNet in 2001

100% owned by CITIC Telecom International Holdings Limited **Ownership** 

~ 1,000

No of Employees

No of Offices **\* China** 11 **\* Asia Pacific** 

**\* Europe** 

**\* North America** 

**\* Asia-Pacific \* Europe \* North America Network Footprint International \* TL9000** Quality Management for Suppliers to the Telecoms Sector

Certifications **\* ISO9001 Quality Management** 

**\* ISO20000** Information Technology Service Management **\* ISO27001** Information Security Management

**\*\* ISO14001** Environmental Management System **\*\* ISO27017** Information Security Controls for Cloud Services

















# A trusted ICT Services partner, with a unique network footprint and a comprehensive ICT solutions suite





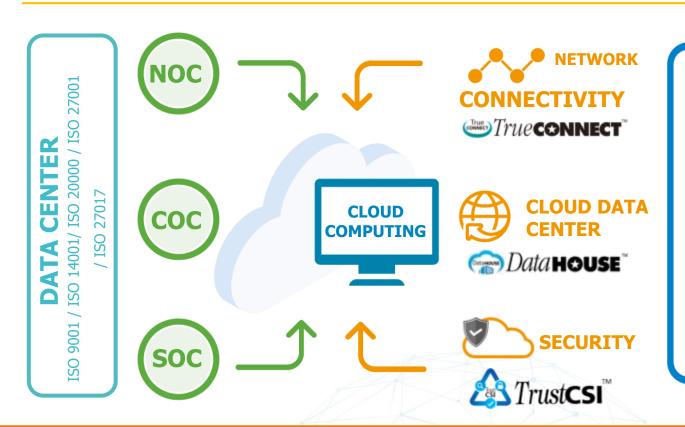








### **One-stop Shop ICT services model**

























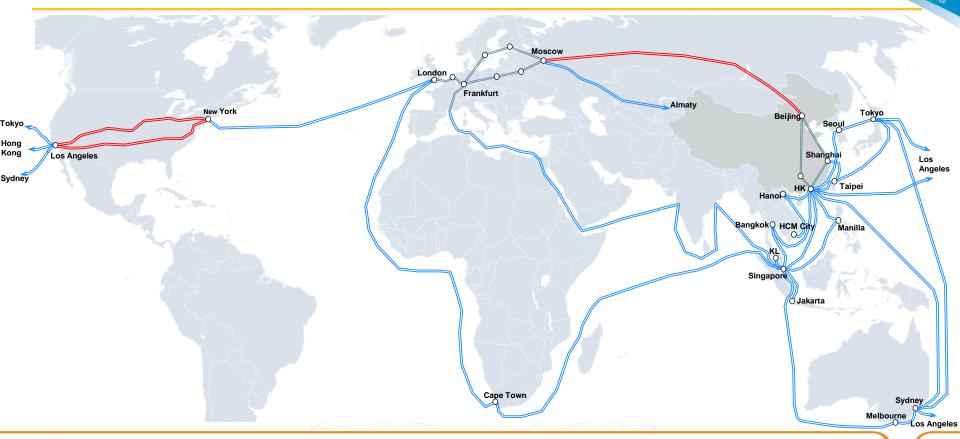








# **CPC global connectivity**



















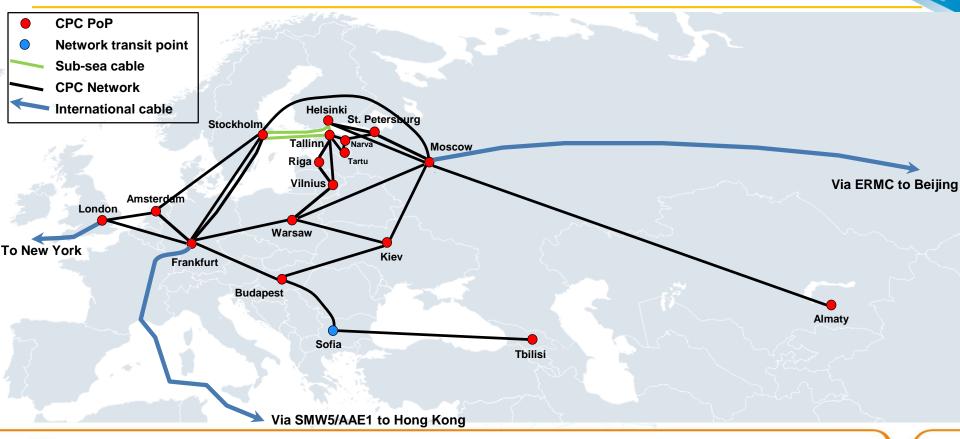
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# **CPC European Network**













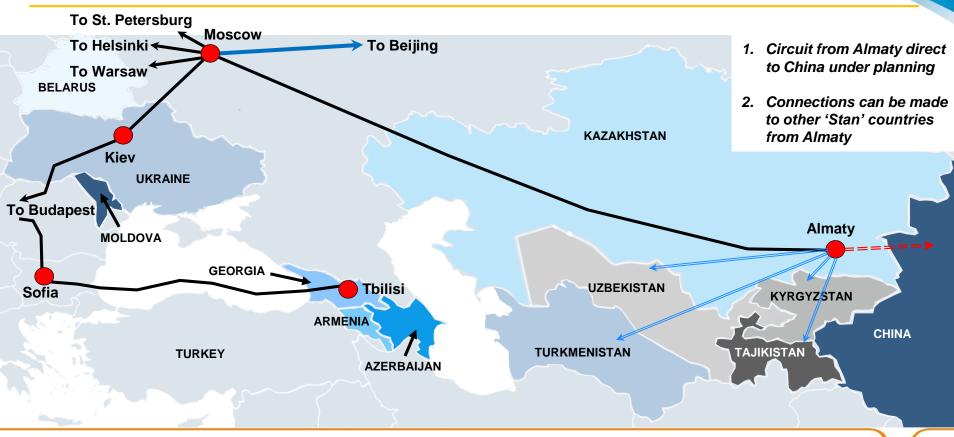








### **CPC Network in CIS countries**









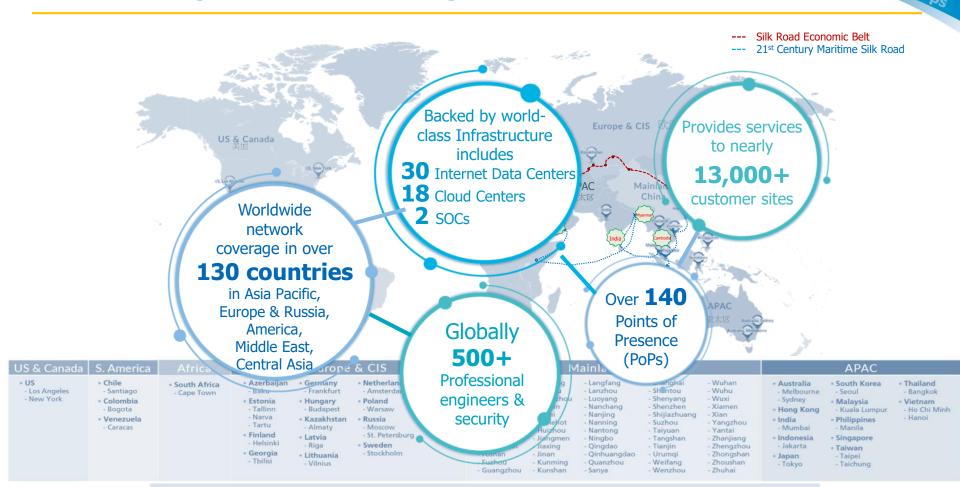








### **Connecting the World to Digital Silk Road**



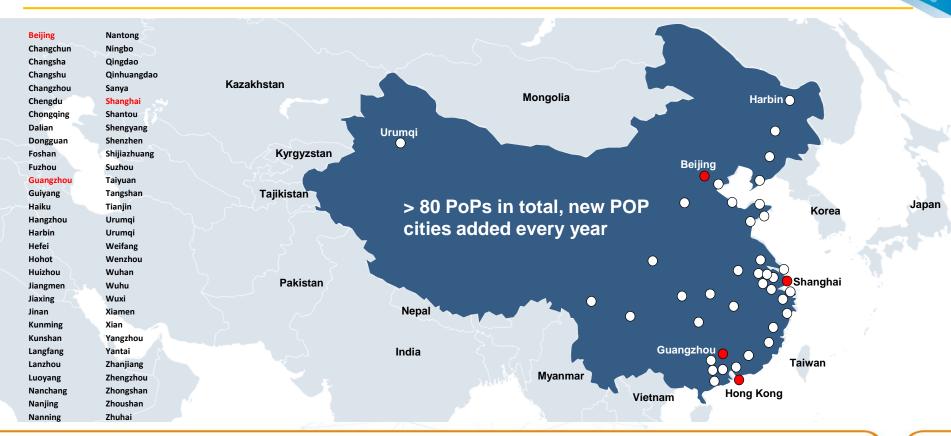


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### **CPC PoPs in China**















### **CPC core network supported by CITIC Networks**

- · Formerly known as the China Express No. 1 Network
- Self-owned national backbone network
- The only Basic Network Element licensed in China other than the incumbents







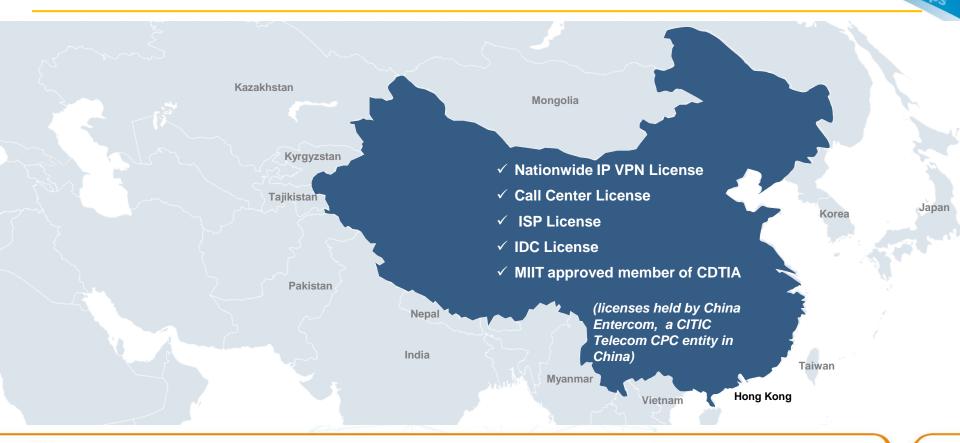








### **CPC Licenses in China**

















### **Other CPC PoPs in Asia Pacific**





















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### **BRI- Bilateral agreements PRC- 90 Countries**

1900 Projects

#### 2013

PRC President Xi Jinping launched The Silk road economic belt and the 21st- century Maritime Silk road OBOR later BRI



#### 2018

Chinese companies' nonfinancial direct investment in 56 counties participating in the initiative stood at US\$15.65bn in 2018.



Impact on 4.9 B people ,65% of Global GDP



#### 2017

Jyrki Katainen, Vice Pres EU Commission redefined the goal: improving connectivity by infrastructural investment agreements in Euarasia



#### 2019

Italy has become the first G7 economy to sign up to China's global investment program















### Kazakhstan & "BRI"



### Kazakhstan and it's strategic location for "BRI"

- BRI as trigger for **European interest** in Asia
- Countries along **BRI** have common interests in developing their economies













### **BRI** – Key Areas of Cooperation

#### **Infrastructure Connectivity**

Physical & Digital
Build extensive networks of sea and land transportation, ICT facilities,

pipelines, power grids, etc., to drive economic growth in the region

#### **Trade and Investment Enhancement**

E-commerce and other forms of investment that could take advantage of infrastructure and ICT connectivity are encouraged.

#### Financial Integration

strengthen financial and economic linkages amongst Eurasian countries.

#### **People-to-People Bond**

Revive the ancient Silk Road Spirit of "peace and cooperation, openness and inclusiveness, mutual learning and mutual benefit" through cultural and academic exchanges, tourism, sharing of information and cooperation in science and technology















### **Industry sector opportunities with BRI**



**ICT Technology** 



Financial Institutes



Consumer & Retail



Mining & Infrastructure



Manufacturing & **Transport** 















### **Some CIS Belt & Road Projects**

1. Khorgos-Aktau railway 2. Central Asia Gas Pipeline 3. China – Kazakhstan Oil Pipeline 4. Asia-Iran-Turkey HS Rail

















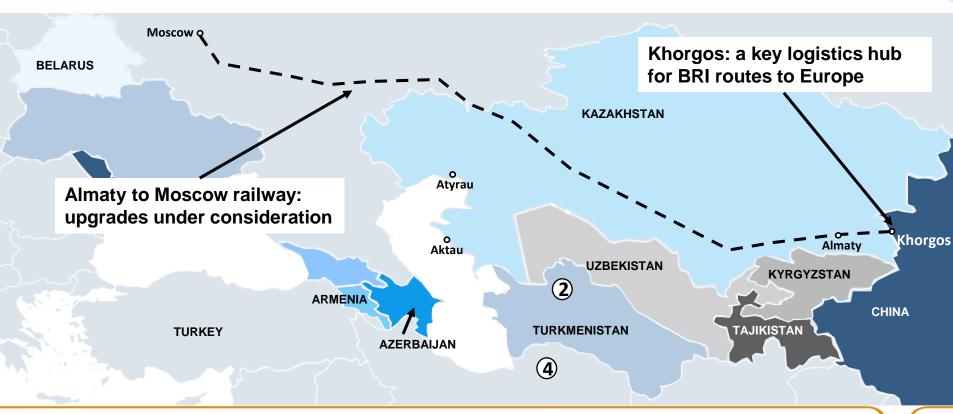








# **Current BRI projects in Kazakhstan**













### **Current BRI projects: Khorgos "dry port"**



An enormous development project on both sides of the border



**International Centre for Boundary Cooperation (free trade zone)** 



Railway interchange for China – KZ trains (different track gauges)













# Potential BRI project: Almaty to Moscow rail upgrade

01

Proposals to upgrade speed and capacity under consideration

A possible option: double-stack the container trains (as in India)

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Significant investment required in rolling stock, bridges, tunnels etc.









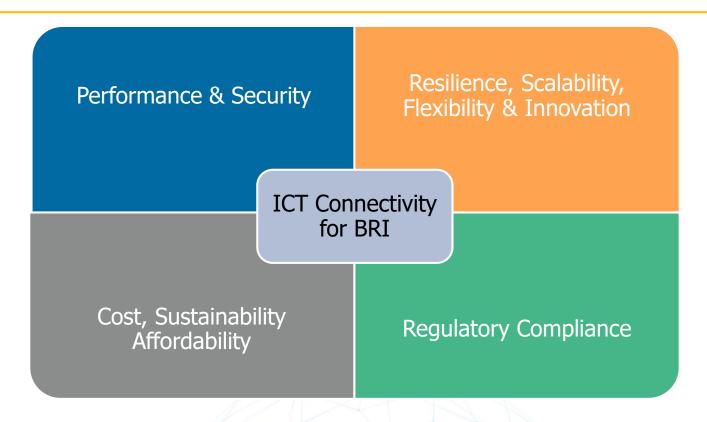








### **ICT & Belt and Road Initiative**















### ICT Project for BRI – Digital Kazakhstan 2020

#### **5 DIRECTIONS**

#### **17 INITIATIVES**















### ICT Project for BRI – Broadband connectivity

According to the historical data and estimates by Terabit Consulting, international bandwidth4 demand is expected to grow exponentially, which underlines the urgent need for building broadband connectivity along the 6 corridors.

- 1. China Mongolia Russia Corridor
- 2. New Eurasia Land Bridge Corridor
- 3. China-Central West-Asia Corridor
- 4. China Pakistan Corridor
- 5. Bangladesh China-India Myanmar Corridor
- 6. China Indonesia Corridor

Broadband connectivity is a critical component for integration into the digital government, global value chain and online trade among other economic activities.





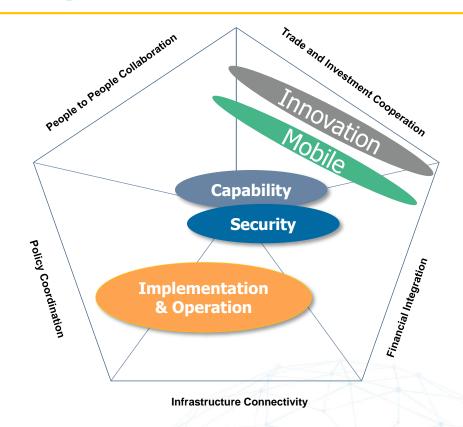








### **Relationship Between BRI & ICT areas**









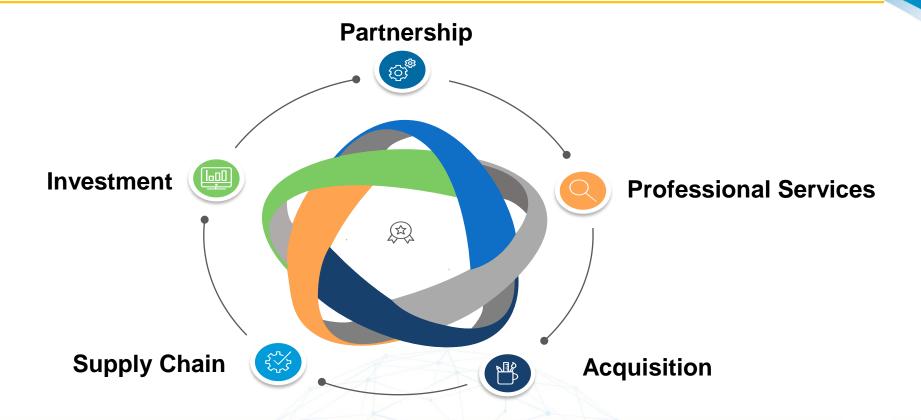








### **BRI, Digital Silk Road & Opportunities for Enterprises**

















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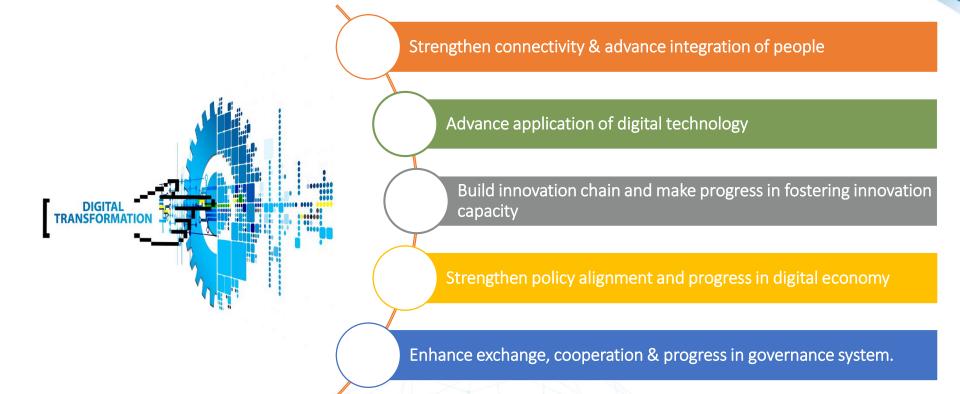








# **Digital Silk Road & Need for Digital Transformation**

















# **Top 3 Challenges for Digital Transformation**

O1 Stringent security and compliance regulation

Legacy IT infrastructure and lack of cybersecurity

Complexity in selection & Procurement















### **Digital Transformation – Trends 2019**



**Strong Enterprise Data** Foundation



**Reduce Technical debt** 



**Cloud Strategy** 



**Analytics** 



**Emerging Technology** 



**Customer Experience** 







**Digital Technology skills** 



**GDPR Regulation** 



Leadership communication



Integration of digital initiatives



Scaling digital change sustainability

**Data Foundation** 

**Digital Systems** 

**Open Digital Ecosystem** 

**Digital Change Agents** 

**Staff** 

Leadership



















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