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The purpose of the Gauteng Growth and Development Agency is to provide specialized and focused strategic capability for the Gauteng Province to implement its economic development policies and strategies.

#### Keyfocus areas are:

- Trade & Investment (Investment Attraction, Investment Promotion & Export Development)
  - •INVESTSA One-stop shop facilities
  - Attraction of foreign direct investment (FDI) domestic direct investment that supports the modernization and reindustrialization of Gauteng's economy.
  - •Increase the global investment and trade footprint of Gauteng enterprises.
  - •Increase intra-Africa trade

#### • Economic Infrastructure,

- Provider of strategic economic infrastructure that supports and facilitates radical economic transformation and the reindustrialization of Gauteng.
- Business Intelligence and Research
  - •Provider of Economic Research, Economic Information and Business Intelligence







#### **GGDA ECOSYSTEM**

The GGDA is endowed with subsidiaries that strategically drive growth in these sectors for example, **The Innovation Hub** is the first Science and Technology Park (STP) by international standards in Southern Africa-established with a view to spurring the development of smart industries (high-technology sectors) in Gauteng, TIH's role in the provincial innovation ecosystem is to be a catalyst for innovation and a key knowledge economy driver, in line with the Gauteng Growth and Development Strategy. **The AIDC** manages the Automotive Supplier Park (ASP) and provides services to the automotive sector and the automotive original equipment manufacturers (OEMs). AIDC provides assistance through automotive investment facilitation, skills development and training, incubation programmes and supply chain development. Additionally, the **Industrial Development Zone (IDZ),** a special economic zone set up around the OR Tambo precinct, was established to support industrial development in Gauteng Province with specific focus on mineral beneficiation and export-oriented, value-added industry, concentrated around OR Tambo International Airport, in Ekurhuleni. The core purpose of **ConHill** is to add to the rejuvenation of the Johannesburg Inner City through the development and promotion of the ConHill Heritage Project.













### WHY SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONES?

#### SEZ INCENTIVES PACKAGED TO SUPPORT FOREIGN OR DOMESTIC DIRECT INVESTMENT

#### **Special Economic Zone Investment Incentives**



#### Infrastructure funding:

With the support of the dti SEZ fund, designated SEZs can apply for grant infrastructure funding for the development of bulk and top structure, resulting in lower rental rates being offered to the market



**Exemption from Value Added Tax** for goods produced in the Zone for export



**Duty-free imports** of rawmaterials or equipment utilised for production in the Zone



**Tax deductions** of up to ZAR900m in respect of projects above ZAR200m



A **lower corporate tax of I 5%** vis-àvis the standard 28% is proposed for companies housed within the SEZ



All employers operating in a designated SEZ are entitled to access the employment tax incentive, assisting to reduce the employer's cost through a cost sharing mechanism with government



Provision of working capital loans through a metals financing scheme



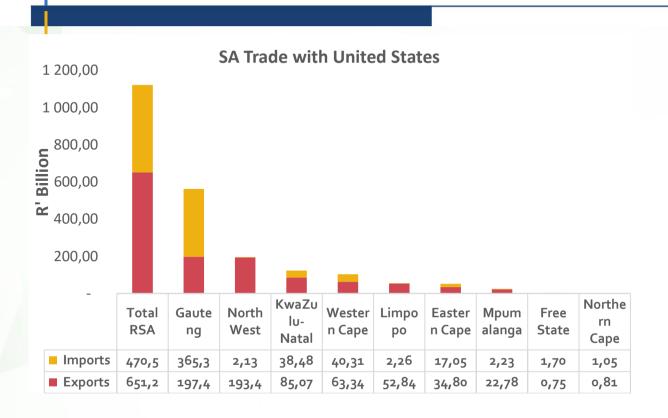
Businesses operating within approved SEZs will be eligible for an accelerated depreciation allowance on capital structures (buildings) at a rate equal 10 per cent per annum over 10 years

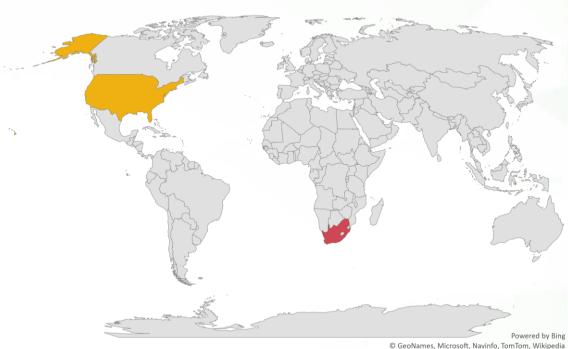




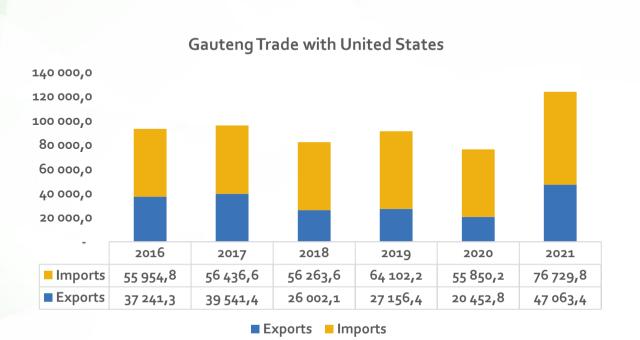


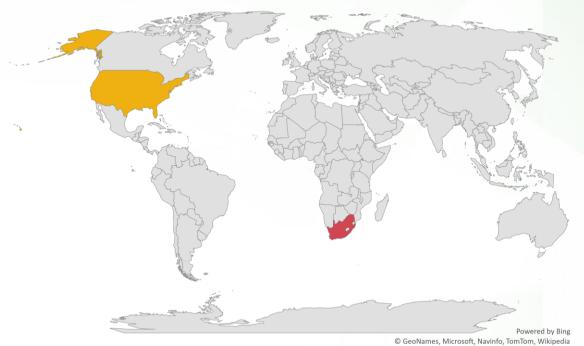




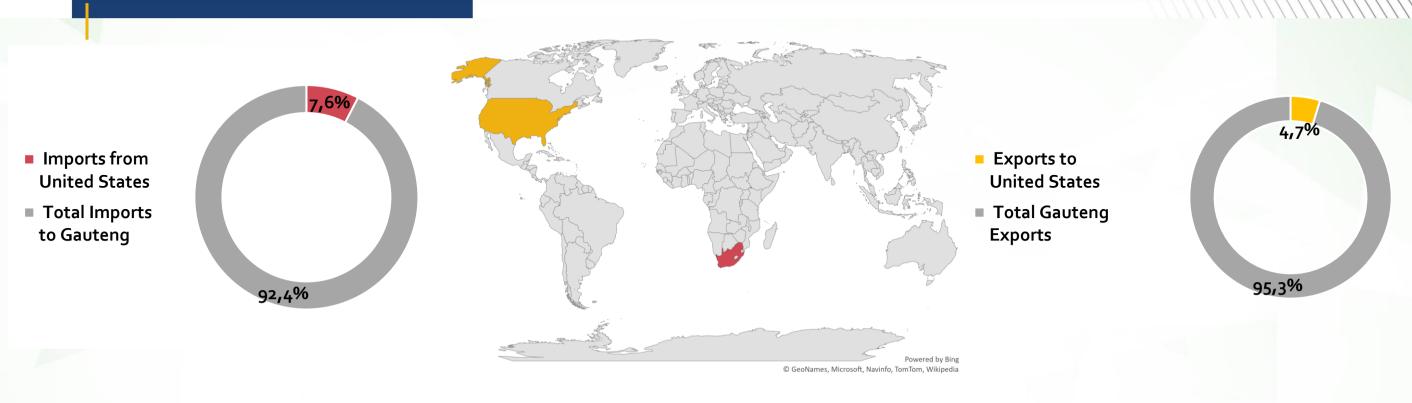


- Since 2016, total trade between South Africa and United States has amounted to R1121.8 billion worth of goods and services.
- Between 2016-2021 South Africa exported R651.3 billion worth of goods and services to the United States.
- Over the same period inbound goods and services imported from the United States amounted to R470.6 billion. Representing a national trade surplus of aproximately R180.7 billion.

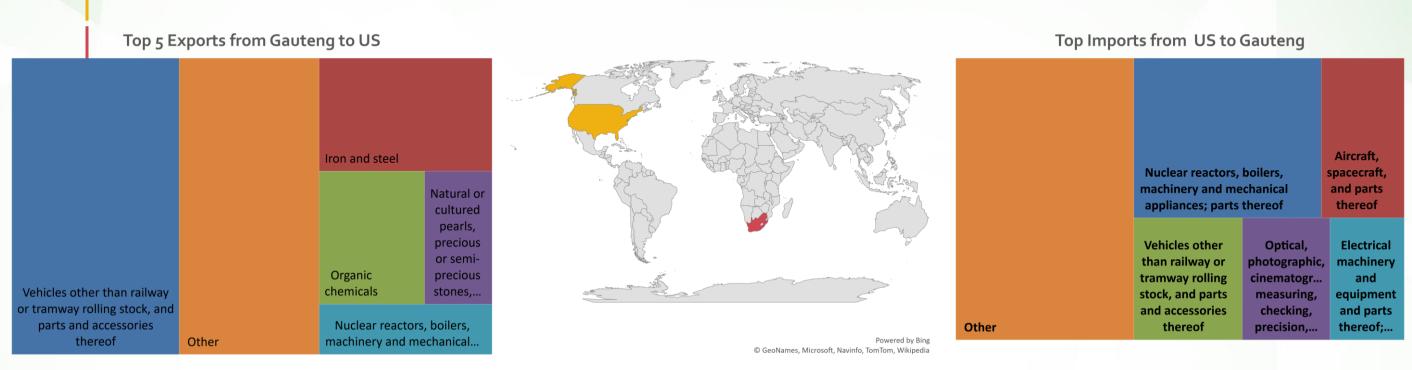




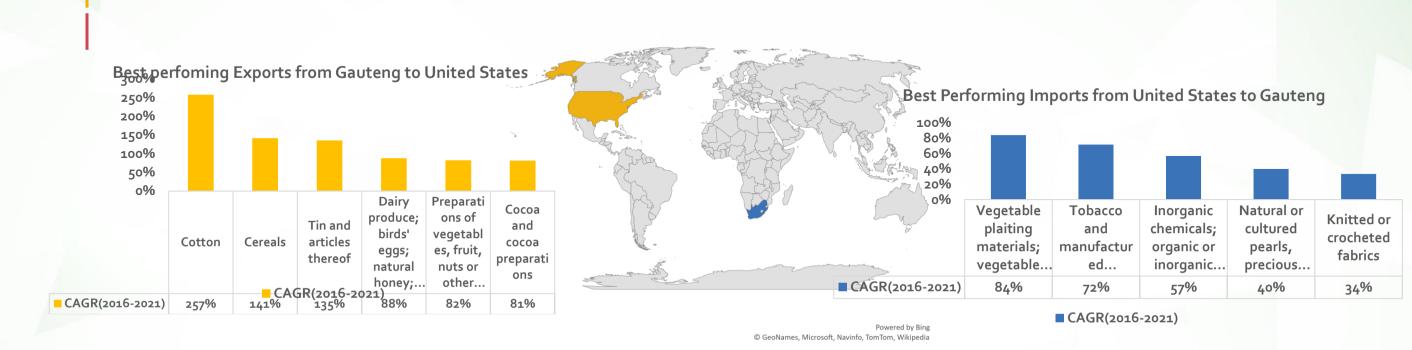
- Over the same period the Gauteng City-Region exported R197.5 billion worth of goods and services to the United States, accounting for 30.3% of goods and services exported from South Africa to the United States
- Additionally, the Gauteng City-Region received R365.3 billion worth of goods and services from the United States, representing 77.6% of goods and services imported from the United States



- The United States in GAUTENG's third largest trading partner, After China, and Germany
- Additionally, GAUTENG's United States largest trading partner in Africa
- The United States accounts is a source market 7.6 % of Gauteng's Imports
- 4.7% of Gauteng's Exports are bound to the US Market



- The top 5 exported commodities from Gauteng to the US are Motor Vehicles, Iron And Steel, Organic Chemicals, Precious Stones, and Capital Equipment
- The top 5 imported commodities form the US to Gauteng are Capital equipment, Motor vehicles, Photographic Equipment, Aircraft Related Parts and Advanced Electrical Machinery.



- The fastest-growing exported commodities from Gauteng to the US are Cotton, Cereals, Tin related articles and Vegetable preparations.
- The fastest-growing imported commodities from the US to Gauteng are *Vegetable preparations, Tobacco related goods Inorganic chemicals and Precious stones.*

7.6%    4.74%    Ores and slag    And tor    Vehicles    Vehicles    Aircraft,    Spacecraft    Vegetable    Tin related    Aircraft,    Spacecraft    Vegetable    Tin related    Ores and slag    Vehicles    Vegetable    Veletade    Vehicles    V	Countr	Share of Gauteng Imports	Share of Gauteng Exports	Top 5 Exported Goods	Top 5 Imported Goods	Top 5 Fastest- Growing Exports	Top 5 Fastest- Growing Imports	Competitive Exports	Competitive Imports
	USA	•	•	<ul> <li>Motor         Vehicles</li> <li>Iron and         steel</li> <li>Nickel</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Equipment</li> <li>Vehicles</li> <li>Aircraft,         Spacecraft     </li> <li>Optical         instruments         etc     </li> <li>Electrical         machinery &amp;     </li> </ul>	<ul><li>Cotton,</li><li>Cereals,</li><li>Tin related articles and</li><li>Vegetable</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Vegetable preparations,</li> <li>Tobaccorelated goods</li> <li>Inorganic chemicals and</li> <li>Precious</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>23% Organic chemicals</li> <li>14% Aircraft and spacecraft parts</li> <li>10% Original equipment components</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>48.6% Aircraft, Spacecraft</li> <li>22.2% Explosives, pyrotechnic products, matches</li> <li>17% Optical photographic equipment,</li> <li>17.6% Pulp of wood and other cellulose materials</li> </ul>





# FDI BETWEEN GAUTENG AND UNITED STATES 2014-2020





# US COMPANIES INVESTING IN GAUTENG (2016-2021)



# Number of FDI Investments



R33.3 billion

Total Investment

Source: FDI Markets, GGDA BI

#### **Notable companies**

PriceWaterHouse Coppers

Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu

**Amazon Web Services** 

Harvard Business School (HBS)

Cummins

Microsoft

Ford

SAS (SAS Institute)

General Electric (GE)

Airbnb



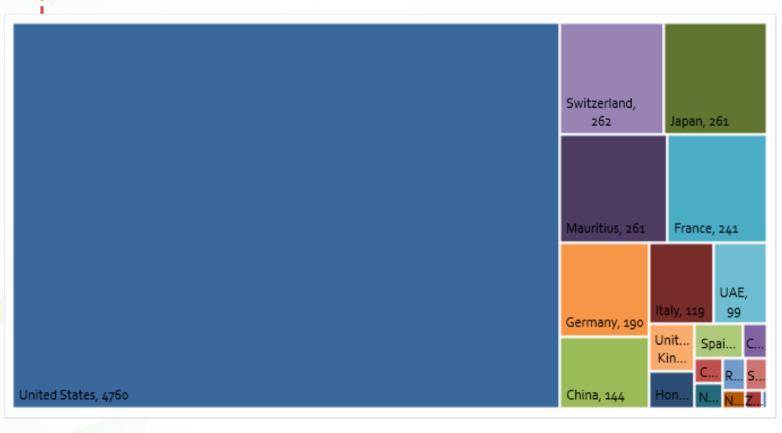


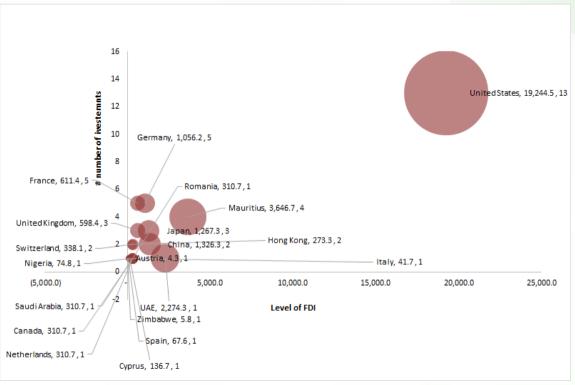




#### 2020 GAUTENG FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT PERFORMANCE

#### Jobs Created by FDI, by country





- Historically the United States has been GAUTENG's largest source of FDI.
- Between 2003 and 2019 US investments accounted for 19% of FDI inflows in the country.
- Keeping with the trend, in 2020, the United States was Gauteng's largest source of FDI
- A total of 13 major investments worth R19.2 billion
- Notable investments in 2020 include, *Crane Worldwide Logistics, CrowdStrike, Fulcrum Biometrics,, Plugand Play and Ford*
- Additionally the US sources FDI led to approximately 4 760 direct jobs

# **AREAS OF COLLABOARATION**





#### POSSIBLE AREAS OF COLLABORATION BETWEEN GAUTENG AND THE US

#### **General Areas of collaboration**

- Increase Local collaboration with US Companies to support Localization interventions
- Investment attraction facilitation and attracting further FDI's
- Increase US air access into Gauteng
  - United Airlines commenced services in Jun2021 will a daily flight to Newark (New Jersey).
  - Delta Airlines resumed services in August 2021 will a daily flight to Atlanta.
- Technology transfer, skills Development & Training interventions

#### **Auto Sector**

- Electric Vehicle landscape interventions: Research and Development within the (EV batteries/research/best practice etc)
- A possible meetings with US Embassy sector officers based in SA, so to share the SA Automotive Master Plan 2035 and look at joint thinking around, knowledge based learning and conference with joint sector experts (locally & abroad)
- Attract investment into the auto sector in TASEZ, AIDC Supplier Park (linked to point 1)
- Local development & collaboration to support within Auto Sector, university projects, skills transfer

#### **Advanced Manufacturing**

- Collaboration in development of hydrogen fuel cells sector
- Technology transfer, skills transfer and investment in Advanced manufacturing in future and current SEZs
- Technology transfer, skills transfer and investment in Healthcare & Pharma and Agro-processing

#### **Creatives Industry**

- Cultural Exchange between US and Gauteng (tapping into the Africa diaspora)
- Use of 4IR technology and Augmented Reality in improving the tourist and creative industry offering









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