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China



EDC's Position

- Key EDC Market
- Actively pursuing business
- Open under all programs, subject to regular approval criteria

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Country At A Glance



Business Environment

China consistently ranks as one of Canada's top five export destinations. The country's strong economic growth offers a multitude of trade and investment opportunities for Canadian exporters in the market. China's diverse markets and fast pace growth make it an important manufacturing centre for integrating into global supply chains as well as for selling goods and services to the country's expanding consumer base.

Key Industries

- Oil and Gas
- Mining & Metals
- Power
- Telecom
- Transportation Services
- Aerospace

How we can support your business

Through our representation in Shanghai and Beijing, China, we provide on-the-ground support to Canadian companies planning on or currently doing business in China. Our regional representatives have developed strategic relationships with major buyers in key sectors as well as an extensive network of local contacts in the market.

- We are well positioned to help Canadian companies through a range of financing and risk management services.
- Learn more about our [service offering](#).

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Country Facts

Nominal GDP	5,824.10 Billion USD
Population	1312 Million
Total Trade/GDP	56.20%
Currency	Yuan (Renminbi, CNY)
Merchandise Imports from Canada	13232 Million CAD
Canadian direct investment	4789 Million CAD
Main imports	Electrical equipment, Industrial Machinery & Equipment

EDC in China

Canadian companies assisted	376
International buyers insured	1033
Business volume	4,031.39 Million CAD

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