**COUNTRY PROFILE:** CHINA, TAIWAN PROVINCE OF

**Population:** 23.6 Millions

**GDP:** 573 038 Millions current US$

**Merchandise trade:** 576 515 Millions current US$

**Internet users:** 21.9 Millions

**GDP growth:** 2.9 %

**Land area:** 35 410 km²

Source: UNCTAD and ITU (complete URL addresses in the General Notes)

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**E-COMMERCE ASSESSMENT - 2016-18**

- Rank in UNCTAD B2C E-commerce Index: -/151
- Rank in ITU ICT Development Index: -/176
- Rank in WEF Networked Readiness Index: 19/139

Source: UNCTAD, ITU and WEF (complete URL address in the General Notes)

Note: 1 = Best

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**ICT INFRASTRUCTURE AND SERVICES - 2017**

- Internet users, 92.8
- Active mobile broadband subscriptions, 99.9
- Fixed broadband subscriptions, 24.2

**Fixed broadband Internet tariffs, PPP $/month**

- 300 Highest tariff: 277.8
- 100 Tariffs in 50% of eco. are below this value
- 0 Lowest tariff: 6.8

CHINA, TAIWAN PROVINCE OF, #N/A

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**PAYMENTS - 2014-17**

- **Debit card used in the past year:** CHINA, TAIWAN PROVINCE OF, 39.3
- **Credit card used in the past year:** CHINA, TAIWAN PROVINCE OF, 50.6
- **Mobile phone or the internet used to access a financial institution account in the past year:** CHINA, TAIWAN PROVINCE OF, 32.6

Source: World Bank (complete URL address in the General Notes)
**COUNTRY PROFILE: CHINA, TAIWAN PROVINCE OF**

**TRADE LOGISTICS - 2013-18**

- **Percent of population having mail delivered at home**
  - China, Taiwan Province of: N/A
  - World: 82.9

- **Postal reliability index (0 to 100, 100 = Best)**
  - China, Taiwan Province of: N/A
  - World: 58.2

- **Days to clear direct exports through customs**
  - China, Taiwan Province of: N/A
  - World: 7.2

Source: UPU and World Bank (complete URL addresses in the General Notes)

**LEGAL AND REGULATORY FRAMEWORKS - 2019**

- **China, Taiwan Province of**
  - Electronic Transactions: N/A
  - Consumer Protection: N/A
  - Privacy and data protection: N/A
  - Cybercrime: N/A

Source: UNCTAD


**SKILLS DEVELOPMENT - 2013-17**

- **Percentage of firms using e-mail to interact with clients/suppliers**
  - World average: 63.8
  - China, Taiwan Province of: N/A
  - LDCs: 48.3
  - Africa: 52.5
  - Western Asia: 70.5
  - Southern, Eastern & South-Eastern Asia & Oceania: 65.6
  - Transition Economies: 74.5
  - Latin America and the Caribbean: 83.0
  - Developed Economies: 91.5

Source: World Bank (complete URL address in the General Notes)

**FINANCING FOR eCommerce - 2013-17**

- **Percentage of firms identifying access to finance as a major constraint**
  - World average: 20.1
  - China, Taiwan Province of: N/A
  - Developed Economies: 16.4
  - Transition Economies: 12.9
  - Southern, Eastern & South-Eastern Asia & Oceania: 15.5
  - Latin America and the Caribbean: 17.3
  - LDCs: 29.7
  - Western Asia: 22.5
  - Africa: 32.7

Source: World Bank (complete URL address in the General Notes)
NOTES:
- For merchandise trade - sum of exports and imports.

- Country groups are weighted using population for most indicators with the exception of those on skills development, financing for e-commerce and days to clear direct exports through customs. Regional average values relate to developing economies in those regions.

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