



Greater Tumen Initiative



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# Trade Facilitation and Development of Regional Trade and Investment in GTR



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# 1. Greater Tumen Initiative (GTI) Member Countries and Regions

The **Greater Tumen Initiative (GTI)**, originally known as the Tumen River Area Development Programme, is a unique intergovernmental economic cooperation mechanism in NEA, supported by the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), with four members: China, Mongolia, ROK and Russia.



China	Mongolia	Republic of Korea	Russian Federation
Northeastern provinces: - Heilongjiang - Inner Mongolia - Jilin - Liaoning	Eastern aimags (provinces): - Dornod - Khentii - Sukhbaatar	Eastern ports: - Busan - Sokcho - Ulsan - Pohang	Primorsky Territory

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## Brief History and Feature

- **Evolution of the GTI Framework**

- 1991, Tumen River Area Development Programme (TRADP) initiated by UNDP
- 1995, the member countries signed a formal agreement on the establishment of the intergovernmental mechanism
- 2005, the member countries agreed to extend the 1995 Agreement for another ten years and assume the full ownership

- **A multilateral intergovernmental platform**

- Since its creation, GTI has been serving as an active catalyst for expanding policy dialogue among its members and strengthening fundamentals for economic growth in the region
- Member-country driven partnership while remain supported by UNDP

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## Vision and Mission

- **Vision**

- Building a great partnership for common prosperity between neighbours
- In specific terms, the member countries aim to create a growth pole for development in the NEA region, and make the Greater Tumen Region (GTR) an attractive one for trade and investment

- **Mission**

- Increase mutual benefits and common understanding
- Strengthen economic and technical cooperation
- Attain sustainable development and common prosperity

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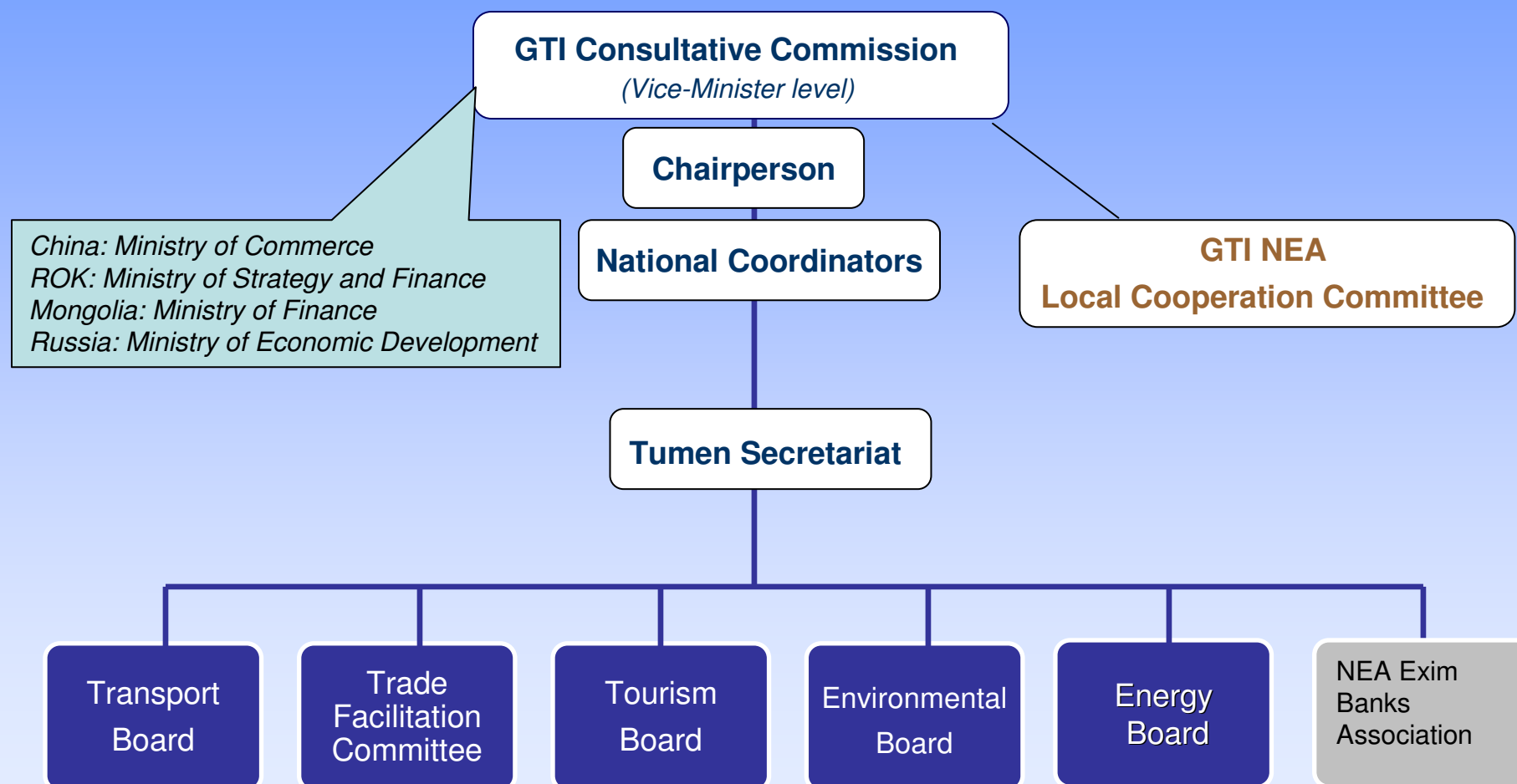
## Key Economic Sectors for Cooperation

- **Priorities of GTI cooperation**
  - Transport
  - Trade & Investment
  - Tourism
  - Energy
  - Environment



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- **GTI Consultative Commission (CC)**
  - The decision-making institution of GTI (Vice-Minister level)
  - Composed of high level officials from member governments
  - Annual meeting provides a venue for intergovernmental exchanges
- **GTI Tumen Secretariat**
  - Executing body of the Consultative Commission
  - Coordinating GTI activities and implementing CC decisions
  - Operation under the administrative support by the UNDP
- **National Coordinators**
  - National focal points for GTI
- **Sectoral Board/Committee**
  - Specific cooperation activities and project promotion in key sectors
  - Composed of senior officials from relevant ministries

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# Greater Tumen Initiative (GTI) Outcomes of 13<sup>th</sup> Vladivostok Meeting

**Commission Meeting : 10 Oct 2012, Vladivostok**

## **Development**

GTI into a legally independent entity  
Finalised version of the GTI Strategic Action Plan of 2012-2015

## **Transport Sector**

Continuation of the GTI Transport Corridor Study  
Continuation of Study of the Sea-Land Route

## **Trade and Investment Sector**

Trade Facilitation Capacity Building Program  
International Forum with ESCAP  
Investment Fair focusing on the Infrastructure Next year  
OECD Exim Bank Association