

Industry Spotlight:

Vietnam's Roadmap for High-Tech Investment In Semiconductor

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Vietnam's Formula for Semiconductor Success

C = SET + 1







T represents Talent, emphasizing workforce development





Three-Phase Roadmap

Vietnam's strategy is designed to gradually build its semiconductor capabilities through a structured, phased approach that targets both domestic development and foreign direct investment (FDI)





Phase 1: 2024 - 2030

Key targets by 2030:

- Establish 100 design firms, 1 semiconductor manufacturing plant, and 10 packaging and testing facilities.
- Achieve annual semiconductor industry revenue exceeding US\$25 billion with 10-15% value-added in Vietnam.
- Reach electronics industry revenue surpassing US\$225 billion, with a similar 10-15% value-added growth.
- Expand the workforce to over 50,000 skilled engineers and professionals.





Phase 2: 2030 - 2040



Key targets by 2040:

- Grow to 200 design firms, 2 semiconductor manufacturing plants, and 15 packaging and testing facilities.
- Gradual autonomy in semiconductor design and production.
- Semiconductor industry revenue to exceed US\$50 billion annually, with 15-20% value-added.
- Increase electronics industry revenue to US\$485 billion, also targeting 15-20% value-added.
- Expand the workforce to over 100,000 skilled engineers and professionals.



Phase 3: 2040 - 2050

Key targets by 2050:

- Establish a minimum of 300 design firms, 3 large-scale semiconductor manufacturing plants, and 20 packaging and testing facilities.
- Reach US\$100 billion in semiconductor industry revenue, with 20-25% added value.
- Push electronics industry revenue to exceed US\$1,045 billion annually, with 20-25% value-added.
- Develop a self-sustaining semiconductor ecosystem, supported by a robust workforce with the skills and numbers to meet industry demands.





Government Support Mechanisms

Investment in data centers and supercomputing systems

Top-tier incentives for hightech foreign investments

Special financial backing for building high-tech semiconductor manufacturing plants

Creation of an investment support fund to reduce the impact of global minimum tax regulations

A one-stop administrative process for navigating project approvals

Green lane mechanisms to streamline the export of goods related to the semiconductor industry



Vietnam's Path to Semiconductor Leadership

- Vietnam's roadmap is ambitious but firmly rooted in achievable milestones that can turn the country into a global semiconductor powerhouse.
- For investors, Vietnam offers not only a strategic location but also the tools and support needed to thrive in a highly competitive industry.
- The opportunity to get involved early in this fastgrowing market could deliver strong returns, while helping shape the future of Vietnam's high-tech sector.



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