Wuhan Eastlake
High Technology Development Zone
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Located in Central China
Land area: 8494 KM$^2$
Population: 12 milion
Boasts plenty of rivers and lakes, 1/4 Water area
GDP of 2016 totaled 160 billion EUR, ranking Ninth in Chinese cities.

One of the scientific and educational centers in China, has 52 colleges and universities, and 1.2 million college students.

Ranked 11th among the “Most Dynamic Cities of 2025” issued by *Foreign Policy* in August 2012.
High-Tech Service Industry

- The zone is approved as a national torch plan software industry base and has more than 500 software and service outsourcing enterprises as well as over 50,000 employees.
- A batch of famous service outsourcing enterprises have been aggregated in the zone, including HP, IBM, Deutsche Telekom, Cummins, Siemens, Huawei, iSoftStone, Wistron, and others.
- A batch of financial support centers have been aggregated in the zone, including Bank of Communications, China Merchants Bank, China Everbright Bank, Hankou Bank, Hubei Bank, China UMS, Taikang Life, and others.

**Rail Transportation**

- One of the 4 largest railway transportation hubs in China.
- High Speed Rail: 3-5 hours from Wuhan to Guangzhou, Nanjing, Shanghai, Beijing, Xi'an and Hongkong etc.

**Air Transportation**

- Over 40 international flights to SFO, Los angles, Paris, Singapore, Japan, Korea etc.
- The largest airport and the only one port of arrival visas in Central China

**Waterway Transportation**

- The largest inland port in China
Hubei in China

Wuhan in Hubei

OVC in Wuhan

- Location: Southeast of Wuhan
- Land area: 518 km²
- Population: 1 million
Wuhan East Lake Hi-tech Zone was officially founded in 1988. It was approved to be in the first batch of the national high-tech industrial development zones in China and the first national high-tech zone in Wuhan in 1991. In 2001, it was approved to be the only optoelectronic information industry base in China – origin of the name *Optics Valley of China* (OVC). In 2009, it was approved by the State Council to be the second National Independent Innovation Demonstration Zone.
- Wuhan Eastlake Free Trade Zone is an important part of the China (Hubei) Pilot Free Trade Zone
- International Cooperation in Science and Technology: China-Belgium technology center, China-Israel Technology Enterprise Accelerator, China-French biology center, "double Valley" cooperation with Silicon Valley
- More than 50 thousand registered enterprises with a total income of more than 135 billion EUR
"131" Industry Type
1 → Major industry
3 → Strategic industries
1 → Supporting industry
Optoelectronic Information Industry

- China’s first optical fiber and first optical transmission system
- The largest optical fiber and cable production base
- The largest optical device R&D and production base in China
- The largest laser industry base in China
- One of the four national bases of integrated circuits of China
- The largest small and medium size TFT-LCD/OLED panel production base in Central China
- The total income of optoelectronic information industry is over 68 billion EUR in 2016
Biology & Health Industry

- Biolake, or the Wuhan National Bioindustry Base, is an industry base established in 2008 in the OVC, covers 15 square kilometers.
- Focus on biomedicine, biological agriculture, medical device, biological manufacturing, healthcare service and bio-energy.
- Have professional incubators, medicine and medical instrument testing center, pilot magnification platform, instrument-sharing platform, medicine safety evaluation center, etc.
- The total income of biology & healthy industry is over 27 billion EUR in 2016.
THEY ARE HERE
CBTC

- The biggest science park project invested by China in Belgium
- Mission: build “two-way green channel” for European companies enter the Chinese market, and Chinese companies to European in high-tech industries
- Vision: become China’s high-tech industry bridge connecting Europe
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