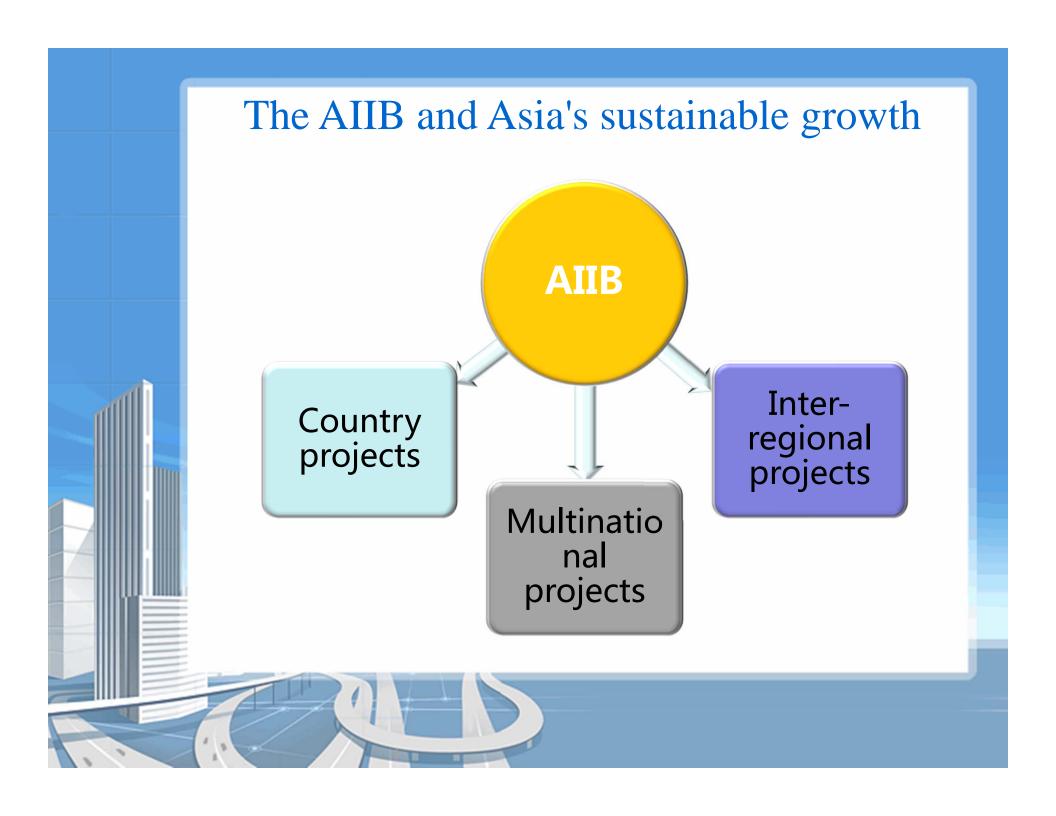


	Oct 2, 2013	Chinese President Xi Jinping pledged to set up an Asian investment bank to help fund infrastructure projects as he visited Indonesia.
	Oct 24,2014	Representatives from 22 Asian nations including China, India and Singapore, signed the Memorandum of Understanding on Establishing the Asia Infrastructure Investment Bank (MOU).
	Mar 31, 2015	The AIIB has received applications from a total of 57 countries.
	First half of 2015	Several rounds of Chief Negotiators' Meeting have been held in the first half of 2015 to negotiate the Draft Article of Agreement (AoA) composed by the Chief Counsel of the interim multilateral secretariat.
	Second half of 2015	Prospective founding members will go through domestic procedure to approve the AoA.
	End of 2015	All the preparation work is done and the AIIB will go into operation.
	1	



The AIIB and Asia's sustainable growth

Investing in country projects

The bank will create a favorable development environment for countries by investing in the countries' railways, highways, telecommunications, electricity and other infrastructure projects.

Investing in multinational projects

In addition to investing in national projects, the AIIB will weight its investment in projects across countries, such as cross-border railways and highways.

The AIIB and Asia's sustainable growth

Investing in inter- regional projects

The AIIB will not only invest in infrastructure projects within the Asian region, but will also take into account the related projects in neighboring areas.

Increasing investment in regional and inter-regional infrastructure projects will create favorable conditions for sustainable economic development in Asia and other areas.

