

International Investor's Support Guide

Aveiro Region

AIDA CCI – Câmara de Comércio e Indústria do Distrito de Aveiro



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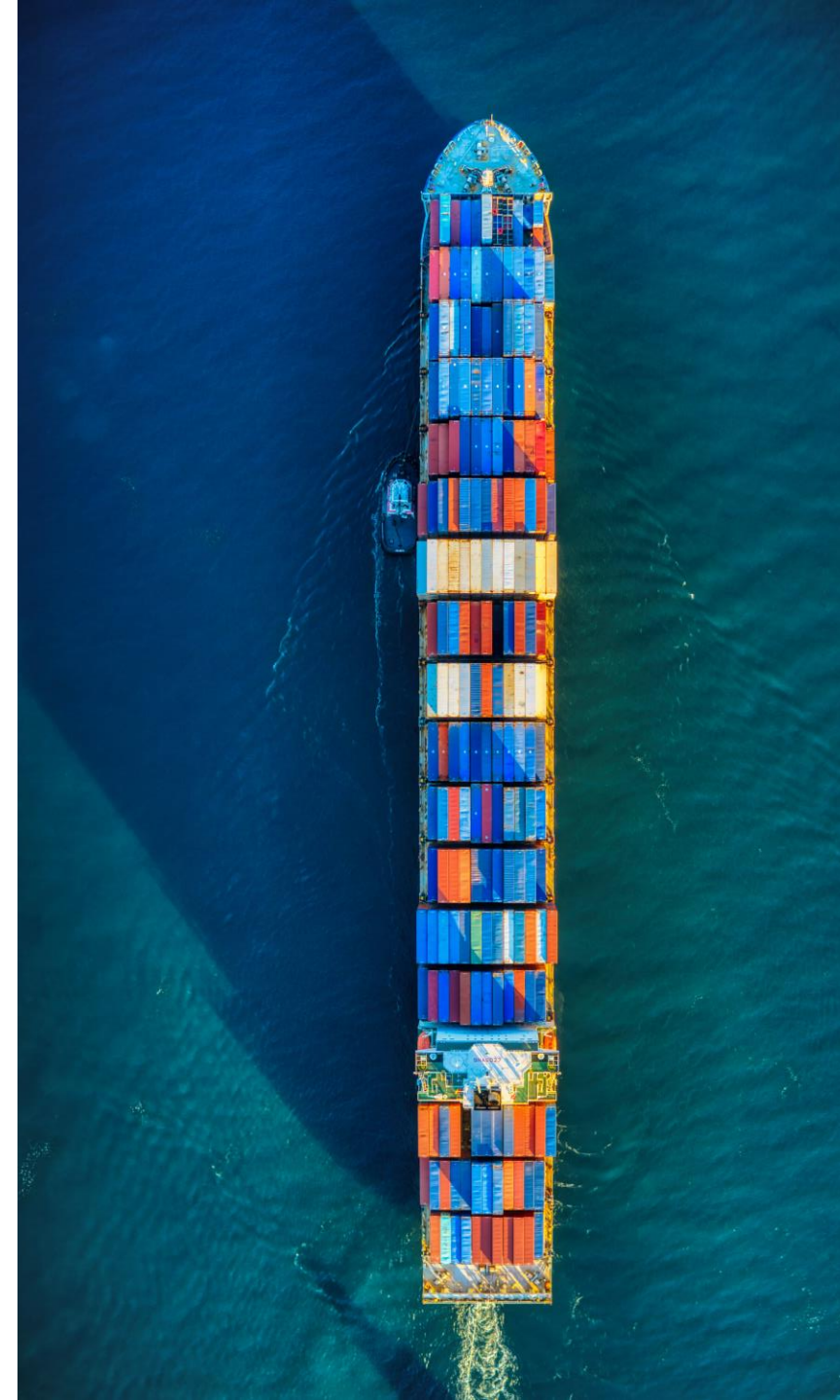
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1. WHY THE AVEIRO REGION?



#1 Demography

The Aveiro region presents a growing and quite balanced population in terms of gender, and it also shows a higher percentage of young people in comparison to the elderly population

Resident Population



700 964

 15% Growth, compared to 2020

 249,9 Residents/Km²

Total area



2 798,54 km²

 19 Municipalities

 147 Parish Councils

23% of the population is < 25 years old



48% of the population of the Aveiro region are men

22% of the population is > 65 years old



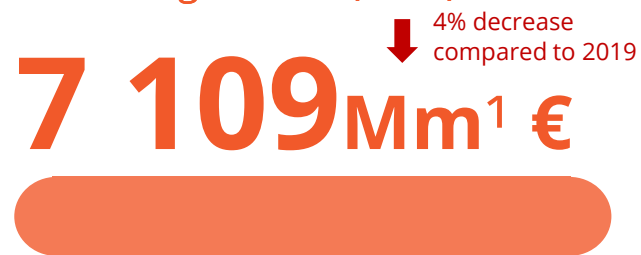
52% of the population of the Aveiro region are women



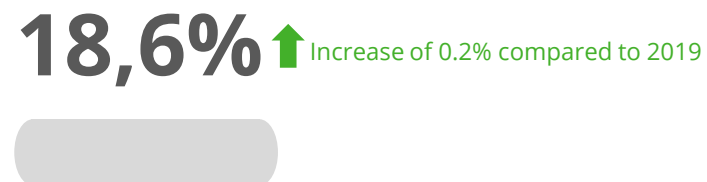
#2 Socio-economic Profile

The region's economy stands out for having a GDP per capita above the national average, a high level of labour productivity and a high export intensity rate

Aveiro Region GDP (2020)



Relative weight of the Aveiro Region GDP in the Centre Region GDP value (2020)



Aveiro Region GDP per capita (2020)



3.7Mm €

Aveiro Region's export volume (2021)

7% ↑ Growth of 30% compared to 2020

Of Portugal's export volume (2021)



48,5% ↓ Drop of 2% compared to 2019

Export Intensity² of Aveiro Region (2020)

26,87%

Export Intensity of Portugal (2020)



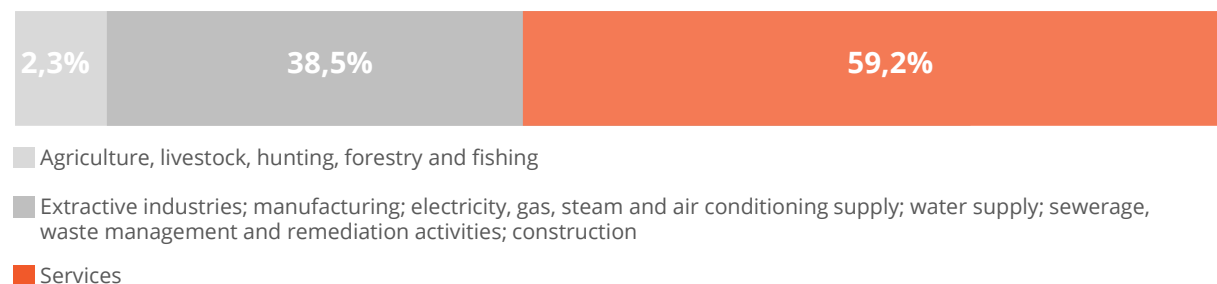
7.9Mm € ↓ Drop of 1.2% compared to 2018

Gross fixed capital formation of the enterprises in the Aveiro Region (2019)

25k € Above North Region average (22 k€)

Apparent Labour Productivity³ (2019)

Proportion of the gross value added, by branch of activity, in the Aveiro Region (2020)



Source: INE, 2020. ¹ Provisional value; ² (Exports of goods/GDP)*100; ³ Value added at factor costs divided by the number of persons employed

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#2 Socio-economic Profile

The region's labour force is highly qualified and accessible, with higher education levels than the national average and a growing number of personnel employed in enterprises

Qualified population at a cost below the national average



14 941

Students enrolled in higher education (2021)

39,7% Enrolment rate in higher education (2020)

8 Schools of Higher Education

9 368 Students enrolled in *STEAM¹ areas* (2021)
↑ Increase of 6% compared to 2019



275 526 ↑ Increase of 6% compared to 2017

Personnel employed in enterprises (2019)



14 539 ↑ Increase of 28% compared to 2017

Personnel employed by enterprises that are mainly foreign-owned² (2019)



26 Mm ↑ Increase of 20% compared to 2017

Gross Value Added by the enterprises that are mainly foreign-owned (2019)



66% Working-age population³



In 2019, the average annual salary in the Aveiro Region was below the national average (22 792€)

21 396 € Average annual salary

1091 € Average monthly salary

Source: INE, 2019; Pordata, 2021. ¹ Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts & Mathematics; ² Companies with more than 50% of foreign capital; ³ Provisional value (Censos, 2021)

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#3 Location and logistical infrastructure

The region's vast and solid network of transport and communication technology infrastructure is a determining factor for its success as a commercial location, both nationally and internationally

Geostrategic location

One of the biggest competitive advantages of the Aveiro Region, in the national context, is its privileged geostrategic location.

This advantage is consolidated essentially by the vast presence of transport infrastructures, which enable different types of mobility (rail, sea, air, road, pedestrian and cycling) that allow rapid inter-regional and international connections.

This transport infrastructure network strongly contributes to affirming the region as a critical territory for commercial flows at a national level and as a promoter of socio-economic dynamics with Europe and the rest of the world.



GATEWAY TO EUROPE



COMPLEMENTARITY OF MEANS OF TRANSPORT ON NATIONAL TERRITORY



ACCESSABILITY FOR IMPORTING AND EXPORTING GLOBALLY



STRONG COMMERCIAL AND BUSINESS DYNAMISM

Rail, road, sea and air transport infrastructures



Railway

The region has excellent rail connections that enable the transport of passengers and cargo throughout the country, especially the **Alfa Pendular, Intercity, and Regional** services, provided by CP - Comboios de Portugal.



Maritime

With an annual traffic of about 5.5 million tons¹, the **Port of Aveiro** is the largest conventional general cargo infrastructure, playing a key role in supporting the economic activity and the export capacity of many Portuguese industries. Also noteworthy is the quick access to the **Port of Leixões**, located 1 hour away from the center of Aveiro



Roadway

There are several road infrastructures serving Aveiro, enabling connections to the north, south and with the rest of Iberia. **The main distribution routes are: A1, A17 and A25.**



Aerial

The region has quick access (45 minutes) to the **Francisco Sá Carneiro International Airport (OPO)** and the **São Jacinto Municipal Aerodrome**, which is used for military but also commercial purposes.



Intermodal Platform

The Port of Aveiro has a **Zone of Industrial and Logistics Activities (ZALI)** with a waterfront of 1000 meters of quay. The ZALI is a unique port logistics platform in Portugal, as it offers **competitive maritime and road-rail connections to international markets**, including the possibility for economic operators to use a private harbor.



#3 Location and infrastructure logistics

The diversity of organizations and investigation centers focused on the development of communication technologies empower innovation and digital transition within business tissue of the Aveiro Region



Strong commitment to communication tech

Aveiro has invested in **digital communication technology** serving as a headquarter to various organizations and investigation centers that primarily focus on **innovation and the digital transition of local industry**, updating enterprise to the latest communication technologies, namely **5G**.



INSTITUTO DE TELECOMUNICAÇÕES (IT)

› IT is committed to applied investigation both on a national and international level. Their main mission is divulging and contributing to the production of knowledge in support of advanced training in the fields of Information Technologies, Communication and Electronics (TICE) with a **special emphasis on Telecommunications**



CENTRO TECNOLÓGICO DA NOKIA SIEMENS NETWORKS

› The Nokia Technology Centre located in Aveiro is **considered as one of the most relevant innovation centers** for Nokia Siemens, exporting innovative solutions and knowledge to the whole world



SAPO.PT

› Sapo was **created** in the **Aveiro University** and it revolutionized digital media in Portugal.
› Today it stands as a **reference of excellence** for the distribution of news, *blogs* or events **in Portugal**



ALTICE LABS

› Altice Labs has assumed the **leadership** in the fields of **R&D and Innovation** in Portugal. This center has become a reference within the global market, as its products and solutions are currently in use by over 300 millions of people throughout 60 countries in the whole world



5GAIner Laboratory

5G + IA NETWORKS RELIABILITY CENTER

› With its headquarters in Aveiro, **5GAIner** is a laboratory dedicated to the experimentation on **5G Technology** and **Artificial Intelligence**. Their primary goal is enabling enterprise, assisting industry and facilitating the digital transition process into 5th generation cellular grids (5G)

#4 Economic agents and main sectors of activity

The Aveiro Region shows a solid business activity, with a high number of newborn enterprises and a strong predominance of the manufacturing and wholesale trade sector



43 813
Enterprises headquartered in the Aveiro Region (2019)



+15 Mm €
Turnover of the Enterprises based in the Aveiro Region (2019)



+3.5 Mm €
GVA¹ of the Aveiro Region Enterprises (2019)



26
ENTERPRISES PER KM²

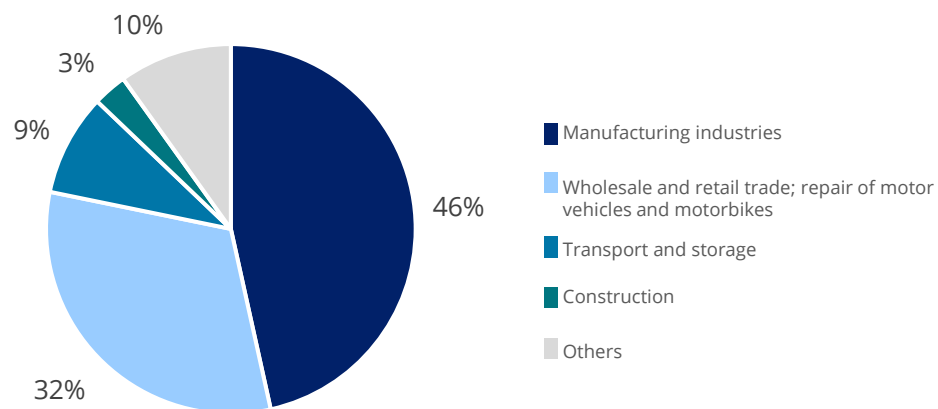


5 697
NEW ENTERPRISES



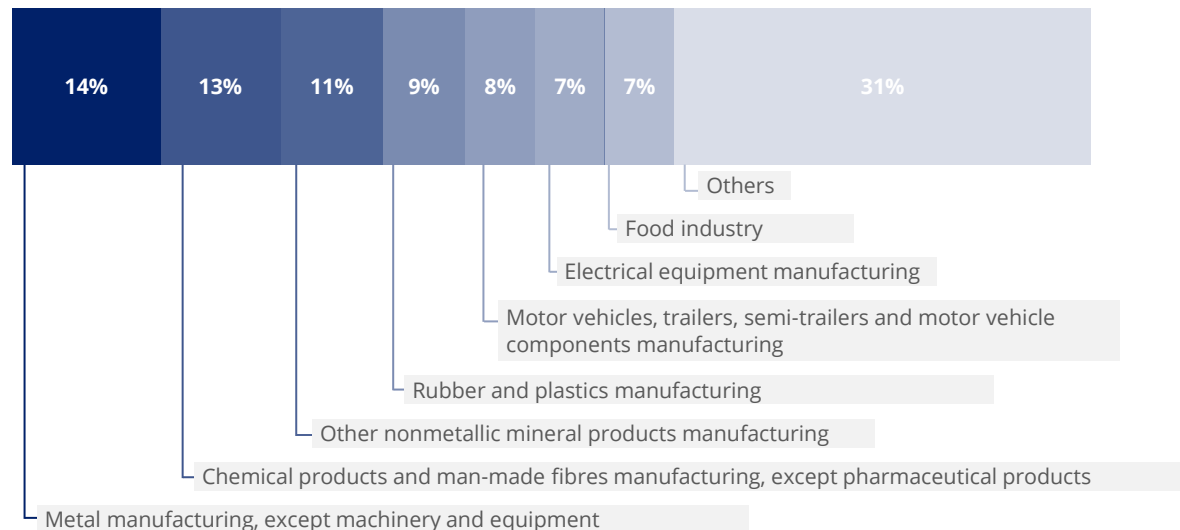
156 ↑ +8% increase compared to 2018
NEW ENTERPRISES IN HIGH AND MEDIUM-HIGH TECHNOLOGY SECTORS

Main sectors of activity



Source: INE, 2019. ¹ Gross Value Added
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Main Industries



#4 Economic agents and main sectors of activity

The presence of various multinational enterprises generates a powerful local and international dynamic, contributing to an increase in growth and visibility of Aveiro's regional business enterprise

Some of the enterprises that occupy the top 10 rankings for the Aveiro District, with the best results and/or highest sales volume:

 <p>Prio Supply, S.A. Fabrication of refined petroleum products.</p> <p>€ 704.348.876 € (2020)</p> <p>📍 Gafanha da Nazaré</p>	 <p>Faurecia Assentos de automóvel, LDA Production of components and accessories for automobiles.</p> <p>€ 325.752.341 € (2020)</p> <p>📍 São João da Madeira</p>	 <p>Altice Labs, S.A. IT Programming activities.</p> <p>€ 125.895.394 € (2019)</p> <p>📍 Aveiro</p>	 <p>Bondalti Chemicals, S.A. Production of components and accessories for automobiles.</p> <p>€ 213.821.569 € (2020)</p> <p>📍 Estarreja</p>
 <p>STOW Ovar Manufacturing, S.A. Production of metallic construction structures.</p> <p>€ 40.827.139 € (2019)</p> <p>📍 Ovar</p>	 <p>APA – Administração do Porto de Aveiro, S.A. Auxiliary activities related to waterway transportation</p> <p>€ 4.601.289€ (2019)</p> <p>📍 Gafanha da Nazaré</p>	 <p>Amorim Cork Composites, S.A. Production and commercialization of cork produce and derivatives, cork rubber, rubber and derivatives.</p> <p>€ 75.904.963 € (2020)</p> <p>📍 Santa Maria da Feira</p>	 <p>Bosch Termotecnologia, S.A. Auxiliary activities related to waterway transportation</p> <p>€ 257 324 881 (2020)</p> <p>📍 Aveiro</p>

Source: Jornal Dinheiro Vivo (2021), Bureau van Dijk (2022).

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#5 Quality of life

The different distinctions awarded to the Aveiro Region reinforce its high attractiveness in terms of quality of life, tourism and business environment

7^a Portuguese city with the best life quality
Ahead of Porto (10th) and Lisbon (12th)

96,2 Environmental Quality Index
Of the Aveiro Region, 2019
(Portugal = 100)

 **891 €/m²**  8% increase compared to 2019
Average bank appraisal value of dwellings in the **Aveiro Region**, in 2020

VS

1129 €/m²  8% increase compared to 2019
Average bank appraisal value of dwellings in **Portugal**, in 2020

 **12 Hospitals**



3,8 physicians  6% growth compared to 2019
per 1000 residents
In the Aveiro Region, in 2020



337 000 €
Investment in biodiversity and landscape protection in the municipalities of the Aveiro Region, in 2020



30 263 ha
Special Protection Areas of the Natura 2000 Network, in the Aveiro Region (2020)



78,8% (Portugal = 41%)
Proportion of municipal waste prepared for reuse and recycling in the Aveiro Region (2019)

#6 High-tech destination and the scientific system's role

The Aveiro Region stands out as an innovative territory, presenting a competitiveness index above the national average and showing strong investment in research and development

101,7 PERFORMANCE OF THE AVEIRO REGION IN THE GLOBAL REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT INDEX (PT=100)

109 PERFORMANCE OF THE AVEIRO REGION IN THE GLOBAL REGIONAL COMPETITIVENESS INDEX (PT=100)

Source: DataCentro, 2019

A region in full technological development...

Technology has been playing a decisive role in the region, making it an innovative and competitive ecosystem and one of the main drivers of the region's economic development



354 ↑ Growth of 9% compared to 2018

Research & Development Units in the Aveiro Region



182 Million €

Research and development expenditure of institutions and companies in the Aveiro region (2019)



2,45% ↑ Above the national average (1.40%)

Share of research and development expenditure in the Aveiro Region's GDP (2019)



71 Million €

Expenditure in research and development of the institutions of the execution sectors of the State, higher education and non-profit private institutions of Aveiro Region (2019)



universidade de aveiro
theoria poiesis praxis

Considered one of the **best Portuguese universities.**

In 2021, in the Shanghai Ranking, it ranked **6th nationally** and **700th worldwide**, and in the Round University Ranking (RUR), in the Research area, it ranked **3rd nationally** and **367th worldwide.**

Source: INE, 2019

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The growing investment in organizations and initiatives which seek the technological as well as digital development of the business tissue empowers the dynamic and entrepreneurial character of the Aveiro Region

The Aveiro region presents a group of relevant organizations and projects with great relevance to the tech field, placing Aveiro at the vanguard of digital transition solutions implementation into the business tissue



Aveiro Tech City is an initiative that brings people, business, research institutes and the latest tech developments together to redefine how to live, and work within a city permeated by a **new digital and interconnected reality**.



This initiative was recognized by Harvard University, which distinguished the Portuguese city with the Innovation in Community Engagement Award 2020.

Aveiro STEAM City



This project is based on four axes of action: Education, Training, Technology and Applications and Challenges, which include a wide range of activities. From the installation of **Techlabs** in schools to the creation of a **responsive employment observatory** and the development of an urban data platform as well as a living lab with fiber infrastructure, sensors and **5G connectivity** in the city.

The project also involves the promotion of code **Bootcamps**, challenges aimed at startups, scaleups, and R&D centers, as well as artistic residencies for digital art.



4.9 Millions €

Provenientes do Fundo Europeu de Desenvolvimento Regional (FEDER)



+3000

Estudantes vão beneficiar da instalação dos *Techlabs*



The **Information, Communication and Electronic Technologies Hub - TICE.PT** mobilizes relevant actors throughout the country, promoting and leveraging networking strategies between companies and R&D centers in order to induce an **active renewal in the national economic fabric** and in the **innovation** of the national supply

The vision of the Pole is based on making Portugal a **world reference in the TICE sector**, by betting on technological leadership.



Inova-Ria is a non-profit entity that **connects companies, education and research and development institutions**, regardless of their size or maturity.

+ 300 Millions €
Turnover

2500
Collaborators



12
Incubation
Centres

100
Installed
Enterprises

Incubadora de Empresas da Região de Aveiro (IERA)

This project aims to economically **enhance the territorial strategies** for the promotion and development of **entrepreneurship and social innovation**, through differentiating and qualifying actions, spaces (poles) and **support services for the incubation of business ideas and companies**.



5
Technological
areas

36 000 m²
Facilities
available

PCI - Creative Science Park - Aveiro Region

Science and Innovation Park, which **aims to be the strategic and operational promoter of innovation, knowledge and entrepreneurship** in the Aveiro Region.

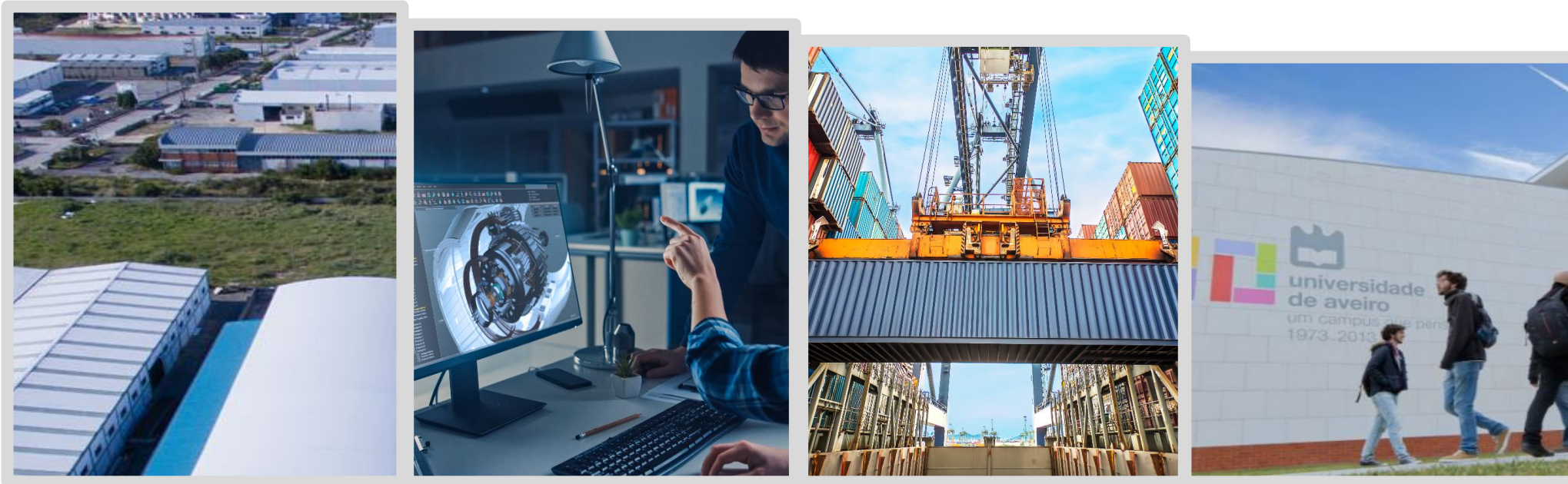
The PCI is a full member of IASP - International Association of Science Parks and Areas of Innovation.

2. INVESTING IN THE AVEIRO REGION



Investing in the Aveiro Region

The investment process in the Aveiro region must contemplate four crucial stages, the knowledge of the business environment, the type of investment, the attraction of funding and the hiring of people



#1 BUSINESS ENVIRONMENT

- › **Main industrial** sectors and business support centers, by municipality
- › N° of **enterprises**, N° of **workers** and **turnover** of the main industries in the region

#2 TYPE OF INVESTMENT

- › Main **investment typologies** and possible **support entities**

#3 FUNDING

- › Possible **funding sources**: public funding programmes, credit lines and risk capital

#4 HIRING

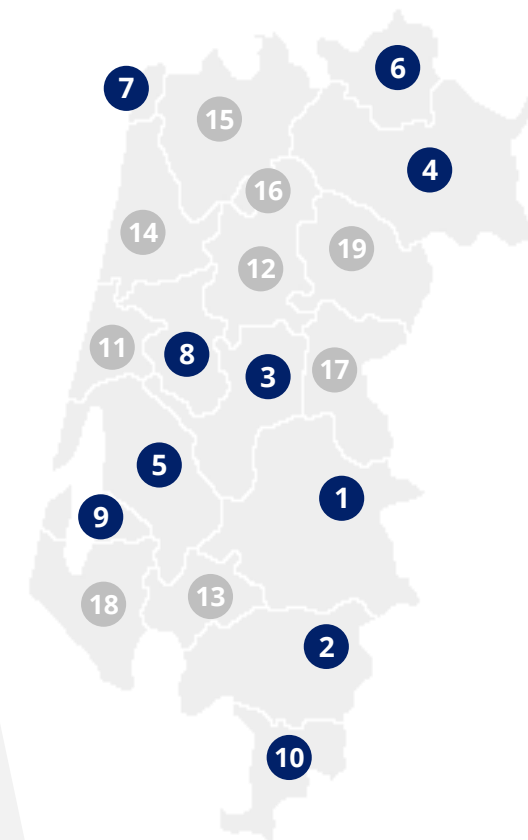
- › **Types of contract**
- › Employees' **salary conditions**
- › Security and workers' **rights**
- › Social Security **compliance**

#Getting to know the business fabric

The diversity of economic activities and business support structures, existing in the various districts of the District of Aveiro, reinforces its relevance as a destination for international investment

Main industries and support structures, by municipality

- 1 ÁGUEDA**
Industries: Metal mechanics, electronics.
Main support structures Business:
› Casarão business park, Águeda Network Business Incubator and Águeda Business Incubator.
- 2 ALBERGARIA-A-VELHA**
Industries: Agriculture, livestock, foundry, metalworking, equipment manufacturing.
Main support structures Business:
› Industrial Zone (ZI) of Albergaria-a-Velha and Branca and Business Incubator of the Municipality of Albergaria-a-Velha.
- 3 ANADIA**
Industries: Metal mechanics, food, ceramics, forestry, viticulture.
Main support structures for business:
› ZI of Paraimo, ZI of Vilarinho do Bairro, ZI of Amoreira da Gândara and Curia Tecnoparque.
- 4 AROUCA**
Industries: Agriculture, forestry, livestock and viticulture.
Main support structures Business:
› Zona da Mata/ Mansores, ZI of Rossio, ZI of Escariz (Escariz Business Park) and C3i - Arouca Industrial Incubation and Innovation Center.
- 5 AVEIRO**
Industries: Metalworking, food, textiles, cork.
Main business support structures:
› Cacia ZI, Taboeira ZI, Eixo ZI, Mamodeiro ZI, Aveiro Exhibition Park (Aveiro- Expo) and Aveiro Incubation Pole (Aveiro Municipality Business Incubator).
- 6 CASTELO DE PAIVA**
Industries: Footwear, furniture, textiles, metalworking, marble and granite.
Main structures of business support:
› ZI of Lavagueiras (Pedrido), ZI of Felgueiras (Sobrado).
- 7 ESPINHO**
Industries: Fishing, tertiary sector (beach tourism, commerce, real estate market).
Main structures of business support:
› ZI Souto e Monte, ZI Paramos, ZI Guetim, ZI Barros, Cassufas economic activity area and the node of the A41/A29.
- 8 ESTARREJA**
Industries: Chemical manufacturing, food.
Main structures of business support:
› Eco Business Park of Estarreja, Business Center - GADE and Business Incubator of Estarreja municipality.
- 9 ÍLHAVO**
Industries: Fishing, salt extraction, drying and freezing of sea products, tourism, ceramics.
Main support structures Business:
› Business Incubator of Ílhavo Municipality, Entrepreneur Support Office, Mota's ZI, Ervosas ZI and Science and Innovation Park of Aveiro University.
- 10 MEALHADA**
Industries: Metal-mechanics, ceramics, beverages, hospitality.
Main structures of Enterprise support:
› Viadores ZI and Pedrulha ZI.



Source: Guia do Investidor do Distrito de Aveiro, AIDA CCI, 2017; Deloitte Analysis, 2022

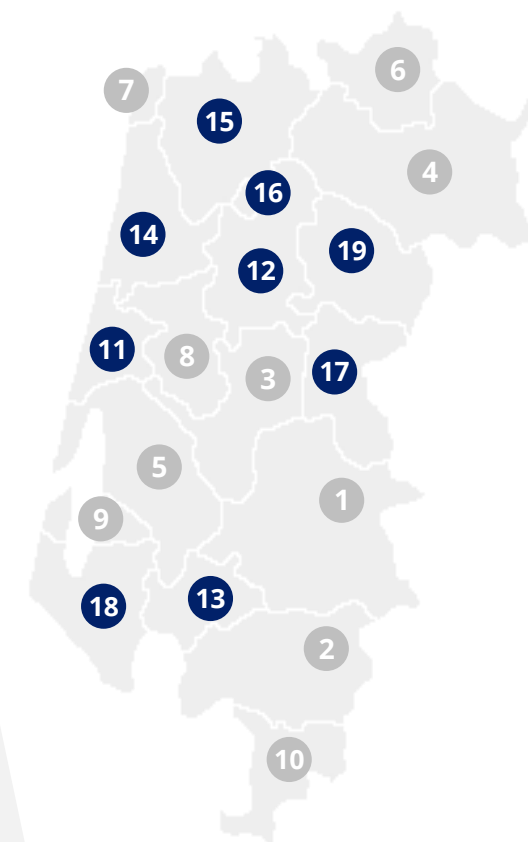
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- 11 MURTOSA**
Industries: Food, fishing, agriculture.
Main business support structures:
› Industrial Zone of Murtosa and Business Incubator of the Municipality of Murtosa.
- 12 OLIVEIRA DE AZEMÉIS**
Industries: Metallurgy, metalworking, footwear
Main business support structures:
› Espaço à Formação e Informação Empresarial, ZI de Loureiro, Nogueira do Cravo/Pindelo IZ, Costa Má IZ and Cesár IZ.
- 13 OLIVEIRA DO BAIRRO**
Industries: Metalworking, ceramics, viticulture.
Main business support structures:
› Industrial Zone of Oiã, ZI of Palhaça, ZI of Vila Verde and Business Incubator of the Municipality of Oliveira do Bairro
- 14 OVAR**
Industries: Textile and apparel, metallurgy and metal products, automobile assembly and component manufacturing.
Main business support structures:
› Incubator (Entrepreneur Space) and Economic Activity Spaces in all parishes.
- 15 SANTA MARIA DA FEIRA**
Industries: Cork processing, footwear, paper, paints, ceramics, metallurgy and electromechanics.
Main business support structures:
› Business parks (Lusopark and PERM), Spaces of Economic Activities, Office of Economic and Business Development.
- 16 SÃO JOÃO DA MADEIRA**
Industry: Footwear.
Main structures of business support:
› ZI das Travessas, ZI do Orreiro, ZI da Devesa Velha, ZI of Oliva, Sanjotec-Business and Technology Center and Technological Center of Footwear.
- 17 SEVER DO VOUGA**
Industries: Forestry, agriculture, metallomechanics, tourism.
Main business support structures:
› ZI of Talhadas, ZI of Padrões, ZI of Cedrim, ZI of Irijó, ZI of Decide and IERA Business Incubator of Aveiro Region.
- 18 VAGOS**
Industries: Fishing, agriculture.
Main business support structures:
› ZI de Vagos, Soza Business Park, PMais Vagos - Sociedade Gestora de Parques Empresariais de Vagos and IERA Incubadora de Empresas da Região de Aveiro: Business incubator of the municipality of Vagos.
- 19 VALE DE CAMBRA**
Industries: Fishing, salt extraction, drying and freezing of sea products, tourism, ceramics.
Main business support structures:
› ZI of Codal, ZI of Lordelo/Codal, ZI of Rossio, ZI of Calvela and Algeriz IZ



Source: Guia do Investidor do Distrito de Aveiro, AIDA CCI, 2017; Deloitte Analysis, 2022

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#Getting to know the business fabric

Manufacturing and commerce are the most relevant areas of economic activity in the District, bringing together a high volume of business, which translates into a high number of companies and workers

Manufacturing industry



FOOD INDUSTRIES



1.129



4.805



≈ 475 Mm €



METAL PRODUCTS, EXCEPT MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT



52



12.126



≈ 1.1 Billions €



TEXTILE AND CLOTHING



457



2.413



≈ 264 Mm €



OTHER NON-METALLIC MINERAL PRODUCTS



58



9.080



≈ 754 Mm €



FOOTWEAR



188



458



≈ 26 Mm €



CHEMICAL PRODUCTS AND MAN-MADE FIBERS, EXCLUDING PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS



97



1.208



≈ 891 Mm €

Trade



TRADE, MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF MOTOR VEHICLES AND MOTORCYCLES



1.321



3.939



≈ 495 Mm €



WHOLESALE TRADE, EXCEPT OF MOTOR VEHICLES AND MOTORCYCLES



2.468



10.735



≈ 3 Biliões €



RETAIL TRADE, EXCEPT OF MOTOR VEHICLES AND MOTORCYCLES



4.789



11.029



≈ 1 Bilião €

Source: INE, 2019 e 2020

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No. of Companies



No. of Employees



Turnover

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#Choose the type of investment

There are different ways to invest in the District of Aveiro, so it is important to know the necessary steps to do it and the possible support entities to appeal to

Non Exhaustive

Types of investment:

Relevance:

Activities:

Supporting entities:



New enterprise



3,14%

Growth rate of the number of companies in Aveiro Region, between 2018 and 2019.

- ① Create a Business Plan;
- ② Registering the company;
- ③ Acquire property;
- ④ Hire people.



INOVARIA
REDE DE INOVAÇÃO EM AVEIRO



IERA
INCUBADORA DE EMPRESAS DA REGIÃO DE AVEIRO



pci-creative science park
universidade de aveiro incubator



Acquisition, merger or joint venture with existing companies



10,5 Mm €

Overall value of mergers and acquisitions in Portugal in 2020.

- ① Identify potential segments;
- ② Develop list of companies to consider and priorities;
- ③ Due Diligence;
- ④ Enter into an acquisition, merger, or joint venture agreement.



Direct Investment



150 Millions €

Investment planned for the next three years by the Portuguese Association of Early Stage Investors.

- ① Identify potential segments;
- ② Access partner meeting platforms (online, fairs);
- ③ Due Diligence;
- ④ Capital financing agreement, or other.

INVESTORS PORTUGAL



Investment Funds



≈72 Mm €

Value of assets under individual and collective portfolio management in Portugal, in the year 2021.

- ① Choice of investment option (active or passive)
- ② **Active**
 - > Select platform;
 - > Define priority segments;
 - > Due Diligence;
 - > Invest in the company.
- ③ **Passive**
 - > Realize acquisition agreement;
 - > Choosing between merger or joint venture.



Montepio
Gestão de Activos



BPI



Caixa Geral de Depósitos

Source: INE, 2019; Investors Portugal, 2022; Jornal Económico, 2021; Mergemarket, 2021; Jornal Dinheiro Vivo, 2021; CMVM, 2021; Deloitte Analysis, 2022

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#Raise funding

In order to attract investment, there are several initiatives to support internationalization, export, innovation and qualification of personnel for all types of companies, with a special focus on supporting SMEs

Main public funding program for the next decade:



12

Programas

24 Mm €

Em Fundos

Portugal 2030 is the materialization of a set of investment programs in Portugal, in the scope of the EU, which aim to develop the economy, society, and territory of Portugal by 2030, through the application of funds worth **24 billion euros**.

In total, this governmental action contemplates **12 programs**, one of which will be specifically **focused on supporting projects in the Central Region, where the District of Aveiro is located**.

Types of Supported Projects

- › R&D+i projects and infrastructures, Public Education, Private Companies and Cluster partnerships;
- › Internationalization projects, export support, and development of goods and services;
- › Personnel qualification (workers and entrepreneurs).

Recipients: All Companies

Credit lines



Linha Capitalizar

Recipients: SMEs up to 150 M€ of Invoicing (200 M€ consolidated).



Apoio à Revitalização Empresarial

Recipients: SMEs undergoing restructuring or revitalization (PER)

Venture Capital



177

Millions of Euros
invested since 2012

254

Millions of Euros
under
management

+180

New Companies
since 2012

Portugal Ventures is a public venture capital fund management company that invests in startups with internationalization capabilities in the areas of Digital, Engineering & Industry, Life Sciences and Tourism.

Support Mechanisms

- › [Portal do Financiamento](#) – brings together a set of publicly supported financing solutions to help companies, especially SMEs, in the various stages of their business and investment;
- › [StartupHub](#) – tool that allows you to identify and locate businesses and incubators, reference public and private initiatives that promote entrepreneurship.

#Hire people

In the process of hiring people in Portugal, it is crucial to contemplate issues such as the typology of the contracts and the salary conditions of the workers

1

SELECT THE TYPE(S) OF CONTRACT¹ THAT BEST SUIT THE COMPANY'S NEEDS

- **Very Short Duration**
Duration up to 35 days.
- **Right Term²**
Duration more than 6 months, less than 2 years³.
- **Uncertain Term**
Duration until the completion of the contracted activity.
- **Indefinite Time**
Contract outside all other types.
- **Partial**
Less than full-time hours.
- **Teleworking**
Employee performs functions outside the workplace and using technology.
- **Intermittent**
Work interspersed over at least 4 consecutive months.

¹ Resolutive or temporary.

² All contracts must be in writing, with the exception of "Very Short Term".

³ Its duration can be less than 6 months due to some exceptions in the law. Possibility of renewal up to three times.

2

DEFINE THE WAGE CONDITIONS

Wage⁴

Minimum Wage	705 €
Average Wage	1.361 €
Vacation + Christmas subsidy	Mandatory allowances equal to the monthly salary in July and December, or monthly payment (twelfths)

⁴ The salaries shown vary from industry to industry

Wage add-ons⁵

Food Allowance	4,77 € per day of work (higher values are subject to IRS and Social Security)
Other subsidies (per diem)	Travel, per diem, accommodation

⁵ The subsidies are exempt from IRS up to a certain limit and are usually used as a form of payments

#Hire people

It is also essential to ensure workers' safety, respect for their rights, and compliance with Social Security registration and payment

3 ENSURE THE SAFETY OF WORKERS

Mandatory insurance for each worker:



Work Accidents, Personal Accidents and Assistance Insurance;



Liability Insurance.



› Every worker must be insured in these two aspects;

› Each activity has a specific insurance and its cost varies according to the risk involved in the activity performed.

4 ENSURE THE REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT OF CONTRIBUTIONS SOCIAL SECURITY

Liabilities before Social Security:



Employee registration with Social Security;



Payment of part of the worker's Social Security contributions (see table below).



	Entity with lucrative purposes	Non-profit Entity lucrative purposes
Employer	23,75%	22,3%
Worker	11%	11%
Total	34,75%	33,3%

Note: For certain groups of workers the rule to be applied changes, to adjust the income on which the rates are applied.

5 SAFEGUARDING WORKERS' RIGHTS

Labor Compensation Fund (FCT) and Labor Compensation Guarantee Fund (FGCT):



Register the worker in FCT and FGCT;



Payment of a contribution of 1% on the worker's basic monthly remuneration (0.925% for FCT and 0.075% for FGCT).



› The FCT and FGCT are mandatory funds aimed at ensuring the rights of workers to receive half of the value of the compensation due upon termination of the employment contract.

› All employers, including temporary work agencies, are obliged to adhere, except in the case of very short-term employment contracts.

3. MANAGING A COMPANY IN PORTUGAL



Managing a company in Portugal

The management of a company in Portugal should include aspects such as the acquisition of visas or residence permits, the prevailing tax regime, the management of funding and the process of registering trademarks or patents

Moving to Portugal



#Tax Payment



#Funding Management



Trademark and Patent Registration



#Moving to Portugal

Managing a company in a foreign country tends to imply several trips and even periods of temporary or even permanent residence, being fundamental to know all the available visas and necessary requirements

1

TRAVEL TO PORTUGAL

An entry visa is required, applied for at the consulate by the applicant himself ([list of included countries](#)).

Types of Visa:



SHORT DURATION

Duration: 90 days
Purpose: Tourism, Work, Family visit.
Visa Application: Consular post of the area of residence
Cost: 80€



TEMPORARY STAY

Duration: 270 days
Purpose: Interchange, Work.
Visa Application: Consular post of the area of residence
Cost: 75€



RESIDENCE

Duration: 120 days
Purpose: Living in the destination country.
Visa Application: SEF¹
Cost: 90€

It is through the reasons for visiting or staying in Portugal that the **duration of visas** and **residence permits** is assigned. If the temporary residence registration is carried out and fulfilled in a legal manner, it may be possible to obtain a **permanent allocation** and/or **the right to apply for Portuguese nationality**.

2

RESIDENCE PERMIT

It is necessary to apply for a residence permit at SEF ([list of included countries](#)).

Types of residence:



TEMPORARY

Purpose: Work, study, research, vocational training, internship, health volunteering, youth mobility, religious, obtaining permanent residence permanent, exceptional.
Expiration date: Less than 1 year, renewable for periods of one to two years.



PERMANENT

Purpose: Establishment of residence.
Expiration date: 5 years, renewable every 5 years.
🕒 It can be applied for after 5 years of temporary residence.



PORTUGUESE NATIONALITY

Purpose: Have Portuguese nationality.
🕒 It can be applied for after 6 legal years of permanent residence.

Visa Acquisition Processes



NORMAL
Required to obtain a **Residence Visa** as indicated above.



GOLD VISA
Awarded upon the **realization of an investment in Portuguese territory** (e.g. real estate, industrial).



STARTUP VISA
Awarded to foreign entrepreneurs who intend to **create startup companies**.

#Moving to Portugal

In order to encourage foreign investment and accelerate the establishment of residence for investors, Portugal offers two types of special visas, gold visas and startup visas

3 SPECIAL VISA REQUIREMENTS



GOLD VISA

Formalization of the request
SEF

Contemplated countries

Non-EU/EFTA

REQUIREMENTS:

One of the following:

- ✓ Transfer of Capital in the amount equal to or greater than 1 million €;
- ✓ Creation of at least 10 jobs;
- ✓ Acquisition of real estate worth 500.000€ or more;
- ✓ Acquisition of real estate for rehabilitation works (equal to or greater than 350.000€);
- ✓ Investment in research activities (equal to or greater than 350.000€);
- ✓ Investment in or support for artistic production, recovery or maintenance of national cultural heritage (equal to or greater than 250.000€);
- ✓ Acquisition of participation units in investment or venture capital funds aimed at the capitalization of SMEs (equal to or greater than 500.000€).



STARTUP VISA

Formalization of the request

IAPMEI

Contemplated countries

REQUISITOS:

One of the following:


- ✓ Develop entrepreneurial activities for the production of innovative goods and services;
- ✓ Open or relocate companies and/or projects focused on technology and knowledge, with the perspective of developing innovative products;
- ✓ It has the potential to create qualified employment;
- ✓ Have the potential to reach, 3 years after the incubation period, a value of 325.000€, or a turnover of more than 500.000€ /year.

#Payment of Taxes


Taxes in Portugal focus essentially on income, real estate and transactions of goods and services, however there are benefits for situations of value creation and socio-economic welfare

MAIN TAXES

Income



IRC



IRS

Transactions of goods and services



IVA

Real Estate




IMT



IMI

Official Documents



IS

MAIN BENEFITS



R&D tax incentives



Fiscal Regime of Investment Support



Deduction of goods and services used for the effective practice of the taxable activity



Job Creation






Income from patents and other industrial property rights

› In addition to international benefits relating to taxation, there are **customs taxation benefits** with existing double taxation elimination agreements (see on page 30).

#Payment of Taxes

In the tax framework, corporate income tax is the most important tax for companies, with rates ranging from 21% to 29.5%, and the choice of location and type of investment can leverage multiple tax benefits




	Target of the Tax	Tax Rates	Tax Rates	Reporting Obligations
 <p>IRC</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> › Income by public or private law legal entities with head office or effective management in Portuguese territory. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> › Standard rate: 21%; › Municipal Surcharge: up to 1,5% on taxable income (applicable rate depends on the municipality); State Surtax by bracket: 3% of additional tax on taxable income exceeding 1.5 million €; 5% on taxable income exceeding 7.5 million euros and 9% on taxable income exceeding €35 million. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> › Capitalization funds and capital income administered by social security institutions, among others; 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> › Annual declaration until the last day of May of the following year; › Other accessory obligations (declarations of registration, of accounting and tax information, of changes, of cancellation in registration, monthly remuneration declaration, model 30, etc.).
 <p>IRC</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> › Income obtained in Portuguese territory by individuals, are subject to IRS. For resident individuals, foreign income is also targeted. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> › Progressive rates up to 48%; › Additional solidarity fee of 2,5% or 5%, depending on the taxable income; › An IRS surtax may be applicable to 3,5%. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> › Exceptions and reduced rates may apply under special regimes (for example, payments from insurance companies and non-habitual residents). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> › Annual income tax return Form 3 to be submitted from April 1st to June 30th of the year following the year to which the return relates. The deadline may be extended until December 31 in situations of foreign-sourced income.
 <p>IRC</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> › Transmissions of goods and services rendered for remuneration; Imports of goods; Intra-community acquisition of goods and services. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> › Standard rate: 23%; › Intermediate Rate: - 13%; › Reduced Rate: - 6%; › Intermediate rates are an exception and apply, among other things, to foodstuffs and basic necessities. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> › Exempt operations without VAT deduction (incomplete exemptions); › Exempt transactions with VAT deduction (full exemptions). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> › Periodic Declaration – monthly or quarterly, depending on the turnover; › Annual Statement; › Recapitulative statement – for the performance of intra-community transfers of goods and services; › Intrastat declaration - for intra-community movement of goods.

Source: Guia Fiscal, AICEP Portugal Global, 2022

For more information, please reach out to AIDA CCI.

#Payment of Taxes

In the tax framework, corporate income tax is the most important tax for companies, with rates ranging from 21% to 29.5%, and the choice of location and type of investment can leverage multiple tax benefits

	Target of the Tax	Tax Rates	Tax Rates	Reporting Obligations
 <p>IMT</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> It is levied on onerous transfers of real estate located in Portuguese territory (municipal tax). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rustic Buildings: 5%; Urban Buildings: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Buildings with exclusive residential use: 0 to 6%; Other buildings: 6.5%. Buildings or other acquisitions whose acquirer is resident in a country, territory, or region subject to a more favorable tax regime: 10%. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Buildings for resale; Buildings classified as of national, public or municipal interest; Buildings acquired by credit institutions in execution, bankruptcy/insolvency or in lieu of payment; Buildings located in the business location areas. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> As a rule, IMT must be paid prior to the act or fact of transfer of the assets. Whenever the transfer is made by act or contract entered abroad, IMT must be paid in the following month.
 <p>IMI</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> It is levied on the taxable patrimonial value of urban and rural buildings located in Portuguese territory (municipal tax). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rural buildings: 0.8%; Urban buildings: 0.3% to 0.55%; Buildings owned by entities in tax havens: 7.5%. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Urban buildings intended as permanent dwellings; Tourist utility Buildings; Buildings subject to urban rehabilitation. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Depending on the amount of tax to be collected there are 1 to 3 collections per year.
 <p>IS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> It is levied on acts, contracts, documents, titles, books, papers and other facts occurring in Portugal and not subject or exempt from VAT. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Between 0.0025% and 10% depending on the type of document. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some examples: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Financing operations with a term not longer than one year, exclusively destined to cover treasury shortages, made by venture capital companies for the benefit of their investees; Acquisition of relevant buildings for the purposes of the RFAI ¹ (see page 30). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The tax payable must be described in the withholding tax return, which must be submitted electronically by the 20th day of the month following the month in which the tax obligation was incurred.

Source: Guia Fiscal, AICEP Portugal Global, 2022

For more information, please reach out to AIDA CCI.

#Payment of Taxes

The fiscal framework provides several tax benefit regimes for investment to support growth, R&D and job creation, as well as other advantages for companies



Tax Regime for Investment Support (RAFI)

Reduction of collection, up to 50% of the total cumulative value in:

- › Investments up to 5M€, 25% deduction;
- › Investments over 5M€, 10% deduction;
- › *Startups, the deduction is made up to 100% of the IRC collection in the first 3 years;*
- › Expenses can be deducted up to 5 years if there is insufficient collection.



Support Regime for Productive Investment

- › Tax benefits regime, in a contractual regime, with a validity period of up to 10 years counted from the conclusion of the investment project, to investment projects whose relevant applications are of an amount equal or superior to 3.000.000€.
- › Credit between 10% and 25% of the income tax collection.



VAT - Deductions

- › Goods and services acquired for actual use in the taxable activity;
- › Goods for export or concerning international transport;
- › Goods and services relating to exempt financial transactions when the purchaser is established outside the European Union;
- › Other goods and services related to exempt transactions;
- › Special exemption regimes.



IRS - Deductions

Deduction of family expenses up to a certain amount in:

- › Family expenses;
- › Health Expenses;
- › Education;
- › Real estate charges;
- › Retirement Savings Funds and Retirement Savings Plans;
- › Donations;
- › Exempt operations among others.



Job Creation

- › Increase as a corresponding cost of 150%.



Income from patents and other industrial industrial property

- › Exemption (50%).



R&D tax incentives

IRC collection reduction:

- › Base rate: 32.5% of the expense;
- › Incremental rate: 50% if there is an increase in expenses over the average of the last 2 years;
- › For IRC taxpayers who are SMEs, who have not yet completed two fiscal years and have not benefited from the incremental rate, a 15% surcharge on the Base Rate (47.5%) applies.

#Payment of Taxes

In order to encourage investment, Portugal has established numerous international agreements, such as conventions to avoid double taxation and agreements for the promotion and reciprocal protection of investments

BILATERAL AGREEMENTS

Over the past decades, Portugal has established **important agreements on a global level to avoid double taxation**, allowing income obtained in Portugal by a foreign citizen from a country with which Portugal has a Double Taxation Treaty (DTC) to **benefit from lower withholding rates**. In all, **79 countries** are covered by these conventions.

79 ESTABLISHED CDT'S

77 CURRENT CDT'S **2** CDT'S AWAITING ENTRY INTO FORCE











OTHER INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS

There are also several **reciprocal investment promotion and protection agreements**, which act as bilateral instruments with binding measures.

Their main purpose is to **create more favorable conditions for investments** by investors of one of the signatory states in the territory of the other, ensuring, on a reciprocal basis, the most favorable **treatment of investors and the guarantee of full protection and security for investments already made**.

These agreements focus on **4 major areas**: admission of investments, treatment of investments, expropriation and investment losses, and dispute resolution. Portugal has agreements in place with more than **50 countries**.

APPLICABLE RATES ACCORDING TO THE CTD'S ESTABLISHED¹

	COUNTRY	DIVIDENDS	INTEREST	ROYALTIES
	Spain	10% - 15%	15%	5%
	USA	5%; 10%; 15%	10%	10%
	Canada	10% - 15%	10%	10%
	Germany	15%	10% - 15%	10%
	Netherlands	5% - 10%	10%	5%
	France	15%	10% - 12%	5%
	UAE	5% - 15%	10%	5%
	United Kingdom	10% - 15%	10%	5%
	Italy	15%	15%	12%
	Japan	5% - 10%	5% - 10%	5%

Source: Guia Fiscal, AICEP Portugal Global, 2022. ¹ The fees inherent to each convention have associated revealing notes that should be [consulted](#).

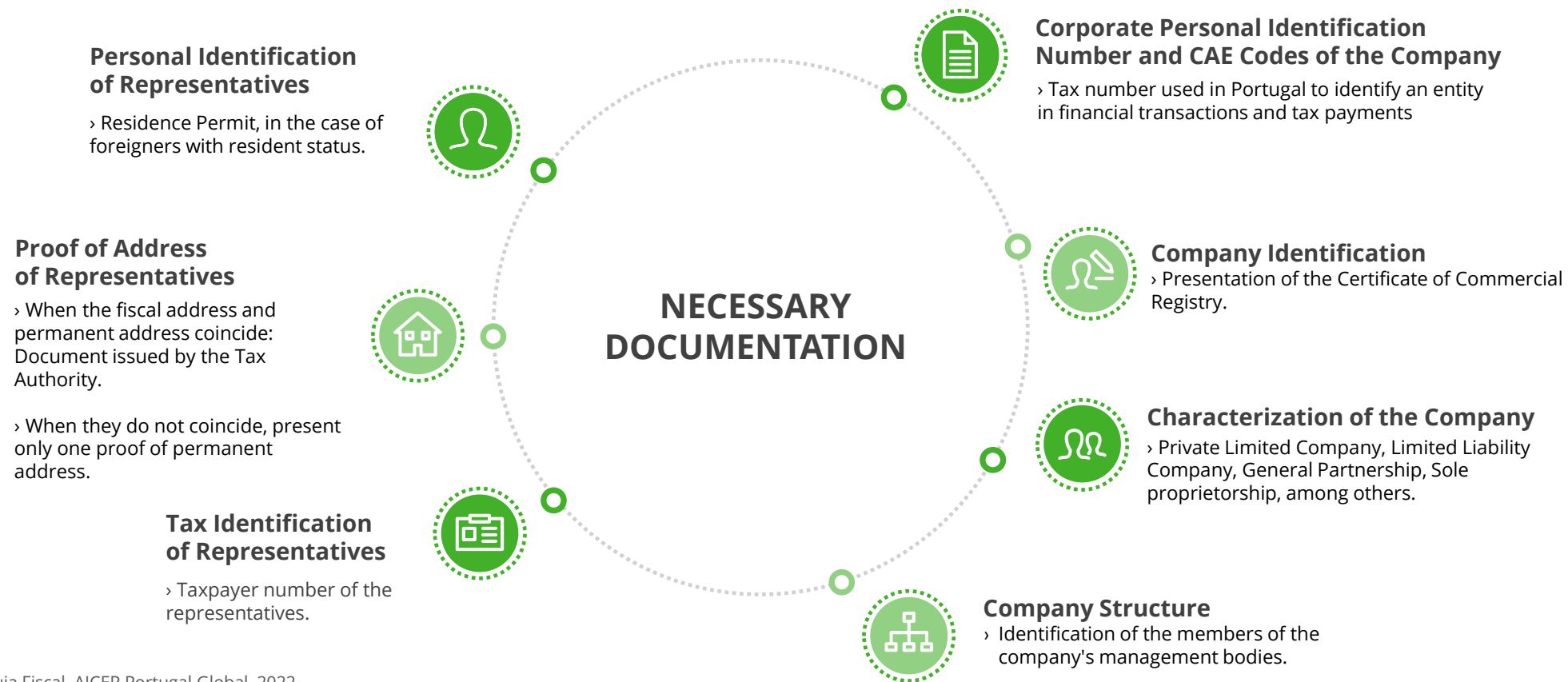
For more information, please reach out to AIDA CCI.

#Funding Management

In order to manage financing in Portugal, it is essential to open a company account. As such, you must familiarize yourself with the necessary requisites

OPEN A BUSINESS ACCOUNT (LEGAL ENTITY) IN PORTUGAL

To open a business account it is important to **understand the distinction between the data that identifies the representative(s) and the elements that indicate and characterize the company.**



Source: Guia Fiscal, AICEP Portugal Global, 2022

For more information, please reach out to AIDA CCI.

#Patent and Trademark Registration

Registration is the only legal way to protect a brand, a logo or other signs from being used without the authorization of the owner, being crucial to know the procedures and costs associated with its application and registration

Steps to register a trademark and signs in Portugal

1

CHOOSE THE METHOD OF APPLICATION



DIGITAL

127,50€

At INPI's¹ [portal](#).



ON PAPER

254,98€

In person², or by mail.

3

WAIT FOR VALIDATION OF THE REQUEST

A

Order delivery

B

Formal Examination

C

Examination of requirements

D

Deadline for filing complaints

E

Decision

2

SELECT WHAT YOU WANT TO REGISTER



BRAND



LOGO



RECOMPENSATION



DESIGNATION OF ORIGIN OR GEOGRAPHICAL INDICATION



CERTIFICATION OR ASSOCIATION MARK



TAKE NOTICE

During the valid period of the trademark or other signs (10 years), the owner must:



Pay the **costs of maintaining** the registry, every 10 years.



Be vigilant, **consult with the BPI** and report patent applications that may jeopardize your rights.



Take into consideration that the registration made in Portugal with the INPI **does not protect your brand** and/or other **signs in any other country**.



To register a trademark and/or other signs **abroad**, you should contact the **European Union Intellectual Property Office (EUIPO)** for protection in **28 EU countries**. For more comprehensive registrations, the application is made to the **World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)** through the INPI.

Source: Portal Justiça.gov.pt, 2022; INPI, 2022. ¹ Instituto Nacional de Estrangeiros e Fronteiras² Nas instalações do INPI, num dos Centros de Formalidades de Empresas ou nos balcões das Conservatórias do Registo Comercial.

For more information, please reach out to AIDA CCI.

#Patent and Trademark Registration

Application for a patent necessitates the inclusion of detail within the documentation with the purpose of ensuring the uniqueness and novelty of the invention, as well as the full perception of the elements that compose the object

Steps to register a patent in Portugal

1

CHOOSE THE METHOD OF APPLICATION



DIGITAL

107,73€

At INPI's¹ [portal](#).



ON PAPER

215,45€

In person², or by mail.

3

WAIT FOR VALIDATION OF THE REQUEST

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2

SELECT WHAT YOU WANT TO REGISTER



IDENTIFICATION

Submit the inventor's and submitter's data.



DESIGNS

Necessary for understanding the description (when applicable) and for publication in the Industrial Property Bulletin (BPI).



DESCRIPTION

Detail the invented object as well as claims of what is considered new and inventive, characterizing the invention.



TAKE NOTICE

During the valid period of the patent (20 years), the holder must:



Pay **maintenance dues** (20 dues).



Be vigilant, **consult with the BPI** and report patent applications that may jeopardize your rights.



Take into consideration that the **protection** afforded by the **INPI is only valid in Portugal**.



To register a trademark and/or other signs **abroad**, you should contact the **European Union Intellectual Property Office (EUIPO)** for protection in **28 EU countries**. For more comprehensive registrations, the application is made to the **World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)** through the INPI.

4. RELEVANT ENTITIES AND CONTACTS FOR INVESTMENT SUPPORT



#Relevant entities and contacts for investment support

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Agência para o Investimento e Comércio Externo de Portugal (AICEP)

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#Relevant entities and contacts for investment support

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Entrepreneur Support Office Águeda

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IERA - Incubadora de Empresas da Região de Aveiro

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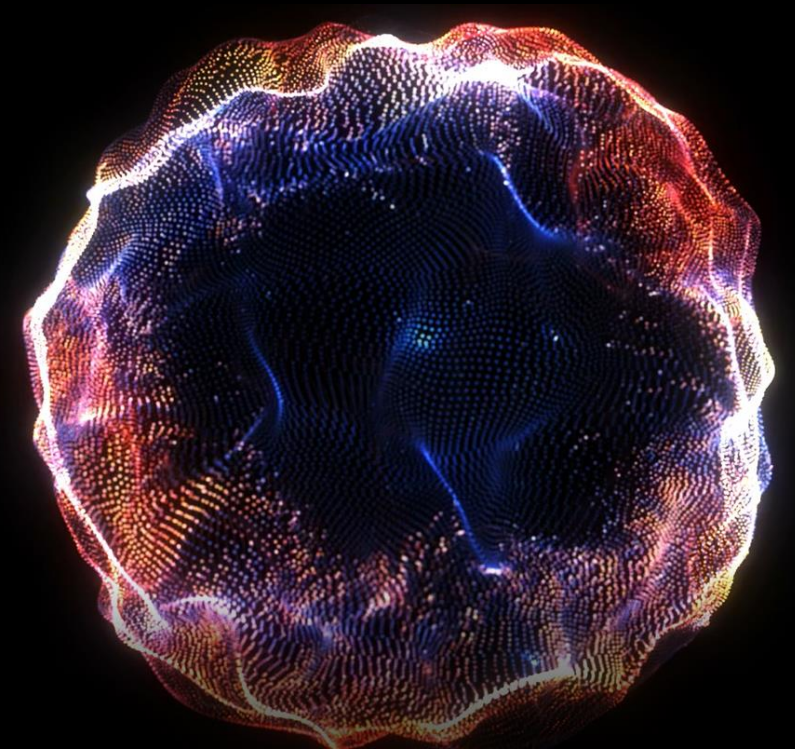
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