# Opportunity of the Western Development Future for the Lumber Industry Zhang Guo, director of the people's government of Yongchuan District, Chongqing



# I. Opportunity is transient. Seize it, and you'll seize development.

I. Be part of the "Great Strategy" to earn great potential for growth

Xi Jinping, the general secretary, visited Chongqing in 2016



Important strategic point of the Western Development

**Tie-in point** of the BRI (Belt and Road Initiative) and the Yangtze River Economic Belt I. Be part of the "Great Strategy" to earn great potential for growth

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Its "Three roles" in:

Underpinning the effort of the Western Development in the new era

Facilitating the co-build of the BRI

**Showcasing** green development of the Yangtze River **Economic Belt** 



# **Opportunity:** New landscape in the Western Development



#### **Focus on protection**



#### **Focus on Open-up**

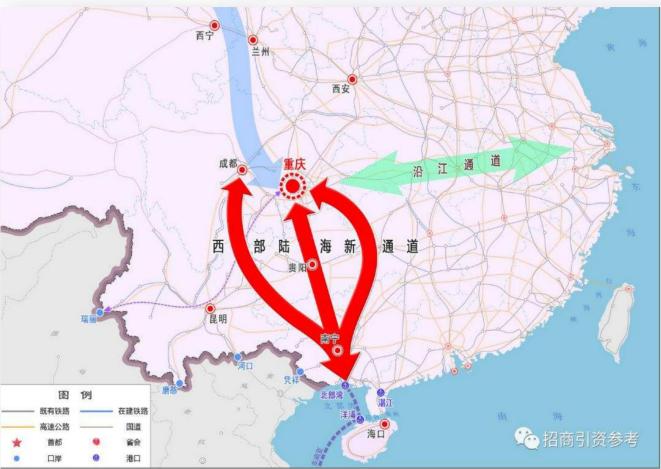


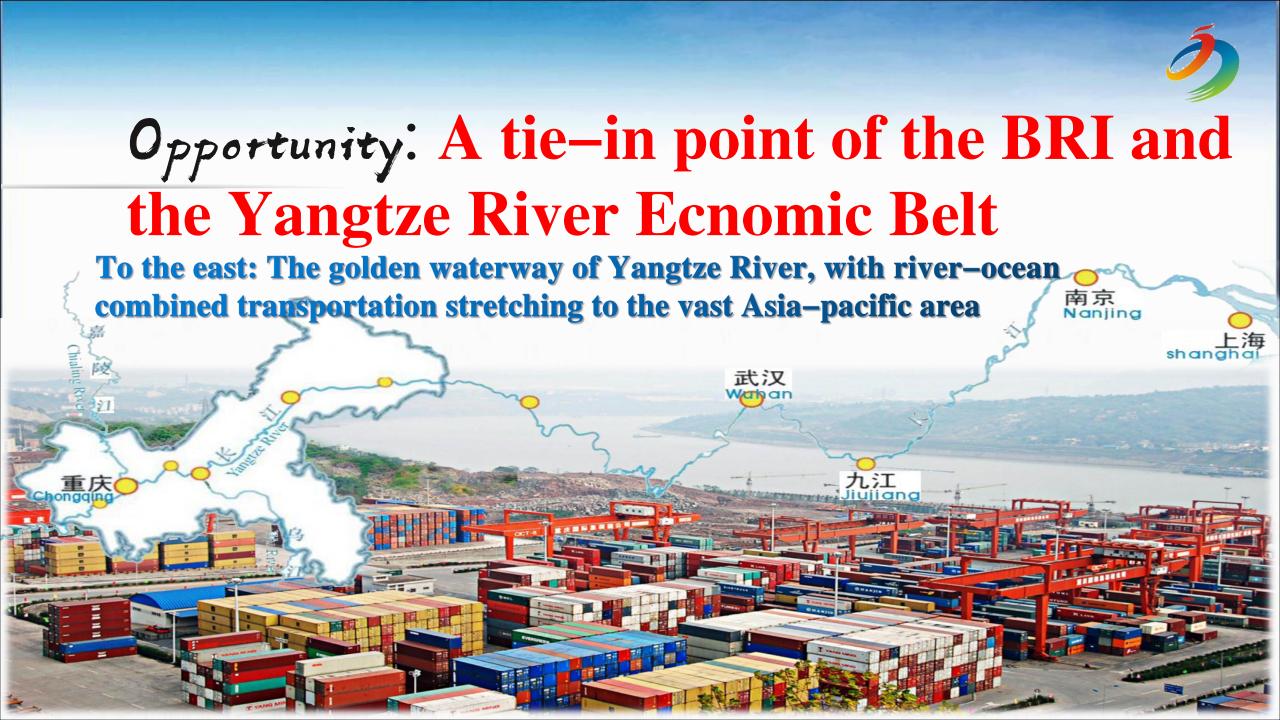
#### Focus on on quality development



### Opportunity: New Western land-sea Corridor

The NDRC (National Development and Reform Commission ) released an Overall Plan of the New Western Land-sea Corridor on August 15, stating that a cost effective, efficient, convenient, green and safe western land-sea corridor will be mostly completed by 2025, with a number of large railway projects finished for operation and major highway bottleneck removed. The Corridor will be fully built by 2035.





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To the west: The Yuxin'ou internaltional logistic line all the way to Duisburg in Germany

20+ less days than maritime option





### **To the south: railway-ocean combined transportation to ASEAN and southeast Asia**

