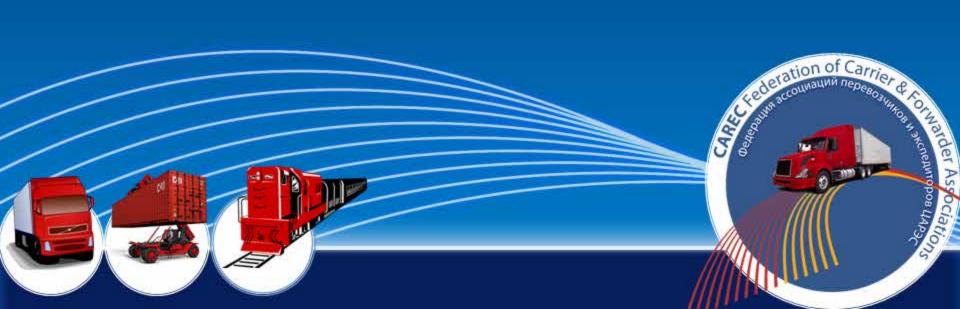
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# **Country Overview**

#### Turkmenistan maintains active foreign trade policy. In 2000-2011, export increased by 6.7 times, and import by 6.4 times



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•The transport infrastructure is an important part of development of economy. In 2011, transport contributed 4.5% to the country's GDP

•The transport sector development perspectives are included in the national policy documents :

• The National Program for Social and Economic Development of Turkmenistan to 2030

•Program of the President of Turkmenistan on Social and Economic Development of the Country for 2012-2016

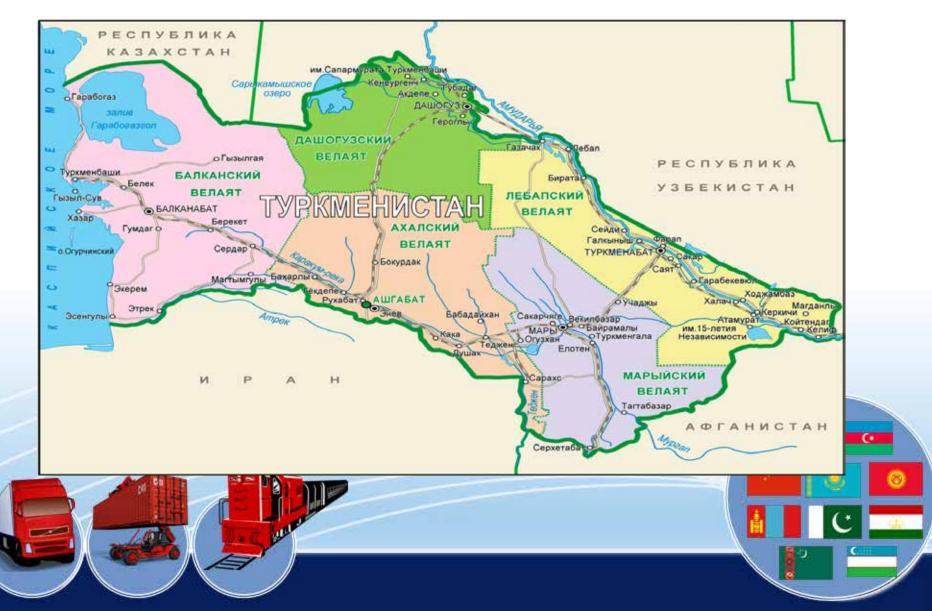
•Transport sector programs.





# Routes Linking the Country to Neighbors

#### Map of routes linking Turkmenistan to neighbors



### Association/s; members and objectives

#### **THADA** background information

- •Established in 1999
- •Engaged in issuing the TIR books and deals with all the procedural matters
- •Protects interests of carriers
- Includes 24 transport companies
- •The Turkmenistan carriers have performed more than 11 thous. transport operations

## Services Offered

#### THADA renders the following services

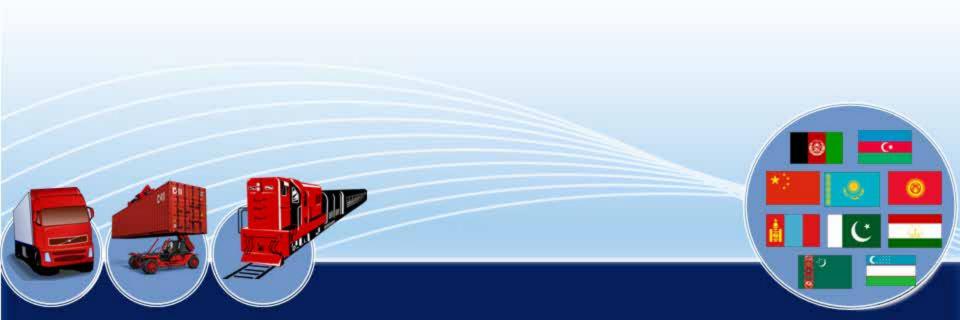
- insurance agent
- awareness training for the drivers engaged in international cargo transportation





#### The Association's programs and projects

It participates in the IRU projects and programs, such as NELTI, Model highway, etc.



## Credentials of the Association/s

Membership in international organizations / relations with international organizations.

THADA is a member of IRU since 1999



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