

	Wild Coast SDI	Coega IDZ
Location	Eastern Cape 	Gqeberha (Port Elizabeth)  Eastern Cape
Aims	● To generate sustainable economic growth and development ● To create long-term and sustainable employment ● To encourage investment in community based tourism ● Reduce demands on government funds for development projects ● Promote small businesses in agriculture and tourism	● To attract local and foreign investment ● To position South Africa as a trade hub. ● To create or secure jobs ● To develop the economic potential of underdeveloped areas ● To improve infrastructure . ● To encourage manufacturing ● To use local resources for manufacturing ● Reduce import of goods
Main Activities	● Agriculture ● Tourism	● Automotive, ● Agro-processing, ● Chemicals, ● Business process outsourcing, ● Energy and

		● General manufacturing.
Factors favouring	● Attractive geographical location - great attractions ● Unique Natural resources and environment	● It lies adjacent to the largest port (harbour) ● Directly connected to South Africa's national rail and road networks ● Large labour force (skilled/semi skilled) ● large local market ● Access to international markets (harbour)
Factors hindering	● Historically weak infrastructure ● Weak rural economy ● High unemployment	● Government not providing enough investment incentives ● Poor supply of electricity and water ● The shortage of skilled labour force
Economic Benefits and Social Benefits (Local and National)	● Generates economic growth ● Generates employment ● Growth of small businesses ● Upgrades local infrastructure ● Greater income for local communities ● Develop community projects ● Earning potential increases ● Buying power of locals increases/Multiplier effect. ● Improvement in quality of life of people ● Skills development ● Infrastructure development. ● Improvement in services and facilities	● Result in economic development (local and national) ● Contribution to local and national GDP ● Infrastructure development (local and national) ● Creates employment ● Improvement in quality of life of communities ● Skilling and re-skilling people, through education and training programmes] ● Development of local social services (schools, health care, social development programs)