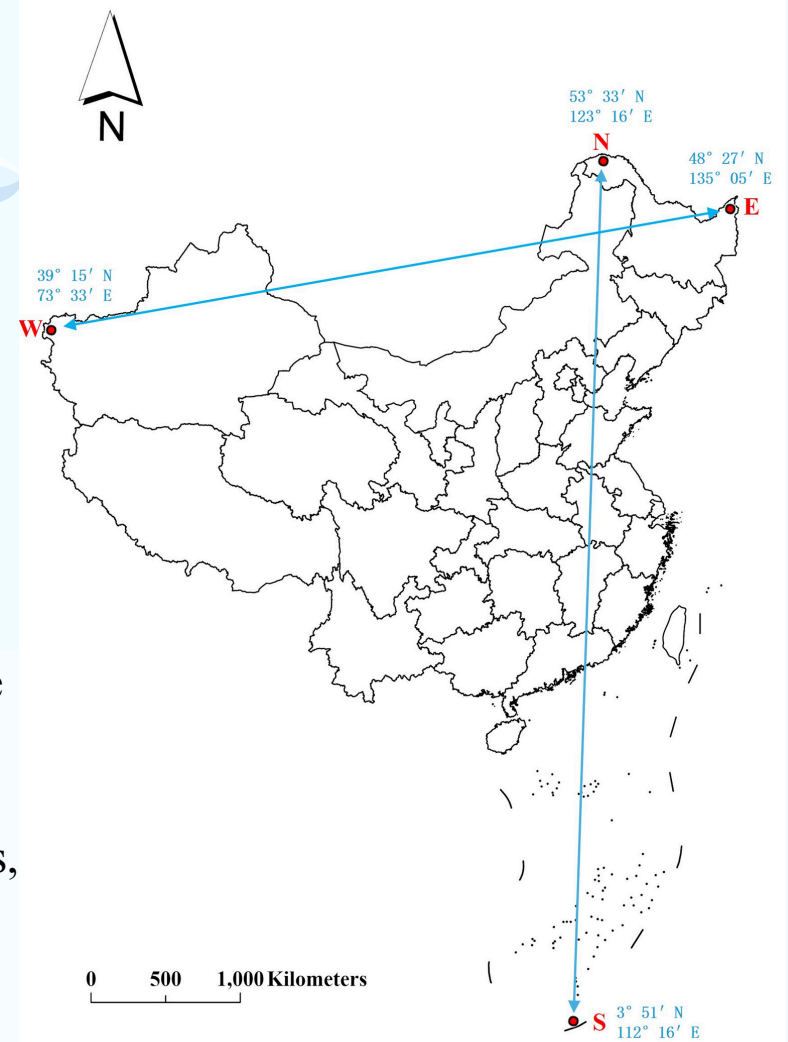


# Administrative Divisions in Our Country

## 1. The geographical location of our country

- Our country is located in the eastern part of Eurasia and the western shore of the Pacific Ocean.
- Land area: 9.6 million square kilometer.
- The land border stretches about 22,000 km and connects 14 countries.
- Most of our country's land area is in the temperate zone.

## 2. The four extreme points of our country's territory



## 3. Administrative divisions in our country

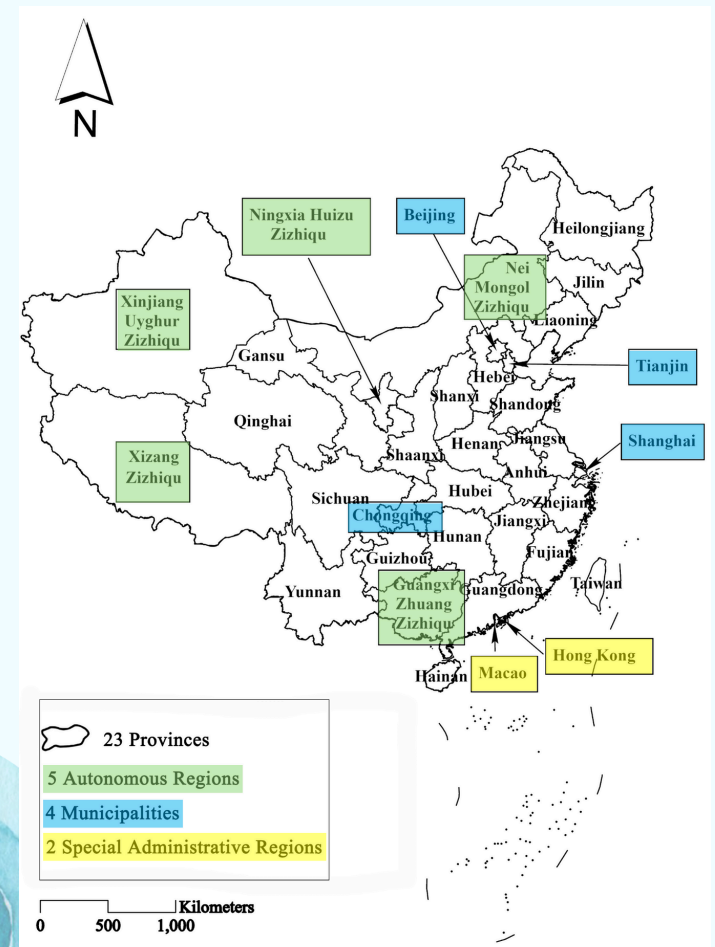
- **Provincial-level administrative units:** the highest level of administrative division.
  - 34 province-level administrative units.
  - Classified as 23 provinces, 5 autonomous regions, 4 municipalities, 2 Special Administrative Regions (SARs).
- **Prefecture-level administrative units:** the second level of the administrative units.
- **County-level administrative units:** the third level of the administrative units.
- **Township-level administrative units:** the most basic administrative units.

Provincial-level		Prefecture-level		County-level		Township-level	
Total	Administrative unit	Total	Administrative unit	Total	Administrative unit	Total	Administrative unit
34	23 Provinces 5 Autonomous regions 4 Municipalities 2 Special Administrative Regions	333	293 Prefecture-level cities 7 Prefectures 30 Autonomous prefectures 3 Leagues	2,843	977 Urban districts 394 County-level cities 1301 Counties 117 Autonomous counties 49 Banners 3 Autonomous banners 1 Special area 1 Forest district	38602	8984 Subdistricts 21389 Towns 7116 Townships 957 Ethnic townships 153 Sumu 1 Ethnic sumu 2 District areas

- **Northernmost:** Centerline of the main channel of the Heilongjiang River north of Mohe, 53°33'N, 123°16'E.
- **Southernmost:** Zengmu Ansha in the Nansha Qundao, 3°51'N, 112°16'E.
- **Easternmost:** The confluence of the Heilongjiang and Wusuli River, 48°27'N, 135°05'E.
- **Westernmost:** The Pamir Plateau, 39°15'N, 73°33'E.

## 4. Provincial-level administrative units

- Provinces
- Autonomous Regions
- Municipalities
- Special Administrative Regions (SARs)
- The capital of our country is Beijing.



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