

The scope of Southern Taiwan Science Park (STSP) includes Tainan Science Park and Lujhu Science Park. Tainan Science Park is situated between Sinshih, Shanhua and Anding Townships of Tainan County with a total area of 2,565 acres. Lujhu Science Park is situated between Lujhu, Gangshan and Yong-an Townships of Kaohsiung County with a total area of 1,408 acres.

### Origins of STSP

The 6-year National Development Project of January 1, 1991 outlined the concept of "establishing new science parks." On July 1, 1993 the 2,388th executive meeting of the Executive Yuan sanctioned an Economic Revitalization Project in which the establishment of a science park in Southern Taiwan was proposed. The STSP Development Plan (which covered the phase 1 development of Tainan Science Park) by National Science Council was approved by the Executive Yuan in May 1995 to mark the beginning of Southern Taiwan's high-tech development.

In 2000 when the economy was booming, over 80% of the industrial land available for the phase 1

development of Tainan Science Park was leased out, and requests for more industrial land continued to pour in. In response to the demand of the semiconductor and TFT-LCD industries for large-block factory land, the Executive Yuan in May 2000 agreed to designate the intellectual industrial park developed in Lujhu by Taiwan Sugar Corporation as the site for Lujhu Science Park. The project was officially approved on April 6, 2001.

To help park enterprises within 1 kilometer of the High Speed Rail deal with the impact of vibrations, former premier Mr. Jyun-Syong Jhang during his inspection of STSP on May 17, 2001 ordered that the phase 2 development of Tainan Science Park be expedited. The expansion plan was sanctioned by the Executive Yuan on September 19, 2001.

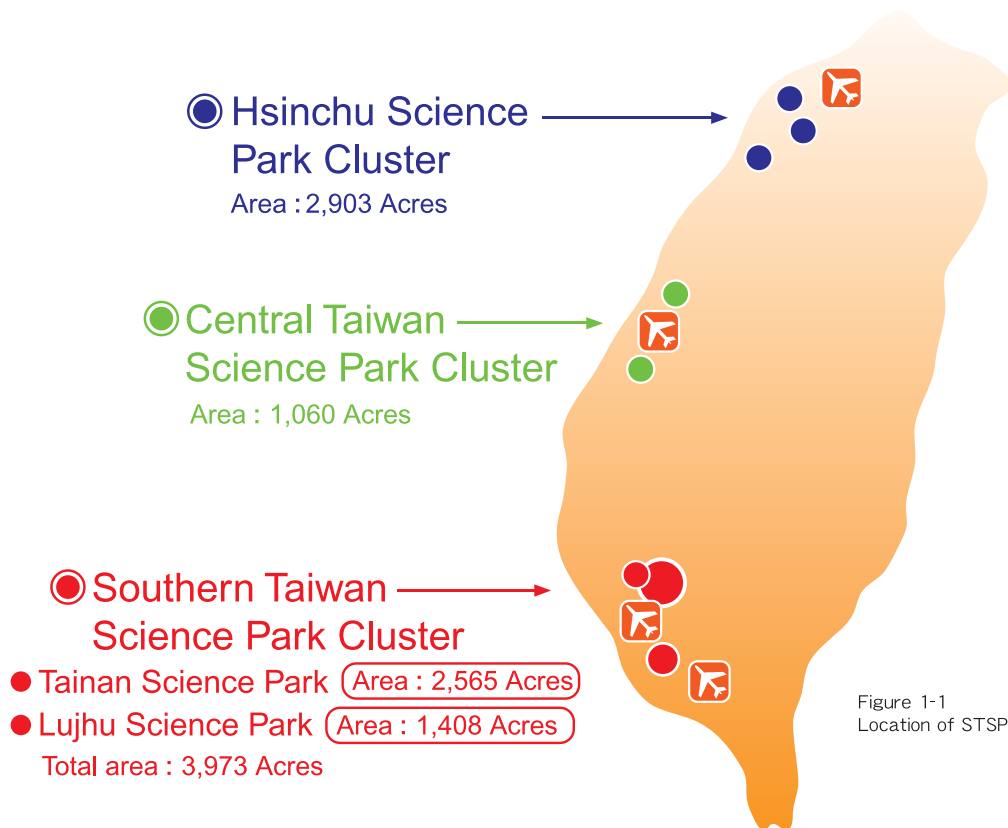


Figure 1-1  
Location of STSP

## Land Use Planning

Tainan Science Park encompasses an area of 2,565 acres. Land use planning covers an area of 1,374 acres including the designated industrial zone, residential zone, commercial zone, management & service zone, customs clearance service zone, community center zone, telecommunications zone and gas station. In addition, the 1,191-acre public facility land incorporates ten different zones: schools, parking lots, parks, greenbelts, open spaces, environmental protection facilities, tap water, voltage transformers, ditches and roads.

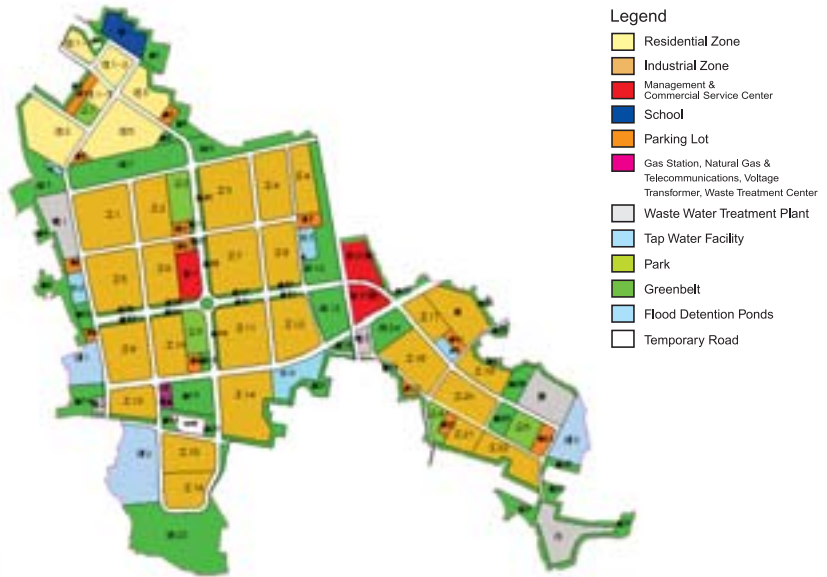


Figure 1-3  
Map of Lujhu Science Park's Land Use Zones

Lujhu Science Park encompasses an area of 1,408 acres. Land use planning incorporates the industrial zone, management & commercial service zones, residential community zone, service facility zone and preservation zone.



Figure 1-2  
Map of Tainan Science Park's Land Use Zones