

*The Importance of Taiwan  
Homeland Defense and Security to the  
United States*

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# AGENDA

*Importance of the Homeland Defense of Taiwan to the U.S.*

*Importance of Homeland Defense to Taiwan*

*Taiwan Homeland Defense programs for the future*



A photograph of three children in traditional red Chinese clothing. The child on the left is holding a stack of orange fans, the middle child is holding a stack of green fans, and the child on the right is holding a stack of pink fans. They are standing in a room decorated with red balloons and traditional Chinese architectural elements.

## WHY IS TAIWAN'S HOMELAND DEFENSE IMPORTANT FOR THE U.S. ?

*Peace*

*Democracy*

*Freedom*

*Rule of Law*

*Human Rights*

*Family*

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*September 11, 2001*



# WHY IS HOMELAND DEFENSE IMPORTANT FOR TAIWAN ?

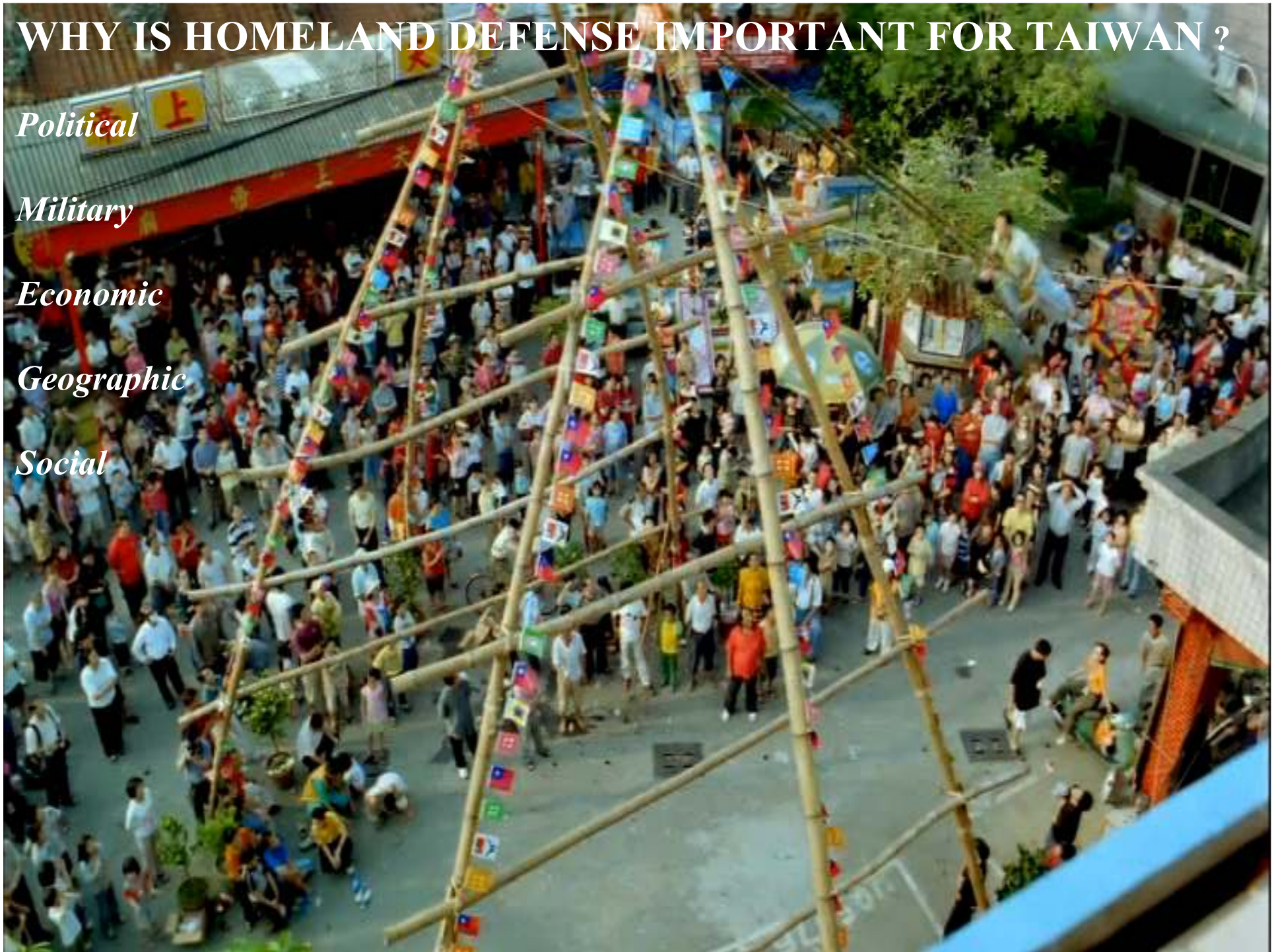
*Political*

*Military*

*Economic*

*Geographic*

*Social*



# POLITICAL

*17<sup>TH</sup> Party Congress and PRC Leadership Succession*

*International Space*

*Taiwan Elections and Referendums*





## MILITARY

*Options*

*Taiwan Vulnerabilities*

*Taiwan Relations Act*

*Taiwan Self-Defense*

# ECONOMIC

*Regional and Global Repercussions*

*Communications*

*Information Technology*

*Biotechnology*

*Nanotechnology*





# GEOGRAPHIC

*Pacific Ring of Fire*

*Earthquakes*

*Typhoons*



SOCIAL

*Taiwan Way of Life*

*23 Million People*

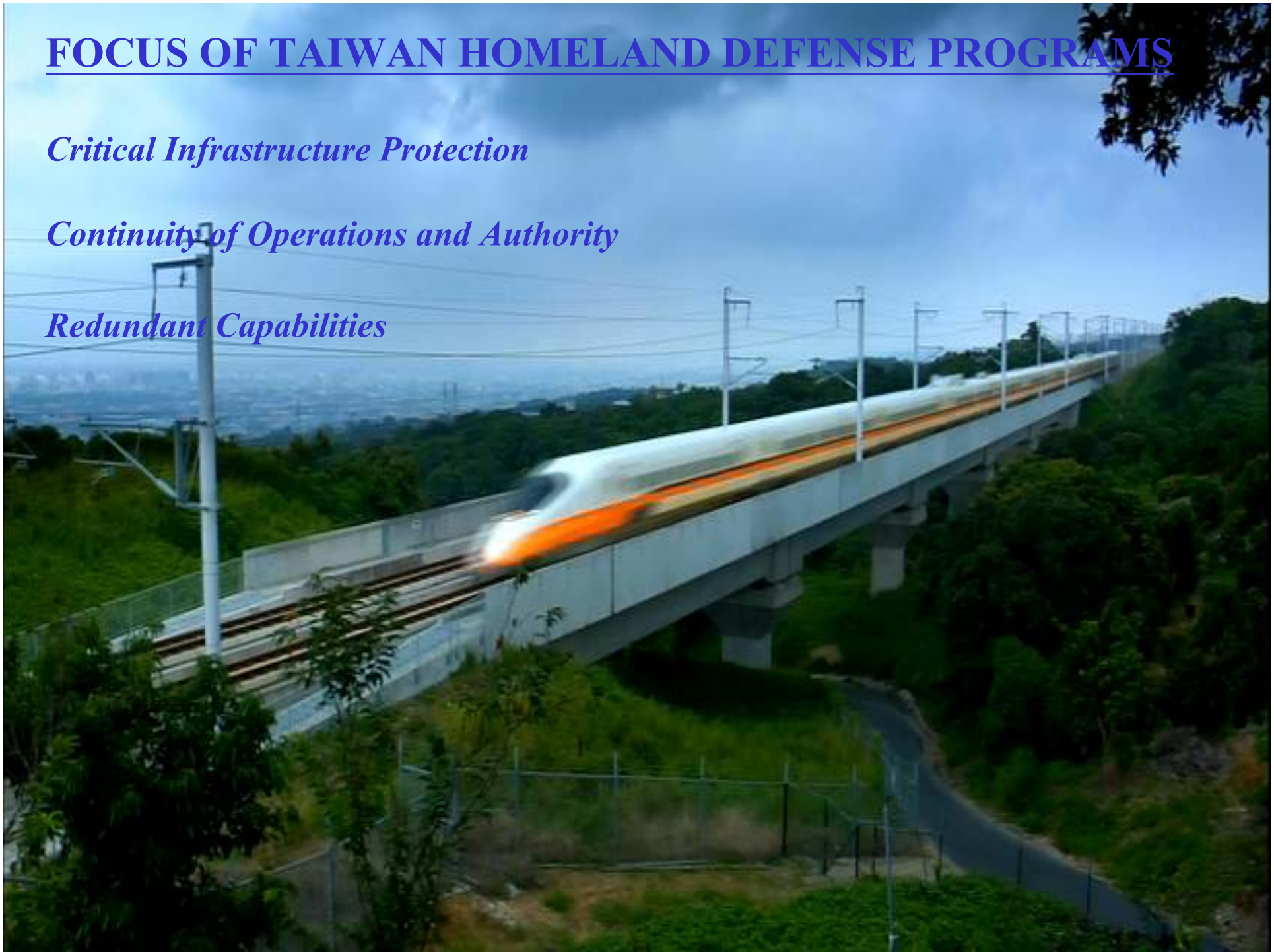


# FOCUS OF TAIWAN HOMELAND DEFENSE PROGRAMS

*Critical Infrastructure Protection*

*Continuity of Operations and Authority*

*Redundant Capabilities*





*Energy Supplies*

*Ports*

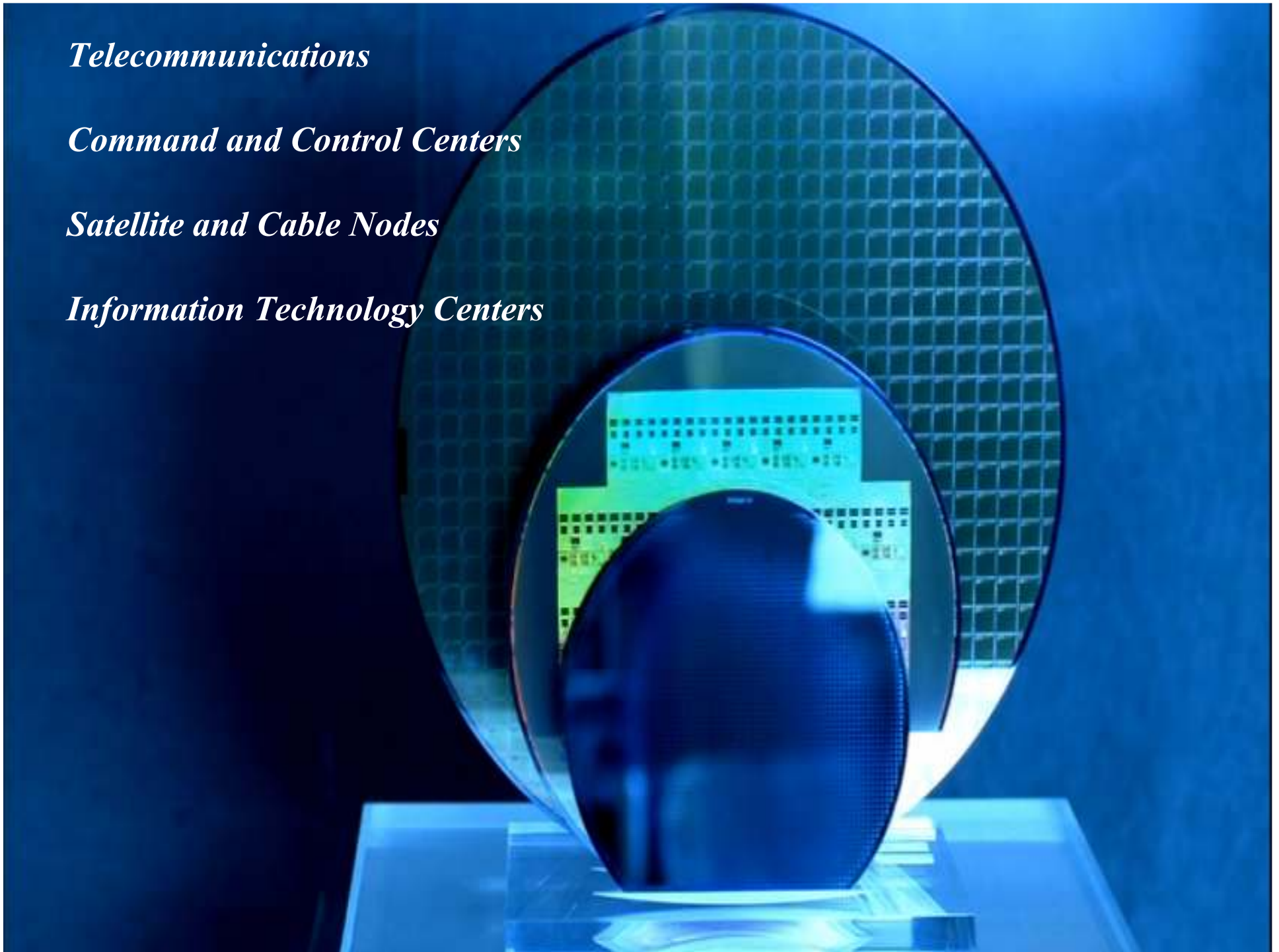
*Transportation Systems*

*Telecommunications*

*Command and Control Centers*

*Satellite and Cable Nodes*

*Information Technology Centers*



*Plans, Programs, and Exercises*

*Interagency and nation-wide focus*

*Involves all*



*Public-Private Partnership*

*Expand focus beyond national defense to encompass national security*



# UNITED STATES COMMITMENT

*As defined by the Taiwan Relations Act*

*Share Homeland Defense Lessons Learned and Best Practices*





# CONCLUSION

*Beyond Sales of Weapons or Items*

*Common Values*

*Oppose Use of Force*

*Homeland Defense and Security are Key*

*U.S. ready to provide assistance*

*Fate in Taiwan's hands*

**Comments and Questions?**

