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- 22 SCENIC SPOT MAPS
- BRIEF INTRODUCTIONS TO NEARLY
1 000 SIGHTSEEING PLACES

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INTRODUCTION

In response to the demands of the developing tourism of China, we have undertaken to compile and publish the Communication and Tourist Atlas of China. It is intended to help the visitors in obtaining a whole view of the country's communications and tourism and the information concerned as well as in drawing up an itinerary and being guided on a tour.

The atlas deals mainly with China's communications and tourism, and gives a more detailed information of native products in all parts of the country. It is composed of five sections: general maps, China communications and tourist maps, city maps, scenic spot maps and a brief introduction to China's scenic wonders. Also included are tables of some data.

For the purpose of giving readers as much useful information as possible and at the same time reducing the price of the atlas, we have made every possible effort to make the best use of the limited space. For instance, in China communications and tourist map section, the whole country is divided into 18 map sheets through the properly combined method of graticule and flexible separation of sheets. However, we have made a point of keeping as far as possible the integrity of those provinces, autonomous regions and the area where there's a concentration of scenic attractions. By this means, the adjoining map sheets are less overlapped and the map scale system seems to be more appropriate.

In order to help readers make more effective use of the atlas, at the beginning of the communications and tourist map section, the index maps with notes have been arranged, and the page numbers of the adjoining map sheets can be found in the margins of every sheet.

A brief introduction to the tourist highlights of China which has made up for the limitations of the maps gives a general survey of tourist geography, major tourist cities and towns, and the highlights of major places for sightseeing in each province and autonomous region. The presented scenic spots totalled nearly 1 000 entries.

We earnestly hope that our readers put forward criticisms on the unavoidable mistakes, oversights and omissions in the atlas.

The compiler

January 1991

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Jilin (81- 82)	Heilongjiang Province (82-83)
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Zhejiang Province (85- 87)	Anhui Province (87-88)
Fujian Province (88-89)	Taiwan Province (89- 90)
Jiangxi Province (90-92)	Shandong Province (92-93)
Henan province (93- 95)	Hubei Province (95-96)
Hunan Province (96-97)	Guangdong Province (97-98)
Hainan Province (98-99)	Guangxi Zhuang Autonomous Region (99- 100)
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INTRODUCTORY MAPS

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Sightseeing Place



Great Wall



Grand Canal



Railway



Main Highway



Other Highway



Domestic Airline



International Airline



Airline to Hongkong



Shipping Line



Harbour



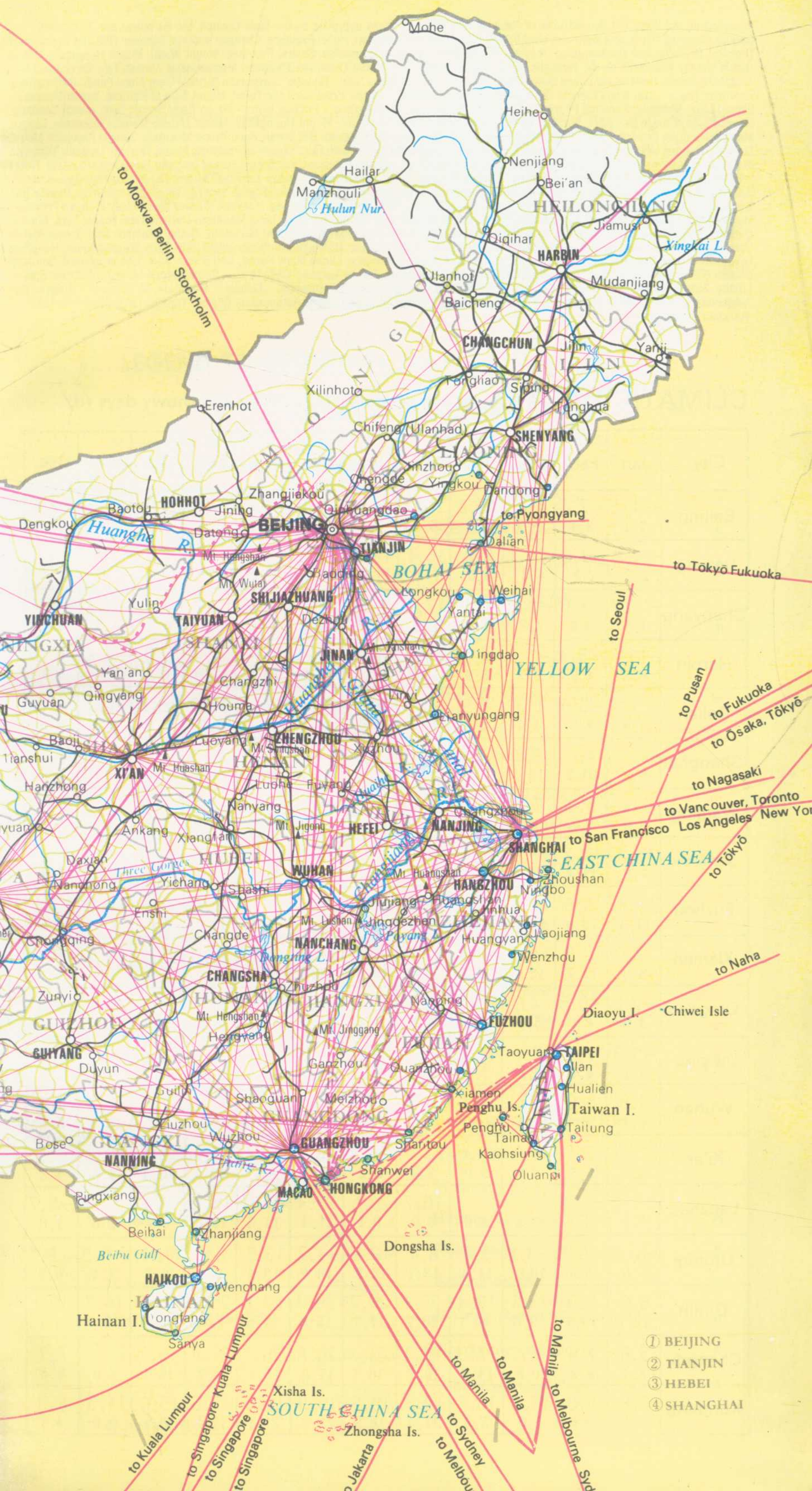
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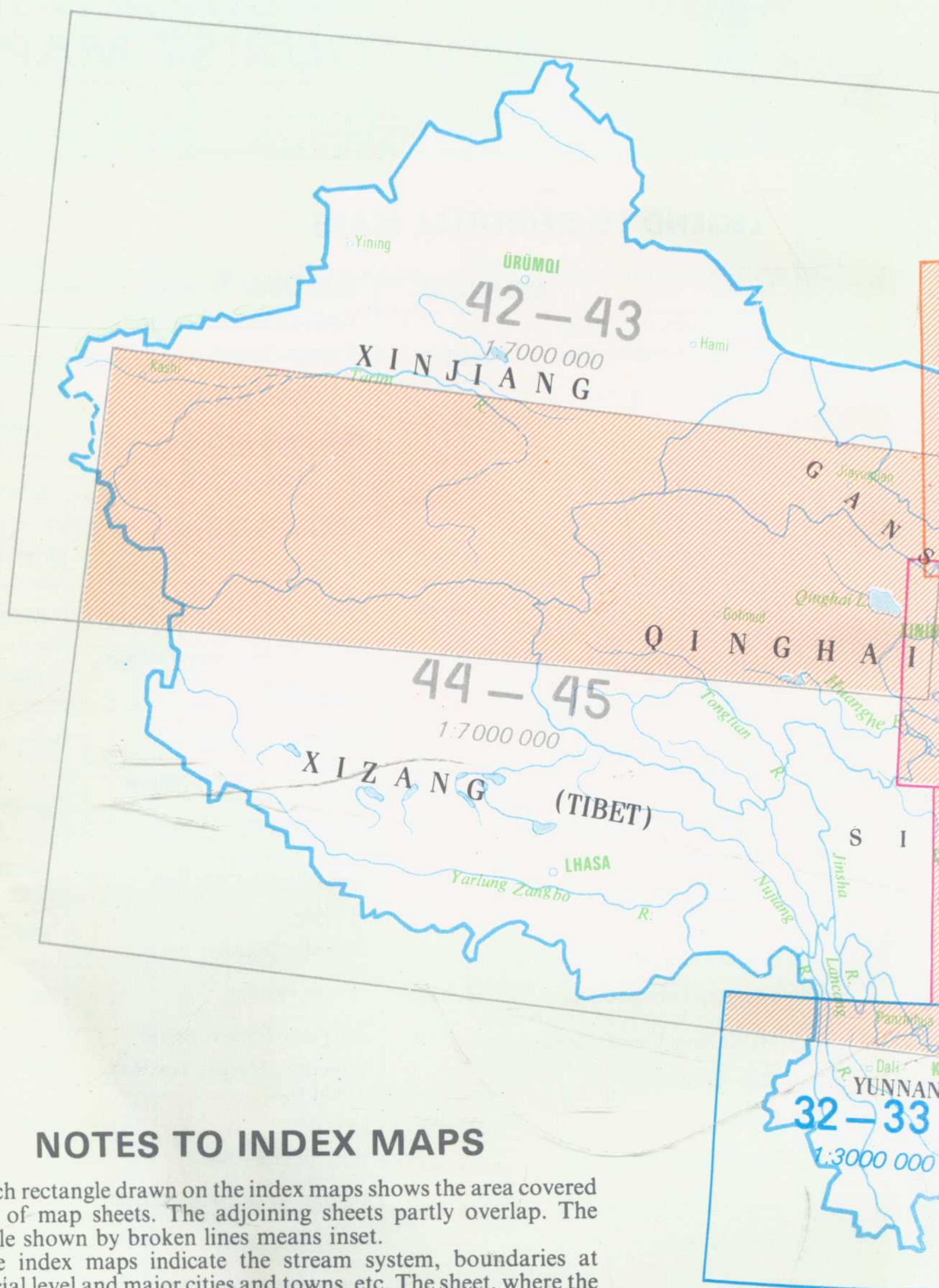


CHINA’S MAJOR SCENIC SPOTS

Recorded on the First and Second Lists of National Major Scenic Spots approved by the State Council, the 84 points are as follows.
Beijing: Badaling (The Great Wall) and Ming Tombs (Underground Museum); Hebei Province: Chengde Imperial Summer Villa and Eight Outer Temples, Beidaihe and Qinhuangdao, Yesanpo Scenic Spot, Cangyan Mountains; Shanxi Province: Mount Wutai, Mount Hengshan, Hukou (Kettle Mouth) Waterfalls on the Huanghe River; Liaoning Province: Mount Qianshan(Thousand Mountains)of Anshan,Yalu River,Jinshitan, Xingcheng Beach, Dalian-Lüshunkou Scenic spot;Jilin Province: Songhua Lake, "Badabu" Jingyuetan (Crystal Clear Moon Pond); Heilongjiang Province: Jingpo Lake, Wuda Lianchi (Five Great Connected Lakes); Jiangsu Province: Lake Taihu, Mount Zijin of Nanjing, Yuntai Mountain, Shouxi Lake, Shugang; Zhejiang Province: Xihu Lake (West Lake) of Hangzhou, Fuchun River - Xin'an River Scenic Spot, Mount Yandang, Mount Putuo, Tiantai Mountain, Shengsi Islands, Nanxi River; Anhui Province: Mount Huangshan, Mount Jiuhua, Tianzhu Mountain, Langya Mountain, Fujian Province: Wuyi Mountain,Qingyuan Mountain, Gulangyu-Wanshi Hill Scenic Spot, Taimu Mountain; Jiangxi Province: Mount Lushan, Jinggang Mountains, Sanqing Mountain, Longhu (Dragon and Tiger) Mountain; Shandong Province: Mount Taishan, Laoshan Mountain of Qingdao, Jiaodong Peninsula; Henan Province:Jigong Mountain, Longmen (Dragon Gate) Scenic Spot of Luoyang, Songshan Mountain, Hubei Province: Donghu Lake (East Lake) of Wuhan, Wudang Mountain, Dahong Mountain; Hunan Province: Mount Hengshan, Wulingyuan Scenic Spot, Yueyang Tower-Dongting Lake Scenic Spot; Guangdong Province: Xinghu (Star Lake) Scenic Spot of Zhaoqing, Xiqiao Hill, Danxia Hill; Guangxi Zhuang Autonomous Region: Lijiang River, Guilin, Xishan (West Mountain), Guiping, Huashan (Flower Mountains); Sichuan Province: Mount Emei, Huanglongsi-Jiuzhaigou Scenic Spot, Jinyun Mountain of Chongqing, Qingcheng Mountain-Dujiang Dam Scenic Spot, Shudao (Sichuan Mountain Path) Scenic Spot of Jianmen, Gongga Mountains, Jinfo (Golden Buddha) Mountain, Zhuhai (Bamboo Sea) Scenic Spot of Southern Sichuan, Three Gorges of the Changjiang River; Guizhou Province: Huangguoshu Waterfalls, Zhijin Cave, Wuyang River, Hongfeng Lake Scenic Spot, Longgong (Dragon Palace) Scenic Spot Yunnan Province: Lunan Stone Forest, Dali Scenic Spot, Xishuangbanna, Sanjiang Bingliu (Three Rivers into one) Scenic Spot, Dianchi Lake of Kunming, Yulong Xueshan (Jade Dragon Snow-capped Mountain) Scenic Spot of Lijiang, Xizang Automomous Region: Yar lung River; Shaanxi Province: Mount Huashan, Lishan Mountain of Lintong; Ningxia Hui Autonomous Region: Maiji Mountains, Western Xia Kings' Tombs; Xinjiang Uygur Autonomous Region: Tianchi Lake (Heavenly Lake) of Tianshan Mountains.

CLIMATIC DATA Average temperature (°C) / Rainy and snowy days (d)

City	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Beijing	−4.7 2.1	−2.3 3.1	4.4 4.5	13.2 5.1	20.2 6.4	24.2 9.7	26.0 14.5	24.6 14.1	19.5 6.9	12.5 5.0	4.0 3.6	−2.8 1.6
Datong	−11.8 2.5	−7.9 2.8	−0.1 4.3	8.2 5.6	15.4 7.2	19.8 11.6	21.8 15.4	20.1 12.7	14.3 8.9	7.4 5.7	−1.7 2.6	−9.1 1.8
Shenyang	−12.7 4.5	−8.6 3.6	−0.3 4.8	9.1 6.7	17.0 9.1	21.4 11.5	24.6 14.6	23.7 12.5	17.2 9.1	9.6 6.9	−0.3 5.2	−8.7 3.8
Harbin	−19.7 6.8	−15.4 4.9	−5.1 6.2	6.1 6.9	14.3 10.3	20.0 12.6	22.7 16.3	21.4 13.4	14.3 12.0	5.9 7.2	−5.8 5.4	−15.5 5.9
Dalian	−5.3 3.8	−3.5 2.8	1.8 4.4	8.9 5.8	15.5 6.8	19.3 9.0	22.9 13.2	24.1 11.1	20.0 7.2	13.8 5.6	5.6 5.5	−1.5 4.3
Shanghai	3.3 9.0	4.6 10.2	8.3 13.1	13.8 13.5	18.8 15.0	23.2 13.1	27.9 11.4	27.8 10.0	23.8 11.6	17.9 8.4	12.5 9.1	6.2 8.6
Nanjing	1.9 8.0	3.0 9.5	8.4 10.9	14.7 12.4	20.0 11.5	24.5 10.9	28.2 12.3	27.9 11.5	22.9 10.2	16.9 7.6	10.7 9.1	4.5 7.0
Guangzhou	13.4 7.8	14.2 11.4	17.7 14.7	21.8 15.1	25.7 17.8	27.2 20.3	28.3 16.6	28.2 16.2	27.0 13.1	23.8 6.0	19.7 5.6	15.2 6.2
Fuzhou	10.4 11.4	10.6 13.9	13.4 16.7	18.1 16.1	22.2 18.3	25.3 17.0	28.7 9.9	28.2 12.5	26.0 12.7	21.6 6.6	17.8 7.5	13.1 8.5
Xiamen	12.6 8.9	12.5 11.2	14.9 12.7	19.0 12.6	23.2 15.9	26.0 16.5	28.3 10.3	28.3 10.8	27.0 8.4	23.2 3.5	19.7 4.3	15.2 5.1
Qingdao	−2.6 3.5	−0.5 4.1	4.6 5.3	10.9 7.1	16.7 7.2	20.9 9.4	24.7 13.7	25.4 11.6	20.5 8.4	14.3 5.5	7.4 6.0	0.5 3.6
Zhengzhou	−0.3 3.1	2.1 4.4	7.7 6.3	14.8 7.4	21.1 7.5	26.3 7.3	27.5 12.3	25.9 10.8	21.0 8.8	15.1 6.9	7.8 6.1	1.6 3.1
Wuhan	2.8 8.1	5.0 10.0	10.0 13.6	16.0 14.7	21.3 14.1	25.8 11.7	29.0 9.6	28.5 8.5	23.6 8.1	17.5 8.8	11.2 10.3	5.3 8.1
Xi'an	−1.3 4.4	2.1 5.7	8.0 6.9	14.0 9.0	19.2 9.4	25.3 8.2	26.7 11.3	25.4 9.7	19.4 13.1	13.6 10.4	6.5 7.8	0.6 4.3
Lanzhou	−7.3 1.8	−2.5 2.3	5.3 3.8	11.7 6.6	16.7 8.9	20.5 9.1	22.4 11.4	21.0 11.6	15.9 10.8	9.4 6.7	1.6 2.5	−5.7 1.8
Ürümqi	−10.6 5.8	−9.8 5.6	−3.8 10.6	2.7 11.4	8.4 13.1	12.9 16.2	14.7 18.9	13.5 13.9	8.6 9.2	1.9 6.8	−5.5 7.4	−8.7 6.5
Guilin	8.0 12.7	9.0 14.7	13.1 19.5	18.4 20.1	23.1 20.7	26.2 17.7	28.3 15.8	27.8 14.6	25.8 8.6	20.7 9.3	15.2 10.6	10.1 11.4
Chengdu	5.6 5.4	7.6 8.2	12.1 10.8	17.0 14.0	21.1 15.7	23.7 16.1	25.8 17.2	25.1 15.8	21.4 16.2	16.7 16.1	12.0 8.0	7.3 6.3
Kunming	7.8 4.1	9.8 3.9	13.2 5.0	16.7 5.5	19.3 11.4	19.5 18.9	19.9 21.3	19.2 21.1	17.6 15.2	15.0 16.1	11.5 6.9	8.3 4.6



NOTES TO INDEX MAPS

1. Each rectangle drawn on the index maps shows the area covered by one of map sheets. The adjoining sheets partly overlap. The rectangle shown by broken lines means inset.
2. The index maps indicate the stream system, boundaries at provincial level and major cities and towns, etc. The sheet, where the needed features are shown, can be identified according to the relationship between the geographical features. The figures in rectangle refer to the double-page spread on which that map appears. The sheet required can be found out by the aid of these figures.
3. The map detail on the overlap can be found in both adjoining maps but more information are given in the larger scale one. Please take note of the scale shown in rectangle.
4. The figures such as **35** in margins of every map refer to the page numbers of adjoining sheets. The off-sheet detail can be located in the adjoining sheets with the indicated page numbers.

