

DIGITS

2027

The year that China will overtake the U.S. as the world's largest economy, according to economist Takatoshi Ito

33 percent

The jump in villa prices in Shanghai from 2010.

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The number of dogs a Shanghai resident is allowed to own under new laws. Attack dogs have been completely banned.

3.25 Billion

China's consumption of coal (in metric tons) last year. That's predicted to slow as China moves toward clean energy alternatives.

40,000

The number of customers who visit China's Apple Stores per day. That's four times the average in the company's American stores.

\$2.42 Billion

The combined investment of Shanghai-based Chinese companies abroad in 2010, an increase of 57 percent over the previous year. The city remains a primary base for Chinese offshore investment.

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Points that consumer confidence in China fell in a recent survey conducted by Nielsen and the China Economic Monitoring and Analysis Center, signaling that Chinese consumers are increasingly concerned about the impact of inflation on their salaries.

Commercial News

Jumpstart Your Office

Image is key when starting a business, especially in a status-driven city like Shanghai. But who has time to outfit an entire office these days? A sleek, new space, Jumpstart Business Centre offers neo-suites. These all-inclusive offices feature high-tech stuff like Cisco firewalls and glass-partitioned conference rooms. Located in Wheelock Square, a prime downtown location, tenants have easy access to Metro lines 2 and 7, as well as nearby hotels to impress clients and partners. The common facilities inside the Wheelock complex support all kinds of business needs from meeting, video conference and satellite TV to coffee and tea. With communal areas that offer new appliances and high quality broadcasting, these spaces create a productive, vibrant environment for an international staff that's on the ball and hungry for action.

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Hotel News

The Westin Hits Nanjing

Situated on top of the Nanjing International Center, the new Westin and the first in Jiangsu Province features 234 rooms and suites with stunning views of shimmering Xuanwu Lake. The hotel boasts three restaurants and lounges, including the Five Zen5es Chinese restaurant, a favorite of locals and tourists for its contemporary Huaiyang cuisine and eight exclusive dining rooms. Located in the heart of the ancient capital, tourists can take in the city's rich history and culture while shopping, dining and taking in local entertainment options. Business guests will appreciate the convenient placement near to Nanjing's financial district and commercial spaces.

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