China (CHN) Administrative Boundary Common Operational Database (COD-AB)

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Access and additional information:	**HDX** China - Subnational Administrative Boundaries
Source:	*publicly available online sources*
Reference year:	*2020*
Most recent update:	*10 September 2020*
ITOS live services:	*unavailable*
Complementary COD-PS (population statistics):	**HDX** unavailable

VERSION HISTORY	
10 September 2020	*Corrections and new P-codes*
26 April 2018	*Revised upload*
25 January 2018	*Initial upload*

HDX Resources

Number	Name	Description	Type
1	*CHN COD-AB 2020_09_10*	*This document*	*PDF*
2	*chn_admgz_2020*	*China administrative level 0-2 gazetteer*	*XLSX*

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Number	Name	Description	Type
3	chn_adm_2020_SHP	China administrative level 0-2 zipped shapefiles	ZIPPED SHAPEFILES
4	chn_adm_2020_EMF	China administrative level 0-2 EMF files	EMF
5	chn_adm_2020_KMZ	China administrative level 0-2 KMZ files	KMZ
6	chn_adm_2020_.gdb.zip	China administrative level 0-2 geodatabase	ZIPPED GEODATABASE

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CHARACTERISTICS			
	Administrative level 0	**Administrative level 1**	**Administrative level 2**
Administrative type:	*country*	*various*	*various*
Geographic extent:	*entire country (see caveats)*	*entire country (see caveats)*	*entire country (see caveats)*
Feature name language:	*Chinese [ZH], English [EN]*	*Chinese [ZH], English [EN]*	*Chinese [ZH], English [EN]*
Sample P-code:	*CN*	*CN011*	*CN011010*
Evaluation:	*fully usable*	*fully usable*	*fully usable*
Feature types:	*polygon*	*polygon*	*polygon, line*
Feature count:	*1*	*34*	*361*
Formats:	*shapefile EMF KMZ geodatabase*	*shapefile EMF KMZ geodatabase*	*shapefile EMF KMZ geodatabase*
COD-PS link:	*no COD-PS*	*no COD-PS*	*no COD-PS*

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METHODOLOGY
Shapefiles sourced and translated by Chinese volunteers. Data compiled and cleaned by OCHA.

CAVEATS
These boundaries were not derived from an official government source, but do appear to correspond to government policy and include the entity referred to by the government as 'Taiwan Province'. *The earlier version of this dataset had incorrect administrative level 1 boundaries and P-codes.*

GENERAL COMMON OPERATIONAL DATASET INFORMATION	
COD dashboard	*https://goo.gl/pfvpaH*
Humanitarian Data Exchange	