

Cyprus Business Facilitation Unit — fast-track settlement for international tech companies and talent

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Quality score: 71/100

Evidence strength: Strong

Summary

National one-stop-shop (Jan 2022) to settle high-tech foreign companies and skilled staff in Cyprus. In 2022: 1,637 companies registered, 12,402 work permits, 22,429 licences. By Aug 2024: 48,212 residence permits. Tech sector: 62,000 jobs, €8.5B GDP contribution.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured results	3/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	2/3
Scalability	2/3
Sustainability / continuity	3/3
Innovation	2/3
Inclusiveness / equity	1/3
Multi-stakeholder collaboration	2/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

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