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Introduction and Experience Sharing on China's APEC Business Travel Card Work

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the Utilization of APEC Business Travel
Card**

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of APEC Business Travel Card (ABTC)

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Basic Information

China joined ABTC Scheme in **2002**.

Ministries in Charge: **Ministry of Foreign Affairs** (Ministry of Foreign Affairs Management System)

Number of **domestic applications** processed: **138,967**

Number of **foreign applications** processed: **829,471** (Ministry of Foreign Affairs Management System)

Number of **Active Cards** until Aug.31, 2021: **53,077** (Ministry of Foreign Affairs Management System)



Qualification

- Government officials engaged in APEC affairs or government officials responsible for ABTC affairs and Chinese officials serving in APEC organizations
- Management personnel, main business personnel and technical personnel in large state-owned enterprises under central management
- Personnel of local state-owned enterprises
- Personnel of private enterprises
- Chinese (mainland) personnel in foreign-funded ventures

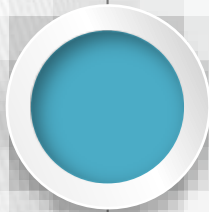
Home Application Process

Three-Level Review and Management



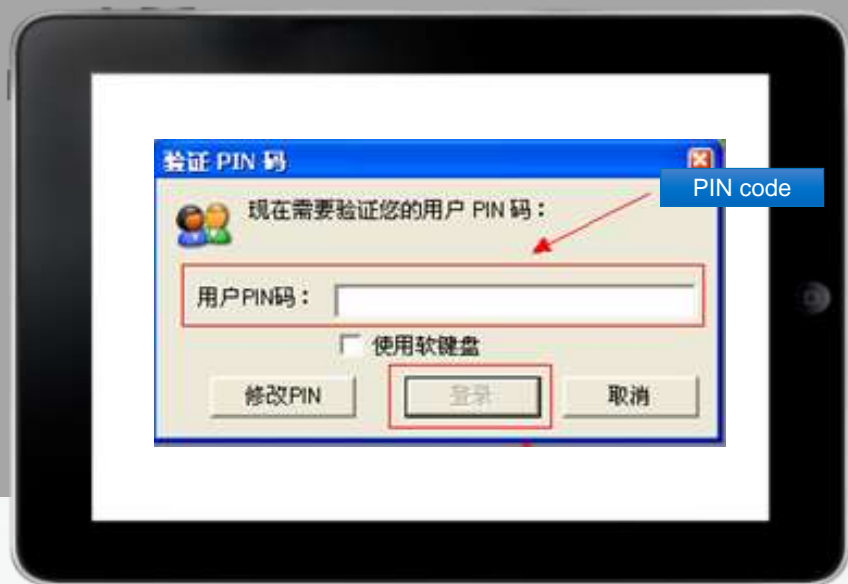
Supervision of ABTC Usage

ABTC used for cross-border
business activities only

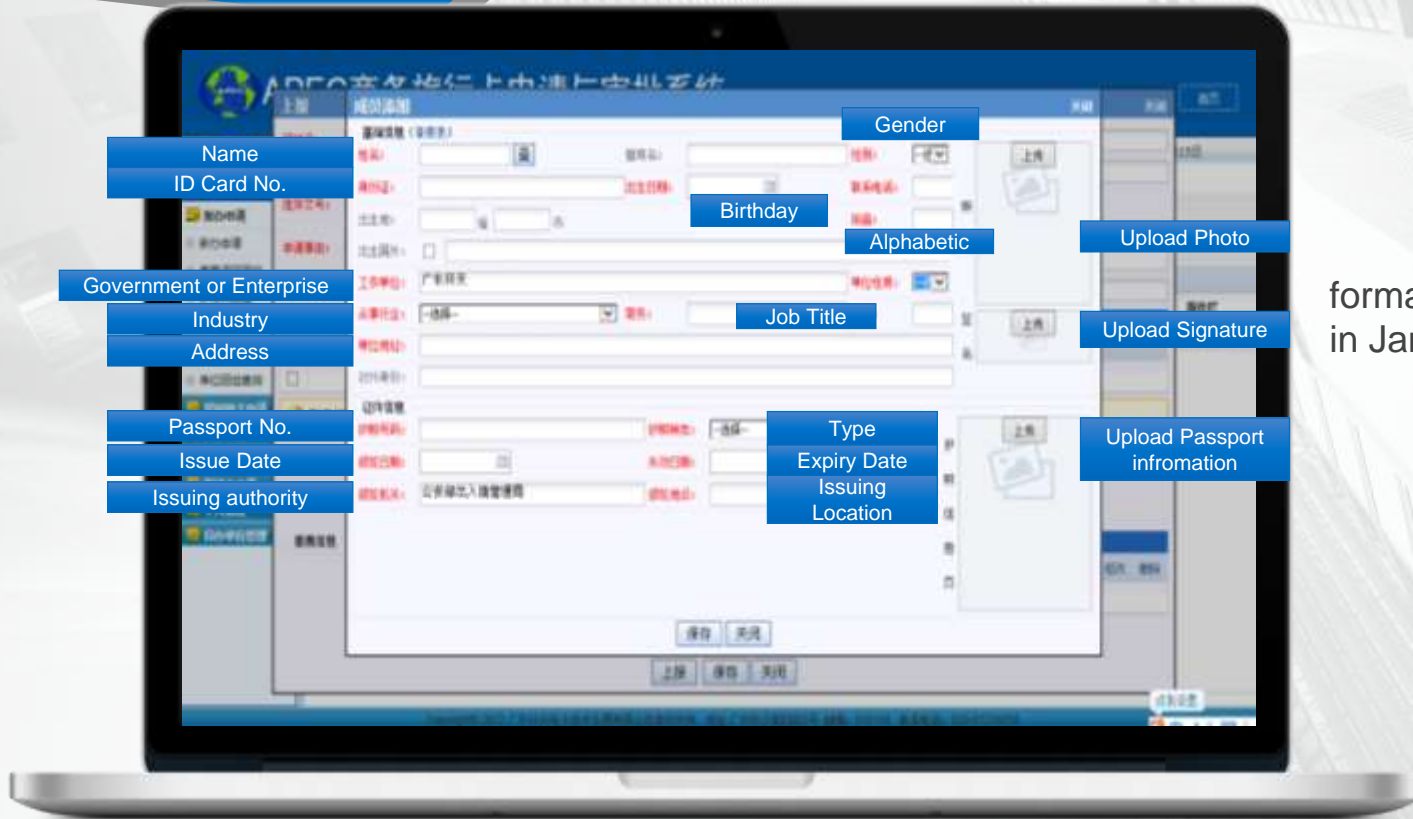


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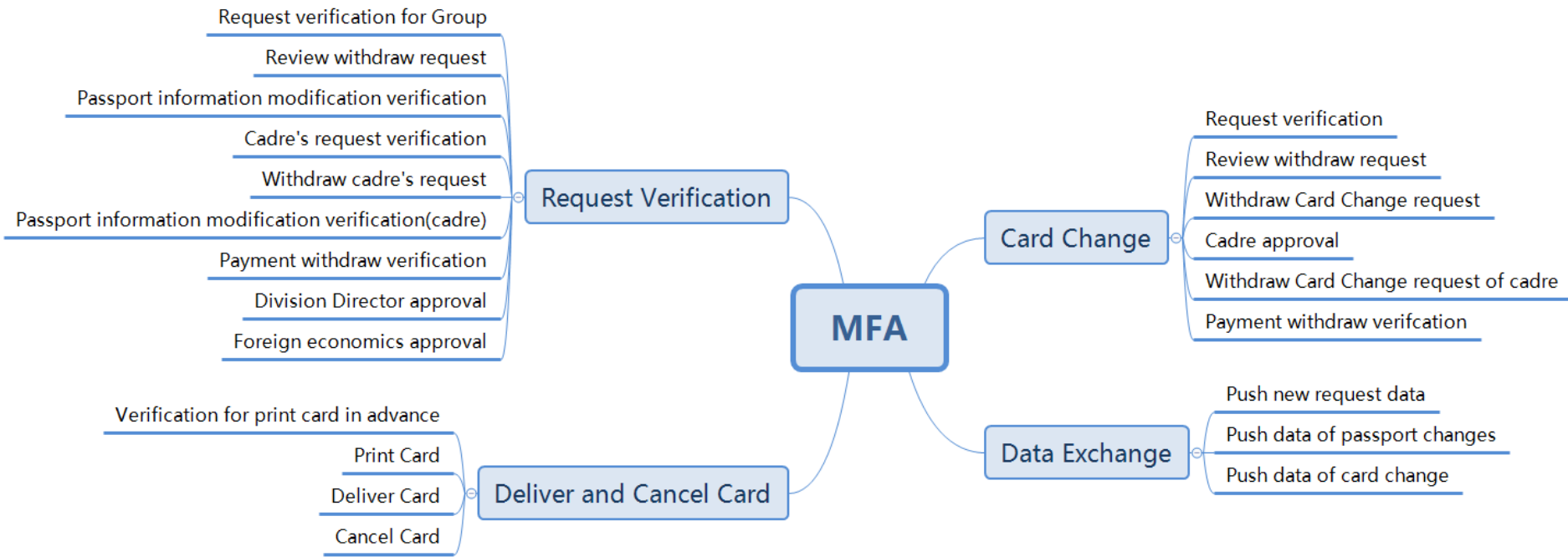
Online Lodgement

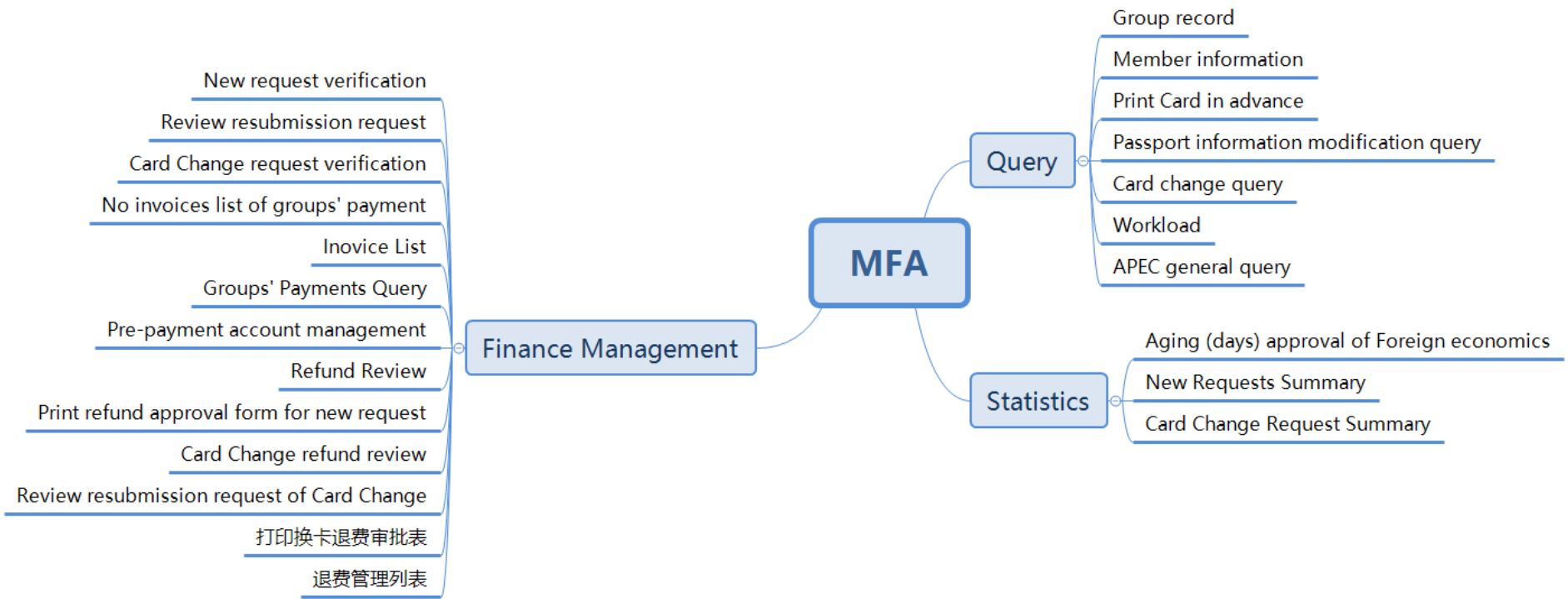


System login requires HTTPS and USB-KEY validation. Each KEY is bind with user account for enhancing security.



formally launched
in January, 2014





Future Development



data interface to the ABTC system

direct access to the applicants



Experience Sharing

1
➤ Robust management by
Ministry of Foreign Affairs

3
➤ Strict review of ABTC
application and supervision of
ABTC usage

2
➤ Step-by-step expansion of
ABTC application qualification



4
➤ Innovation in home
application processing –
online lodgement system



5
➤ Sound coordination
and cooperation within
BMG

Thank you!

