

Saudi Arabia in Brief

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General Information

Capital: Riyadh Other Major Cities: Jeddah, Dammam, Makkah, Madinah

Population: 28.4 Million (Including Non-Nationals) Exchange Rate: \$1 = 3.75 Riyals (SR) Official Language: Arabic

Head of State and Government: King Abdullah Bin Abdul Aziz Al Saud

Recent Economic Indicators

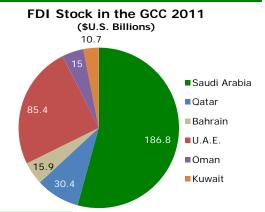
	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013f	2014f
Nominal GDP (\$U.S. Billion)	429.1	526.8	669.5	711.0	747.2	769.9
Real GDP (% Change)	1.8	7.4	8.6	5.1	4.0	3.5
GDP per Capita (\$U.S)	16,095	19,113	23,594	24,303	24,778	24,766
Inflation	4.1	3.8	3.7	2.9	3.7	3.4
Current Account Balance (\$U.S. Billion)	21.0	66.8	158.5	164.8	105.8	71.9
Fiscal Balance (% of GDP)	-5.4	4.4	11.6	14	7.2	4.0
SAMA Net Foreign Assets (\$U.S. billion)	410.1	445.1	541.1	656.9	700.9	737.1

U.S.-Saudi Trade and Investment

- The U.S. is the Kingdom's largest trading partner.
- The U.S. is the number 1 source of FDI in Saudi Arabia.
- Saudi Arabia is among the top 20 recipients of FDI in the world.
- Saudi Arabia is the world's 22nd largest exporter and 31st largest importer of products and services.
- Saudi Arabia is the 9th largest trading partner of the U.S.

Top 5 Saudi Imports from the U.S. (\$U.S. Millions)				
Commodity	2012			
Transportation Equipment	7,732			
Machinery, Except Electrical	3,537			
Electronic Machinery & Products	1,231			
Medical & Surgical Equipment	747			
Miscellaneous Chemicals	488			

Top 5 State Exporters (\$U.S. Millions)				
State	2012			
Texas	3,978			
Michigan	1,793			
California	1,171			
Washington	1,127			
New York	858			



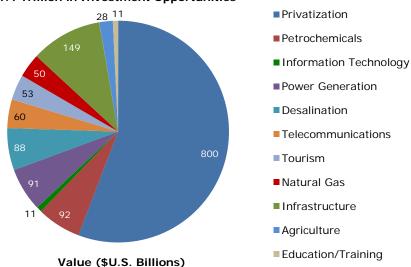
2012 Bilateral Trade: \$73.7 Billion

Key 2012 Trade Figures

Imports from Saudi Arabia: \$55.7 Billion Exports to Saudi Arabia: \$18.0 Billion

Investment Opportunities in Saudi Arabia

\$1.4 Trillion in Investment Opportunities



Saudi Arabia is ranked 26th in the World Bank's 2014 Ease of Doing Business report

2013 Budgetary Allocations Percent Share by Sector				
Industry	Share			
Education, Manpower, & Development	25.0			
Health & Social Affairs	12.9			
Transportation & Telecommunications	7.9			
Water, Agriculture, & Infrastructure	7.3			
Municipal Services	4.6			
Total Budget (\$U.S. Billions)	228.0			