

***Saudi Arabia: Strategic Relationship Opportunities  
and Business Prospects***

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Please join the U.S. Department of Commerce's Virginia Export Assistance Center and the U.S.-Saudi Arabian Business Council for a breakfast briefing on opportunities in ***Saudi Arabia's rapidly growing market***. Among these are several mega projects currently in the works with an estimated value of \$223 billion across many industry sectors.

The U.S. exported more than \$6.8 billion worth of merchandise to the Saudi market – 30 percent more than in 2004. U.S. exports to the Kingdom include automobiles, computers, chemicals, engineering goods and machinery, and agricultural products. There are growing opportunities for U.S. companies of all sizes.

The presenters will provide an insiders' perspective on doing business in Saudi Arabia, market strategies and opportunities a variety of sectors.

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