



Economic & Investment

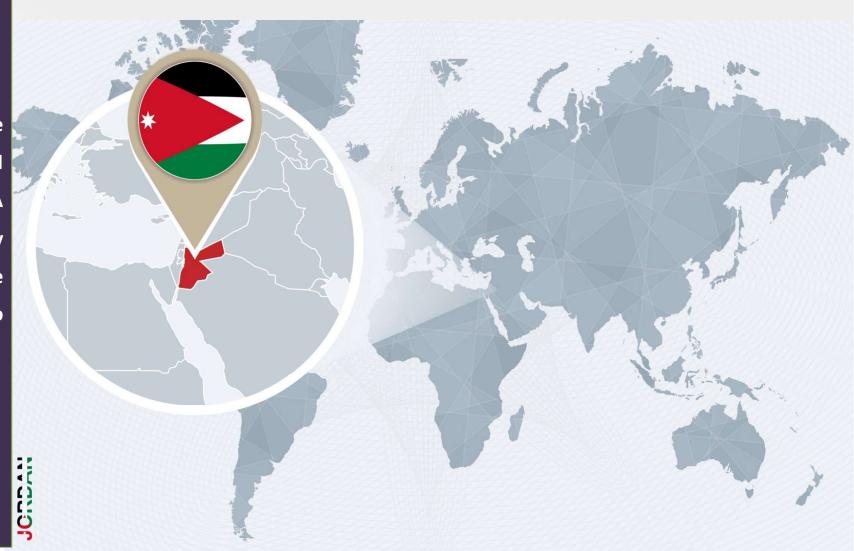
The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan

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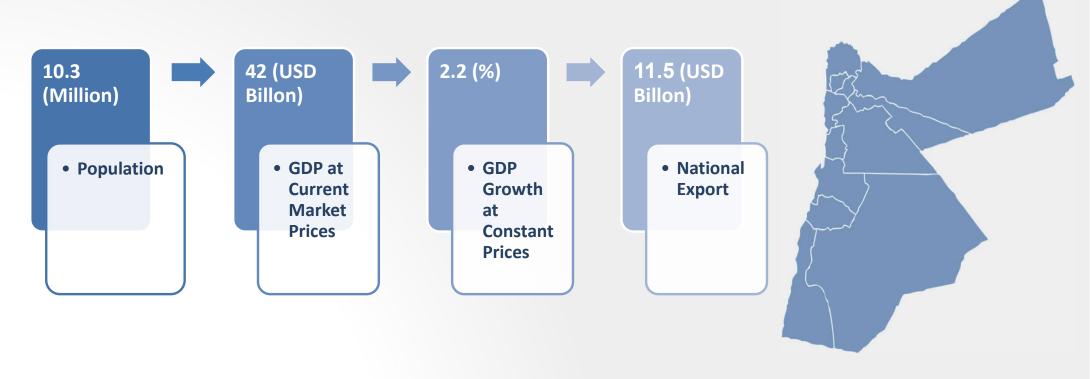
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Jordan In The World

The country has one of the most dynamic and diversified economies in the MENA region, and is uniquely positioned to provide regional and global access to businesses



Jordan Macroeconomic Indicators

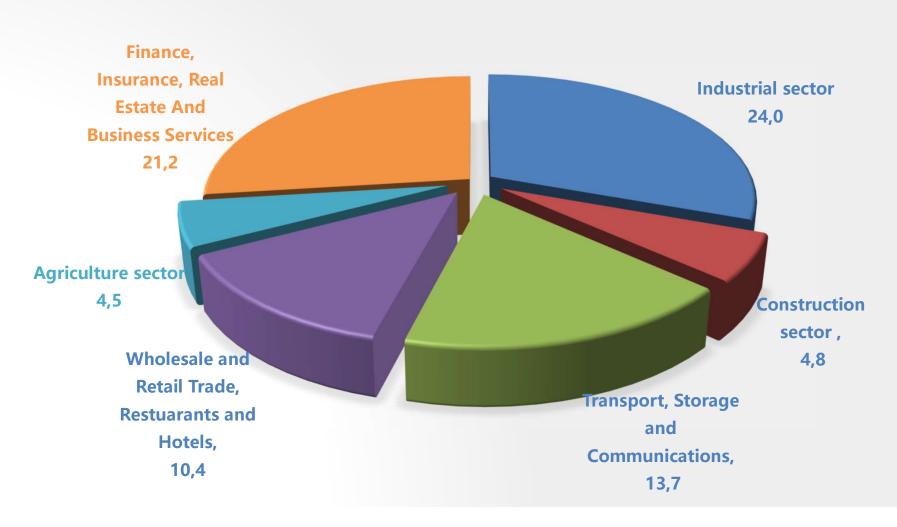






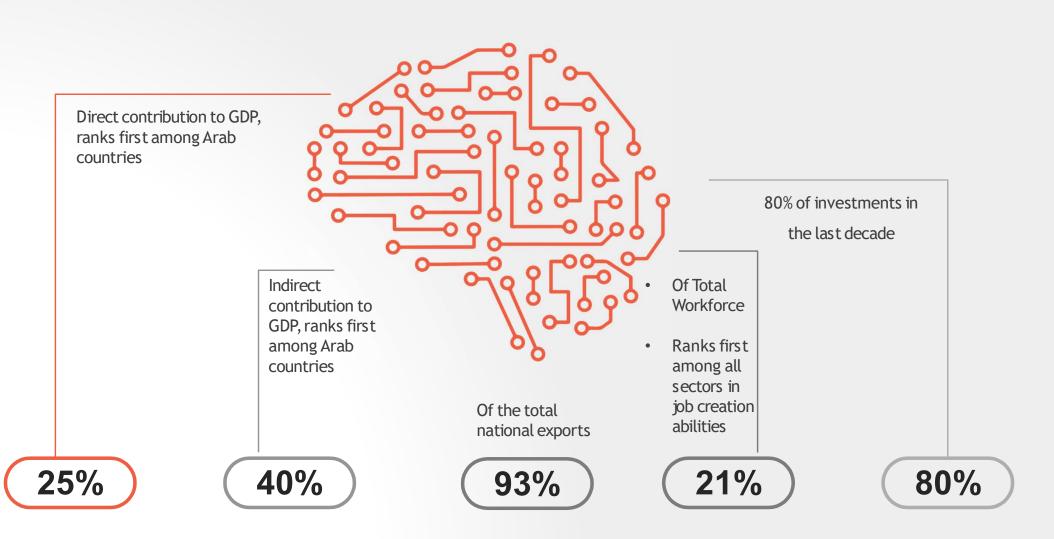
Variety Sectors

Sectors Contribution to GDP (%)



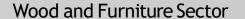
Industrial sector In Jordan

Strategic Sector In Jordanian economy



Wide Range of products...

1,500 diverse commodities produce in Jordan, within different sub-sectors



Plastic and Rubber Sector

Engineering, Electrical and Information Technology Sector

Chemical and Cosmetic Industries Sector

The Therapeutic Industries and Medical Supplies Sector

Leather and Garment Sector

The Food, Catering, Agricultural, and Livestock Sector

The Packaging, Paper, Cardboard, Printing and Office Supplies

Construction Sector

Mining Sector

High production and added value ...

25 billion dollar the total of production

46% share of the local market

ranks first among Arab countries on Industrial sector's value added

45% added value out of total production

labor intensive sector ...

Hiring 254 thousands workers

80%

Jordanian workers

21% of total workforce

Ranks first among all sectors in job creation abilities

Export performance ...



11.5 billion \$

The sector's exports.



%93

Of the total national exports are industrial exports

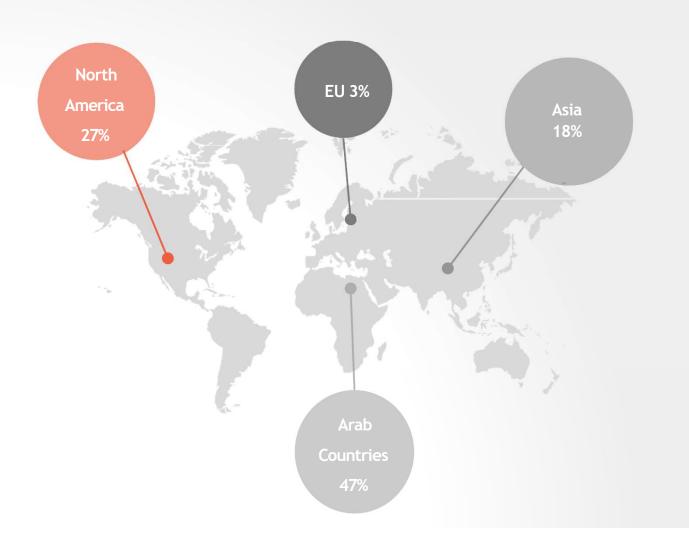


2.3%

The average annual growth rate of the sector's exports over the past decade



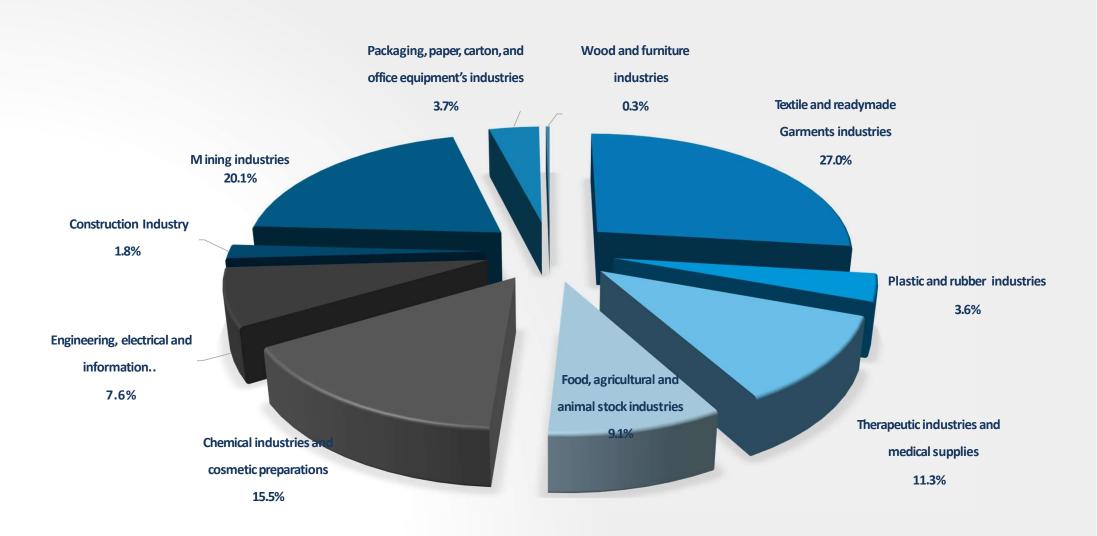
Geographical Distribution of Exports ...



Reached more than 140 countries



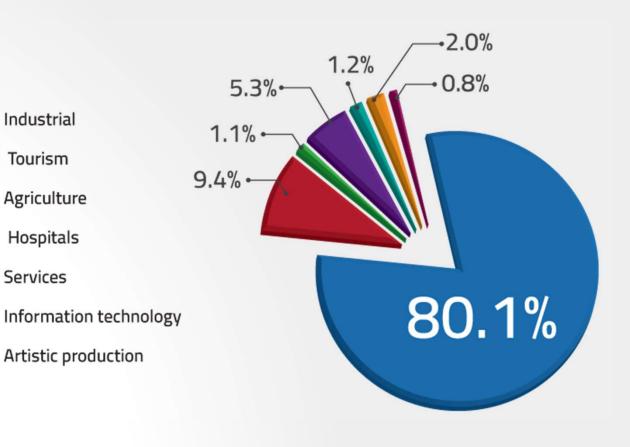
Industrial Exports by sub-sector...



Why Jordanian products?



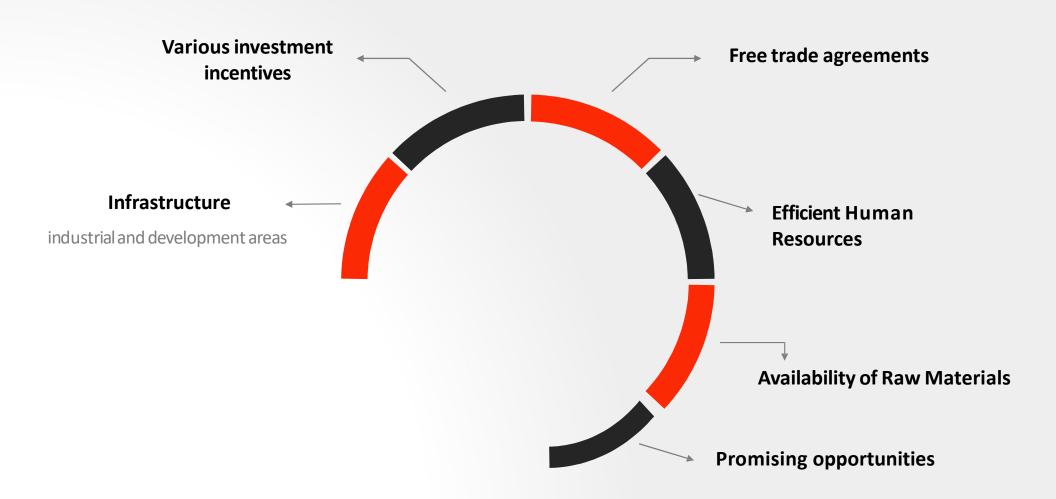
FDI Inflow to Jordan In Last Decade ...



Why Jordan?

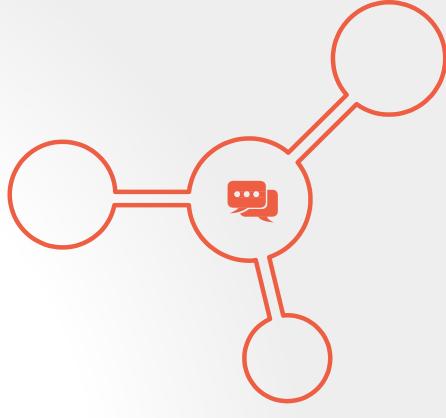
Facts & Opportunities

Attractive advantages for investment ...



Various investment incentives ...

Tax and Customs Exemptions
(Sales tax, customs duties,
production inputs)



Development and Industrial Zones

Diverse geographical areas and

export incentives

Additional Incentives in

Full Foreign Ownership

(passport and nationality)

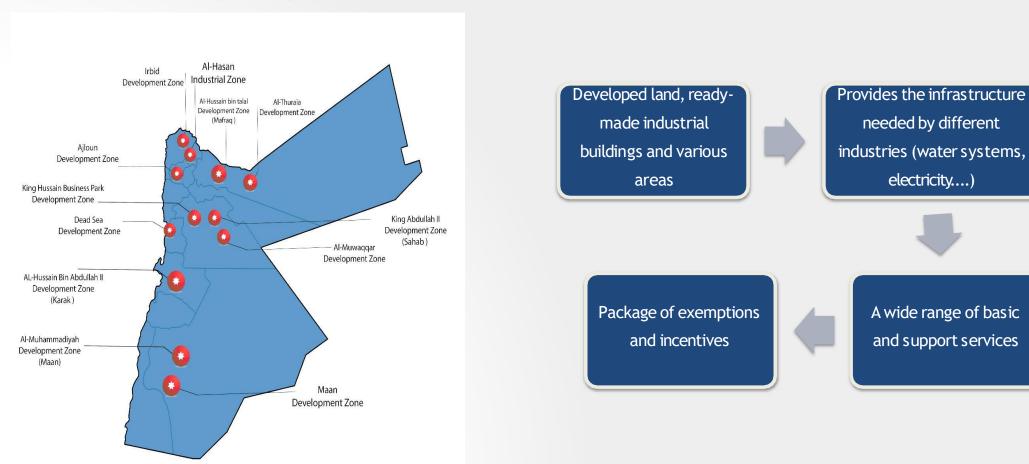
Development and industrial zones across the Kingdom

electricity....)

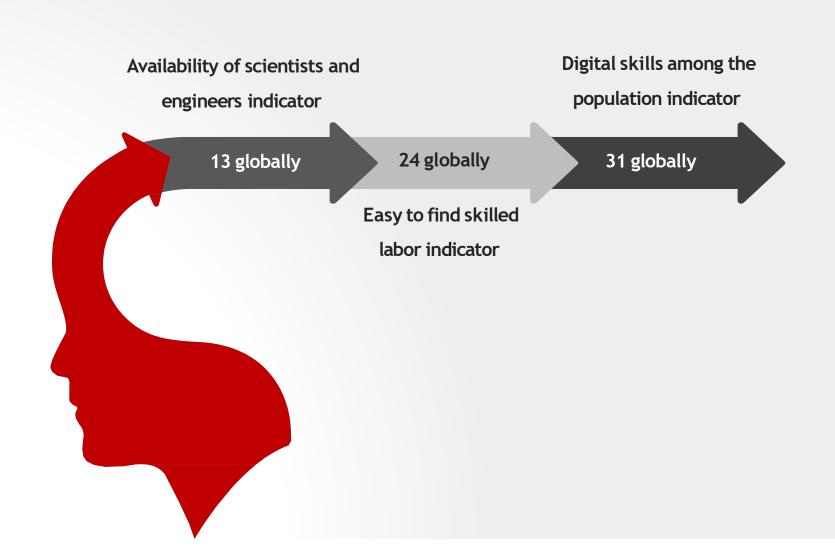
A wide range of basic

and support services

providing different infrastructure and services to investors



Efficient Human Resources ...



Availability of Raw Materials ...

Unique Dead Sea

Products

with diverse uses

The 7th largest

Potash Product in
the world

The 5th largest phosphate reserves in the world

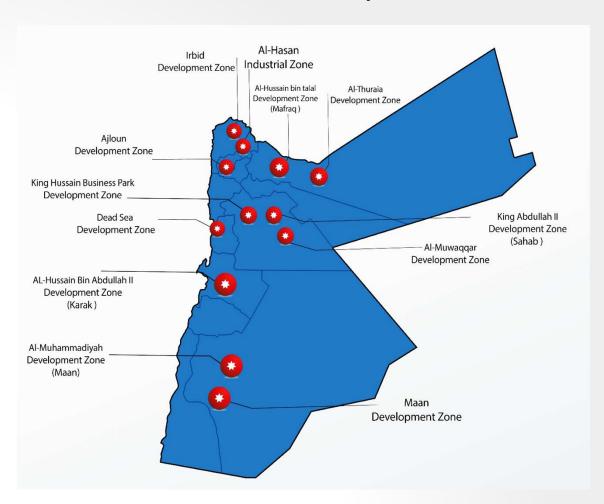
Various Free Trade Agreements ...

Ensures access to more than 1.5 billion consumers around the world



Development & Industrial Zones

A Gateway to Incentivized Trade and Business



5% Income Tax

(Industrial activity in the zone)

10% Income Tax

(Other activity in the zone)

0% Customs Tax

(Production inputs and requirements)

7% Sales Tax

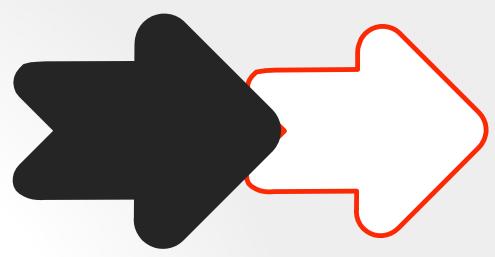
(service in the zone)

0% Sales Tax

(input goods and services in the zone)

Promising opportunities

to attracting more investments And Boosting Exports



Export Potential

Based on the export potential map analysis issued by the World Trade Center, Jordanian Industrial Products Export can realize additional exports worth more than USD 4 billion to different market worldwide.

large variety of investment opportunities in several sub-sectors

- ICT
- Pharmaceutical
- Chemicals & Fertilizers
- Garments

10 Reasons to Invest In Jordan



Easy Market Access

A Privileged Location With Access To Over 1.5 Billion People



Regional Free Trade Area

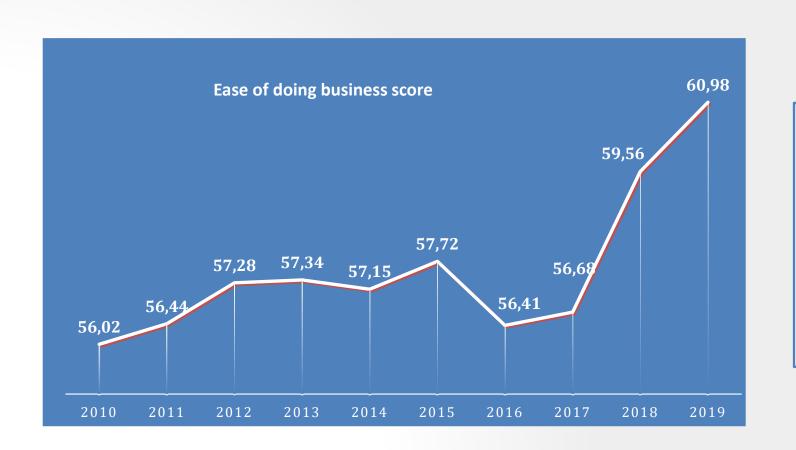
- Greater Arab Free Trade Agreement (18 Arab countries)
- EU-Jordan Association Agreement.
- European Free Trade
 Association EFTA
 (Norway, Switzerland,
 Iceland and
 Liechtenstein).

Bilateral Free Trade Agreements

- USA
- Singapore
- Canada

Ease Of Doing Business

Improve business environment in Jordan, reflected in Doing-Business-Reports



Laws and policies are changing to enable a dynamic and successful investment and business climate

Investment Opportunities in Jordan



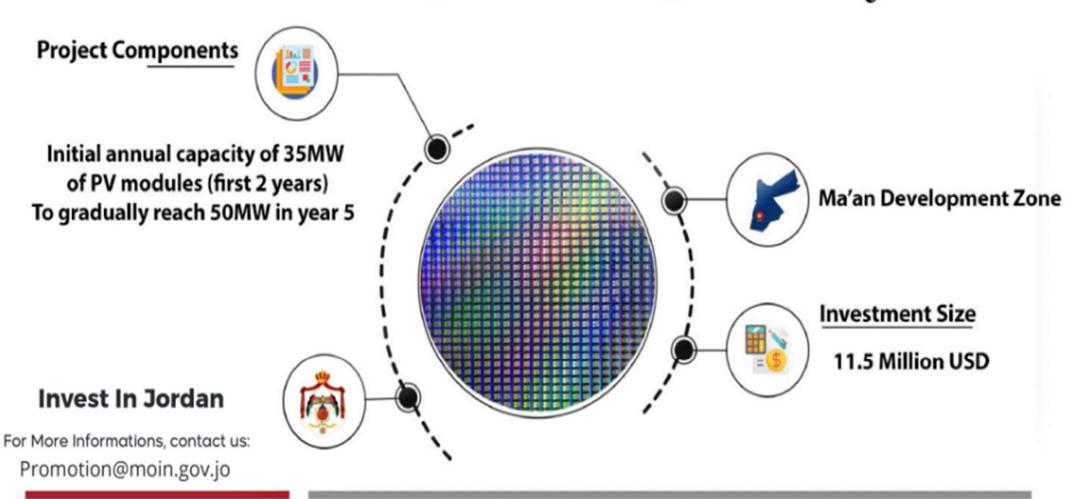
Promising Sectors in Jordan

Jordan Has A large variety of Investment opportunities in Several of sectors across the Jordanian governorates



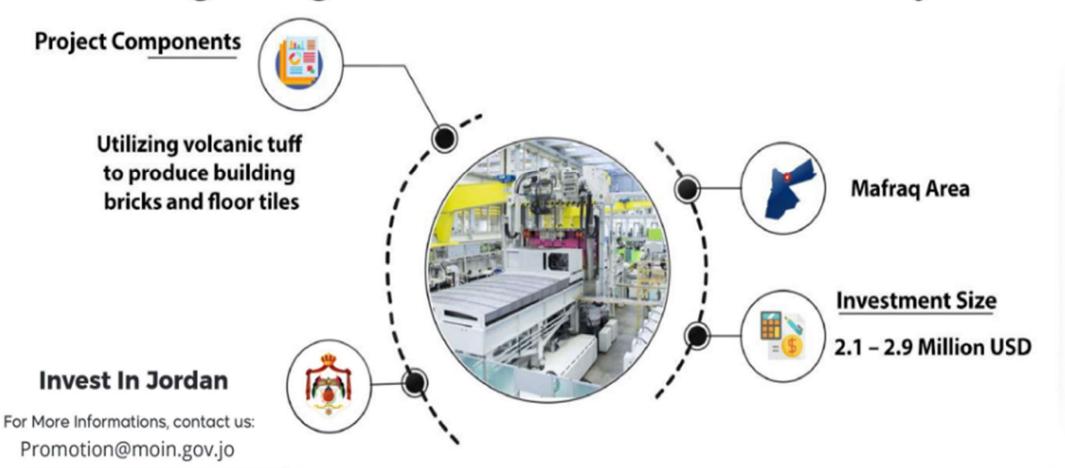


Silicon Wafer Photovoltaic Module Assembly Plan



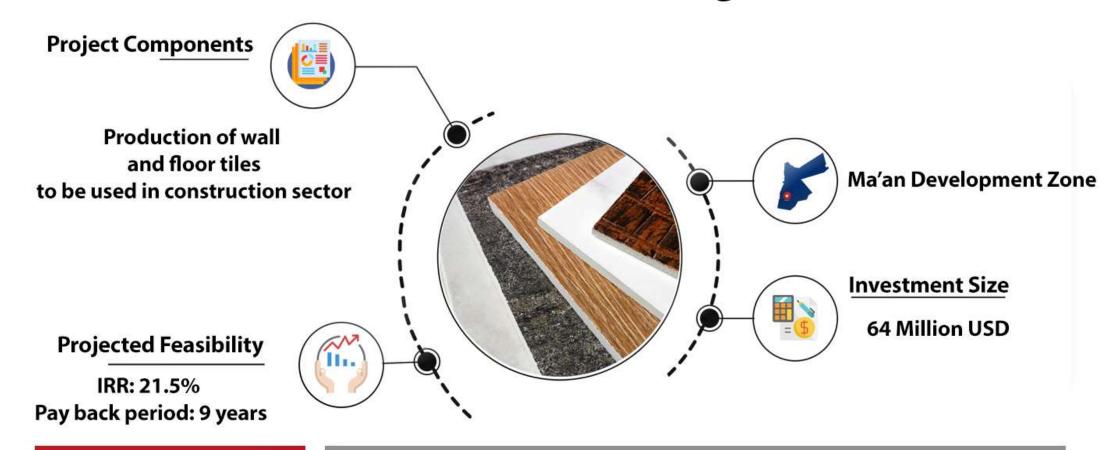


Lightweight Construction Materials Factory



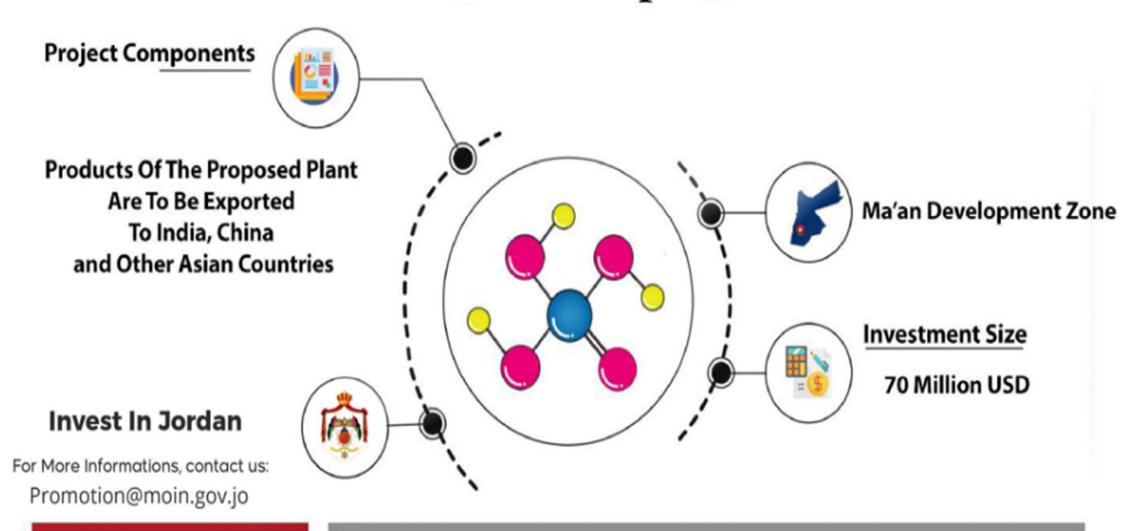


Ceramic Manufacturing Plant



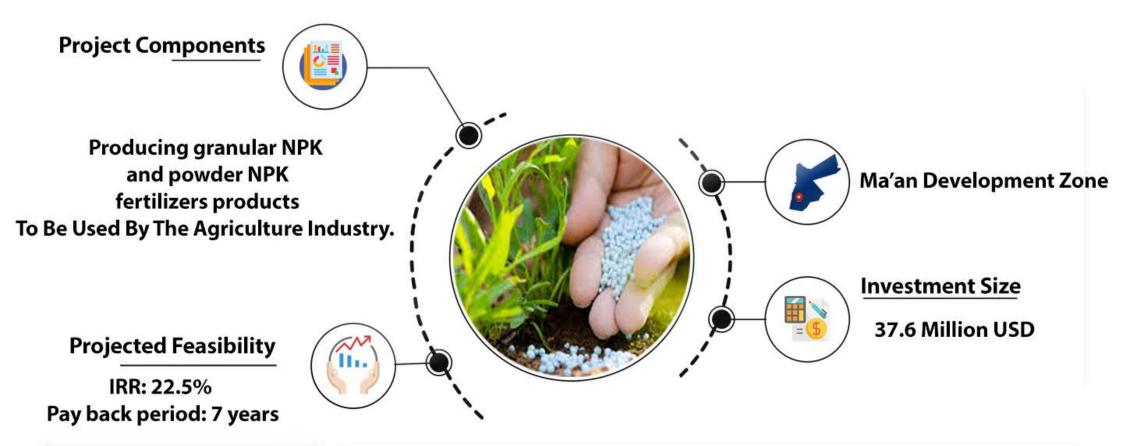


Food Grade Phosphoric Acid



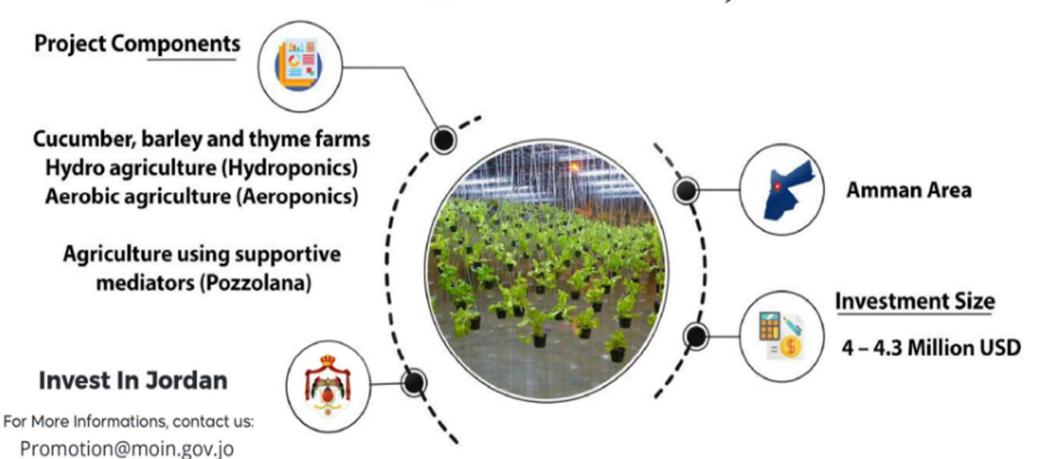


Fertilizers Plant



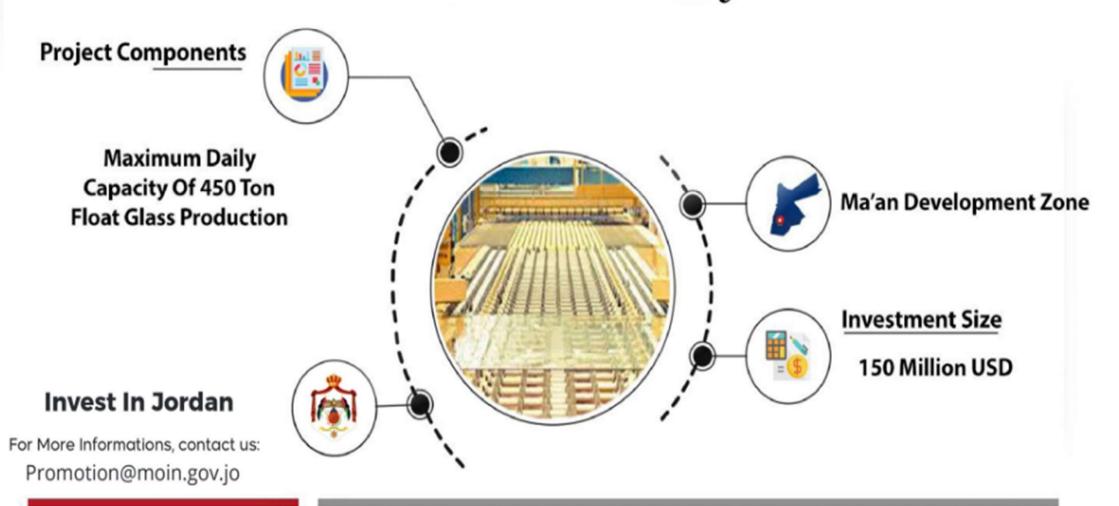


Soilless Cultivation Project





Float Glass Factory





Glass Container Factory



Thank you