# The Integrated Industrial Partnership for Sustainable Economic Development















Private Sector Workshop Thursday, March 20<sup>th</sup>, 2025



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## **Workshop objectives**



- 1. Introducing the work team
- 2. Introducing the participating private sector companies
- 3. Giving an overview of the sustainable industrial partnership and its objectives
- 4. Giving an overview of the advantages and incentives for investment in Qatar and Türkiye
- 5. Collecting initial views from the private sector on opportunities for partnerships
- 6. Agreeing on next steps



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## The Industrial Partnership for Sustainable Economic Development



### **Countries**

















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Textiles



Chemicals, plastics and downstream products



Metals, minerals and downstream products









Integrated value-





Strategic Objectives

Supply chain security and resilience

Localization & value-chain synergies

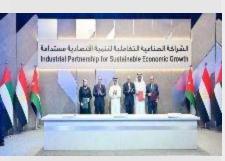
add manufacturing

Economic growth, diversification & job creation

Sustainability-led growth

## Three Years of Progress Through the Industrial Partnership for Sustainable Development

## May 2022



- Held in Abu Dhabi, UAE
- Launch of the partnership between the UAE, Egypt, and Jordan
- Governance system activation

1st Higher Committee Meeting

 Activation of the Executive Committee and sectoral & enablers teams

## **July 2022**



- Held in Cairo, Egypt.
- The Kingdom of Bahrain joined the partnership.
- Workshops for more than 50 companies were conducted.

2nd Higher Committee Meeting

• 88 proposals for industrial projects were received.

## January 2023



- Held in Amman, Jordan.
  - Announced 12 partnership agreements for industrial projects.
- 3rd Higher Committee Meeting Workshops for over 100 companies were conducted.
  - 35 new proposals for industrial projects were received.

## January 2024



- Held in Bahrain.
- The Kingdom of Morocco joined.
- Announcement of 5 new projects and agreements in the sectors of metals and electric vehicles.

## February 2025



Held in Qatar.

Meeting

5th Higher Committee

- The Republic of Turkey and State of Türkiye Join the partnership
- Announcement of 12 new projects and agreements in the sectors of food, metals and electrical equipment worth USD 2 Billion

4th Higher Committee Meeting

## The economic factors of the partnering countries combined.



2.5
USD Trillion

**GDP** 

**260** 

Million

**Population** 

7

**Partnership Countries** 

1 USD Trillion

**Total Imports** 

435
USD Billion

**Manufacturing Value Add** 

400
USD Billion

**Industrial Exports** 















## Joint investment opportunities



## **Pharmaceuticals**

4

## Metals

3

## Food and agriculture 2

**Chemicals** 

1

- Generics
- Biosimilars
- Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients (APIs)
- Medical Supplies
- Ophthalmic Drugs
- Vitamins and Dietary Supplements

- Silica production for glass
- Aluminum, copper, and iron products
- Glass
- Raw material supply for securing supply chains

## Cereals, meat, dairy products, and canned food

- Fertilizers
- Nutritional supplements
- Agricultural technology and sustainable farming methods

#### Soda ash

Basic chemicals (PP, PE, PU, etc.)

- Packaging and plastic products
- Construction sector chemicals

# Electrical Equipment

4

# Renewable and clean energy

7

## **Automotive**

Textiles

## les 5

- Construction and building equipment
- Agricultural equipment and machinery
- Energy equipment and generators

### Solar power units

- Solar power unitsSolar cells
- Energy storage batteries
- Inverter assembly and production of solar power system equipment and components

- Vehicle components (seats, exhaust systems, air conditioning, electrical connections, tires, glass, batteries)
- Structural aluminum parts
- Electric vehicle assembly

Textile production

Polyester

## The main partnership projects that have been announced.



## Announced and ongoing projects.

#	Project/ Agreement	Investment Size (\$)	Countries	Updates
1	Supply of iron ore pellets from "Bahrain Steel" to "Emirates Steel".	2000		The imported materials amounted to AED 1.1 billion from the date of signing the agreement until the end of 2024.
2	Establishment of a factory in Egypt to produce sodium carbonate by "Soda Chemicals Industries" (Egyptian company).	500		Production Start 2028
3	Pharmaceutical research and development and drug production in the UAE by "Global Pharma" (UAE) and "Safi Pharma" (Jordan).	60		Technology has been transferred, and products are being registered in Middle Eastern export countries

## Announced and under-development projects.

#	Project/ Agreement	Investment Size (\$)	Countries
1	Signing of an agreement to develop an industrial land in East Port Said with an area of 20 square kilometers.	-	
4	Establishment of a complex for producing feed additives and chemicals in Egypt by "CFC" (Egyptian company).	400	
5	Production of biological and chemical eye medications (UAE) by "Gulf Inject" (UAE) in collaboration with "Oman Pharmaceutical Industries" (Jordan).	30	

## The value of the projects that will be announced in Qatar on February 9, 2025



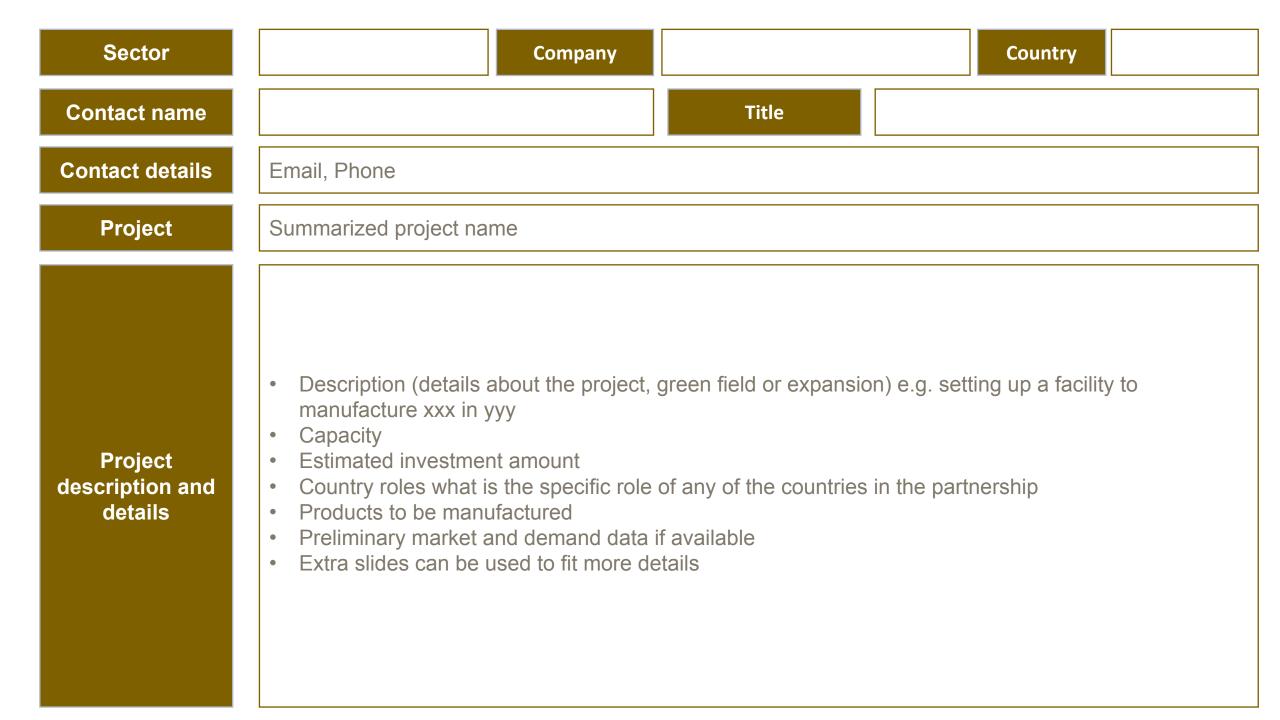
## **USD 2 Billion**

#	Project/ Agreement	Value	Countrie s
1	A supply agreement for fiberglass pipes between "Future Pipes" (UAE) and "Med Gulf" (Qatar).	95	
2	A cooperation memorandum between "Global Pharma" (UAE) and "Zenith Pharma" (Morocco) in the fields of injectable medicines, biosimilars, and cholesterol and diabetes drugs.	50	*
3	The inclusion of the "Pharmaceuticals" factory in Egypt and "Fay" in Morocco into the portfolio of "Mubadala Investment Company" (UAE).	250	
4	A memorandum of understanding between "ISC Capital" (UAE) and "Al-Jazeera Farms" (Bahrain) to establish a factory for producing microalgae-based dietary supplements in Bahrain.	10	
5	The announcement of a new factory for cable connectors and accessories in the UAE in collaboration with "Giza Cables" (Egypt).	7	
6	A supply agreement for plastic containers from "Oxid Electronics" (Jordan) to "National Dairy (Hayatna)" (UAE).	10	
7	A supply agreement for plastic bottle caps from "Delta Nile" (Egypt) to "National Dairy (Hayatna)" (UAE).	10	
8	A supply agreement for animal feed from "National Feed" (UAE) to "Al-Rayyan Equestrian Supplies" (Qatar).	15	**
9	A memorandum of understanding to supply glass for mirror and silvered glass production from "Emirates Glass" (UAE) to "Al Madina Glass" (Bahrain).	20	
10	A strategic memorandum of understanding between "Dolidol" (Morocco) and "Intercoil" (UAE) to invest in new sponge production lines in the UAE.	60	
11	A raw materials supply agreement between Bahrain Steel and Qatar Steel for a quantity of 5 million metric tons over a period of five years	1266	*
12	Establishment of a factory in Egypt with "JA Solar" (Chinese company) for manufacturing solar cells and solar modules	220	

## Steps to submit a project within the industrial partnership



- 1. Complete the industrial project proposal form and submit to the ministry's working team in the concerned country.
- 2. Initial assessment of the project, based on alignment with the strategic objectives, feasibility, readiness level, and anticipated impact.
- 3. Approval for the project from the Executive Committee.
- 4. Announce the project during the higher Committee meeting.
- 5. Ongoing monitoring and support of the project



Incentives and enablers

Detail the required enablers and incentives and in which country Examples:

- 1- require investment of [] USD M
- 2- require loan of [] USD M
- 3- Require offtakes/ commercial partnerships
- 4- technology partnerships
- 5- other requests for enablers for the project to succeed

Partner companies

Company	Country	Role
		Investor, partner, raw material supply, offtaker, tech transfer, etc

**Project status** 

What is the current status of the project (idea stage, some preliminary feasibility, detailed feasibility, etc.)

Latest updates

Was this project discussed with the other companies involved?



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# **Summary of the Objectives and Expected Benefits of the State's Participation in the Partnership**

**Evaluation of Qatar's Industrial Competitive Advantages and Their Contribution to Achieving Partnership Goals:** 

Petrochemicals and Fertilizers: Qatar's petrochemical and fertilizer sectors enable participation in value-added partnerships, offering essential products for agriculture and various industries worldwide. These sectors can attract foreign investment, facilitate technology exchange, and open new markets, thereby strengthening Qatar's global trade relationships.

**Iron and Steel:** The iron and steel sector can drive economic partnerships by providing high-quality materials for global construction projects. Collaborating with international companies on infrastructure projects enhances knowledge exchange and technological advancements in sustainable construction practices



## **Overview of Qatar's Economy and Industrial Sector**





Qatar's GDP (2023)

\$213 billion USD



Industrial sector's contribution to GDP(2023)

\$128 billion USD (60%)



**Total Exports (2023)** 

\$97 billion USD



**Industrial Exports (2023)** 

\$36 billion USD



**Total Imports (2023)** 

\$31 billion USD



**Population** 

3.19 million

## Agriculture, Food, and Fertilizers













#### **Pharmaceuticals**







# Chemicals, Plastics, and Processed Products









#### **Metals and Processed Products**







## **Competitive Advantages of the State of Qatar**





Global Trade Agreements



Prime Strategic
Location: Second
Largest Air Cargo
Fleet



in
Fertilizer
Production



A Leader in
Steel
Production in
the Middle East



An Integrated
Hub for
Petrochemicals



QAFCO is the world's largest producer of nitrogen-based fertilizers.



World-Class
Telecommunica
tions and
Infrastructure



Incentives for Manufacturers



Incentives for Trading Companies



# Financial support

- Loan Facilities Through Local Banks
- ▼ Financial Incentives for Research and Development Projects
- Opportunity for Equity Participation

# Incentives and Facilitations

#### Market

- 100% Ownership for Foreign Investors in the Industrial Sector
- 10% Price Preference in Public Tenders for Local Products
- ▼ Freedom for Non-Qatari Investors to Make All Investment Transfers Inside and Outside the Country



#### **Taxes**

- Exemption from Customs
   Duties on Project Imports of
   Raw Materials and
   Machinery
- Exemption from Income Taxes

## **Cost Reduction**



#### Land

 Land Allocation with a Nominal Rent of 10 Qatari Riyals per Square Meter Annually

# **Essential Facilities** and Services



Low Electricity Price 0.13 Qatari Riyals per kWh



Low Water Price5.4 Qatari Riyals per cubic meter



Reduced Gas Costs

# The Key Imports of the State of Qatar

## **Partnership Information**

The Industrial Integration Partnership for Sustainable Economic Development comes within the framework of the fraternal relations between the countries (the United Arab Emirates, the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, the Arab Republic of Egypt, the Kingdom of Morocco, the Kingdom of Bahrain, and the Republic of Turkey). Its goal is to strengthen these relations by exploring partnership and investment opportunities, aiming to deepen coordination, cooperation, and strategic integration among them, in accordance with the prevailing laws in each of the participating countries, to serve the interests of their peoples.

## **Study of Integration Opportunities**

A list of industrial imports has been extracted and categorized as follows:

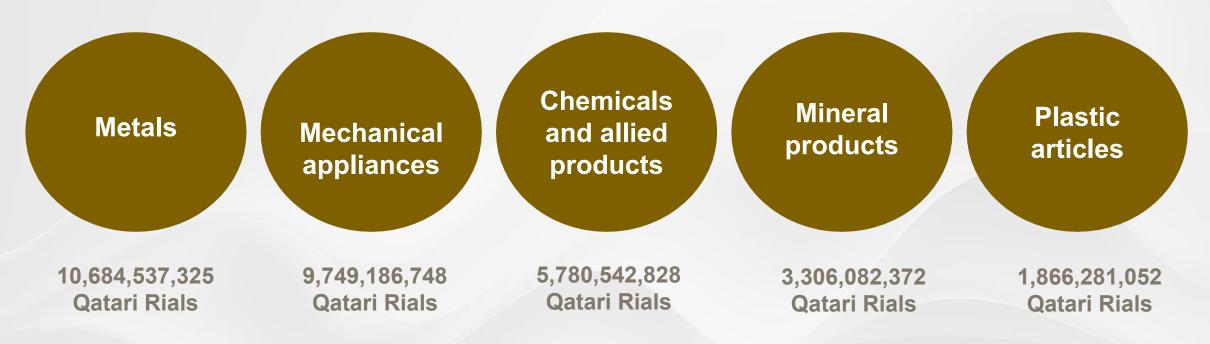
- Most Imported Industrial Products
- Qatari Factories with the Highest Imports
- Most Imported Products from the factories



\*We can further detail the study based on the requirements of the partnership members.



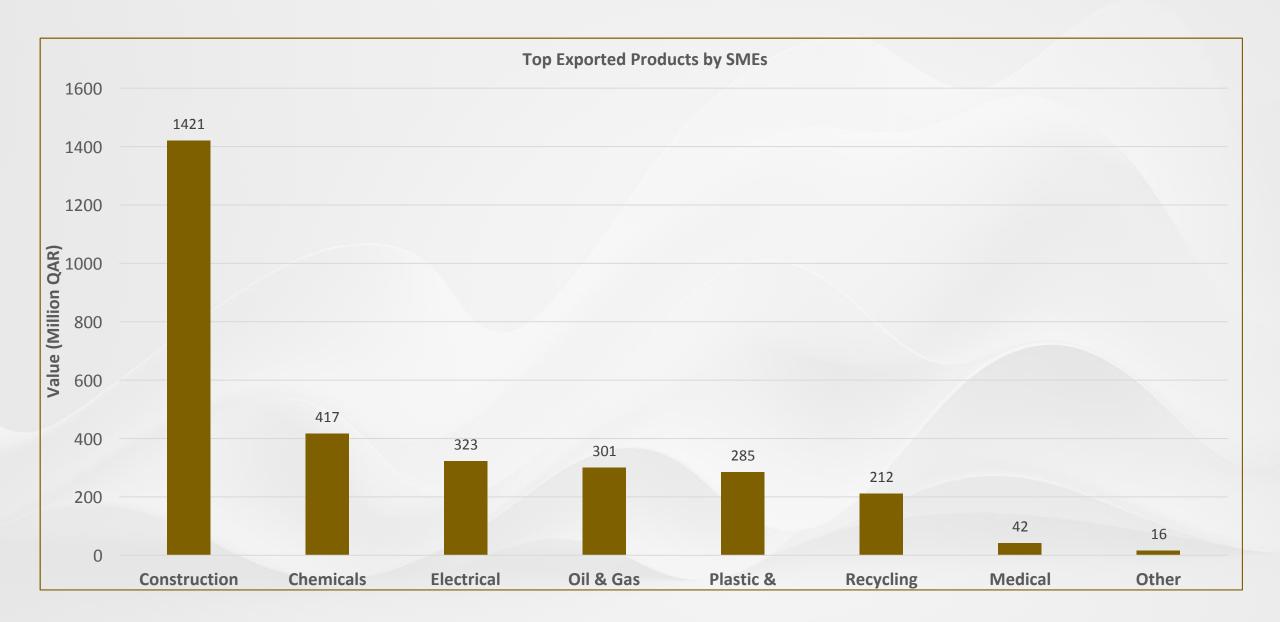
## The Key Industrial Imports Consist of 5 Main Categories:



# The Key Exports of the State of Qatar

## The main exports of the State of Qatar



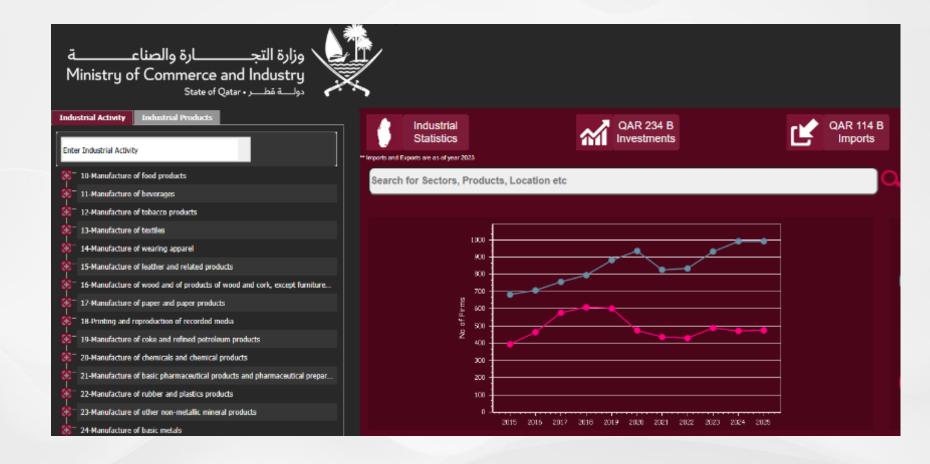


## Qatar Industrial Portal idb.moci.gov.qa



The Qatar Industrial Portal is a digital hub aimed at providing accurate and up-to-date data about the industrial sector in Qatar, making it easier to access information related to local factories and industrial products.

The portal aims to enhance investments in the industrial sector by providing information and statistics that help investors make informed decisions.





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# Overview of the Industrial Sector, Incentives and Investment Opportunities in Türkiye

# REASONS TO BECOME A PARTNER WITH TÜRKİYE ROBUST ECONOMY



**SKILLED** 

COMPETITIVE

LABOR FORCE

SECTORAL

**OPPORTUNITIES** 

AND

**FAVOURABLE** 

**BENIGN R&D** 

**ECOSYSTEM** 

DEMOGRAPHICS





## INCENTIVES PROVIDED BY THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND TECHNOLOGY

# GENERAL INVESTMENT INCENTIVES

- VAT Exemption for Machinery
- · Customs Duty Exemption

Medium High Tech (Region 4) Incentives
Priority (Region 5) Incentives

#### REGIONAL INVESTMENT INCENTIVES

- · VAT Exemption for Machinery
- · VAT Exemption for Construction
- Customs Duty Exemption
- · Corporate Tax Reduction
- Social Security Premium Support (Employer's Share)
- Land Allocation
- Interest Rate Support



- Social Security Premium Support (Employee's Share)
- Income Tax Withholding Support

#### STRATEGIC INVESTMENT INCENTIVES

- VAT Exemption for Machinery
- VAT Exemption for Construction
- Customs Duty Exemption
- Corporate Tax Reduction
- Social Security Premium Support (Employer's Share)
- Land Allocation
- Interest Rate Support

#### PROJECT-BASED INVESTMENT INCENTIVES

- Cashback Support
- · VAT Exemption for Machinery
- VAT Exemption for Construction

- Customs Duty Exemption
- Corporate Tax Reduction
- Social Security Premium Support (Employer's Share)
- Income Tax Withholding Support
- Qualified Personnel Support
- Energy Support
- Interest Rate Support
- Capital Contribution Support
- Land Allocation
- Infrastructure Support
- Purchasing Guarantee
- Facilitation of Permit Procedures



# EQUAL TREATMENT OF INTERNATIONAL AND LOCAL INVESTORS



TAILORED AND COMPLETE
PACKAGES FOR BOTH
GREENFIELD AND
BROWNFIELD PROJECTS IN
MANUFACTURING,
SERVICES, AND R&D



\$30

Billion

support budget



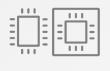


Healthy Living





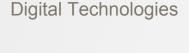




Semiconductors







It is envisaged that a total of 30 billion dollars in support will be provided for high technology investments to be implemented by the year 2030

%70 Tax Exemption

%10 Employment Support

%10 Tax Return

%10 Grant Support

#### **Program Characteristics**

- High incentive intensity
- Fixed support package
- Focused investment areas
- Relatively smaller project scale

#### Characteristics of the System

- High incentive intensity
- Flexible support structure
- > Grant support elements

### POTENTIAL COOPERATION OPPORTUNITIES AND PROJECT AREAS



### **Fertilizers**

Source raw materials from Partnership member countries, including nitrogen, phosphorus, and sulfur

## **Food and Beverage**

Joint processing and Logistic services for meat, vegetables and fruits, milled grain, vegetable products, bakery products, cocoa, chocolate, confectionery, pasta, vermicelli, couscous, bakery products

## Steel, Aluminum and Copper

Increase mutual trade

Mutual production of primary aluminum and sponge iron

### **Pharmaceuticals**

Increase mutual production

Experience of Turkish pharmaceutical companies on R&D

Strengthen regional value chain

#### **Petrochemicals**

Supply raw materials from Partnership countries and supply intermediate goods or final products from Türkiye

Cooperate on sustainability and green economy

Mutually support environmentally friendly petrochemical projects

## **Modern Irrigation Systems**

Türkiye as a budding market for international irrigation system producers in the near future

### **Drought Resistant Plant Varieties**

Favorable possibility for breeders and producers who are keen on investing in Türkiye

A burgeoning market for seed breeders

### **Vertical Farming**

Mutually benefit hydroponic production

Adopt novel crop production techniques to decrease the consumption of resources like water, chemical fertilizers, and pesticides

## **Chips**

Mutually producing chips Foster cooperation to avoid semiconductor shortages Strengthen regional value chain

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- 1. Company introduction
- 2. Initial views on industrial partnership opportunities between Türkiye and the partnership countries

Please scan here to register attendance and provide feedback on partnership opportunities:

