

GREEN BUILDINGS MARKET INTELLIGENCE JORDAN COUNTRY PROFILE



Creating Markets, Creating Opportunities

JORDAN: COUNTRY SUMMARY





CLIMATE POLICIES (NDCS)

 Action in buildings in the Energy Sector portion of the NDC, including new efficient codes and mandating high standards from all public buildings.

MARKET STATUS

- Capital Bank was supported to improve access to housing and business finance.
- Government cut the property sales fees from 5% to 2.5%.
- Jordanian real estate is expected to witness future growth rate between 10-20%, due to younger population increases.
- There is green building opportunity due to increase demand for buildings.

OTHER FACTORS

- Government to boost Jordan real estate market, especially for small residential units.
- There are high willingness to adopt green approaches for buildings' design and construction in the higher firm's rank.

GREEN BUILDING PROGRAMS

Jordan Green Building Council (Jordan GBC) is established member of WGBC.

- 23 registered green projects (as of Oct 2015).
- LEED ratings dominate the green label.
- Government is looking at action, including building codes, overall awareness of energy efficiency, solar water heating, and exploring solar cooling.

Sources: Navigant Research Global Building Stock Database, World Bank NDC Database, Green Building Information Gateway

MODERATE GROWTH ACROSS THE INDUSTRY





GREEN BUILDING MARKET IS NASCENT

- 7 green certified projects are currently tracked.
- LEED is the dominant certification system.
- All of the projects are concentrated in the capital area.



Projects are in the commercial sector, and include:

- OMNITRADE New Offices
- ABS Randa Kawar IB College Building
- The Edgo Atrium
- ATG Headquarter
- Middle East Insurance Building
- Dutch Embassy in Amman (in 2010)



JORDAN GREEN BUILDING COUNCIL (JORDAN GBC)

WHAT IS JORDAN GBC?



Jordan GBC is a cross-sector non-governmental not-forprofit organization founded in 2009 in Amman, Jordan reporting to both ministries of social development and of environment.

Jordan GBC is part of World Green Building Council.

MISSION

Promoting and advocating the adoption of Green Building Practices in all phases of the building process, leading towards making Green Buildings a widespread reality in Jordan.

VISION

To be recognized as the Reference for the Green Building ecosystem in Jordan while continuing global leadership.

MORE DETAILS ABOUT JORDAN GBC: http://jordangbc.org/



LEARN MORE ABOUT EDGE CERTIFIED PROJECTS



KESERWAN MEDICAL CENTER Ghazir, Lebanon

Predicted Savings of EDGE Certification:



25% Water Savings

26% Less Embodied Energy in Materials



KESAR CITY

Gujarat, India

Predicted Savings of EDGE Certification:

23% Energy Savings

24% Water Savings

71% Less Embodied Energy in Materials

Access more case studies at https://www.edgebuildings.com/projects/



PROJECTS CAN CHOOSE BETWEEN TWO EDGE CERTIFIERS FOR FAST, EASY, AND AFFORDABLE CERTIFICATION

CERTIFICATION	PRICE (PER M ² , EXCLUDING PARKING)	MINIMUM	
0-25,000 FLOOR AREA (SQM)	\$0.27	\$2,250	
25,000-50,000 FLOOR AREA (SQM)	\$0.22	\$6,750	
50,000-75,000 FLOOR AREA (SQM)	\$0.17	\$11,000	

*Price per m²; Project appoints an auditor



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PROJECT TYPE	CERTIFICATION	DESIGN AUDIT	FINAL AUDIT	TOTAL
Residential (one unit type)	\$1,500	\$3,650	\$4,320	\$9,470
Residential (per additional unit type)	\$490	\$890	\$460	
Commercial (single end use)	\$1,550	\$4,005	\$4,710	\$10,265
Mixed-Use Buildings (per additional end use)	\$990	\$2,670	\$1,560	

*Price per type of project; Auditor fee is included

Details are registration forms can be found on the EDGE program website: https://www.edgebuildings.com/certify/other-countries/



RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

COUNTRY LIST

- IFC chose countries that correspond to the <u>Climate</u> <u>Investment Opportunity Report</u> (CIO Report) as well as countries of strategic interest for IFC.
- IFC plans to release additional country analysis, pending resources.

TOTAL MARKET OVERVIEW

- Building stock was sourced from the <u>Global Building</u> <u>Stock Database</u> and confirmed by country experts, if possible.
- The research team found local prices for capital construction expenses, or used global proxies otherwise.
- Market sizing was executed for new construction and did not focus on retrofits.

SNAPSHOT OF THE CURRENT GREEN MARKET

- Main source of information was the <u>Green Building</u> <u>Information Gateway</u>, confirmed by local green building council reports, if such existed.
- The research team focused on properties certified as green.

GOVERNMENT POLICIES

- Main information was sourced from the <u>World Bank NDC</u> <u>Database</u>.
- Additional information was found using various searches as well as government websites.

PROJECTIONS FOR GREEN PENETRATION

- Based on the total market growth, snapshot of the current green market, and the enabling environment of government policies, the research team projected green penetration per each of the sub-sectors.
- Weighted average of combined sector data produced the final penetration number.
- The analysis focused only on new construction, and focused only on certified properties.
- As tools for retrofits take off in the market (including IFC's EDGE product), analysis may be amended to include the retrofit market.
- Market potential may be different from numbers reported in the CIO Report, as a more conservative estimate was used for business planning purposes.

OTHER

- Information for green building councils was sourced from World GBC website.
- Case studies were presented only for IFC's EDGE green building software and certification system.
- However, lists of all green certified projects in a given country can be found through the <u>Green Building</u> <u>Information Gateway</u>.
- Finally, pricing for EDGE certification was included to illustrate that green certification is affordable and achievable in emerging markets.



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