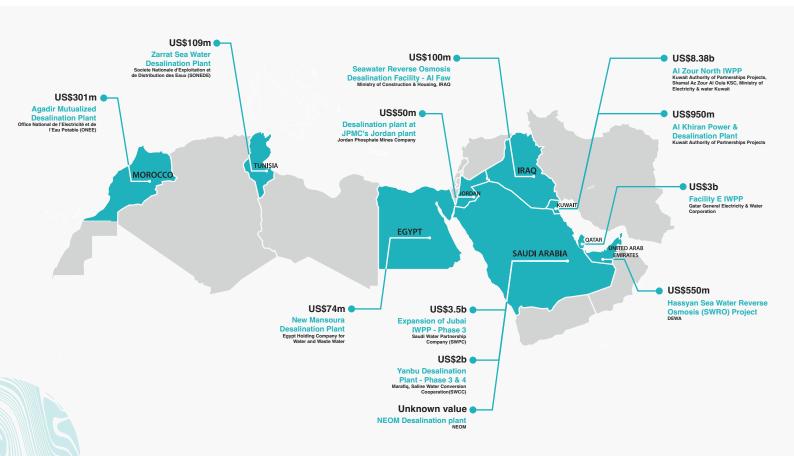






## **Desalination Projects in the Middle East and North Africa**

Water scarcity and the need to diversify water resources is a critical concern across many parts of the world, especially the MENA region. In order to meet the demand of a growing population, governments are having to invest in desalination plants on a drastic scale. The GCC is the biggest producer of desalinated water globally with the UAE and KSA being considered market leaders. In terms of single country output, the KSA is responsible for approximately 20% of global production. The data below shows some of the MENA region's desalination projects, both planned and in progress.



## **Facts & Figures**



Value of the desalination market in the MENA region in 2022 Daily drinking water that comes from desalinated seawater in the Middle East.





Total investment of the top 10 desalination projects combined, in the MENA region. MENA region's contribution to the global production of desalinated water.

