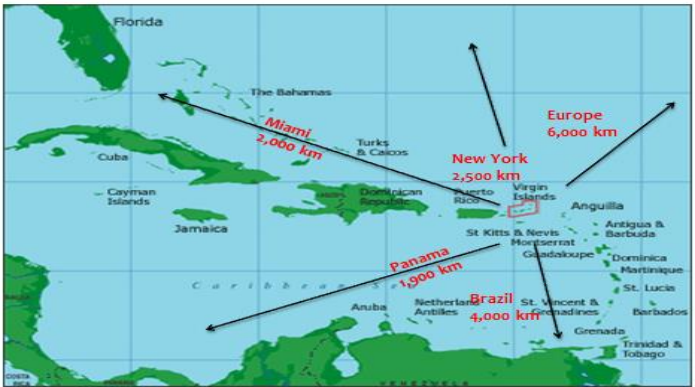


U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS

OPPORTUNITY CENTER OF THE AMERICAS

Location

The U.S. Virgin Islands is a U.S. Territory that sits in the heart of the Caribbean with direct access for international businesses to the United States, the Caribbean Basin and Latin America.



Supportive Business Climate

The USVI has a supportive, pro-business climate that offers qualified businesses a series of robust incentives which include:

- 90% reduction in U.S. Federal corporate income tax
- 90% reduction in personal income tax for principals
- 100% exemption on excise & business property tax
- Duty free access to the U.S. market, and a reduction on import duties from to 1% for your foreign materials.
- No local or Territorial taxes for your business

Key Business Sectors

- Financial/Business Services
- IT/eCommerce
- Contact Centers/Back Office Processing
- High Value Manufacturing
- Renewable Energy
- Maritime/Shipping



World Class Infrastructure

As part of the United States, the USVI operates under U.S. law and currency.

Businesses benefit from the *Made in USA* label. We offer a range of industrial and business sites, all at competitive prices, as well as high speed broadband for

voice and data up to 500 gigabits to keep your business connected. Our diversified network of port and airport facilities on St. Croix and St. Thomas provide access to many of the major carriers for shipping product via air, container or bulk. We also have a complete range of stable and reliable energy sources.



Competitive Labor

The USVI offers international businesses an available and trained labor force for small and medium size activities at competitive costs and flexible terms. If you need to train staff, the University of the Virgin Islands and the Department of Labor will support your efforts with subsidized assistance.

Our Services

The Virgin Islands Economic Development Authority is a one-stop shop for global companies establishing an operation in the Territory. Please contact us!

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