Saudi Arabia



.22 Box-ID .22 Boxes of the World

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Map and flag from Wikipedia.org

INTRODUCTION

.THE .22s OF SAUDI ARABIA

The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, an independent absolute monarchy occupying most of the Arabian peninsula in the near East. It has a area of 873,000 sq. miles. as of 1973, it has a population of 7.7. million people. Capital is Riyadh. The major industries are crude oil and petroleum byproducts, which provides 85% of their revenue.

All .22s for military or sporting use are imported. It has been reported that a .22 production was ordered and shipped, but seems to never have been placed in production•

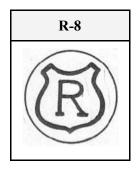
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HEADSTAMPS (h/s)

Headstamp drawings courtesy of the RIMFIRE HEADSTAMP GUIDE by George Kass and Ron Merchant



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LR-1 .22 LONG RIFLE~"MILITARY". White label with black printing. Large, one-piece box with end flaps. Partial wrap-around label. "R-8" h/s on a nickel washed brass case. Lead bullet. This box was produced on contract by R.W.S. of Wesst Germany during 1982.