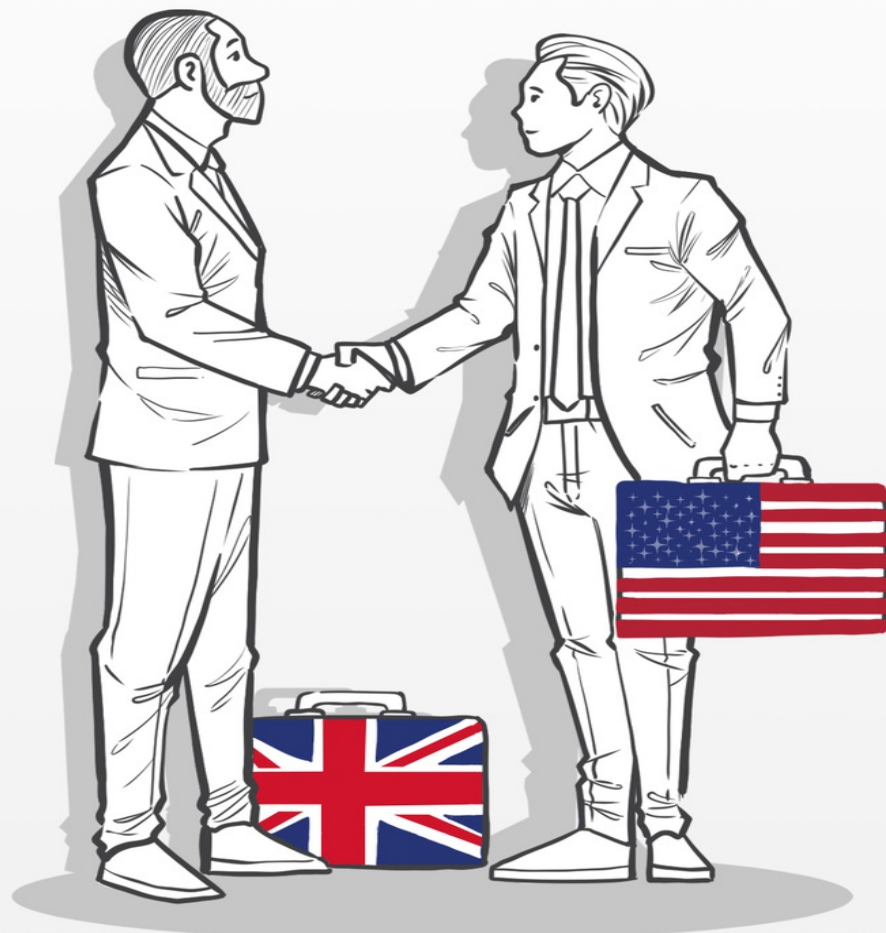


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Clamp down on
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Cut to the chase
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Diamond in the rough
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Down to the wire
Drop the ball
Earn a living
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Fast track a project
Feel the pinch
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Game plan
Get ahead
Get down to business

Get off on the wrong foot
Get off scot-free
Get off the ground
Get off to a flying start
Get/be on the good side of someone
Get the ball rolling
Get wind of
Get your foot in the door
Give-and-take
Give him a big hand
Give him a hand
Give someone a run for their money
Glass ceiling
Go bust
Go down swinging
Go down the drain
Go for broke
Go private
Go the extra mile
Gray area
Groundbreaking
Hands are tied
Hand in hand
Have a gut feeling
Have money burning a hole in your pocket
Have one's voice heard
Have someone's work cut out
Have the penny drop
Have your cake and eat it
Head something off at the pass
Helicopter view

He who pays the piper calls the tune
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Hold purse strings
Hold one's ground
Hold your horses
In a nutshell
In for a penny, in for a pound
In full swing
In hot water
In the black
In the dark
In the dog house
In the driver's seat
In (or out of) the loop
In the money
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It's a rip-off
It's a steal
It's not rocket science
Jump the gun
Jump through hoops
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Keep one's eye on the ball
Keep one's eye on the prize
Keep pace
Keep someone on their toes
Keep someone updated
Keep under wraps
Keep someone sweet
Keep your head above water
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Land on your feet
Last straw
Lay out a plan
Learn the ropes
Leaps and bounds
Lips are sealed
Long shot
Loophole
Make big bucks
Make ends meet
Make something known
Mint condition
Miss the boat
Miss the mark
Money to burn
Monopoly money
Move in on
Mum's the word
My gut tells me
No BS
No harm done
No strings attached
No-brainer
Not going to fly
Off the top of one's head
On a roll
One size fits all
On good ground
On the back burner
On the ball
On the money

On the same page
On the same wavelength
On top of trends
Other side of the coin
Out in the open
Out of line
Out of one's depth
Out on a limb
Overhead
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Pep talk
Pick your brains
Pink slip
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Play hardball
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Price skyrocketed
Pull one's weight
Pull the plug
Pull the wool over someone's eyes
Punch a puppy
Put a lid on
Put all one's eggs in one basket
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Put the cart before the horse