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FIFTY YEARS OF ISLAMIC BANKING:

From Abu Dhabi's
First Islamic Bank
to a Regional Leader

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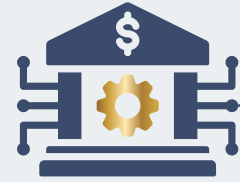
In 1997

a decree from Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan Al Nahyan paved the way
for **Abu Dhabi to have its first Islamic bank.**



By 1998

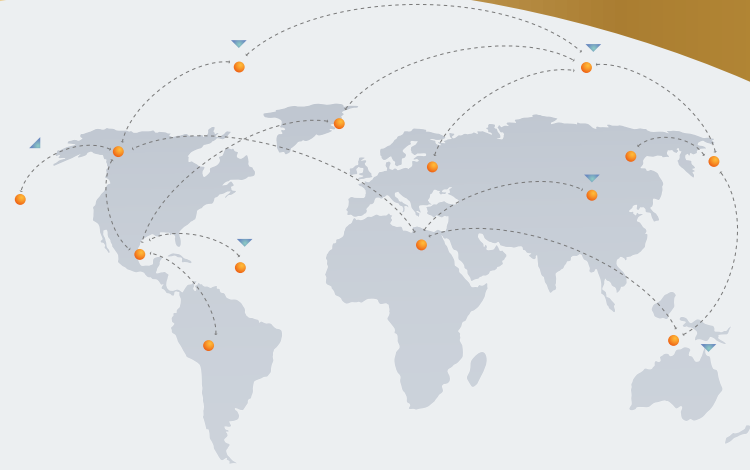
Abu Dhabi Islamic Bank opened its doors,
blending profit with ethics and values



In 2005

the bank launched its **electronic banking services**, marking the start of a bold **digital transformation journey**.

Today, ADIB remains at the **forefront of digital banking**, with **70%** of its customers utilizing digital channels and **94%** of transactions conducted online.



journey that started in the UAE

Now spans **183 branches**
worldwide, including **UAE, Egypt,**
Qatar, Sudan, Iraq, and Bosnia &
Herzegovina.

In Egypt, ADIB became **a key player in**
2007 by acquiring the National
Development Bank with Emirates
International Investment
Company.



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The Power of Numbers

By the end of 2024,

the bank's total assets reached **USD 61.51 billion** with capital nearing **USD 1 billion**

Awards & Recognition

Islamic Bank of the Year -

Middle East - The Banker Islamic Banking Awards 2024

Middle East's Best Bank for Consumers -

Euromoney Awards for Excellence 2025

MENA Islamic Retail Bank of the Year -

MEED MENA Banking Excellence Awards 2025