

Our history in the United Arab Emirates (UAE)

From the first independent commercial representative to a global technology powerhouse

1969

Samhiry Bors. Co. (W.L.L.) becomes the agent for Siemens AG in the power sector; its sphere of operation is Abu Dhabi on the Persian Gulf

1972

The Dubai representative office is founded

1973

Electro Mechanical Co., Abu Dhabi, is authorized to represent the interests of Siemens AG, but not as sole agent

1973

Siemens AG's agency in Dubai is renamed Sciencetechnic

1976

Switchgear and transformers, including the requisite buildings, are supplied to the UAE

1976

An earth satellite station is set up in Ras Al-Khaimah

1977

A master agreement is signed for the supply of electronic teletypewriters

1978

Orders are received for high-voltage switchgear for the Emirate Abu Dhabi and a transformer substation for the international airport

1991

A major order for the gas turbine power plant Jebel Ali "G" in Dubai, which is linked to a seawater desalination plant, is awarded to an international consortium under the direction of Siemens

1998

Siemens and its consortium partners receive an order for the 710 MW combined cycle power plant Al Taweelah 2 and seawater desalination facility from the Abu Dhabi Water and Electricity Authority (ADWEA) and the U.S. CMS Energy Corp.; Al Taweelah 2 is the first independent power project in the Gulf Region

1999

A Siemens Limited Liability Company (L.L.C.) is founded with offices in Abu Dhabi und Dubai

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2001

Siemens Power Generation wins large order to build world's most powerful power generation and seawater desalination facility at Shuweihat in Abu Dhabi

2005

Siemens lands order from the Dubai Airport Expansion to supply low voltage switchgear assemblies. This is the group's largest contract in the region as well as the largest order for low voltage switchgear assemblies for Siemens globally

2006

Siemens builds one of the world's most sophisticated police Command and Control Centre for Dubai Police

2007

Siemens wins the contract to build the region's first molecular imaging center for Mubadala Development; Abu Dhabi's prestigious Tawam Molecular Imaging Center (TMIC) opens in 2010

2009

Siemens is awarded numerous orders for the expansion of Dubai's power supply network

2010

Siemens so called Wet Compression gas turbine efficiency solution is the winning technology for Dubai Government's Excellence Award

2011

Siemens receives a follow-up order from Abu Dhabi for the construction of turnkey 1,600 MW combined cycle power plant Shuweihat 3; in 2012 the company inaugurates Shuweihat 2

2012

Dubai Electricity and Water Authority (DEWA) awards Siemens the biggest service agreement in the region, to service combined cycle power plant Jebel Ali M-Station

2013

Siemens wins the Zayed Future Energy Prize in recognition of its efforts in reducing emissions and energy consumption through innovative green technologies

2014

Inauguration of Siemens' new Middle East headquarters in Masdar City, Abu Dhabi; the building gains Green Building Initiative's LEED Platinum certification