

CASE STUDY: Goldman Sachs

ABOUT Goldman Sachs



Goldman Sachs is a leading global financial institution that delivers a broad range of financial services to a large and diversified client base that includes corporations, financial institutions, governments, and individuals. Founded in 1869, the firm is headquar-

tered in New York and maintains offices in all major financial centres around the world. Since establishing in DIFC 18 years ago, Goldman Sachs has expanded its operations throughout the region with a focus on private wealth management,

investment banking and sales. In 2022, it moved several of its most experienced, senior private bankers to Dubai to support with the region's increasing demand.

ESTABLISHED: 1869
ESTABLISHED IN DIFC: 2006



“AGoldman Sachs’ has grown with DIFC and Dubai and the Centre has evolved to cater for the evolving needs of our business. Given Dubai is home to more wealth than any other city in the region, we have bolstered of our wealth management team as a way of underscoring our growing commitment to the Middle East as the region’s businesses and investor community grow in scale, sophistication, and importance globally.

Fadi Abuali and Zaid Khaldi, co-chief executive officers, Goldman Sachs MENA

WHY DIFC?

- DIFC – the top choice in the region for institutions seeking global standards.
- World class legal and regulatory framework.
- Collaborative approach between clients, regulator and authorities.
- 900+ DFSA regulated and supervised entities, including 260+ banking and capital markets companies.
- Home to 27 of the top 29 global systemically important banks (G-SIBs).
- Access to top-tier talent - DIFC is home to the region’s largest pool of financial services talent with 46,000+ professionals.