













MASDAR FREE ZONE

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- Today, the UAE has bourgeoning sectors in aerospace, information technology, tourism, healthcare, financial services, sustainability and renewable energy
- Committed to maintaining leadership in the world energy market, Abu Dhabi is investing, incubating and establishing a new energy industry



NEW ENERGY INDUSTRY





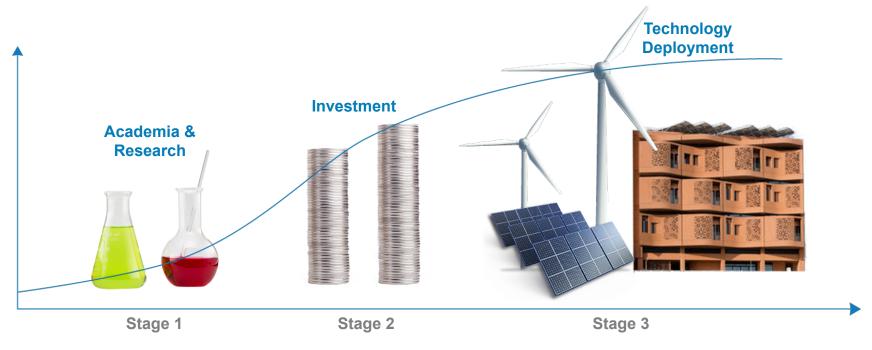
"We must not rely on oil alone as the main source of our national income."

"We have to diversify the sources of our revenue and construct economic projects that will ensure a free, stable and dignified life for the people."

The late Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan al Nahyan Founding father of the United Arab Emirates



- Masdar is mandated to expand the UAE's energy portfolio by advancing, commercializing and deploying future energy and clean technologies
- We operate across the industry value chain by merging higher education, R&D, investment and large-scale clean energy development



INNOVATION LIFECYCLE – S-CURVE



- The Masdar Institute of Science and Technology was established in collaboration with the Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- An independent, graduate-level research university dedicated to advancing renewable energy and sustainable technologies





- Over \$1.7 billion of equity invested across renewable energy projects with a total value of over \$6.4 billion
- Investments deliver nearly 1GW of clean power.
- Masdar's CSP portfolio accounts for nearly 10% of global CSP capacity
- The domestic portfolio accounts for about 68% of the GCC's renewable capacity

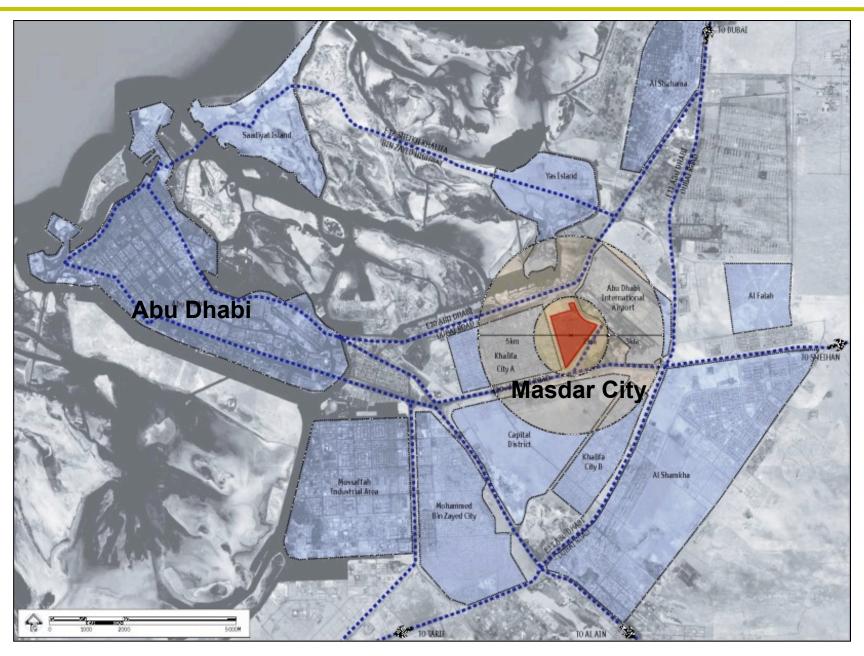




- Masdar City, powered entirely by renewable energy, is one of the most sustainable urban developments in the world
- A cleantech cluster, free zone and investment zone attracting companies to establish their operations in the Abu Dhabi





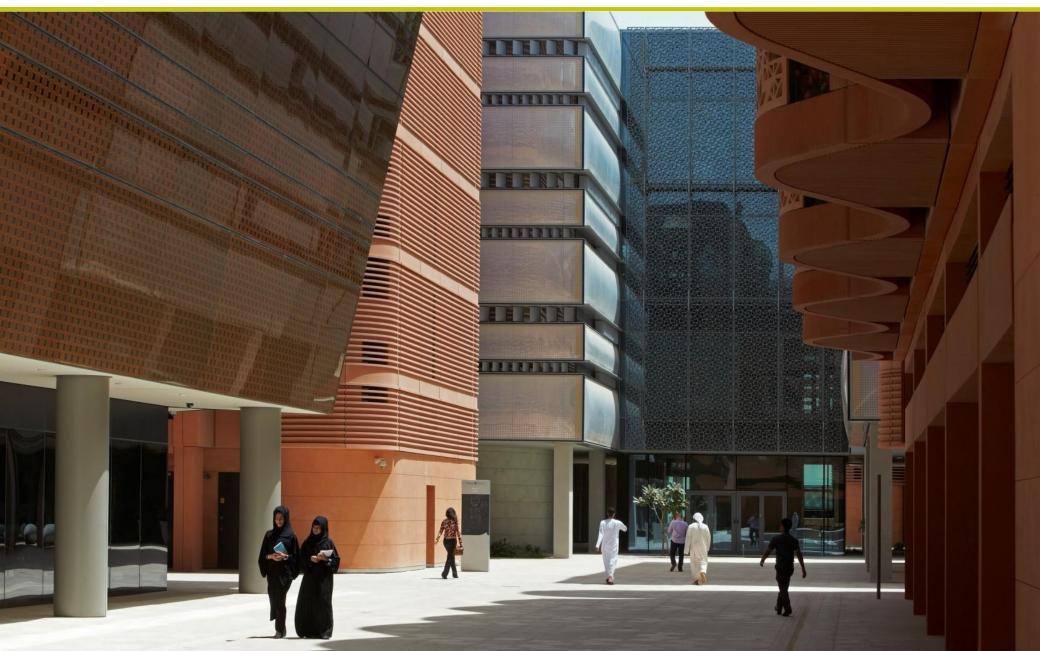




















Masdar City Transportation

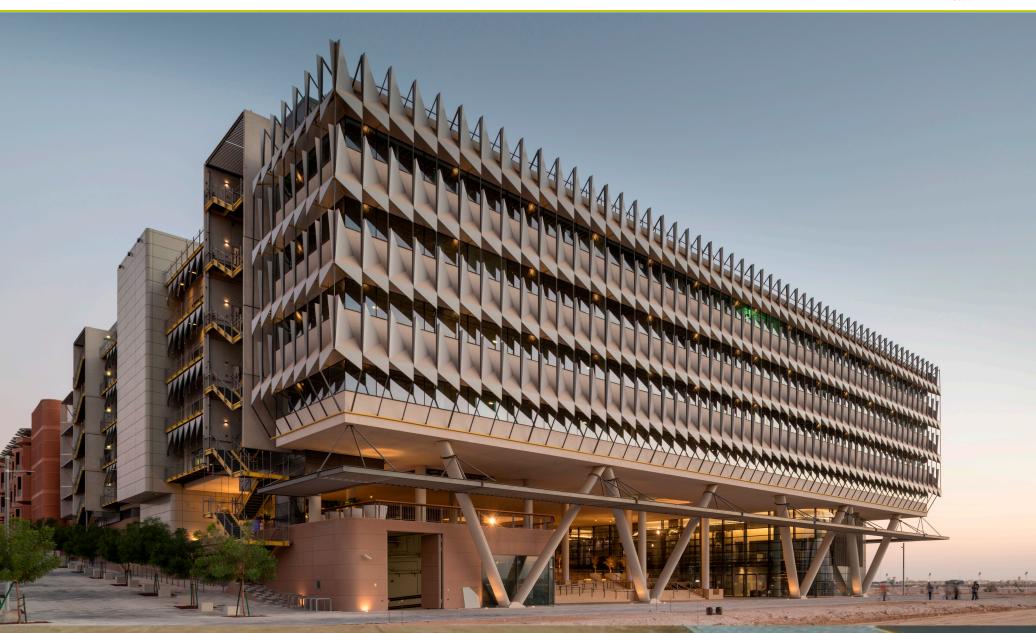
















Masdar City Master Plan





Credit: Foster + Partners

Masdar Free Zone







Masdar Free Zone is one of the world's most exciting eco-developments that places its resident companies at the heart of business in the UAE and wider MENA region.



100% foreign ownership.



Launch point into local and regional markets



100% exemption from corporate and personal income taxes.



Highly cost effective licensing and office space.



0% import tariffs.



5 mins from Abu Dhabi airport and 40 mins from Dubai.



Quick & easy business setup in 5 days.



Critical mass of knowledge and talent.

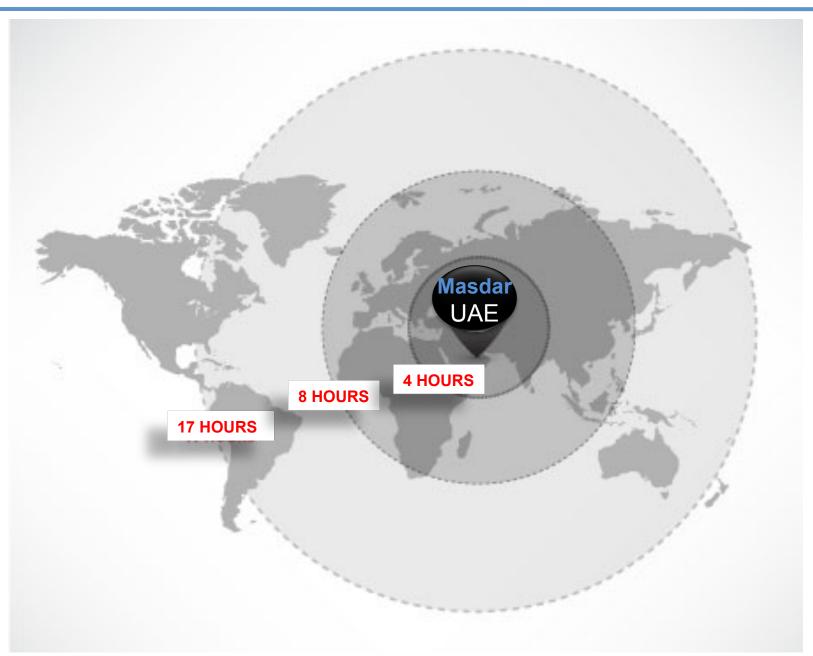


One stop shop for business and government services.



R&D partnering with Masdar Institute.







Home to over **300 companies**, from Fortune 500 multinationals to start ups operating in the cleantech industry and the business services sector.



































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We accept a wide variety of businesses and can license over 400 activities.

Energy Generation Regional Headquarters

Energy Storage Consultancy

Security and Surveillance Organic Products

Event Management Non-Profit Organisation

Air and Environment IT Services

Healthcare Marketing

New Media Market Research

Transportation Human Resources Development

Green Building Data Centre

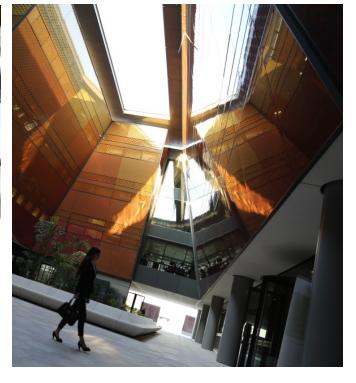


A place where you can access a wide variety of government and business services in one single location.

Everything from visas, ID applications and medical cover; to support with customs clearance, car rental and travel arrangements.



















Masdar Free Zone

A perfect location to set up your business in the UAE.

"live, work, play and learn"