

# UAE History Timeline



- (1950's) Abu Dhabi oil discovered,  
production began





- (1966) HH Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan Al

Nahyan became ruler of Abu Dhabi





(1971) United Arab Emirates (UAE) founded





- (1973) UAE adopted UAE dirham as single  
currency





(1985) Emirates Airline founded





(1999) Burj Al Arab, tallest hotel in world,  
opened





**(2004)** Sheikh Khalifa bin Zayed Al Nahyan became ruler of UAE after death of his father







**(2010)** Burj Khalifa, tallest building in world, opened



(2014) The U.A.E. celebrates being 43 years old.

