

HEALTHCARE AND PHARMACEUTICAL

Jebel Ali Free Zone (Jafza), the region's leading free trade zone, empower pharmaceutical companies to conduct distribution, regionalization, value-added activities, and enhance global reach.

Jafza ensures seamless multimodal connectivity and offers a comprehensive ecosystem by providing end-to-end logistics and storage solutions to the pharmaceutical companies.



Jafza trade value **AED 28 Bn** (2022)

Growing at the rate of **13%**

HEALTHCARE AND PHARMACEUTICAL SECTOR IN JAFZA

With 100+ healthcare manufacturers and 120+ logistics and freight service providers, Jafza has solidified its position as a top exporter of healthcare products and witnessed a remarkable 7x growth in trade value over the last 4 years.

460
companies

from 73 countries

Supporting

4,000+
employees

40

new companies
added in 2023

40%

is our contribution
to Dubai's Healthcare and
Pharmaceutical Trade Volume

TOP TRADED COMMODITIES



Immunological
products



Instruments and
appliances for surgery



Insulin



Antibiotics



Electro-diagnostic
appliances



Ultrasonic scanning
apparatus



Vitamins



Vaccines



Accessories and
consumables



Magnetic resonance
imaging appliance



Hormones



Adhesive dressing
and others

JAFZA'S BUSINESS ECOSYSTEM IS DESIGNED TO REDUCE THE COST OF MANUFACTURING AND LOGISTICS FOR PHARMACEUTICAL COMPANIES

Infrastructure that caters to the business requirements:

- Ready-to-move-in plots available on short- and long-term leases, purpose-built warehouses
- Multi-tenant warehouse facility
- Office solutions

Global connectivity

- Connected via Dubai Airport's air network to 250+ destinations in 99+ countries, supported by ~88 airlines
- 150 global ports directly connect to the UAE, with 180+ shipping lines and 80+ weekly services
- Efficient sea-air logistics links in the world. Reduces the time taken for moving cargo between land, sea and air to less than an hour.
- Connected to the main UAE/GCC Road network – 2 to 3 days road Transit to anywhere in the GCC.

End-to-end logistics solutions

- 400 top global logistics services providers are based in Jafza





KEY TRADE PARTNERS

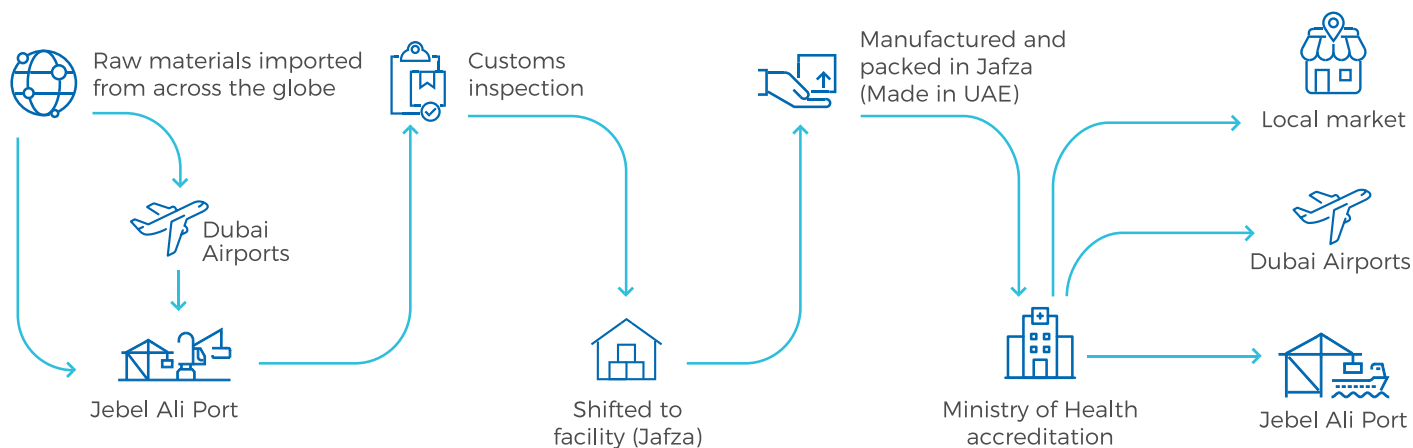
IMPORT

EU countries | USA | Asia Pacific

EXPORT

Middle East

END-TO-END LOGISTICS SOLUTIONS



KEY CUSTOMERS



GlaxoSmithKline

Johnson & Johnson



NOVARTIS

Abbott



GE Healthcare



WHY IS JAFZA THE BEST HUB FOR MANUFACTURE AND DISTRIBUTION OF HEALTHCARE PRODUCTS

Jafza enhances trade opportunities for pharmaceutical companies within the region and beyond. With its strategic location, Jafza companies can easily export their products to GCC, Europe, ISC, and African regions.

Manufacturers



Readily available pharma-grade warehouses



Ministry of Health (MoH) approved facilities



Customized, purpose-built facilities for light industrial manufacturing



Value-added services: packaging and labelling



Temperature-controlled warehouses located within proximity of the Jebel Ali Port



Biohazardous waste management disposal services



Strong institutional backing to facilitate rapid licensing, permitting, and product registration.

Distributors



Rapid stock replenishment via air logistics services



Customs-bonded multimodal transportation services by sea, air, and land



End-to-end logistics and cold chain storage solutions



Served by 120+ healthcare-focused logistics providers



Freight forwarding services includes first-mile transport, seaport and airport loading, customs clearance, and last mile logistics

BENEFIT FROM THE REGION'S BEST BUSINESS ENVIRONMENT AT JAFZA



Serve fastest-growing global markets, all within 8 hours flight



Well-established Healthcare ecosystem for plug-and-play model



Ready-made facilities that are/can be approved by MoH



Flexible set-up solutions to scale up operations



End-to-end pharmaceutical supply chain and logistics expertise



Access to local distributors and retailers directly located in the free zone



Ecosystem of medical waste management companies



Exemptions to customs duty, corporate and local tax for re-export operations



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