

The Bank of Nova Scotia

Canada's Most International Bank

HOW IT ALL STARTED...

ESTABLISHED 1832



On 23 May 1907, Scotiabank opened its fourth agency in New York City.
~ 37 Wall Street, New York City, 1953 ~



Scotiabank made its first appearance in Mexico in 1967 with the opening of a representative office in Mexico City. In 1992, Scotiabank became the first bank in North America to invest in a Mexican bank with a 5 percent acquisition of Grupo Financiero Inverlat, which dates back to 1934.
~ Principal Chihuahua (Main Branch), Chihuahua, 2006 ~



In 1889, Scotiabank became the first Canadian bank to open in the Caribbean. Today, there are 42 Scotiabank branches there. Each provides a range of business and personal banking services, plus helpful mortgage and investment information. You can also get personal or corporate financing through The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company (Bahamas) Limited, in Nassau, or The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company of Jamaica Limited, in Kingston. Your local branch can arrange the details for you.
Scotiabank
THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA
Advertisement from The Monetary Times, 1963.



Scotiabank was the first Canadian bank to open a branch in the West Indies at Kingston, Jamaica on 24 August 1889.
~ Kingston branch, c. 1910 ~



The Bank of Nova Scotia Jamaica Limited bank note, 1900.

On 14 November 1910, Scotiabank opened its first branch in San Juan, Puerto Rico.
~ San Juan branch, 1954 ~



In 1885, Scotiabank's first expansion outside of Canada came with the opening of the agency in Minneapolis, Minnesota. Upon its closure in September 1892, the Bank opened the Chicago agency.
~ Chicago agency, Illinois, c. 1900 ~
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Hola Scotiabank Peru!



Scotiabank has operated in South America since 1961. Today Scotiabank Peru S.A. is Peru's third largest bank.
~ Staff Magazine, December 2006 ~



The only Canadian bank operating in the Dominican Republic, Scotiabank's Santo Domingo branch was the first to open on the island on 01 July 1920.
~ Santo Domingo branch, 1953 ~



Scotiabank's first branch in Central America opened in Belize on 10 December 1968 in Belize City.
~ Belize City branch, 1969 ~