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France Telecom Mobiles Liban (FTML) was created in 1994, with France Telecom holding a 66.7 percent stake in the venture through its subsidiary FTMI.

Cellis, the GSM 900 service developed by **FTML**, was launched in January 1995 with a record time-to-market of six months.

Oda Liban, 87% held by France Telecom Oda, was established in January 1997 to publish the official Yellow Pages and White Pages under a contract with Lebanon's Postal and Telecommunications Ministry. For the first edition in March 1998, which appeared in two versions, Arabic and French, **Oda Liban** recorded turnover of 2 million USD. In this way, the telephone directory reappeared on the Lebanese advertising market after 25 years' absence.

Founded in 1968 for the maintenance of an underwater cable between Beirut and Marseille, **Sodetel** is held jointly by the Lebanese Government (50%) and FCR (40%). **Sodetel** proposes internet services and smart-card-operated phone booths with on-line management for national and international communications.

In 1998, **Sodetel** introduced Libanfax, a service that permits the diffusion of fax messages in the most efficient and confidential way.

In 1991, **Sodetel** set up Libanpac, the sole, national, packet switching, X25 data network legally authorized by the Lebanese State. Libanpac is a 24-hour service with the latest high-tech equipment and emergency back-up routings.

GlobeCast offers a complete range of worldwide broadcasting and satellite multimedia services. It distributes its services throughout Europe, as well as in America, Africa and the Middle East.



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