

# BELGIUM

**Table 1. Foreign direct investment flows by country**

Million US dollars

	Inward					Outward				
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>WORLD</b>	<b>-3 058.3</b>	<b>27 120.3</b>	<b>11 860.5</b>	<b>6 789.7</b>	<b>11 585.9</b>	<b>29 563.7</b>	<b>43 553.6</b>	<b>6 111.0</b>	<b>10 351.0</b>	<b>33 009.7</b>
<b>OECD COUNTRIES</b>	<b>-2 678.4</b>	<b>29 732.1</b>	<b>14 791.2</b>	<b>5 504.3</b>	<b>..d</b>	<b>25 016.3</b>	<b>41 038.6</b>	<b>-1 634.4</b>	<b>7 071.2</b>	<b>..d</b>
Australia	978.5	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Austria	-387.8	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	-361.9	.. c	1 038.8	28.5	.. c
Belgium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	461.1	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	210.1	.. c	.. c	.. c
Chile	45.1	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Colombia	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Costa Rica	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Czech Republic	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	665.1	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Denmark	-77.8	193.6	.. c	209.7	159.7	171.3	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Estonia	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	6.8	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Finland	-940.1	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	68.8	.. c	-540.7	.. c	.. c
France	-146.5	6 429.8	-8 973.5	9 370.9	9 245.5	3 379.6	7 392.9	759.0	-935.6	5 395.0
Germany	-11 309.9	-7 533.3	20 345.9	9 874.6	.. c	.. c	.. c	269.8	-3 621.7	.. c
Greece	36.1	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	98.1	154.6	.. c	.. c	.. c
Hungary	-2 199.3	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	234.9	.. c	.. c	.. c
Iceland	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Ireland	.. c	.. c	13 225.1	.. c	1 719.5	148.8	.. c	.. c	.. c	-1 049.0
Israel	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	30.4	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Italy	346.1	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	1 474.1	.. c	1 151.0	.. c
Japan	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	-347.2	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Korea	173.6	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	168.0	.. c	.. c	-68.4	.. c
Latvia	.. c	-3.5	.. c	.. c	.. c	12.4	8.3	.. c	.. c	.. c
Lithuania	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	1.1	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Luxembourg	6 442.3	-6 694.2	-10 541.8	-11 629.6	2 783.8	.. c	1 491.8	-15 610.7	-6 452.4	-1 775.1
Mexico	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	143.3	70.7	.. c
Netherlands	-976.2	10 588.9	-12 589.3	.. c	931.9	.. c	-3 096.9	.. c	-2 077.5	.. c
New Zealand	-41.7	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	140.9	.. c	.. c	-5.7	.. c
Norway	-1 323.4	.. c	1 178.8	.. c	.. c	-21.4	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Poland	390.0	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	803.7	.. c	.. c	.. c
Portugal	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	48.4	.. c	.. c	.. c
Slovak Republic	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	135.3	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Slovenia	.. c	.. c	-10.1	.. c	.. c	10.1	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Spain	-545.6	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	326.9	.. c	1 293.0	.. c	920.1
Sweden	-3 593.7	.. c	.. c	.. c	1 413.2	1 270.4	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Switzerland	2 314.3	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	1 244.8	.. c	.. c
Türkiye	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	-102.6	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
United Kingdom	862.4	2 964.7	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	-7 600.6	-7 742.1	.. c	.. c
United States	2 108.0	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	33 337.7	.. c	7 440.5	4 894.7
<b>EUROPE</b>	<b>-5 966.6</b>	<b>10 535.8</b>	<b>-89.6</b>	<b>5 342.5</b>	<b>11 720.7</b>	<b>20 518.5</b>	<b>7 806.0</b>	<b>-7 306.6</b>	<b>-411.4</b>	<b>24 810.8</b>
Bulgaria	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	732.7	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Croatia	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	7.9	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Cyprus	-57.5	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	1 016.8	-1 372.6	.. c	.. c	.. c
Malta	639.2	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	12.4	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Montenegro	.. c	-	-	.. c	.. c	-	-	-	.. c	.. c
Romania	80.0	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	69.9	.. c	.. c	.. c	37.8
Russian Federation	-314.5	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	-206.3	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Ukraine	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	6.8	22.4	.. c	.. c	17.7
<b>AFRICA</b>	<b>463.3</b>	<b>.. c</b>	<b>.. c</b>	<b>.. c</b>	<b>.. c</b>	<b>550.1</b>	<b>-325.7</b>	<b>-110.8</b>	<b>1 164.7</b>	<b>-481.3</b>
Northern Africa	50.7	-108.6	-47.0	-74.1	-21.3	.. c	-46.0	28.0	43.3	23.7
Algeria	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	-1.1	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Egypt	45.1	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Libya	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Morocco	.. c	.. c	-13.4	.. c	.. c	31.6	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Tunisia	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Other African countries	412.6	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	-280.9	-138.8	1 121.4	-505.0
Nigeria	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	11.3	.. c	-5.7	.. c	.. c
South Africa	230.0	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c

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<b>AMERICA</b>	<b>1 811.5</b>	<b>16 237.5</b>	<b>10 766.8</b>	<b>-545.9</b>	<b>.. c</b>	<b>.. c</b>	<b>33 592.6</b>	<b>14 097.2</b>	<b>9 457.6</b>	<b>7 079.0</b>
Northern America	2 570.2	16 165.5	.. c	.. c	.. c	578.3	33 547.7	13 228.5	7 735.6	5 397.4
Central America and Caribbean countries	-227.7	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	153.4	.. c	-597.2
Bahamas	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	.. c	-505.1	-717.6	-8.0	384.3	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Cayman Islands	-23.7	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
El Salvador	.. c	-	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Guatemala	.. c	.. c	-	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Honduras	.. c	-	-	.. c	-	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Nicaragua	.. c	-	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Panama	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Virgin Islands, U.S.	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	-	-	-	-	-
South America	-529.8	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	570.4	197.1	714.2	590.3	.. c
Argentina	-136.4	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Bolivia	.. c	-1.2	.. c	.. c	.. c	-	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Brazil	-445.3	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	440.8	.. c	.. c	167.5	-139.5
Ecuador	-	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Paraguay	.. c	-1.2	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	-1.1	.. c
Peru	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Uruguay	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Venezuela	34.9	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	-	.. c
<b>ASIA</b>	<b>-302.1</b>	<b>352.9</b>	<b>.. c</b>	<b>.. c</b>	<b>2 187.8</b>	<b>1 455.3</b>	<b>2 957.6</b>	<b>-190.3</b>	<b>254.1</b>	<b>1 517.3</b>
Near and Middle East	19.2	-636.1	-1 758.6	.. c	.. c	.. c	119.2	250.8	.. c	.. c
Gulf Arabian countries	45.1	.. c	-1 688.1	127.6	-59.1	263.8	87.3	.. c	57.0	.. c
Kuwait	.. c	.. c	.. c	-	.. c	-	-	-	-	-
Qatar	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Saudi Arabia	13.5	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	5.6	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
United Arab Emirates	-101.5	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	278.4	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Other Near and Middle East	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	31.9	45.9	.. c	.. c
Jordan	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Other Asian countries	-321.3	989.0	.. c	.. c	2 178.3	.. c	2 838.4	-441.1	219.9	1 448.7
China	153.3	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	-5.9	.. c	.. c	339.4
Hong Kong, China	-431.7	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
India	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	264.9	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Indonesia	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	237.9	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Iran, Islamic Republic of	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Malaysia	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	208.5	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Philippines	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	4.5	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Singapore	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	629.0	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Chinese Taipei	37.2	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	-11.3	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Thailand	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	13.5	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c
Viet Nam	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	.. c	-245.5	56.0	.. c	.. c
<b>AUSTRALIA, OCEANIA AND POLAR REGIONS</b>	<b>933.4</b>	<b>128.6</b>	<b>.. c</b>	<b>.. c</b>	<b>.. c</b>	<b>1 320.0</b>	<b>-475.6</b>	<b>-378.4</b>	<b>-115.1</b>	<b>84.0</b>
WORLD unallocated and confidential	2.3	.. d	.. d	.. d	.. d	-d	-1.2	-	1.1	-
European Union (since 01/02/2020)	..	..	6 742.4	55 733.3	17 826.4	..	..	-2 222.1	-12 493.4	18 163.4
G20 countries excl. European Union	-7 176.2	22 336.8	30 659.4	25 303.7	5 988.6	-3 150.7	34 977.0	10 154.5	3 603.4	21 565.8
G20 OECD countries	-6 706.1	21 236.9	30 324.6	23 684.3	4 816.7	-4 025.5	34 650.1	8 452.9	943.6	21 551.6
G20 Non-OECD countries	-470.1	.. c	334.7	.. c	.. c	874.8	326.9	1 701.6	2 659.8	14.2
MENA countries	95.8	-684.5	-1 759.8	46.7	-88.7	545.6	49.6	232.8	98.0	59.1
ASEAN countries	-219.8	.. c	.. c	-14.8	-1 117.6	1 356.1	.. c	.. c	.. c	-250.7

.. Not available; - Nil; c Confidential data

Note: Data excludes resident Special Purpose Entities (SPEs). Detailed metadata at: <http://metalinks.oecd.org/idi/20230316/3be5>.

d) Secondary Confidentiality

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