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Table 1. Foreign direct investment flows by country

Million US dollars

| | Inward | | | | | Outward | | | | |
|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 |
| WORLD | 9 354.2 | 9 961.4 | 13 750.8 | 10 703.8 | 24 649.6 | 164 563.0 | 144 962.9 | 232 549.9 | 95 677.3 | 146 767.7 |
| OECD COUNTRIES | 3 872.9 | 7 881.2 | 6 802.0 | 7 226.8 | 5 934.9 | 111 236.0 | 73 346.6 | 171 024.0 | 59 040.1 | 98 139.9 |
| Australia | 307.6 | 101.6 | 159.0 | 40.5 | 226.6 | 4 549.6 | 2 094.5 | 10 191.4 | 14 986.5 | -3 007.2 |
| Austria | 35.6 | 8.5 | -0.4 | -92.3 | 46.4 | 286.9 | -40.0 | 10.1 | 2.2 | 9.6 |
| Belgium | -136.2 | 367.2 | -1 591.0 | 83.0 | -64.6 | 1 200.3 | 2 348.0 | 3 529.1 | 1 121.4 | -684.7 |
| Canada | 61.4 | 75.2 | 102.0 | 82.4 | 420.8 | 937.5 | 2 919.7 | 3 935.4 | 1 836.5 | 656.1 |
| Chile | 2.2 | 3.5 | 2.2 | 2.1 | 0.0 | -57.3 | 328.4 | 1 313.9 | 1 795.9 | 607.5 |
| Colombia | - | - | - | - | - | 29.9 | 47.3 | 49.3 | 23.5 | 5.0 |
| Costa Rica | - | - | - | - | - | 1.0 | 0.3 | 8.2 | 0.9 | 57.7 |
| Czech Republic | -6.4 | 1.0 | - | 0.3 | 0.6 | 168.3 | 169.1 | 93.9 | 111.3 | -299.3 |
| Denmark | 11.3 | 60.6 | -35.2 | -51.5 | 282.1 | 304.1 | 153.3 | -20 397.8 | 1 509.4 | -1 435.3 |
| Estonia | - | 2.0 | - | - | 1.2 | 2.0 | 1.1 | 3.2 | 0.8 | 7.8 |
| Finland | 35.9 | -446.6 | -28.8 | -438.6 | -470.4 | 831.3 | 584.1 | -109.9 | 154.0 | -21.6 |
| France | 3 353.6 | 2 103.7 | 1 494.6 | 88.8 | -1 160.7 | 1 555.7 | 988.2 | 1 536.8 | 757.3 | -67.9 |
| Germany | -1 127.1 | -1 729.4 | -478.3 | 881.7 | 756.1 | 2 578.5 | 2 080.3 | 11 086.1 | 2 197.1 | 6 066.2 |
| Greece | - | - | 0.6 | 0.4 | - | -1.7 | -3.6 | 0.0 | -0.3 | 0.3 |
| Hungary | 27.0 | - | -174.2 | 423.5 | -14.6 | 139.9 | 209.8 | 247.9 | 293.8 | 116.5 |
| Iceland | - | 1.2 | - | - | - | 7.3 | -96.3 | - | - | 1.0 |
| Ireland | -1 486.0 | 356.1 | -64.9 | 101.6 | -798.6 | 2 070.9 | 6 574.7 | 57 537.3 | -35 902.6 | 1 432.3 |
| Israel | 35.6 | 1 234.3 | -5.8 | 79.2 | 18.9 | 1 074.6 | 40.4 | 8.0 | 25.3 | 380.1 |
| Italy | 98.1 | -60.3 | -44.8 | -88.8 | -121.2 | -156.4 | 844.8 | 1 373.3 | 659.0 | -166.4 |
| Japan | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Korea | 997.4 | 1 841.2 | 397.7 | 890.9 | 1 244.5 | 1 625.2 | 4 351.8 | 2 444.0 | 1 527.1 | 800.7 |
| Latvia | - | - | - | - | - | 0.4 | - | - | - | -0.3 |
| Lithuania | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Luxembourg | 1 398.5 | -867.9 | -122.2 | -971.3 | -1 401.4 | 6 111.6 | -560.5 | 825.5 | 4 216.8 | 9 797.8 |
| Mexico | - | 2.0 | 0.7 | - | - | 1 308.7 | 1 313.6 | 618.9 | 720.4 | 616.4 |
| Netherlands | -1 363.1 | -433.0 | -2 483.9 | 368.8 | 4.0 | 14 266.4 | 8 069.6 | 3 327.3 | 15 712.9 | -875.5 |
| New Zealand | -17.4 | 8.1 | 14.8 | 12.5 | 16.3 | 369.0 | 323.3 | 241.3 | 498.7 | 187.1 |
| Norway | 182.3 | -150.5 | -134.8 | 260.6 | -135.3 | -102.4 | 433.9 | 582.0 | 245.4 | 109.0 |
| Poland | 0.3 | - | - | - | - | 72.5 | 18.0 | 113.5 | -9.3 | 74.0 |
| Portugal | -67.6 | 0.9 | 9.9 | 4.5 | 61.2 | 8.3 | 13.0 | -6.3 | -5.3 | 7.1 |
| Slovak Republic | - | 2.0 | - | - | - | 16.6 | 17.7 | -1.4 | 28.4 | 19.6 |
| Slovenia | - | - | - | - | - | -17.7 | -39.4 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 4.7 |
| Spain | 33.1 | -226.4 | -46.7 | 44.0 | 87.7 | 317.0 | 4 332.7 | 511.6 | 1 230.3 | -404.3 |
| Sweden | 267.3 | 195.7 | 154.2 | 1.2 | -2 227.7 | 1 062.0 | 1 280.5 | 916.7 | 626.4 | 195.0 |
| Switzerland | -2 499.9 | -1 652.5 | -2 938.4 | 2 347.0 | 1 994.1 | -1 543.3 | 222.7 | 36 948.1 | 12 506.6 | 5 064.0 |
| Türkiye | 0.8 | - | 0.4 | - | 1.3 | 562.3 | 336.0 | 612.9 | 386.5 | 581.1 |
| United Kingdom | -104.5 | 1 344.0 | 4.8 | 255.4 | 780.5 | 25 876.0 | 17 104.9 | 6 559.5 | -21 799.0 | 18 751.7 |
| United States | 3 832.9 | 5 739.1 | 12 610.3 | 2 900.8 | 6 387.3 | 45 812.3 | 16 932.3 | 46 971.3 | 53 582.6 | 59 554.3 |
| EUROPE | -1 338.3 | -1 102.5 | -6 316.8 | 3 132.0 | -2 363.7 | 55 919.6 | 46 693.2 | 106 381.2 | -15 997.4 | 38 076.3 |
| Bulgaria | 0.7 | - | 0.4 | - | - | 74.8 | -1.5 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 1.4 |
| Croatia | - | - | - | - | - | 0.3 | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 1.0 |
| Cyprus | 0.4 | 2.4 | 2.5 | -155.3 | -17.7 | 96.7 | -6.7 | 54.7 | 141.2 | -43.4 |
| Malta | 0.8 | 0.9 | -0.4 | -2.5 | 0.4 | 0.1 | 14.7 | 56.6 | 33.8 | 34.5 |
| Montenegro | - | - | - | - | - | -0.2 | -0.6 | -1.1 | -0.6 | -3.1 |
| Romania | - | - | - | - | - | 7.4 | 88.5 | 21.7 | 129.6 | 54.4 |
| Russian Federation | 3.6 | 1.4 | 3.6 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 240.6 | 468.7 | 410.6 | 430.8 | 376.2 |
| Ukraine | - | - | - | - | - | 24.7 | 16.9 | 11.9 | 58.4 | 55.5 |
| AFRICA | 6.5 | 4.9 | 573.3 | -43.6 | 11.8 | 1 820.5 | 1 717.0 | -1 142.7 | -4 703.4 | 902.3 |
| Northern Africa | - | - | - | - | - | 140.5 | 51.7 | 108.4 | 31.6 | 80.1 |
| Algeria | - | - | - | - | - | 18.4 | 30.4 | 22.6 | 21.1 | 17.9 |
| Egypt | - | - | - | - | - | 115.3 | 4.0 | 31.3 | 10.1 | 14.0 |
| Libya | - | - | - | - | - | - | 5.1 | 34.1 | -3.5 | 46.8 |
| Morocco | - | - | - | - | - | 6.8 | 11.8 | 20.4 | 3.9 | 0.0 |
| Tunisia | - | - | - | - | - | - | 0.5 | - | 0.0 | 1.4 |
| Other African countries | 6.5 | 4.9 | 573.3 | -43.6 | 11.8 | 1 680.0 | 1 665.2 | -1 251.0 | -4 735.0 | 822.2 |
| Nigeria | - | - | - | - | - | 2.0 | 5.7 | 4.1 | 5.8 | 6.1 |
| South Africa | -3.1 | -0.6 | -0.5 | - | 0.4 | 1 107.4 | 1 460.8 | -1 307.4 | -4 706.2 | 412.2 |

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| | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 |
| AMERICA | 7 292.4 | 9 637.4 | 14 125.0 | 2 609.7 | 9 609.3 | 58 473.4 | 44 774.4 | 67 442.1 | 69 285.5 | 65 618.0 |
| Northern America | 3 894.3 | 5 814.3 | 12 712.4 | 2 983.2 | 6 808.1 | 46 749.8 | 19 852.1 | 50 906.7 | 55 419.2 | 60 210.4 |
| Central America and Caribbean countries | 3 412.6 | 3 816.7 | 1 409.2 | -349.6 | 2 809.5 | 12 755.2 | 22 243.6 | 12 033.7 | 9 835.8 | 3 726.1 |
| Bahamas | 2.3 | - | 1.9 | - | - | 34.9 | 88.5 | 16.7 | 493.7 | 34.8 |
| Bermuda | 20.7 | -79.7 | 31.9 | 61.4 | 63.6 | 7 278.9 | 309.4 | 470.2 | 4 392.7 | 1 292.1 |
| Cayman Islands | 3 315.7 | 3 451.2 | 1 223.9 | -734.5 | 2 569.8 | 4 131.7 | 17 297.9 | 4 970.9 | 1 769.2 | 219.6 |
| El Salvador | - | - | - | - | - | 0.9 | 0.0 | -0.5 | -1.6 | -1.8 |
| Guatemala | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3.0 |
| Honduras | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Nicaragua | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Panama | 7.3 | 25.1 | -5.8 | 0.4 | 3.9 | -226.5 | 124.6 | 374.6 | -42.0 | 474.7 |
| Virgin Islands, U.S. | -3.1 | - | 8.8 | - | 3.9 | -1.5 | 1.3 | 3.0 | 3.8 | 5.3 |
| South America | -14.4 | 6.5 | 3.5 | -23.9 | -8.3 | -1 031.6 | 2 678.7 | 4 501.7 | 4 030.6 | 1 681.6 |
| Argentina | -14.1 | -5.3 | 1.3 | -8.5 | -8.3 | 583.1 | 438.7 | 129.9 | 59.9 | 65.7 |
| Bolivia | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | -33.0 |
| Brazil | -2.6 | 8.2 | - | -17.5 | - | -1 618.9 | 1 802.2 | 2 385.7 | 1 598.7 | 433.0 |
| Ecuador | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2.1 | 41.4 | 1.4 | 2.6 |
| Paraguay | - | - | - | - | - | 30.0 | -0.9 | 6.8 | 3.3 | -19.2 |
| Peru | - | - | - | - | - | 158.8 | 219.2 | 557.6 | 584.1 | 657.5 |
| Uruguay | - | - | - | - | - | -113.2 | -193.4 | -8.2 | -45.5 | -45.5 |
| Venezuela | - | - | - | - | - | -44.0 | 34.9 | 25.3 | 9.3 | 8.0 |
| ASIA | 3 156.1 | 1 331.2 | 5 263.2 | 5 197.5 | 17 374.9 | 41 919.8 | 51 269.9 | 50 296.1 | 31 301.2 | 45 705.1 |
| Near and Middle East | 112.8 | 1 390.8 | 189.2 | 185.3 | 68.5 | 1 959.1 | 820.1 | -541.3 | -493.9 | -339.4 |
| Gulf Arabian countries | 77.1 | 156.5 | 195.0 | 106.1 | 49.3 | 884.6 | 777.6 | -551.4 | -519.6 | -723.2 |
| Kuwait | - | 0.3 | - | - | - | 1.6 | 2.1 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 1.9 |
| Qatar | - | - | - | - | - | 72.5 | 14.1 | 15.0 | 1.7 | 1.4 |
| Saudi Arabia | 55.4 | 77.0 | 63.9 | 113.9 | 19.4 | 173.2 | 406.3 | -910.0 | -334.2 | -395.0 |
| United Arab Emirates | 17.1 | 76.7 | 131.1 | -8.1 | 29.9 | 644.9 | 402.1 | 74.7 | -195.7 | -308.8 |
| Other Near and Middle East | 35.6 | 1 234.3 | -5.8 | 79.2 | 19.2 | 1 074.6 | 42.5 | 10.1 | 25.7 | 383.3 |
| Jordan | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3.5 |
| Other Asian countries | 3 043.3 | -59.6 | 5 074.0 | 5 012.3 | 17 306.4 | 39 960.6 | 50 449.8 | 50 837.3 | 31 795.1 | 46 044.5 |
| China | 612.7 | 447.5 | 377.7 | 385.3 | 306.0 | 12 023.4 | 10 853.1 | 10 479.0 | 9 993.2 | 9 561.0 |
| Hong Kong, China | -164.4 | 761.2 | 1 341.0 | 586.7 | 12 012.4 | 2 910.8 | 2 731.9 | 1 921.2 | 1 408.3 | 4 741.9 |
| India | 5.6 | -4.6 | 35.3 | 5.1 | -0.3 | 1 619.8 | 3 145.6 | 4 151.3 | 1 581.5 | 2 762.8 |
| Indonesia | 195.8 | -2.6 | 2.3 | 3.3 | 1.7 | 3 534.9 | 3 406.7 | 8 876.3 | 1 694.6 | 1 331.2 |
| Iran, Islamic Republic of | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2.5 | - | 1.2 | - |
| Malaysia | 38.1 | 18.5 | 73.3 | -40.2 | -23.1 | 1 140.4 | 1 213.9 | 238.6 | 1 530.8 | 2 008.3 |
| Philippines | 17.7 | 12.5 | 36.6 | 17.3 | -5.6 | 1 111.5 | 1 116.3 | 1 703.1 | 1 024.6 | 756.9 |
| Singapore | 484.6 | -3 583.2 | 1 815.6 | 2 418.4 | 3 645.7 | 6 910.5 | 13 710.8 | 13 044.1 | 5 599.1 | 15 609.2 |
| Chinese Taipei | 788.7 | 417.2 | 978.7 | 684.7 | 85.6 | 1 096.3 | 1 629.6 | 1 125.1 | 1 931.7 | 1 322.8 |
| Thailand | 72.9 | 47.4 | 23.0 | 32.3 | 11.9 | 5 455.7 | 5 659.5 | 3 343.5 | 2 726.6 | 3 074.7 |
| Viet Nam | 0.1 | 1.0 | 1.6 | 2.5 | 7.7 | 2 022.5 | 1 982.2 | 2 626.4 | 2 359.6 | 3 789.2 |
| AUSTRALIA, OCEANIA AND POLAR REGIONS | 237.0 | 124.3 | 100.4 | -191.9 | 13.7 | 5 456.6 | 443.1 | 9 479.1 | 15 747.1 | -3 589.6 |
| WORLD unallocated and confidential | 0.5 | -33.9 | 5.6 | 0.0 | 3.7 | 973.2 | 65.4 | 94.1 | 44.2 | 55.6 |
| European Union (since 01/02/2020) | .. | .. | .. | 197.6 | -5 037.3 | .. | .. | .. | -6 989.4 | 13 823.5 |
| G20 countries excl. European Union | 8 273.6 | 9 938.1 | 14 730.0 | 5 533.8 | 8 854.5 | 102 312.6 | 70 948.3 | 109 545.0 | 65 172.5 | 98 332.1 |
| G20 OECD countries | 7 420.3 | 9 417.0 | 14 246.5 | 5 051.7 | 8 535.2 | 84 649.3 | 48 966.2 | 85 329.5 | 54 854.1 | 83 785.1 |
| G20 Non-OECD countries | 853.3 | 521.0 | 483.6 | 482.1 | 319.3 | 17 663.3 | 21 982.1 | 24 215.4 | 10 318.4 | 14 547.0 |
| MENA countries | 77.1 | 156.5 | 195.0 | 106.1 | 49.6 | 1 025.1 | 830.9 | -440.9 | -487.6 | -639.4 |
| ASEAN countries | 809.2 | -3 504.2 | 1 954.9 | 2 431.7 | 3 638.3 | 20 469.8 | 27 594.2 | 30 499.7 | 15 222.6 | 26 829.9 |

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