

# KOREA

## Table 4. Foreign direct investment flows by industrial sector

Million US dollars

	Inward					Outward				
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
<b>All FDI activities</b>	<b>2 804.7</b>	<b>7 263.0</b>	<b>11 531.5</b>	<b>13 267.2</b>	<b>12 589.0</b>	<b>18 489.6</b>	<b>30 507.5</b>	<b>43 463.9</b>	<b>45 232.6</b>	<b>50 981.1</b>
<b>Agriculture, forestry and fishing</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>-28.5</b>	<b>4.1</b>	<b>69.7</b>	<b>59.0</b>	<b>81.9</b>	<b>118.1</b>	<b>36.5</b>
<b>Mining and quarrying</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>2.4</b>	<b>-3 384.0</b>	<b>-1 106.0</b>	<b>-1 126.1</b>	<b>873.2</b>	<b>336.8</b>
Extraction activities	-	-	0.1	-	2.4	-1 281.6	-1 029.0	-1 102.4	298.5	-511.8
<b>Manufacturing</b>	<b>1 507.4</b>	<b>3 909.0</b>	<b>5 180.9</b>	<b>5 245.3</b>	<b>5 049.5</b>	<b>7 794.6</b>	<b>11 758.0</b>	<b>14 631.2</b>	<b>17 421.0</b>	<b>19 719.0</b>
<i>of which:</i>										
<i>Food products, beverages and tobacco</i>	-958.9	154.0	150.3	142.6	524.4	392.0	587.9	570.3	578.5	1 323.9
<i>Textiles, wood and paper products; printing</i>	-61.9	111.0	73.5	30.4	74.9	306.9	489.0	411.4	178.8	459.9
<i>Chemical, rubber, plastic, non-metallic mineral products</i>	2 436.5	2 839.0	2 120.7	2 049.5	3 307.7	1 321.7	1 778.6	1 540.4	1 849.2	3 398.5
<i>Metal and machinery products, except electrical equipment</i>	-189.1	-44.0	1 901.5	964.2	948.6	2 059.6	5 578.1	7 756.9	10 163.9	8 042.7
<i>Motor vehicles, trailers, semi-trailers, other transport equipment</i>	-1 032.3	-139.0	524.3	1 873.1	305.2	2 608.3	2 108.2	3 221.2	2 293.9	2 430.3
Other manufacturing	1 313.1	988.0	410.6	185.4	-111.1	1 106.1	1 216.3	1 131.0	2 356.7	4 063.7
<b>Electricity, gas, steam and air conditioning supply</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>50.0</b>	<b>-135.9</b>	<b>160.0</b>	<b>774.3</b>	<b>1 805.8</b>	<b>781.0</b>	<b>1 206.7</b>	<b>1 006.0</b>	<b>1 468.8</b>
<b>Water supply; sewerage, waste management and remediation activities</b>	<b>-5.8</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>149.2</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>3.5</b>	<b>12.7</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>174.8</b>	<b>442.2</b>	<b>14.8</b>
<b>Construction</b>	<b>2.6</b>	<b>-33.0</b>	<b>11.8</b>	<b>14.7</b>	<b>26.6</b>	<b>-105.4</b>	<b>778.0</b>	<b>638.1</b>	<b>885.8</b>	<b>502.1</b>
<b>Services</b>	<b>1 285.1</b>	<b>3 312.0</b>	<b>6 320.4</b>	<b>7 872.8</b>	<b>6 728.7</b>	<b>12 296.2</b>	<b>18 234.0</b>	<b>27 855.9</b>	<b>24 486.3</b>	<b>28 903.0</b>
Wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles	755.3	1 029.0	1 042.4	936.6	1 849.0	2 910.9	4 504.0	11 682.8	5 605.9	4 488.3
Transportation and storage	464.6	315.0	192.6	116.7	89.3	238.2	1 002.0	1 027.2	718.3	687.8
Accommodation and food service activities	625.6	770.0	808.3	281.1	341.5	179.6	401.0	208.9	109.6	427.0
Information and communication	540.4	511.0	756.1	2 821.9	1 522.5	376.7	1 191.0	2 174.6	851.0	309.5
Financial and insurance activities	-749.2	151.0	2 100.2	2 057.5	1 932.9	6 043.7	5 343.0	9 506.9	12 837.0	17 712.8
Activities of holding companies	387.0	580.0	76.4	656.6	482.1	1 226.8	479.3	1 105.3	1 648.6	1 179.3
Real estate activities	-278.7	148.0	912.3	906.9	618.0	1 998.1	4 995.8	2 521.1	3 448.2	3 884.6
Professional, scientific and technical activities	-34.1	309.0	400.6	128.3	249.3	136.0	519.0	458.5	948.7	809.6
Administrative and support service activities	-	-	72.2	377.7	49.5	348.2	176.9	-335.8	-203.7	112.8
Public administration; activities of households and of extraterritorial organisations	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	258.0	-	0.1
Education	45.9	21.0	13.7	11.7	62.6	25.0	11.1	125.6	12.8	35.0
Human health and social work activities	-	-	-	-	0.1	44.9	68.9	175.4	181.5	120.0
Arts, entertainment and recreation	-55.3	-14.0	16.0	233.3	30.5	-8.6	9.0	5.4	-26.0	312.0
Other services	-29.4	72.0	5.8	1.1	-16.5	2.5	12.7	47.4	3.0	3.8
<b>Not allocated and confidential</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<b>Private real estate activities</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>

.. Not available; - Nil

Note: Data excludes resident Special Purpose Entities (SPEs). Detailed metadata at: [http://stats.oecd.org/OECDStat\\_Metadata/ShowMetadata.ashx?Dataset=FDI\\_CTRY\\_IND\\_SUMM](http://stats.oecd.org/OECDStat_Metadata/ShowMetadata.ashx?Dataset=FDI_CTRY_IND_SUMM).

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