

BELGIUM

Table 2. Foreign direct investment positions by country
At year end

Million US dollars

	Inward					Outward				
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
WORLD	580 190.7	502 399.8	583 710.4	604 272.9	599 181.6	707 828.0	544 143.6	657 893.7	683 221.3	710 091.1
OECD COUNTRIES	569 778.1	495 602.2	589 402.4	608 267.3	597 623.0	675 578.1	520 060.7	612 118.6	629 985.3	660 345.3
Australia	-20.4	-77.9	-115.7	352.2	-189.2	2 973.1	1 874.3	1 744.6	1 857.9	1 824.7
Austria	1 183.7	803.8	986.3	2 159.8	2 256.4	259.1	248.5	1 259.3	1 764.6	1 914.6
Belgium	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Canada	127.1	612.5	-1 142.4	-953.5	-587.7	2 190.0	1 882.3	2 060.2	2 394.2	2 136.9
Chile	-307.0	-249.6	-229.2	-213.5	-288.6	1 255.7	1 199.9	1 319.9	2 876.4	2 478.7
Colombia	-61.2	-150.0	-205.6	-225.8	-145.5	253.1	147.7	132.6	181.6	173.8
Costa Rica	.. c	198.1	982.9	54.0	44.9	-1.2	2.3	34.8	17.2	9.5
Czech Republic	5 169.1	1 202.2	2 556.7	1 707.0	1 416.7	6 527.9	6 003.0	6 363.7	6 765.2	6 724.2
Denmark	832.3	1 647.6	1 249.2	1 692.2	1 381.3	916.3	761.4	905.4	803.8	726.1
Estonia	6.0	-40.1	-84.3	602.5	588.9	31.2	36.6	20.2	35.6	2.4
Finland	833.5	2 051.8	865.0	1 329.0	1 323.3	485.7	1 031.6	358.3	1 368.3	1 549.2
France	134 665.4	84 202.0	128 066.7	140 802.6	143 339.6	44 699.0	50 503.8	69 683.2	72 833.5	65 300.4
Germany	395.8	4 061.1	20 830.2	33 535.4	36 004.0	12 020.9	11 426.6	11 170.5	14 800.6	14 363.8
Greece	893.5	176.3	538.1	602.5	753.3	1 596.3	1 117.5	2 274.8	2 475.2	2 265.8
Hungary	2 058.0	-72.1	1 360.4	50 611.1	48 293.5	2 936.0	2 413.6	1 964.7	2 404.0	2 487.0
Iceland	3.6	1.1	2.2	1.2	1.2	145.1	119.1	131.4	128.9	145.5
Ireland	5 397.0	32 147.9	45 294.3	53 126.8	54 647.6	6 657.5	4 254.6	2 512.9	1 224.7	1 207.4
Israel	-84.0	159.1	67.4	66.3	150.2	36.0	49.2	49.4	-	27.2
Italy	2 126.4	1 475.8	8 712.6	10 411.1	11 412.0	11 009.8	10 447.7	14 058.6	15 739.4	16 290.2
Japan	18 331.7	20 415.6	22 743.2	24 184.6	22 548.5	2 421.4	1 341.9	2 425.3	2 579.5	3 488.6
Korea	1 397.2	493.5	1 651.3	2 019.9	1 699.4	615.3	1 068.2	2 369.1	960.9	22 048.3
Latvia	-2.4	-3.4	2.2	11.0	8.3	37.2	55.0	37.1	94.5	178.6
Lithuania	1.2	6.9	-16.9	33.1	30.7	7.2	-1.1	24.7	72.4	76.9
Luxembourg	155 106.7	108 156.6	114 056.4	113 494.9	114 347.2	203 565.6	147 948.2	143 498.1	156 188.5	151 129.4
Mexico	-714.8	-443.1	-2 226.5	-3 063.0	-3 142.1	-	-129.4	68.5	-24.5	286.2
Netherlands	176 560.3	132 799.4	146 901.8	122 691.1	122 133.4	247 303.9	203 444.0	207 596.0	202 493.6	216 406.1
New Zealand	-38.4	-36.6	-44.9	35.6	37.8	122.3	140.8	133.7	136.2	98.2
Norway	-4 587.4	-358.4	-246.0	-135.0	-287.4	621.3	421.3	847.0	925.3	1 006.4
Poland	-2 088.0	-113.4	-1 676.0	-1 590.4	-1 816.5	3 658.0	3 847.0	4 894.4	6 794.7	6 088.0
Portugal	-143.9	214.1	306.7	254.0	321.7	3 157.8	400.7	2 095.0	3 278.9	3 072.4
Slovak Republic	284.2	-24.0	343.7	552.2	609.0	1 623.9	1 671.6	1 674.9	1 996.6	1 875.6
Slovenia	-24.0	19.5	-16.9	34.4	18.9	756.8	161.4	878.5	935.1	786.4
Spain	181.1	3 482.9	2 234.3	2 672.7	2 445.6	4 926.8	5 392.7	16 043.6	18 893.1	19 576.6
Sweden	8 120.7	4 627.9	4 153.0	4 102.3	5 501.4	967.9	894.2	1 649.1	1 785.5	1 280.7
Switzerland	53 512.8	54 729.8	44 508.0	-7 209.5	-10 538.1	3 986.6	3 707.4	3 680.1	11 554.8	7 565.0
Türkiye	-51.6	226.7	676.3	875.0	672.9	3 653.2	3 200.1	4 399.0	2 893.6	2 498.8
United Kingdom	5 367.0	15 168.3	14 759.6	19 861.3	14 207.7	135 060.0	58 428.0	96 343.5	78 997.4	87 336.8
United States	5 286.6	28 136.0	32 334.3	33 837.3	28 422.4	-30 638.0	-5 302.3	7 582.6	11 773.2	15 918.9
EUROPE	548 100.3	446 715.1	536 622.1	552 876.4	550 172.7	705 694.4	522 713.5	614 339.5	629 370.5	633 977.1
Bulgaria	125.9	145.4	14.6	45.4	144.3	1 577.1	1 419.7	1 322.2	1 525.3	1 656.8
Croatia	-1.2	9.2	1.1	34.4	16.6	668.0	828.9	1 378.3	818.5	302.7
Cyprus	927.1	511.8	807.7	1 066.4	831.4	3 476.9	-281.7	13 266.7	14 606.7	15 132.5
Malta	1 554.3	-35.5	-169.6	-90.8	221.1	49.2	55.0	77.5	115.4	115.9
Montenegro	-2.4	-	-1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Romania	-51.6	-201.5	-135.9	-105.5	-384.3	1 352.8	1 031.6	1 995.1	2 727.9	2 576.9
Russian Federation	-261.5	-164.9	-185.4	-268.7	305.1	1 408.0	1 462.1	1 599.6	1 920.5	2 015.1
Ukraine	-3.6	-19.5	-16.9	-25.8	-22.5	-1.2	20.6	91.0	73.6	84.0
AFRICA	-191.9	71.0	-9 391.1	-9 633.1	-10 227.1	2 640.9	1 013.3	1 039.1	2 227.3	1 000.5
Northern Africa	.. c	-8.0	-95.5	-155.8	-253.1	1 261.7	148.8	168.5	213.5	86.3
Algeria	3.6	-22.9	-28.1	-31.9	-14.2	22.8	10.3	16.9	14.7	5.9
Egypt	8.4	-98.5	-138.2	-182.8	-257.8	792.8	32.1	41.6	41.7	-66.2
Libya	1.2	2.3	2.2	2.5	5.9	3.6	3.4	-	-	-
Morocco	38.4	89.3	55.0	43.0	-1.2	407.8	91.6	100.0	137.4	126.5
Tunisia	.. c	21.8	13.5	13.5	14.2	34.8	11.5	10.1	19.6	20.1
Other African countries	-251.9	80.1	-9 295.7	-9 477.2	-9 974.0	1 379.2	864.4	870.6	2 013.7	914.1
Nigeria	.. c	18.3	-32.6	52.8	20.1	78.0	82.4	71.9	65.0	62.7
South Africa	-225.5	-9.2	-161.8	-164.4	-125.4	305.8	-6.9	74.1	1 049.2	403.3

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	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
AMERICA	5 542.1	27 552.1	26 751.3	26 934.6	26 220.4	-22 230.8	754.5	16 134.6	23 621.3	25 781.7
Northern America	5 413.8	28 752.0	31 195.2	32 886.2	27 835.9	-28 448.1	-3 420.0	9 642.8	14 168.6	18 055.8
Central America and Caribbean countries	3 729.9	-755.7	-2 790.4	-4 854.6	-795.9	36.0	-304.6	-13.5	476.1	659.9
Bahamas	7.2	3.4	3.4	-2.5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bermuda	3 374.9	-1 246.9	-1 664.8	-1 870.2	2 562.7	142.7	-	65.2	619.7	597.2
Cayman Islands	1 283.3	1 067.1	174.1	3.7	4.7	2.4	3.4	11.2	1.2	4.7
El Salvador	-	-	1.1	1.2	1.2	6.0	6.9	7.9	6.1	7.1
Guatemala	1.2	3.4	4.5	3.7	1.2	1.2	2.3	1.1	1.2	1.2
Honduras	-	1.1	1.1	-	-	-129.5	-211.8	-252.8	-197.6	-287.4
Nicaragua	-	-	1.1	1.2	-	13.2	18.3	24.7	24.5	26.0
Panama	-116.3	-327.5	-34.8	-22.1	-255.4	-6.0	-1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2
Virgin Islands, U.S.	1.2	2.3	2.2	1.2	1.2	-	-	-	-	-
South America	-3 601.6	-443.1	-1 653.6	-1 095.8	-820.7	6 182.5	4 480.2	6 505.3	8 976.6	7 066.0
Argentina	-513.3	82.4	-903.2	-811.1	-379.6	1 741.4	142.0	180.9	197.6	212.9
Bolivia	-2.4	2.3	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1	3.7	3.5
Brazil	-2 720.1	-56.1	-330.3	176.7	59.1	2 313.5	2 193.7	3 932.8	4 637.4	3 745.3
Ecuador	-8.4	-28.6	-21.3	-30.7	-33.1	12.0	27.5	83.1	116.6	85.1
Paraguay	-	-1.1	-2.2	-1.2	-1.2	60.0	77.9	55.0	69.9	-2 276.5
Peru	.. c	-11.5	-25.8	-25.8	-98.2	621.3	651.5	758.3	855.3	812.4
Uruguay	1.2	-40.1	-14.6	-22.1	-10.6	9.6	8.0	7.9	7.4	1 818.8
Venezuela	12.0	16.0	69.6	60.1	78.1	-86.4	32.1	32.6	31.9	13.0
ASIA	26 427.2	27 649.4	29 372.1	33 270.3	32 731.8	18 279.0	17 469.7	24 084.5	25 581.1	46 996.2
Near and Middle East	214.7	-96.2	-1 805.2	-1 574.4	-1 825.9	1 914.1	1 179.3	1 227.8	2 000.2	1 804.6
Gulf Arabian countries	179.9	-387.0	-1 997.3	-1 778.1	-2 101.5	1 168.1	1 115.2	1 160.4	1 988.0	1 850.8
Kuwait	1.2	-	-1.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Qatar	70.8	19.5	14.6	13.5	22.5	54.0	125.9	180.9	90.8	75.7
Saudi Arabia	-20.4	-222.1	-1 959.1	-2 007.6	-2 267.0	73.2	85.9	105.6	108.0	94.6
United Arab Emirates	159.5	-190.1	-53.9	197.6	130.1	1 024.2	904.5	850.4	1 700.8	1 604.8
Other Near and Middle East	34.8	289.7	192.1	203.7	275.5	746.0	65.3	67.4	12.3	-46.1
Jordan	3.6	2.3	2.2	2.5	2.4	684.8	-5.7	-4.5	-12.3	-11.8
Other Asian countries	26 211.3	27 745.6	31 175.0	34 843.5	34 557.7	16 364.8	16 290.4	22 857.8	23 582.0	45 193.9
China	-295.0	-1 386.5	247.1	1 569.5	1 626.1	2 529.4	2 002.5	3 741.9	5 070.6	5 005.9
Hong Kong, China	6 617.9	3 270.0	3 267.8	3 869.2	6 566.9	3 346.1	2 794.8	3 449.8	1 478.7	2 246.9
India	178.7	416.8	293.2	341.1	270.8	1 499.2	1 020.2	1 774.9	1 883.7	1 810.5
Indonesia	34.8	53.8	-12.4	50.3	-71.0	761.6	690.4	756.0	790.3	740.3
Iran, Islamic Republic of	4.8	8.0	6.7	6.1	4.7	14.4	13.7	18.0	-	21.3
Malaysia	125.9	85.9	31.5	74.9	105.3	735.2	571.3	1 543.5	1 919.3	1 764.4
Philippines	.. c	-65.3	-119.1	-44.2	-153.7	64.8	87.0	67.4	66.3	49.7
Singapore	-171.5	4 429.8	2 809.5	2 589.3	1 809.4	3 486.4	5 991.5	5 506.6	6 962.8	6 211.0
Chinese Taipei	115.1	21.8	-32.6	-35.6	13.0	57.6	45.8	-49.4	90.8	121.8
Thailand	-172.7	-6.9	-58.4	-22.1	47.3	393.4	428.2	918.9	1 510.6	1 363.5
Viet Nam	-2.4	-16.0	-1.1	-	-63.9	289.0	16.0	66.3	63.8	296.8
AUSTRALIA, OCEANIA AND POLAR REGIONS	287.8	232.4	196.6	719.1	173.8	3 444.5	2 192.6	2 297.2	2 421.2	2 335.6
WORLD unallocated and confidential	25.2	179.8	159.5	105.5	110.0	-	-	-1.1	-	-
European Union (since 01/02/2020)	477 187.1	539 787.7	545 846.7	507 043.4	532 597.9	533 152.8
G20 countries excl. European Union	163 088.3	152 984.9	223 277.9	260 748.6	253 805.6	194 636.6	142 331.1	224 071.0	220 462.6	245 521.5
G20 OECD countries	166 910.5	154 270.7	226 289.6	261 862.8	254 387.4	184 004.6	134 741.2	211 905.2	204 805.5	231 493.6
G20 Non-OECD countries	-3 822.3	-1 285.8	-3 011.7	-1 114.2	-581.8	10 632.0	7 589.9	12 165.8	15 657.1	14 027.9
MENA countries	.. d	-264.5	-1 968.1	-1 797.8	-2 230.4	3 117.1	1 260.6	.. d	2 189.2	.. d
ASEAN countries	-176.3	4 498.5	2 664.6	2 658.0	1 680.5	5 817.9	7 821.2	8 896.9	11 342.5	10 460.0

.. 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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