

# NETHERLANDS

## Table 2. Foreign direct investment position by country At year end

Million US dollars

|                                | Inward           |                  |                  |                  |                  | Outward          |                  |                  |                  |                  |
|--------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
|                                | 2007             | 2008             | 2009             | 2010             | 2011             | 2007             | 2008             | 2009             | 2010             | 2011             |
| <b>OECD COUNTRIES</b>          | <b>696 507.6</b> | <b>582 326.0</b> | <b>576 379.5</b> | <b>520 020.0</b> | <b>509 193.0</b> | <b>826 941.5</b> | <b>783 928.9</b> | <b>821 775.0</b> | <b>801 624.8</b> | <b>810 149.0</b> |
| Australia                      | 2 429.0          | 2 414.6          | 2 989.5          | 3 225.5          | 3 233.2          | 11 457.3         | 10 817.7         | 14 306.3         | 14 456.2         | 12 835.5         |
| Austria                        | 4 211.7          | 4 102.7          | 3 949.0          | 3 120.0          | 2 941.7          | 10 568.2         | 7 394.1          | 7 632.9          | 8 124.0          | 5 755.2          |
| Belgium                        | 88 156.7         | 52 565.9         | 51 146.8         | 38 996.5         | 55 130.8         | 110 391.3        | 89 198.2         | 86 905.3         | 91 135.8         | 93 785.0         |
| Canada                         | 1 772.4          | 1 877.4          | 4 055.6          | 4 413.4          | 4 263.0          | 26 698.0         | 34 647.7         | 34 652.1         | 31 608.8         | 33 490.9         |
| Chile                          | ..               | ..               | ..               | 56.1             | 90.7             | ..               | ..               | ..               | 2 214.1          | 1 351.0          |
| Czech Republic                 | 125.1            | 136.4            | 219.0            | 268.6            | 322.5            | 6 406.6          | 5 693.4          | 5 762.9          | 5 769.6          | 6 630.8          |
| Denmark                        | 3 808.3          | 4 002.5          | 4 953.2          | 5 570.6          | 6 953.4          | 3 915.8          | 4 585.6          | 4 738.5          | 4 611.2          | 4 022.0          |
| Estonia                        | ..               | ..               | ..               | 28.1             | 24.6             | ..               | ..               | ..               | 280.6            | 226.7            |
| Finland                        | 4 123.4          | 3 852.2          | 4 031.1          | 3 360.5          | 2 807.0          | 5 075.8          | 5 641.9          | 6 857.8          | 5 320.7          | 4 313.5          |
| France                         | 62 162.3         | 63 816.4         | 62 411.8         | 57 188.7         | 43 388.6         | 55 368.6         | 49 867.4         | 47 563.8         | 41 888.0         | 44 529.8         |
| Germany                        | 65 704.2         | 52 851.2         | 47 573.8         | 46 258.7         | 51 376.9         | 96 191.4         | 91 401.2         | 90 309.8         | 71 142.4         | 75 388.6         |
| Greece                         | 39.7             | 33.4             | 66.3             | 62.8             | 121.8            | 3 215.1          | 2 378.4          | 2 482.4          | 1 980.2          | 1 165.8          |
| Hungary                        | 998.1            | 793.3            | 440.9            | 634.7            | 435.2            | 5 726.5          | 3 490.4          | 3 930.3          | 5 947.4          | 4 557.0          |
| Iceland                        | 184.0            | 563.6            | 648.3            | 610.6            | 1 129.5          | 63.3             | 57.1             | 63.4             | 152.3            | 712.4            |
| Ireland                        | 28 508.7         | 29 474.8         | 31 455.1         | 28 106.6         | 29 332.9         | 18 106.8         | 16 992.6         | 17 581.0         | 15 205.8         | 16 661.9         |
| Israel <sup>1</sup>            | ..               | ..               | ..               | 2 818.0          | 2 953.4          | ..               | ..               | ..               | 789.7            | 638.6            |
| Italy                          | 3 783.3          | 4 138.9          | 4 070.0          | 4 742.1          | 4 676.2          | 31 530.9         | 27 903.6         | 25 509.3         | 29 627.2         | 25 577.7         |
| Japan                          | 12 704.2         | 12 429.3         | 15 686.5         | 16 906.7         | 14 174.9         | 4 913.9          | 7 406.6          | 8 788.4          | 10 143.0         | 9 900.3          |
| Korea                          | 376.9            | 1 212.2          | 1 331.2          | 740.2            | 760.4            | 6 936.5          | 4 781.9          | 4 209.8          | 6 628.8          | 7 169.7          |
| Luxembourg                     | 74 745.8         | 68 385.3         | 70 900.4         | 70 678.8         | 75 121.8         | 47 891.8         | 60 178.5         | 66 058.2         | 73 039.8         | 74 694.3         |
| Mexico                         | 212.0            | 275.6            | 528.7            | 228.5            | 269.4            | 5 654.3          | 5 044.9          | 5 394.0          | 12 502.7         | 10 874.4         |
| Netherlands                    | -                | ..               | ..               | ..               | ..               | -                | ..               | ..               | ..               | ..               |
| New Zealand                    | 67.7             | 45.9             | 76.4             | 88.2             | 14.2             | 2 324.4          | 2 211.4          | 2 096.2          | 1 356.2          | 1 380.8          |
| Norway                         | 5 757.4          | 10 703.6         | 13 843.8         | 5 785.7          | 4 674.9          | 2 825.0          | 3 106.3          | 3 835.2          | 2 640.3          | 2 693.0          |
| Poland                         | 116.3            | 169.8            | 384.7            | 1 630.1          | 295.3            | 12 788.1         | 12 455.7         | 12 456.4         | 10 908.6         | 10 023.3         |
| Portugal                       | 1 355.8          | 823.9            | 992.7            | 720.2            | 715.0            | 4 535.5          | 3 519.6          | 3 743.0          | 3 713.3          | 3 307.0          |
| Slovak Republic                | -269.4           | -26.4            | 14.4             | 16.0             | 9.1              | 428.4            | 1 280.4          | 770.8            | 649.4            | 970.2            |
| Slovenia                       | ..               | ..               | ..               | 14.7             | 5.2              | ..               | ..               | ..               | 125.6            | 58.3             |
| Spain                          | 36 056.1         | 12 665.9         | 12 318.1         | 5 888.6          | 3 747.4          | 42 483.3         | 38 353.8         | 38 155.9         | 26 550.0         | 24 520.7         |
| Sweden                         | 6 481.7          | 8 755.2          | 12 024.2         | 10 773.7         | 9 840.7          | 8 650.1          | 8 188.8          | 7 060.9          | 7 191.3          | 5 474.1          |
| Switzerland                    | 25 586.6         | 19 496.3         | 30 818.3         | 38 782.7         | 47 436.5         | 63 082.4         | 60 853.4         | 78 487.3         | 92 403.8         | 91 888.6         |
| Turkey                         | 931.8            | 1 334.6          | 1 445.0          | 1 472.5          | 2 380.8          | 5 570.4          | 5 505.6          | 5 241.3          | 4 841.0          | 5 218.9          |
| United Kingdom                 | 127 224.7        | 86 222.7         | 76 461.6         | 74 800.9         | 59 171.0         | 138 255.2        | 121 328.3        | 126 581.2        | 125 570.6        | 133 259.1        |
| United States                  | 139 153.1        | 139 208.9        | 121 543.0        | 92 031.0         | 81 395.1         | 95 886.7         | 99 644.3         | 110 600.8        | 93 106.6         | 97 073.8         |
| OECD - unallocated             | -                | -                | -                | -                | -                | -                | -                | -                | -                | -                |
| <b>EUROPE</b>                  | <b>549 826.1</b> | <b>435 817.6</b> | <b>488 315.8</b> | <b>452 916.9</b> | <b>465 814.8</b> | <b>694 638.0</b> | <b>636 901.5</b> | <b>742 975.1</b> | <b>742 286.2</b> | <b>748 387.3</b> |
| Europe (excl. OECD countries)  | <b>10 033.8</b>  | <b>10 955.5</b>  | <b>58 147.2</b>  | <b>53 404.6</b>  | <b>63 775.9</b>  | <b>21 567.7</b>  | <b>17 527.1</b>  | <b>101 247.7</b> | <b>113 467.4</b> | <b>112 953.4</b> |
| <i>of which:</i>               |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Bulgaria                       | 2.9              | 5.6              | 13.0             | 16.0             | 9.1              | 281.2            | 208.8            | 210.3            | 172.4            | 273.3            |
| Cyprus                         | 750.8            | 695.9            | 1 227.5          | 1 734.4          | 4 063.5          | 1 575.1          | 1 427.9          | 3 055.8          | 3 226.9          | 3 480.6          |
| Romania                        | 28.0             | 20.9             | 44.7             | 18.7             | 7.8              | 2 342.1          | 1 189.9          | 1 821.1          | 1 619.5          | 1 747.4          |
| Russian Federation             | 353.3            | 423.1            | 499.9            | 438.3            | 567.4            | 13 269.5         | 10 127.4         | 9 492.9          | 9 275.8          | 8 446.9          |
| Ukraine                        | 5.9              | 11.1             | .. <sup>c</sup>  | .. <sup>c</sup>  | .. <sup>c</sup>  | 875.9            | 548.3            | 710.3            | 688.1            | 768.1            |
| <b>AFRICA</b>                  | <b>265.0</b>     | <b>1 379.2</b>   | <b>1 530.0</b>   | <b>1 423.0</b>   | <b>1 621.8</b>   | <b>14 673.9</b>  | <b>14 662.9</b>  | <b>12 721.5</b>  | <b>14 476.2</b>  | <b>17 072.5</b>  |
| <i>of which:</i>               |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Algeria                        | -                | ..               | ..               | ..               | ..               | 33.9             | ..               | ..               | ..               | ..               |
| Egypt                          | 13.2             | 18.1             | 27.4             | 26.7             | 15.5             | 287.1            | 318.7            | 247.8            | 303.3            | 290.2            |
| Libya                          | -                | ..               | ..               | ..               | ..               | -                | ..               | ..               | ..               | ..               |
| Morocco                        | 2.9              | 1.4              | 2.9              | 1.3              | 1.3              | 881.8            | 835.0            | 230.5            | 197.8            | 161.9            |
| South Africa                   | 25.0             | 32.0             | 28.8             | 61.5             | 67.4             | 1 523.6          | 1 491.9          | 1 841.2          | 2 036.3          | 2 025.9          |
| Tunisia                        | 1.5              | .. <sup>c</sup>  | ..               | ..               | ..               | 153.1            | 123.9            | ..               | ..               | ..               |
| <b>AMERICA</b>                 | <b>192 238.5</b> | <b>181 409.4</b> | <b>168 474.3</b> | <b>135 761.6</b> | <b>122 029.8</b> | <b>158 877.8</b> | <b>162 620.1</b> | <b>184 910.0</b> | <b>183 490.1</b> | <b>192 339.4</b> |
| America (excl. OECD countries) | <b>51 101.0</b>  | <b>40 047.5</b>  | <b>42 346.9</b>  | <b>39 032.6</b>  | <b>36 011.7</b>  | <b>30 638.8</b>  | <b>23 283.1</b>  | <b>34 263.1</b>  | <b>44 058.0</b>  | <b>49 549.2</b>  |
| <i>of which:</i>               |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Argentina                      | 29.4             | 89.1             | 33.1             | 21.4             | 16.8             | 1 720.9          | 1 866.3          | 1 723.1          | 1 242.7          | 1 862.7          |
| Brazil                         | 1 267.5          | 438.4            | -90.8            | -136.3           | 19.4             | 17 020.4         | 8 673.1          | 11 017.1         | 10 839.1         | 13 822.5         |
| Colombia                       | 50.1             | 39.0             | 60.5             | .. <sup>c</sup>  | .. <sup>c</sup>  | 507.9            | 349.3            | 414.9            | 451.6            | 287.6            |
| Panama                         | 91.3             | ..               | ..               | ..               | ..               | 66.2             | ..               | ..               | ..               | ..               |
| Peru                           | 8.8              | 12.5             | .. <sup>c</sup>  | .. <sup>c</sup>  | .. <sup>c</sup>  | 257.6            | 267.2            | 285.3            | 160.3            | 90.7             |
| Uruguay                        | 35.3             | 100.2            | 47.5             | 30.7             | 25.9             | 200.2            | 189.3            | 100.9            | 92.2             | 119.2            |
| Venezuela                      | 11.8             | 8.4              | 11.5             | 21.4             | 2.6              | 609.4            | 764.0            | 877.4            | 705.5            | 1 049.2          |
| <b>ASIA</b>                    | <b>21 820.9</b>  | <b>24 531.5</b>  | <b>28 215.0</b>  | <b>29 939.9</b>  | <b>30 117.9</b>  | <b>59 235.8</b>  | <b>62 595.9</b>  | <b>76 202.3</b>  | <b>82 731.2</b>  | <b>83 033.7</b>  |
| Asia (excl. OECD countries)    | <b>8 739.9</b>   | <b>10 890.0</b>  | <b>11 197.2</b>  | <b>9 474.9</b>   | <b>12 229.3</b>  | <b>47 385.4</b>  | <b>50 407.4</b>  | <b>63 204.1</b>  | <b>65 169.7</b>  | <b>65 325.1</b>  |
| <i>of which:</i>               |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Near and Middle East           | ..               | ..               | ..               | 4 156.9          | 5 923.6          | ..               | ..               | ..               | 7 482.6          | 6 685.2          |
| <i>of which:</i>               |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |                  |
| Kuwait                         | 2.9              | ..               | ..               | ..               | ..               | 91.3             | ..               | ..               | ..               | ..               |

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**Table 2. Foreign direct investment position by country (cont.)**  
At year end

Million US dollars

|                              | Inward           |                      |                      |                      |                      | Outward          |                       |                       |                       |                       |
|------------------------------|------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
|                              | 2007             | 2008                 | 2009                 | 2010                 | 2011                 | 2007             | 2008                  | 2009                  | 2010                  | 2011                  |
| <i>Saudi Arabia</i>          | 66.2             | ..                   | ..                   | ..                   | ..                   | 2 674.8          | ..                    | ..                    | ..                    | ..                    |
| <i>United Arab Emirates</i>  | 2 791.1          | ..                   | ..                   | ..                   | ..                   | 235.5            | ..                    | ..                    | ..                    | ..                    |
| <i>Iran</i>                  | 19.1             | ..                   | ..                   | ..                   | ..                   | 322.4            | ..                    | ..                    | ..                    | ..                    |
| <i>Other Asian countries</i> | 3 958.5          | 4 285.0              | 5 744.1              | 5 318.0              | 6 307.0              | 41 485.2         | 43 194.2              | 54 500.8              | 57 687.1              | 58 639.9              |
| <b>of which:</b>             |                  |                      |                      |                      |                      |                  |                       |                       |                       |                       |
| <i>China</i>                 | 141.3            | 178.1                | 123.9                | 358.1                | 217.6                | 6 428.7          | 7 096.3               | 9 379.1               | 7 577.5               | 7 676.2               |
| <i>Chinese Taipei</i>        | 82.4             | 322.9                | 239.2                | 295.3                | 212.4                | 5 078.7          | 3 035.3               | 1 581.9               | 1 706.3               | 1 321.2               |
| <i>Hong Kong, China</i>      | 1 455.9          | 1 486.3              | 2 107.8              | 1 163.8              | 3 063.5              | 5 652.9          | 6 102.6               | 7 465.8               | 7 850.1               | 7 597.2               |
| <i>India</i>                 | 11.8             | 13.9                 | 13.0                 | 213.8                | 58.3                 | 3 190.0          | 2 698.5               | 2 939.1               | 3 432.7               | 3 365.3               |
| <i>Indonesia</i>             | 329.8            | 119.7                | 147.0                | 140.3                | 156.7                | 918.6            | 1 052.1               | 1 244.8               | 1 408.3               | 2 137.3               |
| <i>Malaysia</i>              | 552.0            | 498.2                | 740.5                | 772.3                | 819.9                | 1 641.4          | 2 068.1               | 2 597.6               | 2 604.2               | 2 510.4               |
| <i>Philippines</i>           | -7.4             | 30.6                 | 110.9                | 172.4                | 182.6                | 1 160.0          | 1 213.6               | 780.9                 | 1 020.8               | 1 111.4               |
| <i>Singapore</i>             | 1 347.0          | 1 554.5              | 2 119.3              | 2 091.1              | 1 467.6              | 11 223.3         | 13 438.2              | 17 383.7              | 20 471.7              | 20 576.4              |
| <i>Thailand</i>              | -17.7            | -                    | 46.1                 | 18.7                 | 31.1                 | 1 400.0          | 1 331.9               | 2 681.2               | 2 032.3               | 2 033.7               |
| <b>UNALLOCATED</b>           | <b>-38.3</b>     | <b>-</b>             | <b>-45 300.4</b>     | <b>-45 112.2</b>     | <b>-53 218.9</b>     | <b>789.0</b>     | <b>-</b>              | <b>-80 606.5</b>      | <b>-94 752.8</b>      | <b>-94 807.0</b>      |
| <b>WORLD</b>                 | <b>766 619.3</b> | <b>645 601.0</b>     | <b>644 303.4</b>     | <b>578 246.9</b>     | <b>569 616.6</b>     | <b>942 084.7</b> | <b>889 887.4</b>      | <b>952 717.2</b>      | <b>944 187.6</b>      | <b>960 331.6</b>      |
| <b>of which:</b>             |                  |                      |                      |                      |                      |                  |                       |                       |                       |                       |
| <i>ASEAN Countries</i>       | 2 217.0          | 2 203.1 <sup>w</sup> | 3 163.8 <sup>w</sup> | 3 194.8 <sup>w</sup> | 2 658.0 <sup>w</sup> | 17 088.1         | 19 469.9 <sup>w</sup> | 24 688.1 <sup>w</sup> | 27 537.4 <sup>w</sup> | 28 369.2 <sup>w</sup> |
| <i>EU</i>                    | 508 173.1        | 393 695.0            | 384 898.4            | 354 699.4            | 350 545.3            | 606 476.9        | 554 067.5             | 560 831.3             | 534 858.4             | 541 467.6             |
| <i>Latin America</i>         | 2 181.7          | 989.5 <sup>w</sup>   | 642.6 <sup>w</sup>   | 221.8 <sup>w</sup>   | 424.9 <sup>w</sup>   | 27 855.1         | 17 965.4 <sup>w</sup> | 20 756.4 <sup>w</sup> | 28 208.2 <sup>w</sup> | 29 457.3 <sup>w</sup> |

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