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Landlocked developing countries

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Foreign direct investment (FDI) overview, selected years

(Millions of dollars and per cent)

FDI flows	2005–2007 (Pre-crisis annual average)	2014	2015	2016	2017	as a percentage of gross fixed capital formation			
						2005–2007 (Pre-crisis annual average)	2015	2016	2017
Landlocked developing countries									
Inward	11 402	28 659	23 688	22 164	22 738	14.3	11.1	11.9	11.6
Outward	1 605	5 746	4 297	- 2 338	3 227	2.3	2.4	-1.5	1.9
<i>Memorandum</i>									
LLCs-Transition economies									
Inward	7 821	18 980	13 201	16 606	10 861	16.8	11.4	20.4	11.4
Outward	1 600	7 113	4 105	-2 545	3 379	4.0	4.7	-3.7	4.6
LLCs-Asia and Oceania									
Inward	721	1 163	1 445	-2 980	2 570	8.4	2.5	-32.2	11.4
Outward	31	119	65	38	79	0.4	-	0.1	0.3
LLCs-LAC									
Inward	247	1 068	860	656	1 080	7.2	7.4	5.5	8.4
Outward	3	68	27	89	80	-	0.2	0.8	0.6
LLCs-Africa									
Inward	2 613	7 448	8 182	7 882	8 227	12.4	13.1	12.6	12.6
Outward	- 29	- 1 553	99	80	- 310	-0.1	0.2	0.1	-0.5
Developing economies *									
Inward	419 061	685 292	744 032	670 158	670 658	11.6	8.0	7.4	7.0
Outward	196 092	457 994	406 237	406 668	380 775	5.4	4.4	4.5	4.0
World *									
Inward	1 415 431	1 338 532	1 921 306	1 867 533	1 429 807	11.4	10.4	10.1	7.4
Outward	1 451 593	1 262 007	1 621 890	1 473 283	1 429 972	11.7	8.8	8.0	7.4
FDI stock									
	1995	2014	2015	2016	2017	as a percentage of gross domestic product			
						1995	2015	2016	2017
Landlocked developing countries									
Inward	14 097	309 154	323 805	346 321	369 652	12.1	45.4	52.3	51.3
Outward	1 237	43 187	48 140	49 496	48 454	2.0	9.4	10.9	9.8
<i>Memorandum</i>									
LLCs-Transition economies									
Inward	4 181	203 988	213 413	230 983	242 462	9.4	56.4	73.2	69.2
Outward	19	38 408	42 894	43 603	43 395	0.1	15.9	21.2	18.7
LLCs-Asia and Oceania									
Inward	277	25 966	27 914	24 914	27 807	3.1	41.5	37.2	38.9
Outward	8	513	579	618	688	0.4	1.3	1.4	1.5
LLCs-LAC									
Inward	2 207	17 491	16 249	16 719	17 776	14.0	26.8	26.8	26.1
Outward	39	983	976	1 041	1 140	0.2	1.6	1.7	1.7
LLCs-Africa									
Inward	7 432	61 709	66 230	73 704	81 607	15.6	31.9	33.9	35.4
Outward	1 172	3 283	3 692	4 235	3 231	4.7	2.6	3.0	2.2
Developing economies *									
Inward	842 659	8 452 641	8 677 872	9 234 028	10 353 481	13.0	29.1	30.9	33.6
Outward	312 372	5 210 405	5 644 300	6 130 830	6 898 384	5.2	19.2	20.9	22.7
World *									
Inward	3 564 636	25 378 774	25 664 955	27 663 091	31 524 356	11.1	34.1	36.3	40.4
Outward	3 993 675	25 128 561	25 514 309	26 825 621	30 837 927	12.8	34.2	35.5	39.8

Cross-border merger and acquisition overview, 2005–2007 average, 2015–2017

(Millions of dollars)

Region/economy	Sales (net)				Purchases (net)			
	2005–2007 (Pre-crisis annual average)	2015	2016	2017	2005–2007 (Pre-crisis annual average)	2015	2016	2017
Landlocked developing countries	661	2 712	590	15	1 211	- 459	138	1
<i>Memorandum</i>								
LLCs-Transition economies	572	2 526	12	10	1 188	- 456	138	- 2
LLCs-Asia and Oceania	- 2	43	4	-	-	-	-	-
LLCs-LAC	- 35	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
LLCs-Africa	127	141	574	5	23	- 3	-	3
Developing economies *	82 005	84 364	75 485	112 350	105 810	131 153	171 139	201 302
World *	729 177	735 126	886 901	693 962	729 177	735 126	886 901	693 962

Announced greenfield investment project overview, 2005–2007 average, 2015–2017

(Millions of dollars)

Region/economy	As destination				As source			
	2005–2007 (Pre-crisis annual average)	2015	2016	2017	2005–2007 (Pre-crisis annual average)	2015	2016	2017
Landlocked developing countries	15 433	31 190	57 180	17 198	1 813	900	2 340	4 402
<i>Memorandum</i>								
LLCs-Transition economies	9 303	13 603	43 793	10 378	1 759	398	1 075	3 856
LLCs-Asia and Oceania	1 775	9 346	2 036	1 474	2	314	502	251
LLCs-LAC	426	2 583	1 664	219	-	22	-	96
LLCs-Africa	3 929	5 657	9 687	5 128	51	166	763	199
Developing economies *	415 395	461 849	514 239	366 504	169 659	263 821	321 658	199 362
World *	748 044	771 989	833 286	720 334	748 044	771 989	833 286	720 334

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