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**Country Fact Sheet: Algeria**

**Foreign direct investment overview, selected years**

(Billions of dollars and percentages)

**Foreign direct investment flows**

	1985-1995					as a percentage of gross fixed capital formation			
	(Annual average)	1996	1997	1998	1999	(Annual average)	1996	1997	1998
<b>Algeria</b>									
<b>Inward</b>	0.009	0.004	0.007	0.005	0.006	0.1	0.034	0.1	0.040
<b>Outward</b>	0.007	..	..	..	..	-	..	..	..
<i>Memorandum</i>									
Morocco									
<b>Inward</b>	0.238	0.357	1.079	0.329	0.847	4.5	5.0	15.6	4.1
<b>Outward</b>	0.012	0.030	0.009	0.020	0.018	0.3	0.4	0.1	0.3
Tunisia									
<b>Inward</b>	0.259	0.351	0.366	0.670	0.368	8.5	7.7	7.8	13.6
<b>Outward</b>	0.002	0.002	0.009	0.002	0.003	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.039
Africa									
<b>Inward</b>	3.486	5.522	6.896	7.519	8.949	4.9	7.6	8.9	8.8
<b>Outward</b>	0.856	-0.043	1.617	0.648	0.935	1.4	- 0.1	2.7	1.0
Developing countries									
<b>Inward</b>	50.1	145.0	178.8	179.5	207.6	5.1	9.1	10.8	11.5
<b>Outward</b>	20.5	57.8	64.3	33.0	65.6	2.2	3.8	3.8	2.4
World									
<b>Inward</b>	182.6	377.5	473.1	680.1	865.5	4.1	5.9	7.5	11.1
<b>Outward</b>	203.1	390.8	471.9	687.1	799.9	4.8	6.2	7.6	11.5

**Foreign direct investment stocks**

	1985-1995					as a percentage of gross domestic product			
	1985	1990	1995	1998	1999	1985	1990	1995	1998
<b>Algeria</b>									
<b>Inward</b>	1.281	1.316	1.377	1.393	1.399	2.2	2.1	3.3	3.0
<b>Outward</b>	0.156	0.183	0.233	0.233	0.233	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.5
<i>Memorandum</i>									
Morocco									
<b>Inward</b>	0.440	0.917	3.034	4.800	5.647	3.4	3.5	9.2	13.3
<b>Outward</b>	..	0.014	0.131	0.190	0.208	..	0.1	0.4	0.5
Tunisia									
<b>Inward</b>	6.876	7.259	11.839	11.878	12.075	83.0	59.0	65.7	59.3
<b>Outward</b>	0.006	0.015	0.030	0.033	0.035	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2
Africa									
<b>Inward</b>	29.240	44.104	66.430	84.372	93.066	9.5	12.4	19.9	21.1
<b>Outward</b>	6.814	12.249	14.499	16.340	16.974	2.8	4.5	5.4	4.8
Developing countries									
<b>Inward</b>	218.1	377.4	739.5	1 241.0	1 438.5	9.1	10.5	13.4	20.0
<b>Outward</b>	32.4	81.9	258.3	403.9	468.7	1.6	2.6	4.9	6.7
World									
<b>Inward</b>	763.4	1 761.2	2 743.4	4 015.3	4 772.0	6.7	8.6	9.6	13.7
<b>Outward</b>	707.1	1 716.4	2 870.6	4 065.8	4 759.3	6.4	8.6	10.2	14.1

## Merger and acquisition overview, selected years

(Millions of dollars)

	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
<b>Algeria</b>					
<b>Sales</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Purchases</b>	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Memorandum</i>					
Morocco					
<b>Sales</b>	-	40.1	578.4	5.2	113.3
<b>Purchases</b>	-	7.5	-	-	-
Tunisia					
<b>Sales</b>	-	-	-	401.9	-
<b>Purchases</b>	10.8	-	-	-	-
Africa					
<b>Sales</b>	200.4	699.6	1 682.3	675.2	591.0
<b>Purchases</b>	52.1	625.4	34.0	163.2	413.9
Developing countries					
<b>Sales</b>	15 965.9	34 699.8	64 573.3	80 755.2	64 550.3
<b>Purchases</b>	12 779.2	28 126.7	32 544.0	19 203.7	41 244.9
World					
<b>Sales</b>	186 592.9	227 022.7	304 847.6	531 648.4	720 109.3
<b>Purchases</b>	186 592.9	227 022.7	304 847.6	531 648.4	720 109.3

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