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Country Fact Sheet: Ecuador

Foreign direct investment overview, selected years

(Billions of dollars and percentages)

Foreign direct investment flows

| | 1985-1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | <i>as a percentage of gross fixed capital formation</i> | | | |
|--|------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---|-------|------|------|
| | (Annual average) | | | | | 1985-1995 | 1996 | 1997 | 1998 |
| | | | | | | (Annual average) | | | |
| Ecuador | | | | | | | | | |
| Inward | 0.229 | 0.491 | 0.695 | 0.831 | 0.636 | 9.2 | 14.5 | 18.5 | 20.1 |
| Outward | - | 0.001 | - | - | - | .. | 0.030 | - | - |
| <i>Memorandum</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| Brazil | | | | | | | | | |
| Inward | 1.838 | 10.496 | 18.743 | 28.480 | 31.397 | 2.2 | 7.0 | 11.7 | 18.4 |
| Outward | 0.479 | 0.520 | 1.660 | 2.609 | 1.401 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 1.0 | 1.7 |
| Colombia | | | | | | | | | |
| Inward | 0.714 | 3.112 | 5.639 | 2.907 | 1.396 | 7.7 | 14.8 | 26.2 | 17.5 |
| Outward | 0.079 | 0.328 | 0.810 | 0.529 | 0.016 | 0.9 | 1.6 | 3.8 | 3.2 |
| Latin America and the Caribbean | | | | | | | | | |
| Inward | 14.8 | 45.9 | 69.2 | 73.8 | 90.5 | 6.0 | 12.3 | 16.2 | 16.6 |
| Outward | 3.0 | 5.8 | 15.1 | 9.4 | 27.3 | 0.9 | 1.5 | 2.6 | 2.8 |
| Developing countries | | | | | | | | | |
| Inward | 50.1 | 145.0 | 178.8 | 179.5 | 207.6 | 5.1 | 9.1 | 10.8 | 11.5 |
| Outward | 20.5 | 57.8 | 64.3 | 33.0 | 65.6 | 2.2 | 3.8 | 3.8 | 2.4 |
| World | | | | | | | | | |
| Inward | 182.6 | 377.5 | 473.1 | 680.1 | 865.5 | 4.1 | 5.9 | 7.5 | 11.1 |
| Outward | 203.1 | 390.8 | 471.9 | 687.1 | 799.9 | 4.8 | 6.2 | 7.6 | 11.5 |

Foreign direct investment stocks

| | 1985 | 1990 | 1995 | 1998 | 1999 | <i>as a percentage of gross domestic product</i> | | | |
|--|-------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--|------|------|------|
| | | | | | | 1985 | 1990 | 1995 | 1998 |
| Ecuador | | | | | | | | | |
| Inward | 1.0 | 1.6 | 3.4 | 5.5 | 6.1 | 8.1 | 15.2 | 19.1 | 28.2 |
| Outward | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| <i>Memorandum</i> | | | | | | | | | |
| Brazil | | | | | | | | | |
| Inward | 25.7 | 37.1 | 42.5 | 132.7 | 164.1 | 11.5 | 8.0 | 6.0 | 17.1 |
| Outward | 1.4 | 2.4 | 5.9 | 10.7 | 12.1 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.8 | 1.4 |
| Colombia | | | | | | | | | |
| Inward | 2.7 | 4.9 | 8.6 | 18.1 | 19.5 | 7.6 | 12.2 | 10.6 | 20.0 |
| Outward | 0.3 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 2.4 | 2.4 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 1.3 | 2.6 |
| Latin America and the Caribbean | | | | | | | | | |
| Inward | 62.9 | 118.3 | 204.9 | 404.6 | 485.6 | 8.6 | 10.5 | 11.9 | 19.5 |
| Outward | 13.8 | 20.4 | 48.2 | 77.4 | 104.6 | 2.0 | 1.9 | 2.4 | 3.3 |
| Developing countries | | | | | | | | | |
| Inward | 218.1 | 377.4 | 739.5 | 1 241.0 | 1 438.5 | 9.1 | 10.5 | 13.4 | 20.0 |
| Outward | 32.4 | 81.9 | 258.3 | 403.9 | 468.7 | 1.6 | 2.6 | 4.9 | 6.7 |
| World | | | | | | | | | |
| Inward | 763.4 | 1 761.2 | 2 743.4 | 4 015.3 | 4 772.0 | 6.7 | 8.6 | 9.6 | 13.7 |
| Outward | 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 |
|---------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Ecuador | | | | | |
| Sales | 34.7 | 105.0 | 26.6 | 78.8 | 214.0 |
| Purchases | 50.3 | 44.8 | - | - | - |
| <i>Memorandum</i> | | | | | |
| Brazil | | | | | |
| Sales | 1 760.5 | 6 535.9 | 12 064.2 | 29 375.7 | 9 396.1 |
| Purchases | 379.3 | 1 166.9 | 2 357.0 | 3 517.2 | 1 900.6 |
| Colombia | | | | | |
| Sales | 67.1 | 2 399.3 | 2 515.9 | 1 779.8 | 48.0 |
| Purchases | 90.5 | 271.5 | 157.4 | 435.9 | 4.1 |
| Latin America and the Caribbean | | | | | |
| Sales | 8 636.4 | 20 507.9 | 41 102.6 | 63 922.6 | 37 165.5 |
| Purchases | 3 950.7 | 8 354.3 | 10 719.8 | 12 640.0 | 24 938.8 |
| Developing countries | | | | | |
| Sales | 15 965.9 | 34 699.8 | 64 573.3 | 80 755.2 | 64 550.3 |
| Purchases | 12 779.2 | 28 126.7 | 32 544.0 | 19 203.7 | 41 244.9 |
| World | | | | | |
| Sales | 186 592.9 | 227 022.7 | 304 847.6 | 531 648.4 | 720 109.3 |
| Purchases | 186 592.9 | 227 022.7 | 304 847.6 | 531 648.4 | 720 109.3 |

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