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Table 1. FDI flows in the host economy, by geographical origin

(Millions of US dollars)

Region / economy	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
World	5 060	3 434	5 152	4 945	8 067	9 501	11 359	8 455	4 854	9 147	8 869	10 746
Developed economies	2 705	1 946	3 423	4 282	4 449	5 315	7 382	4 593	2 013	5 757	3 202	9 296
Europe	342	- 150	741	873	682	2 553	1 722	1 115	1 015	1 287	1 136	2 447
European Union	287	- 198	617	706	571	2 205	1 721	649	993	1 133	642	1 977
Austria	9	18	1	12	25	71	- 20	21	10	12	18	22
Belgium	- 35	56	- 3	92	113	67	28	20	3	6	40	180
Cyprus	-	-	-	1	-	1	50	- 49	2	4	4	3
Czech Republic	- 2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Denmark	10	10	13	22	14	77	54	115	93	140	373	- 206
Finland	1	46	9	40	- 54	- 49	7	2	6	15	13	- 4
France	110	10	10	- 177	41	43	91	3	21	239	270	165
Germany	98	71	210	272	311	401	88	- 270	28	83	190	233
Greece	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ireland	50	53	8	- 42	65	39	7	59	- 18	- 29	- 12	17
Italy	6	8	7	18	2	11	9	- 3	9	15	22	28
Latvia	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Luxembourg	- 18	- 14	11	5	24	12	6	66	96	193	- 9	- 30
Malta	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	- 308	- 743	284	173	- 95	934	375	427	564	471	- 25	1 979
Spain	2	1	1	1	- 30	52	177	125	125	46	- 188	- 472
Sweden	70	26	47	20	9	60	112	7	39	45	105	27
United Kingdom	293	260	16	265	147	467	728	110	10	- 120	- 172	31
Other developed Europe	56	48	124	167	112	348	2	466	22	154	494	470
Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-	12	80	- 165	3	- 52	-	2	6
Switzerland	56	48	124	167	100	268	167	463	74	153	492	464
North America	408	203	358	567	755	87	1 388	156	- 495	1 034	1 055	888
Canada	6	15	21	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United States	402	188	337	538	755	87	1 388	156	- 495	1 034	1 055	888
Other developed countries	1 954	1 893	2 324	2 843	3 012	2 675	4 272	3 322	1 493	3 436	1 010	5 960
Australia	-	- 0	32	98	- 1	49	80	84	63	87	106	148
Bermuda	-	-	-	-	- 42	269	775	41	58	- 19	26	- 8
Japan	1 954	1 894	2 291	2 745	3 053	2 348	3 414	3 196	1 368	3 364	872	5 816
New Zealand	-	-	-	-	2	9	3	1	3	3	7	5
Developing economies	2 066	1 714	1 784	1 040	2 088	4 552	3 716	3 671	2 668	2 567	3 724	1 018
Africa	-	-	-	-	- 46	444	125	345	125	226	360	- 87
Other Africa	-	-	-	-	- 46	444	125	345	125	226	360	- 87
Mauritius	-	-	-	-	- 46	444	125	345	125	226	360	- 87
Asia	2 066	1 714	1 784	1 040	1 533	3 632	2 474	1 948	1 668	2 008	1 798	1 454
East Asia	356	304	720	352	77	269	184	1 095	128	767	1 183	1 487
China	- 2	21	24	- 4	12	29	88	16	25	716	317	569
Hong Kong, China	151	86	600	138	8	195	54	1 009	- 51	- 130	548	397
Korea, Republic of	51	94	23	94	30	100	40	99	110	177	235	355
Taiwan Province of China	157	104	74	125	27	- 54	3	- 29	43	4	83	166
South-East Asia	1 710	1 410	1 064	687	1 451	3 305	2 213	902	1 466	1 247	567	- 89
Brunei Darussalam	-	-	-	2	5	2	- 4	2	- 11	-	1	-
Cambodia	1	1	5	3	-	2	1	1	6	5	1	5
Indonesia	3	7	7	6	1	- 4	4	7	- 5	4	16	119
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	-	-	-	-	- 6	34	37	- 75	-	-	1	1
Malaysia	10	- 33	43	146	38	396	- 429	185	742	324	- 104	465
Myanmar	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	17	1	-	- 4	-
Philippines	3	-	5	184	- 6	1	24	31	17	6	7	15
Singapore	1 693	1 430	1 003	344	1 418	2 881	2 580	732	715	908	648	- 700
Viet Nam	-	2	-	1	-	- 8	-	1	1	-	1	6

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Region / economy	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
South Asia	-	-	-	-	3	-1	41	-103	10	-0	40	37
India	-	-	-	-	3	-2	40	-103	9	-1	39	37
Iran, Islamic Republic of	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-
West Asia	-	-	-	-	3	59	35	54	64	-6	8	19
Kuwait	-	-	-	-	-	18	1	13	-	2	1	-4
Oman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Qatar	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	2	1	3	2	1
Saudi Arabia	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	-	3	33	24	30	44	-16	-8	15
Latin America and the Caribbean	-	-	-	-	600	444	1 121	882	840	295	1 413	-289
Central America	-	-	-	-	27	947	219	-208	89	-52	10	4
Panama	-	-	-	-	27	947	219	-208	89	-52	10	4
Caribbean	-	-	-	-	573	-503	902	1 090	751	347	1 403	-293
Bahamas	-	-	-	-	199	49	57	-6	-575	-24	-	1
British Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	527	-707	236	-21	1 077	101	537	246
Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-	-153	155	609	1 117	250	269	866	-539
Oceania	-	-	-	-	-	32	-3	497	34	38	154	-59
Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	32	-3	497	34	38	154	-59
Transition economies	-	-	-	-	-	3	6	16	12	21	7	57
CIS	-	-	-	-	-	3	6	16	12	21	7	57
Russian Federation	-	-	-	-	-	3	6	16	12	21	7	57
Unspecified	290	-226	-55	-377	1 530	-368	255	175	162	802	1 936	375

Source: UNCTAD FDI/TNC database, based on data from the Bank of Thailand.

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Table 2. FDI flows abroad, by geographical destination

(Millions of US dollars)

Region / economy	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
World	183	157	377	393	529	968	3 003	4 057	4 172	4 467	3 976	12 622
Developed economies	28	14	87	36	164	21	639	- 678	404	296	790	4 492
Europe	26	- 26	40	30	- 95	27	353	- 58	53	473	138	1 942
European Union	26	- 26	28	8	- 92	40	355	- 73	44	447	177	1 862
Austria	- 1	- 1	- 5	- 6	-	4	- 4	-	- 4	- 4	-	-
Belgium	-	1	-	-	2	6	27	-	13	61	- 36	9
Denmark	-	-	-	-	-	- 1	- 1	- 4	-	2	-	9
Finland	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
France	-	-	-	-	- 1	12	-	6	1	10	- 14	33
Germany	25	- 23	-	- 2	- 12	- 1	6	27	- 1	- 5	-	835
Ireland	-	-	-	-	- 93	- 13	-	-	-	64	- 65	-
Italy	-	-	-	- 3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lithuania	-	-	-	9	- 3	8	8	91	45	93	5	83
Luxembourg	-	5	20	- 1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	- 1	- 6	3	-	-	-	22	13	- 66	25	264	278
Romania	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
United Kingdom	3	- 2	8	9	5	23	278	- 290	59	175	-	564
Other developed Europe	-	-	13	22	- 3	- 13	- 2	14	8	26	- 39	80
Switzerland	-	-	13	22	- 3	- 13	- 2	14	8	26	- 39	80
North America	3	35	37	2	357	- 33	239	- 894	- 175	297	333	1 156
Canada	-	-	-	1	- 1	3	7	3	9	336	193	121
United States	3	34	36	1	358	- 35	232	- 897	- 184	- 39	140	1 036
Other developed countries	-	5	10	4	- 98	27	47	274	527	- 474	319	1 393
Australia	-	2	4	3	- 4	29	10	37	33	- 191	473	515
Japan	- 1	3	6	1	- 95	- 2	38	237	494	- 283	- 154	878
Developing economies	129	85	243	207	194	1 046	2 055	4 526	3 478	3 433	3 174	7 248
Africa	-	-	-	-	- 1	103	425	773	- 21	72	490	576
North Africa	-	-	-	-	- 1	- 2	422	- 14	- 31	11	- 6	- 120
Egypt	-	-	-	-	- 1	- 2	422	- 14	- 31	11	- 6	- 120
Other Africa	-	-	-	-	-	106	3	787	10	61	496	695
Mauritius	-	-	-	-	-	106	3	787	10	61	496	695
Asia	129	85	243	207	108	679	1 422	3 334	2 345	3 402	996	5 079
East Asia	22	29	70	31	90	80	604	431	907	450	- 236	2 495
China	13	14	64	51	83	69	298	142	660	- 43	- 52	581
Hong Kong, China	8	13	8	- 23	7	23	300	248	255	493	- 74	1 811
Korea, Republic of	- 2	1	1	1	- 1	1	-	19	-	-	- 76	70
Taiwan Province of China	3	1	- 3	1	-	- 12	5	22	- 7	-	- 33	33
South-East Asia	107	57	173	176	5	580	759	2 897	1 395	2 776	1 189	2 370
Cambodia	2	-	2	2	- 12	33	26	39	- 51	6	- 44	113
Indonesia	1	4	15	19	- 104	11	- 39	122	64	55	442	564
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	- 15	-	1	1	- 68	20	39	192	180	96	- 196	262
Malaysia	2	- 1	3	2	5	50	150	293	322	263	55	338
Myanmar	73	-	84	71	112	83	425	1 573	1 324	172	338	324
Philippines	- 20	- 3	28	31	10	- 6	20	4	3	42	- 60	41
Singapore	50	51	20	14	-	336	99	490	- 512	2 009	390	467
Viet Nam	13	6	19	35	62	53	38	183	64	134	265	259
South Asia	-	-	-	-	12	14	54	8	38	76	46	196
Bangladesh	-	-	-	-	1	9	7	6	14	23	25	30
India	-	-	-	-	11	5	47	3	24	53	21	166
West Asia	-	-	-	-	-	5	4	- 3	4	99	- 2	19
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	-	-	5	4	- 3	4	99	- 2	19
Latin America and the Caribbean	-	-	-	-	88	264	208	419	1 154	- 41	1 687	1 593
Caribbean	-	-	-	-	88	264	208	419	1 154	- 41	1 687	1 593
British Virgin Islands	-	-	-	-	98	106	10	123	184	- 264	6	- 1
Cayman Islands	-	-	-	-	- 10	157	198	296	970	223	1 681	1 594
Unspecified	26	58	47	149	171	- 99	309	209	290	739	13	882

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World	25 508	29 708	40 935	44 638	46 879	80 542	96 561	96 643	110 070	142 498	159 343	185 689
Developed economies	17 679	20 462	26 313	29 851	32 096	53 685	63 871	65 989	71 004	87 113	93 212	110 002
Europe	5 054	5 828	8 056	7 957	8 250	15 533	19 483	19 869	22 538	27 526	29 325	33 808
European Union	4 724	5 371	7 491	7 361	7 498	14 228	18 201	18 134	20 641	24 999	26 269	30 241
Austria	-	-	-	-	-	120	112	126	315	172	317	325
Belgium	491	723	948	296	283	391	446	341	404	356	551	743
Cyprus	-	-	-	-	-	3	55	9	17	24	26	30
Denmark	-	-	-	-	-	227	293	396	485	690	1 025	836
Finland	-	-	-	-	-	97	125	118	140	173	181	194
France	600	640	920	653	778	1 729	1 991	1 882	1 875	2 891	3 275	4 191
Germany	660	744	866	979	1 203	2 476	3 046	2 540	2 684	2 995	3 516	3 744
Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	122	151	198	212	201	200	230
Italy	-	-	-	-	-	63	65	55	108	135	193	230
Luxembourg	-	-	-	-	-	62	67	191	264	452	440	421
Netherlands	1 992	2 034	3 438	4 130	3 861	4 821	6 362	6 340	7 402	9 455	9 665	12 241
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	86	277	372	550	644	491	331
Sweden	-	-	-	-	-	184	297	338	399	492	568	616
United Kingdom	981	1 230	1 319	1 303	1 373	3 819	4 880	5 183	5 720	6 238	5 735	6 022
Other developed Europe	330	457	565	596	752	1 305	1 282	1 735	1 897	2 527	3 056	3 567
Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-	-	169	8	18	29	34	34	44
Switzerland	330	457	565	596	752	1 135	1 274	1 717	1 869	2 493	3 022	3 524
North America	3 691	3 614	4 511	5 260	5 825	9 130	9 753	9 353	10 479	13 147	14 753	17 035
United States	3 691	3 614	4 511	5 260	5 825	9 130	9 753	9 353	10 479	13 147	14 753	17 035
Other developed countries	8 934	11 020	13 746	16 634	18 021	29 022	34 635	36 768	37 987	46 441	49 133	59 159
Australia	272	153	316	361	315	640	665	641	864	998	1 004	1 284
Bermuda	-	-	-	-	-	718	1 496	1 481	260	269	219	200
Japan	8 662	10 867	13 430	16 273	17 706	27 647	32 455	34 628	36 832	45 135	47 868	57 627
New Zealand	-	-	-	-	-	16	20	18	31	38	42	48
Developing economies	6 443	7 678	12 551	12 998	13 060	25 474	31 463	29 631	36 998	52 168	61 036	69 652
Africa	-	-	-	-	-	549	842	1 012	1 236	7 185	4 729	4 513
Other Africa	-	-	-	-	-	549	842	1 012	1 236	7 185	4 729	4 513
Mauritius	-	-	-	-	-	549	842	1 012	1 236	7 185	4 729	4 513
Asia	4 979	5 984	9 535	10 379	10 586	20 034	23 999	21 707	28 004	36 451	44 819	54 151
East Asia	2 146	3 031	3 873	3 751	4 008	6 690	7 459	7 417	8 821	11 575	12 599	15 481
China	-	-	-	-	-	370	389	459	552	1 331	1 904	2 527
Hong Kong, China	1 084	1 818	2 703	2 635	2 855	4 374	4 937	5 428	5 973	7 351	7 404	8 900
Korea, Republic of	207	274	276	324	337	556	644	687	1 023	1 349	1 680	2 139
Taiwan Province of China	855	939	894	792	816	1 390	1 489	842	1 273	1 544	1 611	1 915
South-East Asia	2 833	2 953	5 662	6 628	6 578	13 207	16 207	14 090	18 796	24 296	31 565	37 919
Brunei Darussalam	-	-	-	-	-	14	11	13	8	10	11	12
Cambodia	-	-	-	-	-	4	5	5	15	20	21	32
Indonesia	-	-	-	-	-	59	76	75	90	101	227	355
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	-	-	-	-	-	1	29	1	4	5	5	5
Malaysia	125	147	323	524	547	1 268	1 106	1 281	2 397	3 263	3 436	3 919
Myanmar	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	17	19	21	17	17
Philippines	-	-	-	-	-	112	133	149	175	191	238	254
Singapore	2 708	2 806	5 339	6 104	6 031	11 746	14 845	12 546	16 082	20 679	27 604	33 314
Viet Nam	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	5	6	7	12

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Region / economy	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
South Asia	-	-	-	-	-	72	214	88	145	312	383	417
India	-	-	-	-	-	69	210	83	139	305	376	410
Iran, Islamic Republic of	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	4	6	7	7	7
West Asia	-	-	-	-	-	65	118	113	243	269	273	334
Kuwait	-	-	-	-	-	21	18	7	20	32	29	41
Oman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2	2	2
Qatar	-	-	-	-	-	3	10	3	19	23	24	27
Saudi Arabia	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	3	4	5	4	5
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	-	-	25	69	75	145	142	123	158
Latin America and the Caribbean	1 464	1 694	3 016	2 619	2 474	4 837	6 479	6 569	7 453	8 206	11 039	10 587
Central America	117	213	243	542	74	978	1 242	1 016	851	158	162	172
Panama	117	213	243	542	74	978	1 242	1 016	851	158	162	172
Caribbean	1 347	1 481	2 773	2 077	2 400	3 859	5 237	5 553	6 602	8 049	10 876	10 414
Bahamas	-	-	-	-	-	681	665	563	16	4	3	4
British Virgin Islands	620	871	1 011	793	1 423	1 805	2 242	1 818	3 055	3 883	3 643	5 602
Cayman Islands	727	610	1 762	1 284	977	1 373	2 331	3 172	3 531	4 162	7 230	4 808
Oceania	-	-	-	-	-	54	144	343	306	326	449	401
Samoa	-	-	-	-	-	54	144	343	306	326	449	401
Transition economies	-	-	-	-	-	5	11	26	42	69	123	183
CIS	-	-	-	-	-	5	11	26	42	69	123	183
Russian Federation	-	-	-	-	-	5	11	26	42	69	123	183
Unspecified	1 386	1 568	2 071	1 789	1 723	1 378	1 217	997	2 026	3 148	4 972	5 852

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Table 4. FDI stock abroad, by geographical destination

(Millions of US dollars)

Region / economy	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
World	1 764	2 039	2 577	3 024	3 716	8 585	9 450	12 080	17 165	23 570	41 505	56 144
Developed economies	101	108	188	177	295	1 150	1 253	1 549	2 803	3 331	8 274	12 881
Europe	9	11	113	99	103	366	650	701	947	1 497	2 837	4 869
European Union	8	9	32	42	51	305	593	650	892	1 412	2 643	4 595
Austria	6	6	18	25	28	21	18	18	15	12	12	12
Belgium	-	-	-	-	-	21	39	38	52	119	149	160
Denmark	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	2	12
France	-	-	-	-	-	4	19	34	16	26	86	118
Germany	-	-	-	-	-	48	23	23	40	36	200	1 056
Ireland	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	65	-	-
Lithuania	-	-	-	-	-	30	38	119	162	275	310	404
Netherlands	-	-	-	-	-	3	35	88	152	188	575	872
United Kingdom	2	3	14	17	23	103	343	246	313	525	1 024	1 623
Other developed Europe	1	2	81	57	52	61	56	51	54	85	194	274
Switzerland	1	2	81	57	52	61	56	51	54	85	194	274
North America	92	97	75	78	192	481	437	568	864	806	2 648	3 882
Canada	-	-	-	-	-	10	17	22	31	48	318	440
United States	92	97	75	78	192	472	420	546	833	758	2 330	3 443
Other developed countries	-	-	-	-	-	303	167	279	993	1 028	2 789	4 131
Australia	-	-	-	-	-	42	37	37	46	230	984	1 480
Japan	-	-	-	-	-	261	130	243	947	799	1 805	2 651
Developing economies	1 575	1 784	2 269	2 680	3 244	7 205	7 884	9 976	13 523	18 647	29 669	37 754
Africa	2	2	36	93	88	226	721	790	1 087	1 239	1 633	2 316
North Africa	-	-	-	-	-	12	513	477	465	510	293	174
Egypt	-	-	-	-	-	12	513	477	465	510	293	174
Other Africa	2	2	36	93	88	214	209	313	622	729	1 341	2 142
Mauritius	2	2	36	93	88	214	209	313	622	729	1 341	2 142
Asia	1 199	1 388	1 797	2 112	2 597	5 226	5 250	6 834	9 127	13 702	22 609	28 366
East Asia	404	461	475	523	580	1 674	1 856	2 107	2 806	3 756	6 882	9 813
China	265	316	320	359	433	789	1 126	1 214	1 917	1 955	3 292	4 116
Hong Kong, China	139	145	155	164	147	718	669	832	834	1 741	3 251	5 274
Korea, Republic of	-	-	-	-	-	11	3	1	-	1	160	209
Taiwan Province of China	-	-	-	-	-	156	58	60	54	58	178	213
South-East Asia	788	904	1 289	1 545	1 935	3 415	3 182	4 504	6 025	9 434	14 751	17 406
Cambodia	15	14	20	23	30	134	146	152	177	175	365	452
Indonesia	21	28	46	59	118	347	181	204	268	440	1 605	2 193
Lao People's Dem. Rep.	-	-	-	-	-	49	142	294	552	745	847	1 009
Malaysia	44	44	46	54	77	332	547	883	1 221	1 520	2 110	2 478
Myanmar	188	279	386	462	564	850	259	381	518	700	1 197	1 527
Philippines	82	68	139	157	171	193	217	195	196	259	482	492
Singapore	262	283	429	532	682	1 139	1 323	1 935	2 497	4 862	6 551	7 405
Viet Nam	176	188	223	258	293	372	366	460	598	733	1 593	1 850
South Asia	7	23	33	44	82	136	197	202	270	377	752	897
Bangladesh	-	-	-	-	-	32	30	34	64	96	121	155
India	7	23	33	44	82	104	167	168	206	282	631	742
West Asia	-	-	-	-	-	1	15	21	25	135	224	250
United Arab Emirates	-	-	-	-	-	1	15	21	25	135	224	250
Latin America and the Caribbean	374	394	436	475	559	1 752	1 912	2 352	3 309	3 706	5 427	7 072
Caribbean	374	394	436	475	559	1 752	1 912	2 352	3 309	3 706	5 427	7 072
British Virgin Islands	286	300	346	357	459	599	614	757	1 051	1 011	1 379	1 618
Cayman Islands	88	94	90	118	100	1 154	1 298	1 595	2 258	2 695	4 048	5 453
Unspecified	88	147	120	167	177	230	314	556	840	1 591	3 562	5 509

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