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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)	2012	2013	2014	2015	as a percentage of gross fixed capital formation			
						2005–2007 (Pre-crisis annual average)	2013	2014	2015
Israel									
Inward	9 337	8 468	12 449	6 739	11 566	30.5	21.1	11.4	21.1
Outward	8 996	3 256	5 502	3 667	9 743	29.4	9.3	6.2	17.8
<i>Memorandum</i>									
Egypt									
Inward	8 999	6 031	4 256	4 612	6 885	32.3	11.4	12.1	15.2
Outward	302	211	301	253	182	1.1	0.8	0.7	0.4
Turkey									
Inward	17 421	13 284	12 284	12 134	16 508	14.6	7.3	7.6	11.1
Outward	1 365	4 105	3 527	6 658	4 778	1.1	2.1	4.1	3.2
United States									
Inward	185 953	188 427	211 501	106 614	379 894	6.0	6.6	3.2	10.8
Outward	211 035	318 197	307 927	316 549	299 969	6.8	9.7	9.4	8.5
Europe									
Inward	653 701	483 195	323 366	305 988	503 569	17.8	8.6	7.9	14.6
Outward	895 480	411 395	319 734	311 033	576 254	24.4	8.5	8.0	16.7
Developed economies									
Inward	939 171	787 359	680 275	522 043	962 496	11.2	7.6	5.7	11.2
Outward	1 217 892	917 783	825 948	800 727	1 065 192	14.5	9.2	8.7	12.3
World *									
Inward	1 418 164	1 510 918	1 427 181	1 276 999	1 762 155	11.6	7.8	6.7	9.9
Outward	1 445 276	1 308 820	1 310 618	1 318 470	1 474 242	11.8	7.2	7.0	8.3
FDI stock						as a percentage of gross domestic product			
	1995	2012	2013	2014	2015	1995	2013	2014	2015
Israel									
Inward	5 893	76 527	88 161	93 279	104 370	5.9	30.1	30.5	35.3
Outward	3 283	71 172	76 726	79 686	89 347	3.3	26.2	26.1	30.2
<i>Memorandum</i>									
Egypt									
Inward	14 690	78 643	82 893	87 485	94 266	23.2	29.0	29.0	28.5
Outward	350	6 995	7 296	7 549	7 731	0.6	2.6	2.5	2.3
Turkey									
Inward	14 933	190 159	149 784	177 661	145 471	6.6	18.2	22.3	19.8
Outward	1 418	30 968	33 329	39 569	44 656	0.6	4.0	5.0	6.1
United States									
Inward	1 005 726	3 915 538	4 954 713	5 390 081	5 587 969	13.1	29.7	31.1	31.1
Outward	1 363 792	5 222 873	6 291 370	6 285 320	5 982 787	17.8	37.8	36.2	33.3
Europe									
Inward	1 405 636	8 830 808	9 232 230	9 055 249	8 782 483	13.3	47.9	45.7	50.7
Outward	1 885 877	10 557 817	10 752 218	10 332 475	10 649 249	18.6	56.0	52.3	61.6
Developed economies									
Inward	2 711 006	14 670 753	16 053 786	16 306 910	16 007 398	10.9	35.7	35.6	37.3
Outward	3 677 669	18 358 360	19 817 173	19 436 479	19 440 805	15.1	44.1	42.5	45.3
World *									
Inward	3 565 318	22 639 110	24 532 733	25 112 800	24 983 214	11.2	31.9	31.8	33.6
Outward	3 992 701	22 701 815	24 664 815	24 809 704	25 044 916	12.9	32.3	31.7	34.0

Cross-border merger and acquisition overview, 2005–2007 average, 2013–2015

(Millions of dollars)

Region/economy	Sales (net)				Purchases (net)			
	2005–2007 (Pre-crisis annual average)	2013	2014	2015	2005–2007 (Pre-crisis annual average)	2013	2014	2015
Israel	3 611	3 150	2 232	3 129	6 290	875	1 456	3 519
<i>Memorandum</i>								
Egypt	2 139	1 837	69	442	6 658	-	190	1 672
Turkey	14 565	1 121	2 045	2 981	452	611	398	469
United States	123 609	43 424	17 520	298 739	129 028	59 633	88 973	120 024
Europe	429 893	138 854	216 478	295 090	405 536	- 29 363	56 688	318 047
Developed economies	634 894	230 122	301 171	630 853	604 616	120 683	256 853	585 860
World *	729 177	262 517	432 480	721 455	729 177	262 517	432 480	721 455

Announced greenfield investment project overview, 2005–2007 average, 2013–2015

(Millions of dollars)

Region/economy	As destination				As source			
	2005–2007 (Pre-crisis annual average)	2013	2014	2015	2005–2007 (Pre-crisis annual average)	2013	2014	2015
Israel	2 069	2 419	389	293	4 295	3 326	2 049	2 254
<i>Memorandum</i>								
Egypt	11 608	3 282	18 175	14 636	2 333	1 155	1 723	1 690
Turkey	10 750	21 928	5 633	6 198	2 240	6 598	2 956	2 542
United States	41 184	72 635	59 730	68 127	139 433	138 313	124 077	115 860
Europe	187 273	142 567	127 410	152 580	316 328	303 918	266 289	277 803
Developed economies	276 729	263 256	232 808	261 466	560 534	547 287	487 287	485 585
World *	751 551	830 771	706 049	765 729	751 551	830 771	706 049	765 729

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