



World Investment Report 2017

Investment and the Digital Economy

Country fact sheet: **Australia**

Foreign direct investment (FDI) overview, selected years

(Millions of dollars and per cent)

FDI flows	2005–2007 (Pre-crisis annual average)	2013	2014	2015	2016	as a percentage of gross fixed capital formation			
						2005–2007 (Pre-crisis annual average)	2014	2015	2016
Australia									
Inward	13 166	56 303	40 328	19 477	48 190	5.7	10.3	6.0	15.3
Outward	- 1 293	1 441	306	- 1 672	6 012	- 0.6	-	- 0.5	1.9
<i>Memorandum</i>									
New Zealand									
Inward	2 833	1 862	2 529	- 337	2 292	9.8	5.8	- 0.9	5.4
Outward	777	530	471	90	- 44	2.7	1.1	0.2	- 0.1
United Kingdom									
Inward	169 046	51 676	44 821	33 003	253 826	34.7	9.0	6.8	57.9
Outward	168 515	40 484	- 148 303	- 82 138	- 12 614	34.6	- 29.8	- 16.9	- 2.9
United States									
Inward	185 953	201 393	171 601	348 402	391 104	6.0	5.0	9.7	10.8
Outward	211 035	303 432	292 283	303 177	299 003	6.8	8.6	8.5	8.2
European Union									
Inward	614 125	336 811	256 613	483 839	566 234	17.6	7.1	15.2	17.5
Outward	815 380	340 011	204 344	535 957	470 351	23.4	5.7	16.8	14.6
Developed economies									
Inward	937 212	684 260	563 330	984 105	1 032 373	11.0	6.0	11.2	11.4
Outward	1 222 930	890 920	707 635	1 172 867	1 043 884	14.4	7.5	13.3	11.6
World *									
Inward	1 426 306	1 443 230	1 323 863	1 774 001	1 746 423	11.5	6.8	9.5	9.4
Outward	1 459 237	1 399 483	1 253 159	1 594 317	1 452 463	11.7	6.5	8.6	7.9
FDI stock						as a percentage of gross domestic product			
	1995	2013	2014	2015	2016	1995	2014	2015	2016
Australia									
Inward	111 311	568 839	561 898	535 918	576 037	29.3	38.8	43.6	45.8
Outward	60 484	456 965	446 380	390 266	401 506	15.9	30.8	31.7	31.9
<i>Memorandum</i>									
New Zealand									
Inward	25 728	75 500	76 710	66 839	70 084	41.4	38.5	38.6	38.5
Outward	7 676	18 385	17 996	18 035	17 354	12.3	9.0	10.4	9.5
United Kingdom									
Inward	199 772	1 512 554	1 628 581	1 408 276	1 196 520	15.1	54.2	49.2	45.5
Outward	304 865	1 796 052	1 681 956	1 558 159	1 443 936	23.1	56.0	54.4	54.9
United States									
Inward	1 005 726	4 948 418	5 442 044	5 571 207	6 391 293	13.1	31.3	30.9	34.4
Outward	1 363 792	6 254 171	6 225 124	6 005 747	6 383 751	17.8	35.8	33.3	34.4
European Union									
Inward	1 329 454	8 181 610	7 864 958	7 801 689	7 663 571	13.1	42.3	47.8	46.7
Outward	1 720 699	9 541 383	9 018 265	9 075 772	9 110 741	17.6	48.5	55.6	55.5
Developed economies									
Inward	2 711 006	16 021 692	16 145 256	16 019 692	16 917 253	10.8	35.0	36.9	37.9
Outward	3 677 669	19 984 362	19 297 238	19 187 564	19 961 557	15.0	41.8	44.2	44.8
World *									
Inward	3 565 332	24 602 934	25 107 863	25 190 641	26 728 256	11.1	31.5	33.5	35.0
Outward	3 992 677	24 818 705	24 685 699	24 925 197	26 159 708	12.8	31.3	33.4	34.6

