

FOREIGN INVESTMENT FROM MAJOR COUNTRIES (FOREIGN EQUITY >= 10%)

Unit: Millions of Baht

COUNTRY	NET APPLICATIONS						APPLICATIONS APPROVED						PROMOTION CERTIFICATES ISSUED					
	2008		2008 (Jan.-Oct.)		2009 (Jan.-Oct.)		2008		2008 (Jan.-Oct.)		2009 (Jan.-Oct.)		2008		2008 (Jan.-Oct.)		2009 (Jan.-Oct.)	
	No.	Invest.	No.	Invest.	No.	Invest.	No.	Invest.	No.	Invest.	No.	Invest.	No.	Invest.	No.	Invest.	No.	Invest.
Total Foreign Investment	832	297,461	712	247,961	547	157,401	838	351,142	659	219,724	489	101,973	708	353,538	575	277,453	485	143,071
100% Foreign Investment	458	139,303	402	121,822	291	76,162	496	159,771	409	118,156	283	62,087	385	142,044	315	98,104	259	52,424
Japan	324	102,994	283	73,132	201	52,307	324	106,155	256	60,370	187	44,068	303	128,164	236	103,848	190	56,942
<u>ANIEs</u>																		
Taiwan	45	7,394	43	6,989	31	5,529	47	7,406	38	4,709	25	1,908	41	5,762	35	3,397	28	3,041
Hong Kong	20	4,768	20	5,193	16	2,031	19	5,303	16	4,378	13	921	16	1,999	13	1,338	11	1,377
Korea, South	49	4,308	45	4,314	31	6,013	56	9,273	43	3,306	19	4,764	40	2,895	32	2,611	19	10,163
<u>ASEAN</u>	117	44,635	106	43,941	85	21,325	119	50,407	86	29,342	61	5,283	98	17,483	79	12,474	64	10,541
- Singapore	74	36,606	68	37,466	50	17,030	67	25,334	52	10,456	35	1,921	64	12,446	51	9,724	43	9,038
- Malaysia	40	8,578	34	6,924	29	7,258	46	25,219	28	17,986	21	2,007	33	5,509	26	2,024	18	1,473
- Indonesia	3	595	4	695	4	1,228	2	350	1	200	3	1,331	1	71	1	71	1	5
- Philippines	-	-	-	-	2	3	1	5	1	5	2	3	1	204	1	204	1	2
- Myanmar	1	8	1	8	1	2	3	585	3	585	-	-	3	585	3	585	1	4
PRC.	21	1,505	19	1,454	16	10,174	27	3,474	24	3,343	11	563	16	2,811	10	2,006	17	1,086
India	22	1,588	20	1,561	14	4,622	21	9,592	16	8,357	15	3,293	14	906	14	906	10	2,537
<u>North America</u>																		
U.S.A.	34	7,471	29	7,422	34	25,546	32	8,698	22	6,647	33	22,270	33	70,877	28	55,244	24	3,471
Canada	5	150	3	138	7	1,615	4	141	3	137	7	667	2	530	2	530	5	585
<u>Australia</u>																		
Australia	22	3,330	20	3,653	11	4,372	22	3,195	20	2,469	7	546	17	1,432	15	1,285	10	1,416
New Zealand	4	343	5	477	-	-	5	875	4	213	-	-	6	494	5	470	1	662
<u>European Union</u>	157	65,344	121	60,877	102	15,168	143	48,502	119	36,941	106	12,233	117	42,202	94	20,779	104	34,602
<u>All Europe</u>	170	67,349	131	61,650	114	18,457	160	49,749	132	37,607	117	14,831	125	42,596	102	21,174	117	37,587
- UK	34	4,568	26	4,374	18	1,933	31	9,004	25	4,258	17	1,852	20	1,409	16	1,114	22	4,756
- Germany	33	8,753	26	7,932	13	367	31	2,793	25	2,091	21	1,071	22	6,877	19	6,357	17	653
- Switzerland	8	1,811	6	582	10	3,256	10	979	8	560	9	2,572	5	335	5	335	11	2,968
- France	25	1,832	18	1,674	13	397	24	2,027	21	2,004	16	762	21	1,137	16	718	12	1,340
- Belgium	11	2,372	8	1,929	6	322	10	2,308	8	598	7	405	9	664	7	490	4	358
- Italy	6	676	4	664	5	2,234	7	721	6	719	3	2,065	9	1,646	8	1,029	3	67
- Denmark	9	475	7	430	7	645	7	245	5	85	7	764	8	177	8	177	6	641
- Sweden	7	1,047	4	486	8	599	4	809	4	809	7	311	4	1,010	4	1,010	5	268
- Netherlands	28	44,063	25	41,582	21	7,474	27	30,904	23	26,209	19	3,715	21	29,471	14	10,152	24	20,471
<u>Others of which:</u>																		
Cayman Island	3	15,299	3	15,299	4	2,449	1	28	1	28	1	79	3	15,299	2	15,271	1	292
United Arab Emirates	3	7,207	1	200	16	2,031	3	7,212	1	200	3	376	2	2,645	2	2,645	2	592
Samoa	4	590	4	590	-	-	4	533	4	533	-	-	3	427	3	427	-	-
British Virgin Island	15	3,319	11	3,111	9	4,507	16	7,012	11	5,207	9	4,515	14	15,256	12	15,123	9	18,960
Mauritius	7	1,968	6	1,293	6	1,376	5	959	5	959	4	1,163	6	2,593	6	2,593	2	728

Source: International Affairs Bureau, BOI

Database: Management Information System Bureau

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Note: 1) Foreign direct investment (FDI) data reported by the Board of Investment (BOI) are based on the following new definition:

- For "total foreign investment" statistics, FDI value is derived from total investment of all projects which have foreign equity participation

(shown by registered capital amount) of one particular nation or the sum of all foreign registered capital from more than two nations of at least 10%.

- For "foreign investment of each country", FDI value is derived from total investment of projects which have foreign equity participation of that particular nation of at least 10%.

2) Investment projects with foreign equity participation from more than one country are reported in the figures for each country.

3) Net application statistics do not include those applications that are returned to applicants

4) Since May 2004, EU comprises 25 countries, including also Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Poland, Slovakia and Slovenia. : Since Jan 2007, EU comprises 27 countries, including also Bulgaria and Romania.

5) ASEAN comprises 9 countries including also Brunei Darussalam, Indonesia, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore Cambodia Laos Myanmar and Vietnam