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Country fact sheet:
Albania

Foreign direct investment (FDI) overview, selected years

(Millions of dollars and percentages)

FDI flows							<i>as a percentage of gross fixed capital formation</i>				
	1985-1995 (Annual average)	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	1985-1995 (Annual average)	2000	2001	2002	2003
Albania											
Inward	18	41	143	207	135	180	30.2	20.5	25.9	15.1	22.7
Outward	4	7	6	-	4	3	15.9	0.9	-	0.5	0.4
<i>Memorandum</i>											
Czech Republic											
Inward	541	6,310	4,984	5,639	8,483	2,583	8.5	32.7	33.6	44.5	11.6
Outward	24	90	43	165	206	232	0.6	0.3	1.0	1.1	1.0
TFYR Macedonia											
Inward	3	33	175	442	78	95	1.2	30.0	86.5	12.4	16.5
Outward	..	-	-1	1	-	-	..	- 0.1	0.2	-	0.1
Russian Federation											
Inward	424	3,309	2,714	2,469	3,461	1,144	1.6	6.2	4.3	5.6	1.5
Outward	94	2,208	3,177	2,533	3,533	4,133	0.5	7.3	4.4	5.7	5.2
Central and Eastern Europe											
Inward	3,392	26,518	27,508	26,371	31,232	20,970	2.8	18.3	15.4	16.8	9.5
Outward	159	2,460	4,024	3,546	4,876	7,034	0.2	2.7	2.1	2.6	3.2
World											
Inward	181,704	1,086,750	1,387,953	817,574	678,751	559,576	3.9	19.8	12.0	10.1	7.5
Outward	203,620	1,092,279	1,186,838	721,501	596,487	612,201	4.6	17.1	10.8	9.0	8.4
FDI stocks							<i>as a percentage of gross domestic product</i>				
	1980	1990	1995	2000	2002	2003	1980	1990	2000	2002	2003
Albania											
Inward	..	..	201	568	910	1 091	..	..	15.4	18.8	18.1
Outward	..	..	48	82	86	90	..	..	2.2	1.8	1.5
<i>Memorandum</i>											
Czech Republic											
Inward	..	1 363	7 350	21 644	38 450	41 033	..	3.9	42.1	55.3	48.0
Outward	..	..	346	738	1 496	1 727	..	..	1.4	2.2	2.0
TFYR Macedonia											
Inward	..	..	33	410	929	1 024	..	..	11.4	24.7	22.1
Outward	..	..	..	-	1	1	..	..	-	-	-
Russian Federation											
Inward	..	..	5 465	25 226	51 374	52 518	..	..	9.7	14.9	12.1
Outward	..	..	3 015	20 141	47 676	51 809	..	..	7.8	13.8	11.9
Central and Eastern Europe											
Inward	..	2 828	39 573	138 271	228 199	263 270	..	1.3	19.2	24.8	23.7
Outward	..	616	6 161	26 230	57 949	65 863	..	0.4	3.7	6.4	6.0
World											
Inward	692 714	1 950 303	2 992 068	6 089 884	7 371 554	8 245 074	6.6	9.3	19.3	23.0	22.9
Outward	559 629	1 758 216	2 897 574	5 983 342	7 209 582	8 196 863	5.8	8.6	19.1	22.6	23.0

Source: UNCTAD, *World Investment Report 2004*; www.unctad.org/fdistatistics

For details, see "definitions and sources" in annex B and annex tables B. 1-6 in WIR04.

Cross-border merger and acquisition overview, 1995-2003

(Millions of dollars)

	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003
Albania									
Sales	1	-	-	-	4	16	-	-	2
Purchases	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<i>Memorandum</i>									
Czech Republic									
Sales	2 366	507	671	362	2 402	1 924	1 968	5 204	1 756
Purchases	48	176	60	142	13	775	-	30	141
TFYR Macedonia									
Sales	-	-	-	-	45	34	328	5	0
Purchases	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	16	-
Russian Federation									
Sales	100	95	2 681	147	180	758	2 039	1 252	7 880
Purchases	-	242	2	301	52	225	371	606	8 763
Central and Eastern Europe									
Sales	6 050	3 679	5 764	5 116	10 371	17 147	11 988	17 463	14 438
Purchases	59	504	275	1 008	1 549	1 694	2 225	1 087	10 467
World									
Sales	186 593	227 023	304 848	531 648	766 044	1 143 816	593 960	369 789	296 988
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Source: UNCTAD, *World Investment Report 2004*; www.unctad.org/fdistatistics

For details, see "definitions and sources" in annex B and annex tables B. 7-8 in *WIR04*.

Bilateral investment treaties (BITs) concluded during 1995-2003

Partner	Year
Denmark	1995
Finland	1997
France	1995
Hungary	1996
Iran, Islamic Republic of	2002
Israel	1996
Korea, Republic of	2003
Macedonia, the Former Yugoslav Republic of	1997
Portugal	1998
Romania	1995
Russian Federation	1995
Slovenia	1997
Spain	2003
Sweden	1995
United States	1995

Source: UNCTAD, BIT/DTT database; www.unctad.org/fdistatistics

Double taxation treaties (DTTs) concluded during 1995-2003

Partner	Year
Belgium	2002
Czech Republic	1995
Greece	1995
Macedonia, the Former Yugoslav Republic of	1998
Malta	2000
Netherlands	1996
Sweden	1998
Switzerland	1999

Source: UNCTAD, BIT/DTT database; www.unctad.org/fdistatistics

Country rankings and values of the UNCTAD FDI Performance Index, 1988-1990, 1998-2000, 2001-2003

Inward FDI Performance Index				Outward FDI Performance Index					
Rank ^a	Economy	Value			Rank ^a	Economy	Value		
		1988-1990	1998-2000	2001-2003			1988-1990	1998-2000	2001-2003
41	Latvia	..	1.646	1.760	82	Benin	..	0.149	0.035
42	Sweden	0.896	4.137	1.745	83	Argentina	0.028	0.178	0.032
43	Finland	0.518	1.139	1.718	84	Guinea	..	0.017	0.032
44	Albania	..	0.684	1.714	85	Albania	..	0.044	0.027
45	Panama	-2.786	2.189	1.692	86	Paraguay	0.026	0.022	0.026
46	Brazil	0.408	1.389	1.670	87	Rwanda	0.018	0.010	0.021
47	United Republic of Tanzania	0.082	1.122	1.668	88	Pakistan	0.055	0.003	0.021

Source: UNCTAD, World Investment Report 2004; www.unctad.org/fdistatistics

^a Ranked by the index for 2001-2003.

Note: The FDI Performance Index is the ratio of a country's share in global FDI flows to its share in global GDP.

.. Data not available.

Country rankings and values of the UNCTAD FDI Potential Index, 1988-1990, 1998-2000, 2000-2002

Inward FDI Potential Index				
Rank ^a	Economy	Value		
		1988-1990	1998-2000	2000-2002
73	Venezuela	0.205	0.222	0.177
74	Myanmar	0.039	0.144	0.177
75	Algeria	0.154	0.167	0.176
76	Albania	..	0.140	0.176
77	Argentina	0.140	0.238	0.175
78	Kazakhstan	..	0.150	0.175
79	Jamaica	0.136	0.175	0.172

Source: UNCTAD, World Investment Report 2004; www.unctad.org/fdistatistics

^a Ranked by the index for 2000-2002.

Note: The inward FDI Potential Index is based on 12 economic and policy variables.

.. Data not available.

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