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Country fact sheet:
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya

Foreign direct investment (FDI) overview, selected years
(Millions of dollars and percentages)

	1985-1995						as a percentage of gross fixed capital formation					
	(Annual average)	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	(Annual average)	2000	2001	2002	2003	
FDI flows												
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya												
Inward	29	-128	-142	-101	-96	700	0.6	- 3.3	- 2.8	- 3.6	19.9	
Outward	1	208	98	84	110	100	0.4	2.3	2.3	4.2	2.8	
<i>Memorandum</i>												
Nigeria												
Inward	921	1,005	930	1,104	1,281	1,200	27.4	49.4	31.3	37.8	36.0	
Outward	364	92	85	94	101	93	10.6	4.5	2.6	3.0	2.8	
Tunisia												
Inward	260	368	779	486	821	584	7.5	15.2	9.3	15.5	9.6	
Outward	3	3	2	-	1	1	0.1	-	-	-	-	
Africa												
Inward	3,563	11,590	8,728	19,616	11,780	15,033	4.0	8.8	20.7	12.3	13.9	
Outward	1,287	2,564	1,319	-2,535	115	1,288	1.5	0.8	- 2.6	0.2	1.1	
Developing economies												
Inward	50,773	231,880	252,459	219,721	157,612	172,033	4.5	14.9	13.1	9.9	10.0	
Outward	21,620	75,488	98,929	59,861	44,009	35,591	2.0	6.1	3.6	3.0	2.1	
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												
	1980	1990	1995	2000	2002	2003	as a percentage of gross domestic product					
	1980	1990	2000	2002	2003	2003	1980	1990	2000	2002	2003	
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya												
Inward	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Outward	162	623	278	1 230	1 424	1 524	0.4	2.2	3.5	7.3	6.6	
<i>Memorandum</i>												
Nigeria												
Inward	2 405	8 072	14 065	20 184	22 570	23 770	3.7	28.3	42.4	49.0	42.6	
Outward	9	2 586	3 975	4 358	4 553	4 646	-	9.1	9.2	9.9	8.3	
Tunisia												
Inward	3 341	7 615	10 967	11 545	14 061	16 567	38.2	62.0	59.3	66.9	66.0	
Outward	6	15	30	33	37	44	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	
Africa												
Inward	32 045	50 854	77 334	140 886	149 919	167 111	8.2	10.9	24.6	27.0	25.3	
Outward	6 871	20 940	32 873	45 558	38 138	39 459	2.2	5.3	8.6	7.6	6.6	
Developing economies												
Inward	301 974	547 965	916 697	1 939 926	2 093 569	2 280 171	12.4	14.7	29.3	31.9	31.4	
Outward	60 239	128 561	308 624	793 297	796 503	858 681	3.6	3.8	12.4	12.6	12.2	
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
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya									
Sales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Purchases	-	-	-	3	-	-	45	-	430
<i>Memorandum</i>									
Nigeria									
Sales	-	-	-	12	18	15	1	-	-
Purchases	2	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-
Tunisia									
Sales	-	-	-	402	11	301	45	191	-
Purchases	11	-	-	-	23	-	-	5	-
Africa									
Sales	840	1 805	4 346	2 607	3 117	3 199	15 524	4 684	6 427
Purchases	645	2 148	2 800	2 678	5 762	6 659	3 041	1 999	1 067
Developing economies									
Sales	16 493	35 727	66 999	82 668	74 030	70 610	85 813	44 532	42 130
Purchases	13 372	29 646	35 210	21 717	63 406	48 496	55 719	27 585	31 234
World									
Sales	186 593	227 023	304 848	531 648	766 044	1 143 816	593 960	369 789	296 988
Purchases	186 593	227 023	304 848	531 648	766 044	1 143 816	593 960	369 789	296 988

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
Austria	2002
Croatia	2002
Switzerland	2003

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
113	Uzbekistan	..	0.216	0.360	49	Mali	-0.001	0.292	0.240
114	India	0.066	0.160	0.357	50	Qatar	..	0.070	0.229
115	Kyrgyzstan	..	1.047	0.352	51	Greece	0.006	0.249	0.225
116	Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	0.507	-0.121	0.352	52	Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	0.221	0.195	0.213
117	Taiwan Province of China	0.927	0.275	0.350	53	Malta	..	0.248	0.195
118	Argentina	1.199	1.414	0.346	54	Kazakhstan	..	0.009	0.191
119	Russian Federation	..	0.355	0.322	55	Mexico	0.049	0.080	0.184

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
43	Cyprus	0.214	0.253	0.257
44	Poland	0.160	0.247	0.256
45	Jordan	0.133	0.265	0.256
46	Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	0.149	0.242	0.254
47	Slovakia	..	0.227	0.243
48	Chile	0.180	0.245	0.237
49	Latvia	..	0.198	0.234

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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