



## What is SelectUSA?

SelectUSA is the U.S. government program to promote and facilitate business investment in the United States.

## How do we help?

We work with companies and U.S. economic development organizations to provide information, facilitate direct connections, and resolve questions regarding federal regulations. We also provide a promotional platform for U.S. state and local governments.

## Terminology

**UBO:** Ultimate Beneficial Owner; the entity at the top of an affiliate's ownership chain.

**Position/Stock:** Snapshot of cumulative FDI taken at year end.

**Flow:** FDI coming into a country over a period of time.

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## Foreign Direct Investment (FDI):

# MALAYSIA

**#5** Fifth fastest-growing source of FDI in the United States in 2014 (by UBO)



Supporting  
U.S. Jobs

**2,800**

Number of U.S. workers employed by U.S. affiliates of Malaysian-owned firms in 2012.



Investing in  
Innovative R&D

**\$1 million**

Value of research and development (R&D) spending by U.S. affiliates of Malaysian-owned firms in 2012.



Expanding  
U.S. Exports

**\$4 million**

Total contribution to U.S. goods exports by Malaysian-owned firms operating in the United States in 2012.

## Malaysian FDI in the USA (in USD millions)

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Position (UBO)	\$635	\$1,550	\$1,325	\$1,585	<b>\$1,587</b>
Flow	\$-112	\$475	\$-275	\$-17	<b>\$239</b>

## U.S. FDI in Malaysia (in USD millions)

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Position (UBO)	\$11,791	\$11,627	\$10,898	\$12,959	<b>\$14,357</b>
Flow	\$2,730	\$450	\$1,230	\$2,397	<b>\$1,719</b>

Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis (latest available as of Sept 2015)

## TOP 6 INDUSTRY SECTORS

by # of announced Malaysian FDI projects in the USA

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|-----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| #1 Financial Services | #3 Communications        | #5 Semiconductors   |
| #2 Auto OEM           | #4 Electronic Components | #6 Hotels & Tourism |

Source: fDi Markets (data from Jan 2003- Jan 2015)