

Brazilian FDI in the United States

Brazil plays a significant role in foreign direct investment (FDI) to the United States, both as an overall source and as a fast growing source of FDI. The total stock of FDI from Brazil in the United States is nearly \$14.9 billion. Between 2009-2013, FDI from Brazil grew at 19.6 percent and Brazil is the ninth fastest growing source of FDI into the United States. FDI from Brazil provides:

New Jobs: U.S. subsidiaries of Brazilian firms employed over 76,100 U.S. workers in 2012.

More U.S. Exports: Brazilian-owned firms contributed \$6.12 billion to U.S. goods exports in 2012.

Expenditures: Brazilian-owned firms purchased \$1.7 billion in property, plant and equipment expenditures

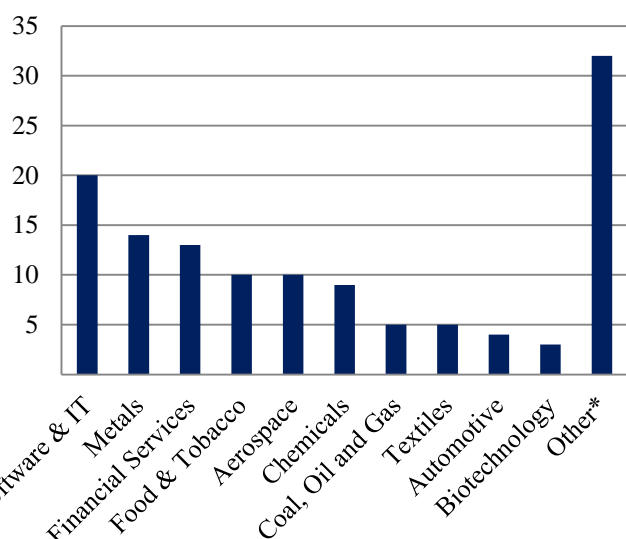
Rank	Fastest Growing Sources: FDI into the United States	2013 Position (Millions USD)	CAGR 2009-13
1	China	8,023	41.54%
2	Hungary	202	36.61%
3	Luxembourg	23,823	34.56%
4	India	11,040	29.34%
5	Norway	40,986	29.11%
6	Malaysia	1540	24.11%
7	Korea, Republic of	31,520	21.72%
8	Switzerland	140,142	20.83%
9	Brazil	14,852	19.55%
10	Malta	2	18.92%
11	Venezuela	5,190	15.62%
12	United Arab Emirates	21,204	15.25%
13	Sweden	48,582	14.64%
14	Colombia	2,022	14.63%
15	South Africa	3,647	14.31%

U.S.- Brazil Bilateral FDI: Annual Flows and Position (in USD millions)

Foreign Direct Investment Position	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
U.S. FDI in Brazil	\$55,380	\$66,963	\$74,840	\$79,054	\$78,094
Brazilian FDI in the United States (by UBO)*	\$7,270	\$13,647	\$12,516	\$13,610	\$14,852
Foreign Direct Investment Flows	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
U.S. FDI to Brazil	\$3,500	\$9,643	\$9,941	\$8,642	-\$3,783
Brazilian FDI in the United States	-\$1,539	\$2,718	\$3,681	-\$614	-\$115

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Announced Projects from Australia to the U.S. by Industry 2003-2015



*Other industries include: Business Services, Communications, Consumer Products, Transportation, Plastics, Wood Products, Pharmaceuticals, Rubber, Engines & Turbines, Industrial Machinery, Equipment & Tools, Medical Devices, Electronic Components, Ceramics & Glass, and six others.

Announced FDI Projects In The United States

Between January 2003 and January 2015, 125 investment projects were announced by Brazilian firms in the United States. Nearly 40 percent of announced projects were in the Software & IT, Metals and Financial Services industries.

October 2014 – *US Zinc*, a subsidiary of Votorantim Participacoes is investing in the city of Millington Tennessee, in the Chemicals sector in a Manufacturing project. The \$76.6 million investment will create 42 new jobs.

June 2014 – *Braskem America*, a subsidiary of Brazil-based Odebrecht, will invest \$34 million to build a new ultra-high molecular weight polyethylene manufacturing plant at its site in La Porte, Texas. The investment will create 58 new jobs.

February 2014 – *BTG Pactual*, Brazil's largest independent investment bank, will open its first London Metal Exchange warehouse facility in Owensboro, Kentucky. This \$39.9 million investment will create 119 new jobs.

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