

## Australian FDI in the United States

Australia is the tenth largest source of FDI in the United States in 2013. The total stock of FDI from Australia to the United States is \$51.7 billion. In the United States, FDI from Australia provides:

**New Jobs:** U.S. subsidiaries of Australian firms employed over 84,800 U.S. workers in 2012, for an average wage of over \$82,842 annually.

**Innovative R&D:** In 2012, U.S. subsidiaries of Australian-owned firms invested \$161 million in research and development in the United States.

**More U.S. Exports:** Australian-owned firms contributed over \$2 billion to U.S. goods exports in 2012.

Rank	Largest Sources: FDI in the United States	2013 Position (Millions USD)
1	United Kingdom	540,489
2	Japan	344,143
3	Canada	280,536
4	Germany	278,283
5	France	238,977
6	Switzerland	140,142
7	Netherlands	137,333
8	Ireland	117,090
9	Spain	52,085
10	Australia	51,709
11	Sweden	48,582
12	Norway	40,986
13	Italy	38,445
14	Belgium	34,260
15	Mexico	32,878

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

Foreign Direct Investment Position	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
U.S. FDI in Australia	\$106,212	\$125,421	\$133,000	\$143,253	\$158,996
Australian FDI in the United States (by UBO)*	\$43,112	\$36,125	\$60,901	\$55,499	\$51,709
Foreign Direct Investment Flows	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
U.S. FDI to Australia	\$4,453	\$19,877	\$12,154	\$23,151	\$22,951
Australia FDI in the United States	-\$3,850	\$4,047	\$21,163	-\$6,209	-\$3,079

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## Announced FDI Projects In The United States

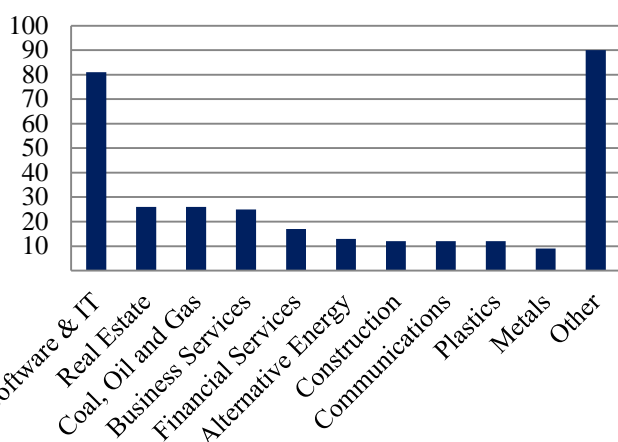
Between January 2003 and January 2015, 323 investment projects were announced by Australian firms in the United States. Software & IT Services received the largest amount of investment, with one quarter of all announced projects.

**October 2014** - *Australian Postal* is investing \$54.7 million in Oregon, United States in the Transportation sector in a Logistics, Distribution & Transportation project, creating approximately 87 new jobs.

**September 2014** - *CSL Behring* is investing in the city of Kankakee Illinois in the Biotechnology sector in a Manufacturing project The \$67.5 million project will create around 90 jobs.

**February 2014** - *Atlassian*, a software and IT services company, announced plans to invest in the city of Austin, TX. The company expects to create 300 jobs with an investment of \$58.6 million.

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



Other industries include: Machinery, Non-Automotive Transport, Pharmaceuticals, Hotels/Tourism, Medical Devices, Chemicals, Biotechnology, Food & Tobacco, Transportation, and thirteen more.

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