

Japanese FDI in the United States

Japan is the second largest source of foreign direct investment (FDI) into the United States. The total stock of FDI from Japan to the United States is \$344.1 billion, over 80 percent of all FDI in the United States that originates from Asia-Pacific. In the United States, FDI from Japan provides:

New Jobs: U.S. subsidiaries of Japanese firms employed over 718,900 U.S. workers in 2012; of which, nearly 550,000 jobs were in manufacturing sectors. The average yearly salary for these workers is \$79,819.

Innovative R&D: In 2012, U.S. subsidiaries of Japanese-owned firms invested \$6.2 billion in research and development in the United States.

More U.S. Exports: Japanese-owned firms contributed \$67.6 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

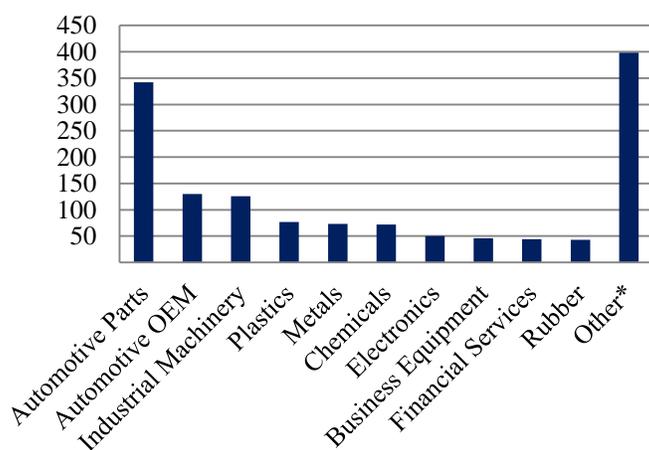
U.S.- Japan Bilateral FDI: Annual Flows and Position (in USD millions)

Foreign Direct Investment Position	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
U.S. FDI in Japan	\$91,196	\$113,523	\$120,482	\$125,286	\$123,174
Japanese FDI in the United States (by UBO)*	\$240,141	\$259,079	\$277,396	\$299,945	\$344,143

Foreign Direct Investment Flows	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
U.S. FDI to Japan	\$11,138	\$917	\$2,787	\$994	\$7,368
Japanese FDI in the United States	\$6,544	\$15,805	\$17,077	\$24,803	\$44,861

*Ultimate Beneficial Owner

Announced FDI Projects from Japan in the United States by Sector, 2003-2015



*Other includes: Software & IT services, Food & Tobacco, Communications, Consumer Electronics, Business Services, Pharmaceuticals, Consumer Products, and 18 more.

Announced FDI Projects in the United States

Between January 2003 and January 2015, 1,401 investment projects were announced by Japanese firms in the United States. The Automotive Parts sector receives the largest amount of investment, comprising over 25 percent of all announced projects from Japan in the United States.

December 2014 – *Panasonic Enterprise Solutions*, a subsidiary of Panasonic, has announced it will open a new business solutions operations and technology center in Denver, CO. The estimated \$111.6 million investment will create 300 jobs by mid 2016.

November 2014 – *Otiscs USA*, a subsidiary of *Otiscs*, has announced it will open a new automobile engine components manufacturing facility in Sevierville, TN. The \$69.5 million investment will create 117 new jobs.

October 2014 – *Kubota Manufacturing of America*, a subsidiary of *Kubota*, has announced it will expand its headquarters in Gainesville, GA. The \$100 million expansion will create 650 new jobs to manufacture small tractors, RTVs, and lawn mowers.

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