Latin America and the Caribbean: FDI inflows, by recipient country and subregion, 2005–2017

(Millions of dollars and percentages)

Country	2005-2009 [a]	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	Absolute variation 2017–2016	Relative variation 2017–2016 (percentages)
South America	68 302	168464	173392	132499	152580	133524	115627	111028	-4 599	-4.0
Argentina	6 204	10 840	15 324	9 822	5 065	11 759	3 260	11 517	8 257	253.3
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	259	859	1 060	1 750	657	555	335	725	389	116.1
Brazil	32 331	101 158	86 607	69 686	97 180	74 718	78 248	70 685	-7 563	-9.7
Chile	12 170	24 150	30 293	20 825	23 736	21 051	12 374	6 419	-5 955	-48.1
Colombia	8 894	14 647	15 039	16 209	16 167	11 723	13 850	13 924	74	0.5
Ecuador	465	644	567	727	772	1 322	755	606	-149	-19.7
Paraguay	137	581	697	245	412	306	320	356	35	11.1
Peru	4 978	7 341	11 788	9 800	4 441	8 272	6 863	6 769	-93	-1.4
Uruguay	1 461	2 504	6 044	755	3 830	2 435	-379	27	406	107.1
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	1 403	5 740	5 973	2 680	320	1 383	…	…		
Mexico	26 279	24 320	17 570	47 229	30 287	36 519	34 776	31 726	-3 050	-8.8
Central America	5 815	9 061	9 213	10 498	11 697	11 784	12 523	13 083	561	4.5
Costa Rica	1 584	2 733	2 696	3 205	3 242	2 956	2 958	2 997	40	1.3
El Salvador	662	218	466	179	306	396	348	792	444	127.6
Guatemala	640	1 026	1 245	1 295	1 389	1 221	1 185	1 147	-38	-3.2
Honduras	742	1 014	1 059	1 060	1 417	1 204	1 139	1 186	46	4.1
Nicaragua	394	936	768	816	884	950	899	897	-2	-0.3
Panama	1 792	3 132	2 980	3 943	4 459	5 058	5 995	6 066	71	1.2
The Caribbean [b]	6 598	5 380	4 579	3 885	8 478	4 917	5 363	5 835	985	29.3
Antigua and Barbuda	237	68	138	101	155	154	146	…	...	...
Bahamas	1 265	1 409	1 034	1 133	3 244	408	943	928	-15	-1.6
Barbados	416	458	548	56	559	69	230	286	57	24.6
Belize	131	95	189	95	153	65	33	26	-7	-21.1
Dominica	45	35	59	25	35	36	33	…	...	...
Grenada	117	45	34	114	38	61	63	…	...	...
Guyana	135	247	294	214	255	122	58	212	154	265.8
Haiti	69	119	156	161	99	106	105	375	270	257.3
Jamaica	882	218	413	545	582	925	790	649	-141	-17.8
Dominican Republic	1 782	2 277	3 142	1 991	2 209	2 205	2 407	3 570	1 163	48.3
Saint Kitts and Nevis	136	112	110	139	120	78	69	…	...	...
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	108	86	115	160	110	121	104	…	...	...
Saint Lucia	183	100	78	95	93	95	97	…	...	...
Suriname	-141	70	174	188	164	279	309	163	-146	-47.2
Trinidad and Tobago	1 232	41	-1 904	-1 130	661	194	-24	-374	-350	-1 475.5
Total [b]	106993	207225	204754	194111	203043	186743	168289	161673	-6 103	-3.6

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of preliminary figures and official estimates at 6 June 2018.

Note: Information based on the sixth edition of the Balance of Payments and International Investment Position Manual (BPM6) (IMF), except for Argentina, the Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, Jamaica, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, the Plurinational State of Bolivia and Suriname.

a Simple averages. Due to methodological changes, data prior to 2010 are not directly comparable with data from 2010 onwards.

b Calculation of changes in total FDI and total FDI for the Caribbean excludes countries for which annual data are not available.

Latin America and the Caribbean (selected countries): outward FDI flows, 2005–2017

(Millions of dollars and percentage variation)

	2005-2009[a]	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	Absolute variation 2016-2017 (millions of dollars)	Relative variation 2016-2017 (percentages)
Argentina	1 471	965	1488	1 055	890	1 921	875	1 787	1 156	-631	-35
Brazil[b]	14 067	26 763	16 067	5 208	14 942	26 040	13 518	12 816	6 268	-6 548	-51
Chile	5 117	9 461	20 252	20 556	9 888	12 800	16 025	7 465	4 824	-2 641	-35
Colombia	2 786	5 483	8 420	-606	7 652	3 899	4 218	4 517	3 690	-828	-18
Mexico	7 295	8 039	12 331	18 701	13 458	6 965	12 252	6 595	6 116	-478	-7
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)[c]	1 227	2 492	-370	4 294	752	1 024	-1 112	n.d.	n.d.		
Latin America and the Caribbean	33 235	54 408	60 006	54 797	46 803	57 833	48 772	35 544	23 416	-12 129	-34

Source: Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC), on the basis of preliminary figures and official estimates at 6 June 2018.

a Simple averages.

b The 2005–2009 figure does not include reinvested earnings, and is therefore not directly comparable to the figures from 2010 onward.

c Data from the first three quarters of 2015.