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Table code	EC_XT_058
Title	Foreign Direct Investment Classified by Sector
Frequency ,Lag time and Release schedule	<p>Frequency Monthly Lag time 2 months Release schedule The last business day of the second month after the reference period</p>
Summary Methodology <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Analytical Framework, Concepts, Definitions, and Classifications • Scope of the data • Accounting Conventions • Nature of the Basic Data Sources • Compilation Practices 	<p>Foreign direct investment (FDI) reflects the lasting interests of nonresidents of an economy in a resident entity. A direct investor may invest in equity capital, lending to affiliates, or reinvested earnings. Investment in equity is treated as a direct investment when the direct investors own 10 percent or more of the voting shares for an enterprise or the equivalent for an unincorporated enterprise.</p> <p>The table displays FDI data for <u>ALL</u> sectors, classified by investing business. Data are mainly obtained through International Transaction Reporting System (ITRS), then adjusted to reconcile with external debt survey, data from Thai Financial Instrument Information Center (TFIIC), and international investment position (IIP) survey. Conversion to US dollar equivalent is based on monthly New York closing average exchange rate. Data are then converted to Baht equivalent using monthly commercial bank average exchange rate.</p>
Source of data	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. International Transaction Reporting System (ITRS) 2. IIP Survey 3. External debt survey 4. TFIIC
Accessibility	BOT's website http://www2.bot.or.th/statistics/BOTWEBSTAT.aspx?reportID=655&language=ENG
Revision policy	Revision is made for the previous 2 quarters to incorporate data from quarterly external debt survey. Revision is also made at the end of September of the following year to reconcile with IIP and TFIIC data.

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