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$5.3 Billion
Total 2021 stock of FDI from South Africa to the United States
(by UBO)

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Value of research and development (R&D) spending by U.S. affiliates of majority African-owned firms in 2020.*

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$389.0 million

South African FDI in the USA (in USD millions)

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TOP 6 INDUSTRY SECTORS

#1 Software & IT Services
#2 Food & Beverages
#3 Communications
#4 Chemicals
#5 Financial Services
#6 Metals

**TERMINOLOGY** - UBO: Ultimate Beneficial Owner; the entity at the top of an affiliate's ownership chain.
Position/Stock: Snapshot of cumulative FDI taken at year end. Flow: FDI coming into a country over a period of time.

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