

# Foreign Direct Investment (FDI): SWEDEN

## What is SelectUSA?

SelectUSA is the U.S. government program to promote and facilitate business investment in the United States.

## How do we help?

We work with companies and U.S. economic development organizations to provide information, facilitate direct connections, and resolve questions regarding federal regulations. We also provide a promotional platform for U.S. state and local governments.

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Sixth fastest-growing source of FDI  
in the United States in 2022

(by UBO)

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Supporting U.S. Jobs

## 208,700

Number of U.S. workers employed by  
U.S. affiliates of majority  
Swedish-owned firms in 2021.



Investing in Innovative R&D

## \$921.0 million

Value of research and development (R&D)  
spending by U.S. affiliates of majority  
Swedish-owned firms  
in 2021.



Expanding U.S. Exports

## \$8.2 billion

Value of U.S. goods exports by majority  
Swedish-owned firms  
operating in the United States in 2021.

Sources: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis (latest available as of August 25, 2023), fDi Markets (data from July 2013 - June 2023)

## Swedish FDI in the USA (in USD millions)

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
<b>Position (UBO)</b>	\$49,813	\$52,687	\$56,346	\$77,464	<b>\$97,867</b>
<b>Flow</b>	\$1,819	\$5,229	\$4,133	\$16,268	<b>\$14,982</b>

## U.S. FDI in Sweden (in USD millions)

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
<b>Position</b>	\$43,521	\$41,111	\$55,608	\$58,394	<b>\$60,280</b>
<b>Flow</b>	\$6,854	-\$37	\$1,309	\$1,728	<b>-\$317</b>

## TOP 6 INDUSTRY SECTORS

By # of announced Swedish FDI  
projects in the USA

- #1 Software & IT Services
- #2 Industrial Equipment
- #3 Communications
- #4 Business Services
- #5 Metals
- #6 Automotive OEM

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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