

# SELECTUSA Foreign Direct Investment (FDI): AUSTRIA

## 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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Fifth fastest-growing source of FDI  
in the United States in 2024

(by UBO)

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Supporting U.S. Jobs

## 42,900

Number of U.S. workers employed by  
U.S. affiliates of majority  
Austrian-owned firms in 2022.



Investing in Innovative R&D

## \$347.0 million

Value of research and development (R&D)  
spending by U.S. affiliates of majority  
Austrian-owned firms  
in 2022.



Expanding U.S. Exports

## \$2.1 billion

Value of U.S. goods exports by majority  
Austrian-owned firms  
operating in the United States in 2022.

Sources: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis (latest available as of August 22, 2025), fDi Markets (Data from July 2015 - June 2025)

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

	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
<b>Position (UBO)</b>	\$17,010	\$18,457	\$21,666	\$24,616	<b>\$25,710</b>
<b>Flow</b>	\$800	\$758	\$1,600	\$2,037	<b>\$3,042</b>

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

	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
<b>Position</b>	\$4,296	\$4,571	\$6,173	\$5,320	<b>\$5,424</b>
<b>Flow</b>	-\$679	\$331	\$20	-\$10	<b>\$343</b>

## TOP 6 INDUSTRY SECTORS

By # of announced Austrian FDI  
projects in the USA

- #1 Industrial Equipment
- #2 Software & IT Services
- #3 Transportation
- #4 Plastics
- #5 Electronic Components
- #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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