Foreign Direct Investment (FDI): SINGAPORE

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Sixth fastest-growing source of FDI in the United States in 2018
(by UBO)

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Supporting U.S. Jobs
43,300
Number of U.S. workers employed by U.S. affiliates of majority Singaporean-owned firms in 2016.

Investing in Innovative R&D
$406.0 million
Value of research and development (R&D) spending by U.S. affiliates of majority Singaporean-owned firms in 2016.

Expanding U.S. Exports
$1.3 billion

Singaporean FDI in the USA (in USD millions)

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TOP 6 INDUSTRY SECTORS
By # of announced Singaporean FDI projects in the USA

#1 Software & IT Services
#2 Communications
#3 Business Services
#4 Industrial Equipment
#5 Rubber
#6 Food & Tobacco

Sources: Bureau of Economic Analysis (latest available as of July 26, 2019), fDi Markets (data from July 2009 - June 2019)

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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