

SWISS DIRECT INVESTMENTS ABROAD

Number of staff abroad

Situation at the end of 2008

Destination	2008	2007	Changes 2008 vs 2007	
	Jobs	Jobs	Jobs	%
Europe	1,155,714	1,120,233	35,481	3.2
North America	391,153	372,922	18,231	4.9
Central & South America	244,164	243,784	380	0.2
Asia	510,260	487,743	22,517	4.6
Africa	100,329	83,990	16,339	19.5
Oceania	41,976	40,973	1,003	2.4
Total	2,443,595	2,349,645	93,950	4.0

Selected countries:

staff > 25,000				
USA	349,775	334,542	15,233	4.6
Germany	248,007	243,590	4,417	1.8
France	168,049	165,248	2,801	1.7
U.K.	127,308	127,638	-330	-0.3
China	119,688	110,307	9,381	8.5
Brazil	105,738	104,633	1,105	1.1
Italy	78,201	77,919	282	0.4
Russian Federation	67,919	62,404	5,515	8.8
Japan	64,052	64,036	16	0.0
India	59,183	52,978	6,205	11.7
Spain	57,282	59,072	-1,790	-3.0
Thailand	48,052	45,553	2,499	5.5
Mexico	45,449	45,099	350	0.8
Indonesia	43,235	47,752	-4,517	-9.5
Austria	42,231	41,261	970	2.4
Canada	41,378	38,379	2,999	7.8
Netherlands	39,186	40,702	-1,516	-3.7
South Africa	36,370	35,212	1,158	3.3
Australia	36,055	34,959	1,096	3.1
Hungary	35,914	31,021	4,893	15.8
Czech Republic	33,811	27,764	6,047	21.8
Poland	33,170	31,956	1,214	3.8
Ukraine	29,836	17,864	11,972	67.0
Egypt	27,286	10,644	16,642	156.4
Belgium	25,858	25,711	147	0.6
Total above 25 countries	1,963,033	1,876,244	86,789	4.6

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