

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Indian capital investors are investing their capital in the world market: and
(b) if so, the details thereof, country-wise and sector-wise during each of the last three years and current year?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of Finance (SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA)

(a) and (b): Indian companies (incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956), Trusts, Registered Partnership Firms and Proprietary concerns are allowed to make investments abroad. The total overseas investments, comprising equity, loan and guarantee invoked, made in the last three years and the current year (as on 27th November, 2012) are as under:-

SI. No. Year Total (in US Dollar million)

1	2009-10	13667.84
2	2010-11	16900.77
3	2011-12	11268.75
4	2012-13 (till 27.11.2012-	6138.40

The main sectors of investment during the last three years and the current year (up to 27th November, 2012) include: (i) Finance, insurance, business services, etc. (USD 16419.09 million); (ii) Manufacturing (USD 15377.55 million); (iii) Wholesale, Retail Trade, Restaurants and Hotels (USD 4643.13 million); (iv) Transport, Storage and Communication Services (USD 4222.09 million); and (V) Agriculture, Hunting, Forestry and Fishing (USD 2884.16 million).

The main destinations reported include: (i) Singapore (USD 11656.48 million); (ii) Mauritius (USD 10983.00 million); (iii) the Netherlands (USD 5026.58 million); (iv) the United States of America (USD 3944.42 million); and (v)the United Arab Emirates (USD 2293.89 million).