

Table A.22
Gross Malaysian Investment Overseas by Country¹

| Countries | 1997 | 1998 | 1999 | 2000 | 2001 |
|--------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | RM million | | | | |
| United States | 1,334 | 1,654 | 547 | 3,930 | 3,959 |
| Singapore | 1,783 | 2,096 | 1,635 | 2,865 | 2,072 |
| Indonesia | 649 | 229 | 398 | 533 | 1,682 |
| Netherlands | 109 | 266 | 104 | 2 | 531 |
| The People's Republic of China | 331 | 79 | 201 | 153 | 311 |
| Australia | 505 | 2,748 | 105 | 72 | 303 |
| United Kingdom | 1,716 | 822 | 568 | 538 | 269 |
| Pakistan | 4 | 5 | 192 | 156 | 209 |
| Thailand | 133 | 540 | 151 | 292 | 133 |
| Switzerland | 185 | 13 | 85 | 6 | 124 |
| Hong Kong SAR | 936 | 169 | 435 | 158 | 100 |
| Vietnam | 142 | 71 | 142 | 50 | 87 |
| France | 90 | 206 | 1,230 | 747 | 77 |
| Mauritius | 18 | 211 | 790 | 59 | 77 |
| Denmark | 6 | 0 | ... | 5 | 76 |
| South Africa | 148 | 42 | 33 | 23 | 75 |
| Japan | 148 | 97 | 159 | 83 | 55 |
| Philippines | 300 | 106 | 100 | 109 | 54 |
| India | 34 | 35 | 101 | 22 | 43 |
| Cayman Islands | 0 | 6 | 125 | 349 | 37 |
| Bermuda | 0 | 99 | 173 | 58 | 35 |
| Canada | 61 | 29 | 3 | 27 | 34 |
| Germany | 110 | 13 | 33 | 28 | 21 |
| Others | 1,721 | 2,085 | 6,303 | 3,540 | 2,170 |
| – of which Labuan ² | 824 | 934 | 2,390 | 2,971 | 1,125 |
| Total | 10,463 | 11,621 | 13,613 | 13,805 | 12,534 |

¹ Refers to direct equity investment, purchase of real estate abroad and extension of loans to non-residents abroad. Includes capital invested or loans extended by the foreign-owned companies to their parent companies abroad. For the purpose of compiling balance of payments statistics, capital invested in parent companies abroad must be offset against the capital invested in Malaysia by the parent companies abroad. At present, the Cash BOP System is not able to segregate this type of transaction.

² Labuan IOFC is treated as a non-resident for exchange control purposes

Source : Cash BOP Reporting System, Bank Negara Malaysia.

