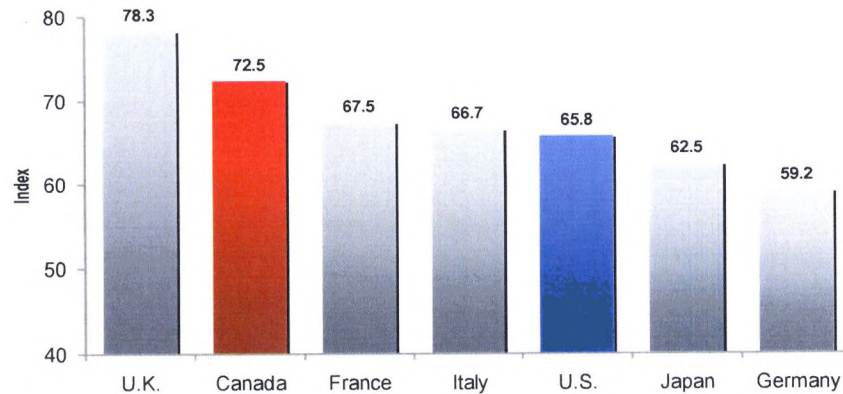




with Solid Investor Protection

- Canada ranks second in the G-7 and seventh in a 142-country study measuring the ease in investor protection.

Ease of Investor Protection* G-7 Ranking



* Standing based on three dimensions of investor protection: transparency of related party transactions, liability for self dealing, and shareholders' ability to sue officers and directors for misconduct.

Source: Global Innovation Index 2015, Cornell University, INSEAD Business School, and World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)

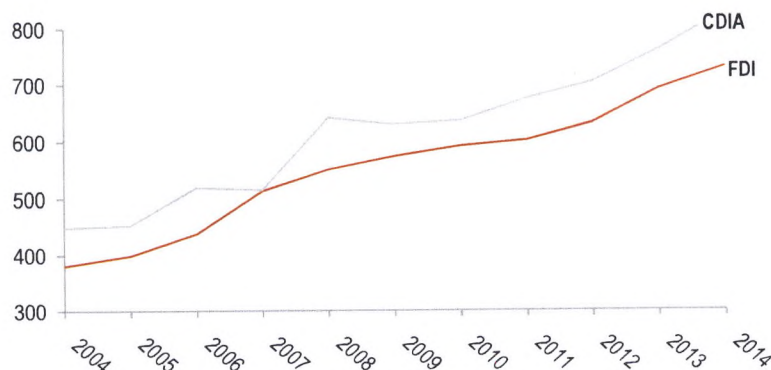
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Canada's Globalized Economy is Driven by a Dynamic Two-Way Investment Process...

- Over the past decade, Canada has witnessed a substantial growth in both inward and outward FDI reflecting its strong connection to global supply chains.
- Canada's inward FDI stock reached C\$732 billion in 2014, an almost 2-fold increase from C\$379 billion in 2004.
- As for Canada's outbound FDI, the expansion of Canadian direct investment abroad (CDIA) has been equally spectacular, rising from C\$449 billion in 2004 to C\$829 billion in 2014.

Canada's Inward and Outward FDI Stock (\$Billion)



Source: Statistics Canada, April 24, 2015

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