



## **CURRENT SCENARIO OF FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT (FDI) IN INDIA: A MULTIFACETED APPROACH**

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### **ABSTRACT**

One of the basic factors that contributes the most in the development and growth of a nation is foreign direct investment (FDI). Most significantly it is even more important in times when the domestically available capital is not adequate enough for the overall development of a country. The gap between domestic savings and investment is filled in through foreign investments. Like most other countries India also aims to attract foreign investments and it has started doing that in a more rigorous manner in the last few years. The present study also aims to focus on the latest trends of the FDI flow in India. The Indian economy reforms also have a major weakness that though it is growing day by day but the jobless growth seems never ending. No doubt, liberalization policy has come up with great employment opportunities but it is not at all close to the set targets. In 2015 India had left China and US behind as one of the most desired destinations for FDI. The changing business environment in India and the ongoing policy reforms have given a hope to the new businesses to step in and compete. A report by World Bank says that in 2018-19 the private investments in India will grow by 8.8 percent which is a positive sign.

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