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Page 86: Table IV.1. The world's top 100 non-financial TNCs, ranked by foreign assets, 2000
Total assets of Repsol-YPF (ranked 20th) should read \$48,776, not \$487,763.

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Table V.3. Intel's manufacturing sites, January 2002

Country	Facility	Function	Year built	Current process technology	Employees
United States	Facility 1	Wafer fabrication	1978, 1992, 1996, 1999, 2003 ^a	0.13-, 0.25-, 0.35-micron	16 000
	Facility 2	Wafer fabrication	1980, 1993, 2002 ^a	0.13-, 0.18-, 0.25-, 0.35-micron	5 500
	Facility 3	Wafer fabrication	1988	0.13-, 0.18-micron	8 500
	Facility 4	Wafer fabrication	1994	0.28-, 0.35-, 0.50-micron	2 700
	Facility 5	Wafer fabrication, assembly and testing	1996, 1999, 2001	0.13-, 0.18- micron	10 000
	Facility 6	Systems Manufacturing	1996	..	1 400
	Facility 7	Wafer fabrication	2001	0.18-micron	1 845
Ireland	Facility	Wafer fabrication	1993, 1998, 2004 ^a	0.18-, 0.25-micron	3 400
Israel	Facility 1	Wafer fabrication	1985	0.35-, 0.50-, 0.75-, 1.0-micron	800
	Facility 2	Wafer fabrication	1999	0.18-micron	1 500
Malaysia	Facility 1	Board manufacturing, assembly and testing	1996, 1997	..	7 790
	Facility 2	Assembly and testing	1988, 1994, 1997	..	
Philippines	Facility 1	Assembly and testing	1997, 1998	..	5 984
	Facility 2	Assembly and testing	1979, 1995	..	
China	Facility	Assembly and test	1997, 2001	..	1 227
Costa Rica	Facility	Assembly and test	1997, 1999	..	1 845

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^a Estimated construction completion.

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Should read ..."except for Australia and New Zealand"....

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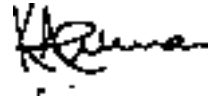
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PREFACE

In today's globalizing world economy, no country can sustain growth or achieve development without active participation in world trade. All countries need exports to help them raise standards of living and escape poverty. For developing countries in particular, the challenge is not only to expand and diversify their exports, but also to make them more competitive.

Transnational corporations (TNCs) are increasingly involved in this process, providing additional resources and technology and facilitating access to new markets. But in order to take full advantage of their partnerships with TNCs, governments must do their utmost to mobilize their own countries' resources and capabilities. Investments in education and health pay enormous dividends in building productive labour forces. Investments in science and technology — and in particular information and communications technologies — are essential if countries are to keep pace with an increasingly knowledge-based economy. These are areas where far-sighted government policies can make the difference between integration and marginalization.

This year's *World Investment Report* examines the role of TNCs in making the exports of developing and transition countries more competitive. It highlights the strategies used by TNCs in their international production networks. And it aims to help countries — especially the least developed countries — adopt sound policies, attract foreign investment and make their exports, as they surely should be, a key part of their strategy to achieve Millennium Development Goals. I hope this report reaches a wide readership and strengthens global partnerships for development.



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