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ABSTRACT

This research objectives is to study the link and influence between the economic growth and foreign direct investment (FDI) in India and also to define the element factors of foreign direct investment that stimulate the economic growth in India. This research will be conducted by using time series analysis and multiple regression models. This research also will using the quarterly data on foreign direct investment and economic growth in India that taken from periods of 1996 until 2017 which is 22 years. The data were taken from a certain database that is Data Stream and the information also is taken from the past journals and websites that are correlated with this study as a references. To know whether the variables is positively or negatively significant to each other, the EVIEWS (Econometric View) software from 8.0 version will be use to examine and analyze the data to get the result. The dependent variable for this research is Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) representing FDI inwards and the particular macroeconomics variables such as the Gross Domestic Product, Export and Import are use as the independent variables representing economic growth. The outcomes of this research shows that GDP have positive connection with the FDI in India while exports and imports have no significant connection with the FDI in India.

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