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Friends with Benefits? Trends and Implications of Chinese Foreign Direct Investment in the United States

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Developments in Chinese direct investment in the United States are poorly understood both by Americans and by Chinese. Even the simple rate of growth in these flows is not recognized. In the US, China's outward FDI is presumed to be an indication of government intentions, and a sign of strength. On the Chinese side, it is commonly believed that the US has the means and intention to keep Chinese investment out. Elsewhere in the world, it is suspected that Chinese firms will pass the US in preference for friendlier domiciles like Europe. All these assumptions are wrong and controvertible based on good arithmetic. While the quality of analysis on Chinese outbound investment is improving, the state of understanding of the implications remains primitive. A time of new insight and thinking lies just before us.



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