

## GLOBALIZATION AND FOREIGN DIRECT INVESTMENT IN BANGLADESH

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### ABSTRACT

The paper aims at presenting the inflows of Foreign Direct Investment in Bangladesh with the advent of globalization. Globalization is the process of integrating the world economy into a common goal of the world and global economic policymaking. It emphasizes the transfer of factors of production from one country to another country to optimum utilization of available resources of a country in particular and the world in general. The study mainly based on secondary data. During the analysis of the collected data, it is clarified that with the advent of globalization, FDI plays an important role in the economic development of a country like Bangladesh in particular and the world in general. It is seen in the study that Bangladesh has attracted FDI to exploit unused resources for expediting economic development since the end of the 20<sup>th</sup> century. The study points out that FDI in a host country, to some extent, depends upon how much facilities are given to home countries. The study clarifies that FDI inflows in Bangladesh are not up to the mark though the Government has been providing incentives to foreign investors. For the better FDI inflows in Bangladesh, some modest suggestions have been outlined in the paper.

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