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The present and the future of Development Financial Institutions

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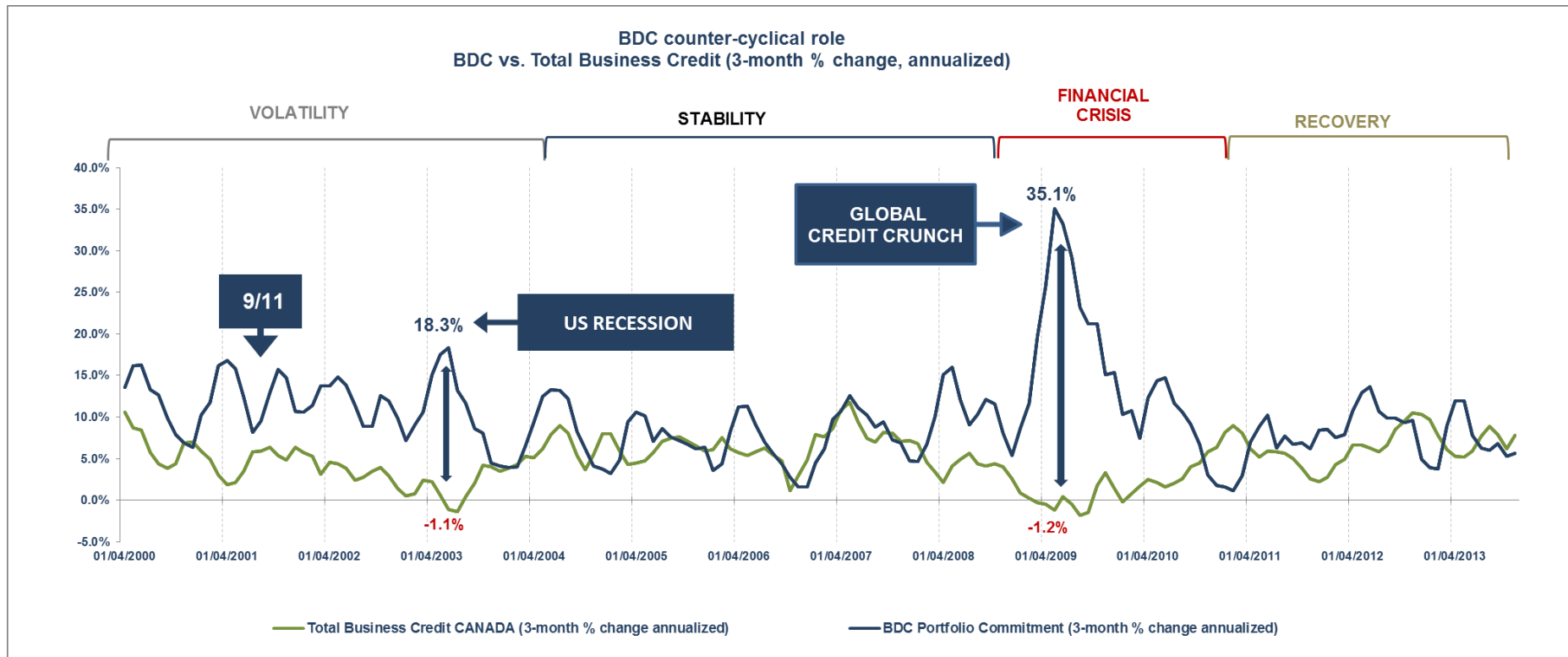


- > Vision: Accelerate the success of entrepreneurs
 - SME Financing
 - Venture Capital
 - Consulting
- > Total Assets: \$20 Billions
- > 30,000 clients
- > 100+ business centres
- > 2000 employees

Today's Development Financial Institutions and Private Financial Institutions

- > Countercyclical role remains relevant
- > Market gaps persist
- > Cooperation or competition
- > Globalization and the impact on the role of the DFIs

DFIs come through in challenging economic times



Market gaps persist

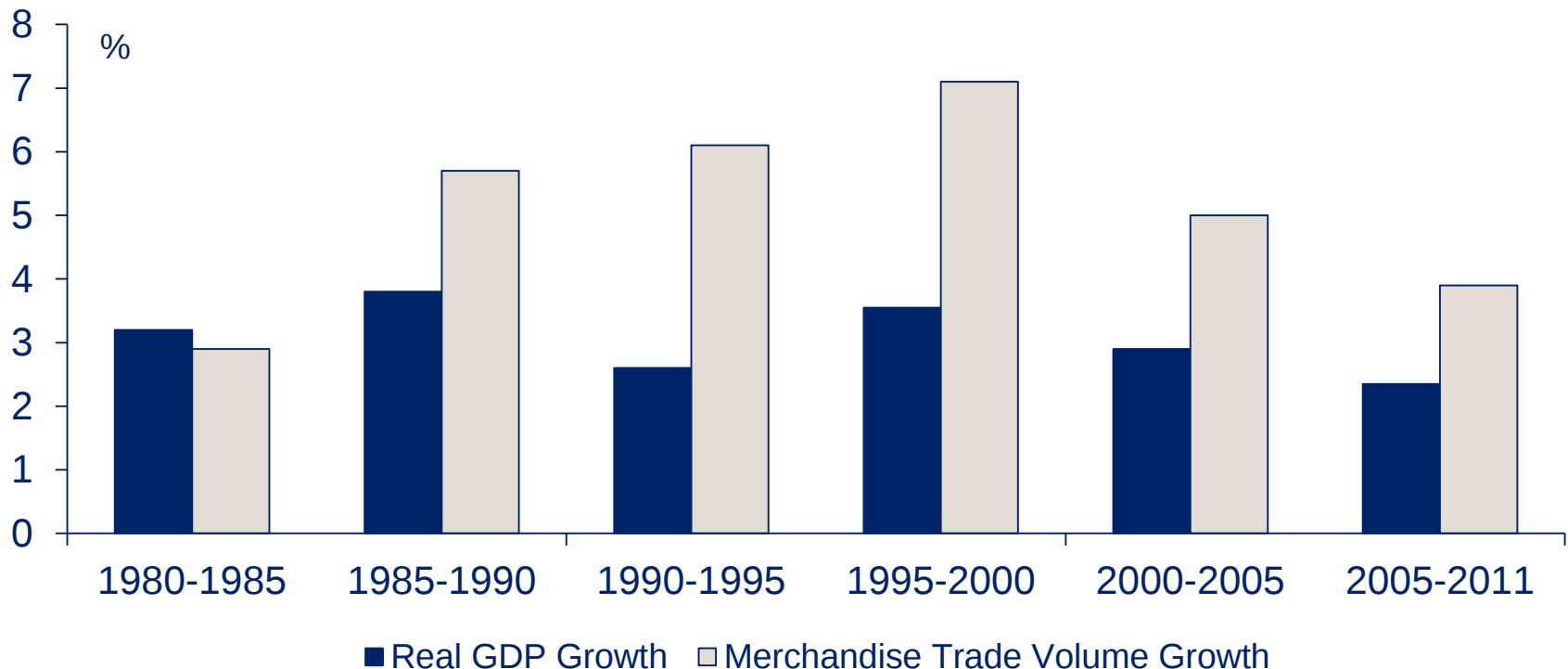
- > Start-up and young firms
- > Light assets financing
- > High growth firms

Competition or Cooperation

- > 20 % of BDC transactions are in partnership
 - > Syndications
 - > Pari passu
 - > Loan referrals

Since 1980 world trade has grown faster than world output

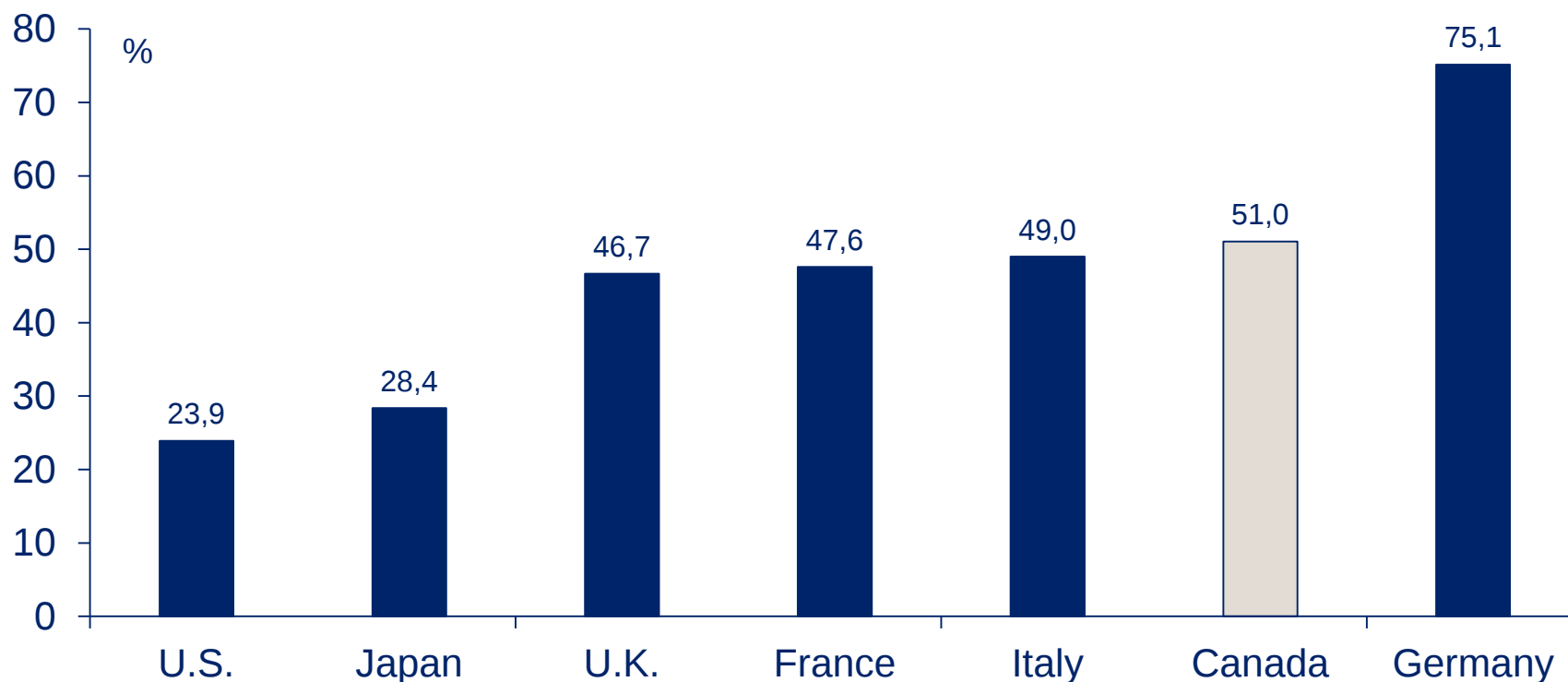
World merchandise trade volume* and real GDP, 1980-2011
(annual percent change)



- Merchandise trade refers to the average of exports and imports
- Source: The World Trade Organization

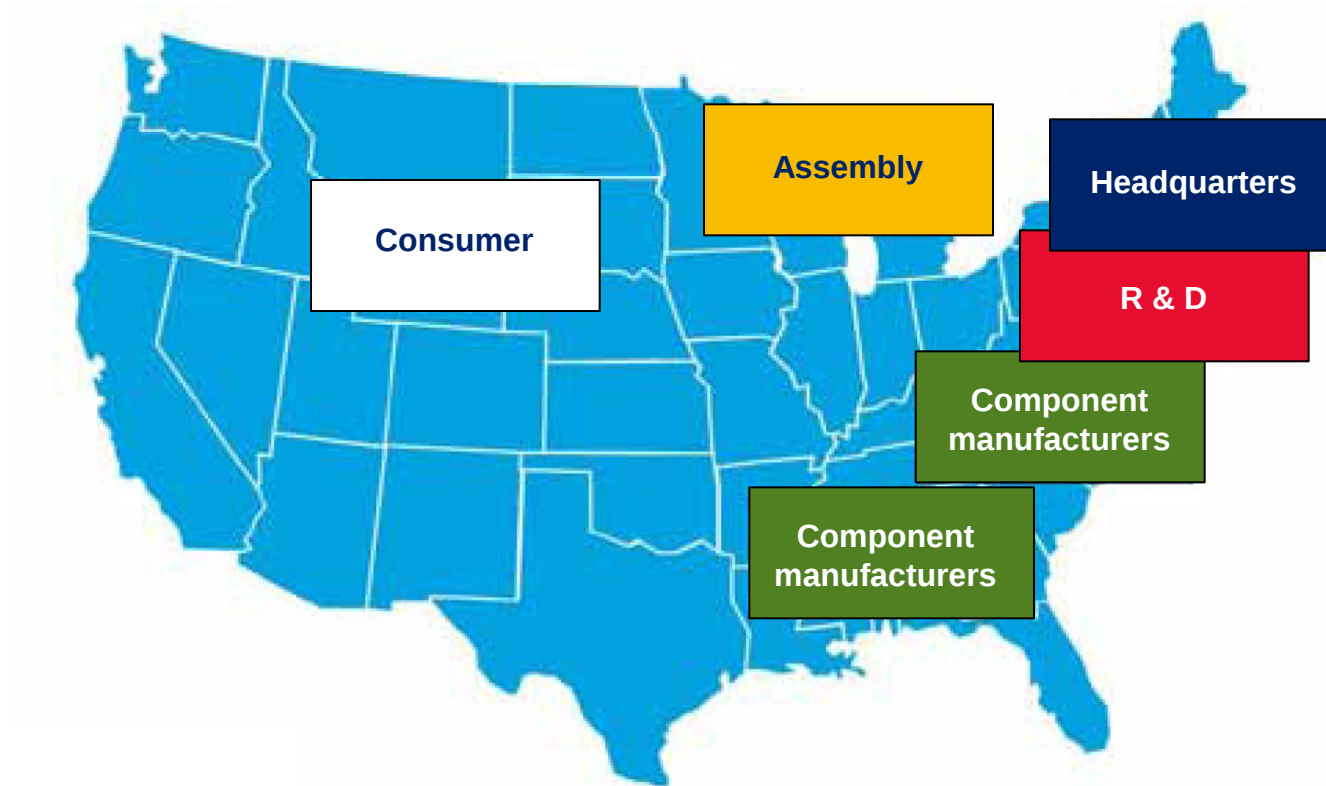
Canada is one of the most open economies in the G-7

Sum of merchandise exports and imports divided by the value of GDP,
all in current U.S. dollars (% , 2012)

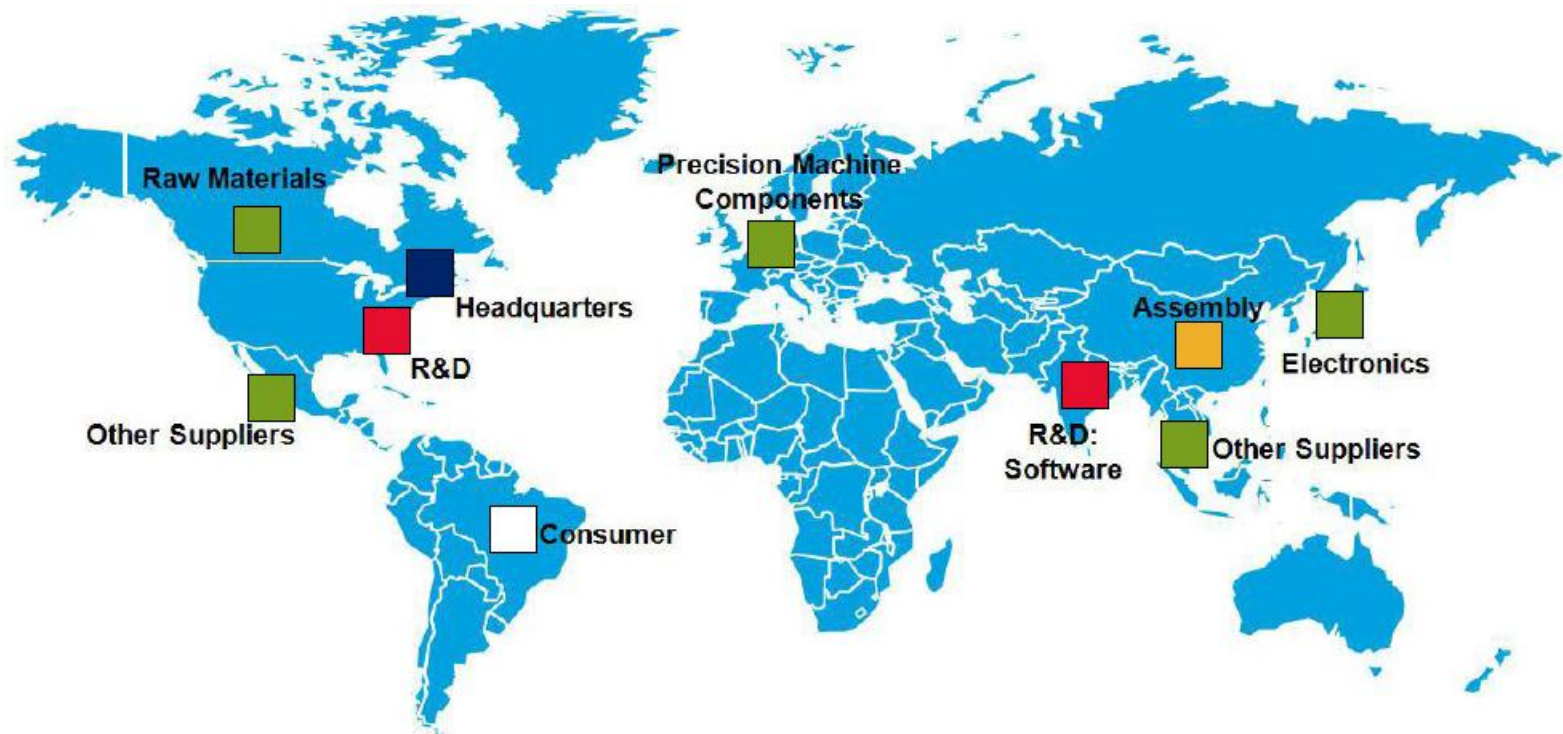


Source: The World Bank

From a domestic supply chain...

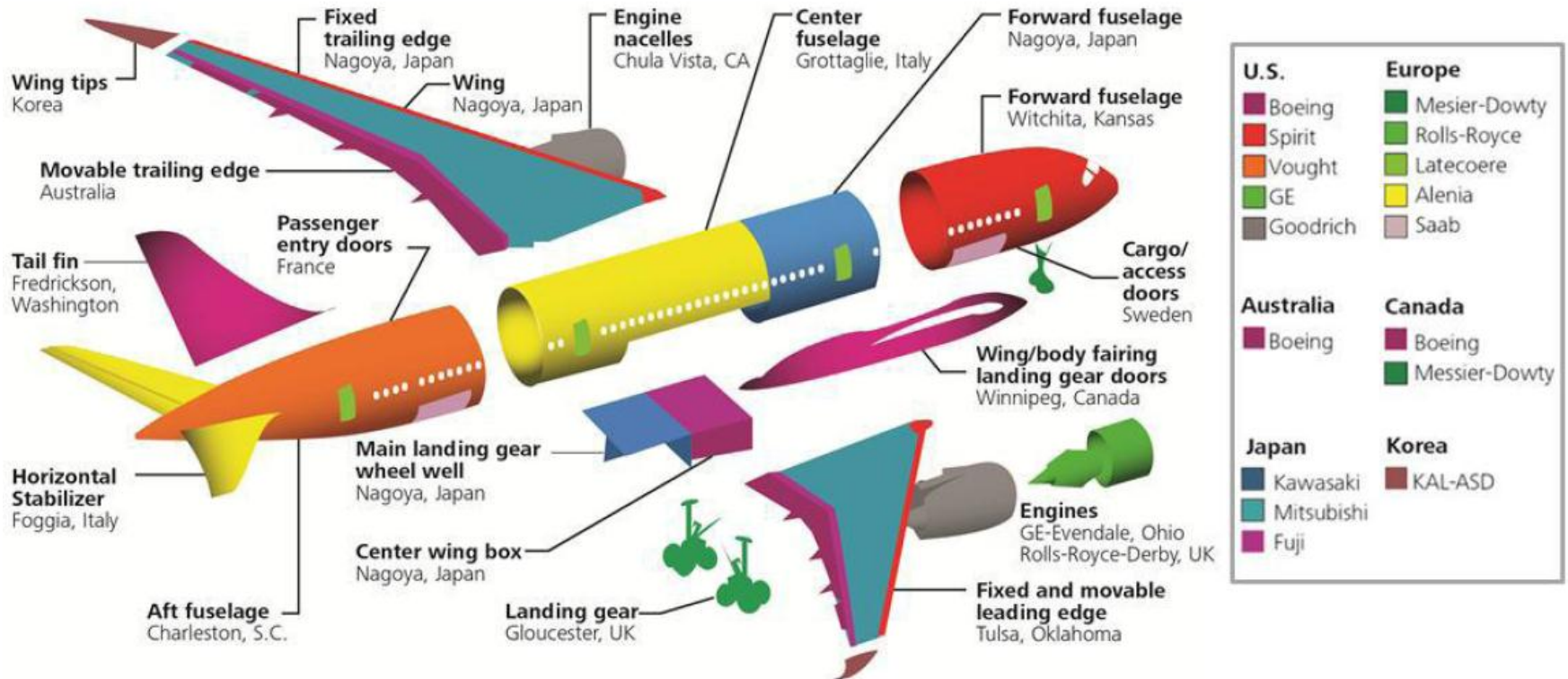


...to a globalized supply chain



Source : Deloitte analysis

The Boeing 787 Dreamliner



Source : The Boeing Company

Globalization is changing the business environment

- > Competition is stronger than ever
 - Businesses need to adapt
- > The world is more global (value chain)
 - Businesses need support to export
- > Technology is changing rapidly
 - Businesses need to invest more

The role of Development Financial Institutions will evolve

- > Financing needs are evolving
- > Need to support businesses to become more competitive, more global, more sophisticated