



Select South Korean-Owned Companies with Operations in Florida	
South Korean Parent Company	Florida Subsidiary Company
Asiana Airlines Inc.	Asiana Cargo
Doosan Enerbility Co.	Doosan ATS America
GS Engineering & Construction Corporation	GS Inima USA
Hyundai Glovis Co., Ltd.	Glovis America Inc.
Hyundai Motor Group	Hyundai Motor America
Korean Air Lines Co., Ltd.	Korean Air Cargo
Lotte Corporation	Lotte Plaza Asian Market Group

Florida Companies in South Korea	
ADT, Inc.	Hertz Global Inc. (Car/Equipment Rental)
Amadeus North America, Inc. (Travel)	Kaplan Inc. (Education)
Bloomin' Brands (Food Services)	L3Harris Technologies, Inc.
Cloud Software Group, Inc.	The ODP Corporation (Retail)
Fresh Del Monte Produce, Inc. (Produce)	Oxbow Corporation (Processing)
FIS Global (Fintech)	Syniverse Technologies, LLC.

Cultural Linkages

Sister Cities:

The state of Florida has one of the most active sister city programs in the United States, promoting the exchange of people, thoughts, and culture as a first step in building business relationships. There is currently one sister city agreement between South Korea and Florida.

- Jacksonville, FL – Sister City agreement with Changwon City, South Korea



Korean Tourism & Diaspora in Florida

Tourism:

- In 2024, **30,400 Koreans visited Florida**, making South Korea the **third largest nationality** of international visitors to Florida from Asia, following China and Japan.



Diaspora:

- More than **16,400 Korean-born residents** live in Florida as of 2023, according to the U.S. Census Bureau's American Community Survey.
- An estimated **15,400 Floridians speak Korean at home** as of 2023.



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Korean Government & Business Associations in Florida

- [KOTRA - Korea Trade-Investment Promotion Agency](#)
- [Florida/Korea Economic Cooperation Committee, Inc. \(FLORKOR\)](#)



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