

North Carolina and Europe Employment, Investment, and Trade Linkages

Employment

European* investment in North Carolina supported 97,800 jobs in 2007; nearly 40% of jobs were in manufacturing.

Investment

Of the \$29.6 billion invested in North Carolina in 2007, 47%, or \$14 billion came from Europe*.

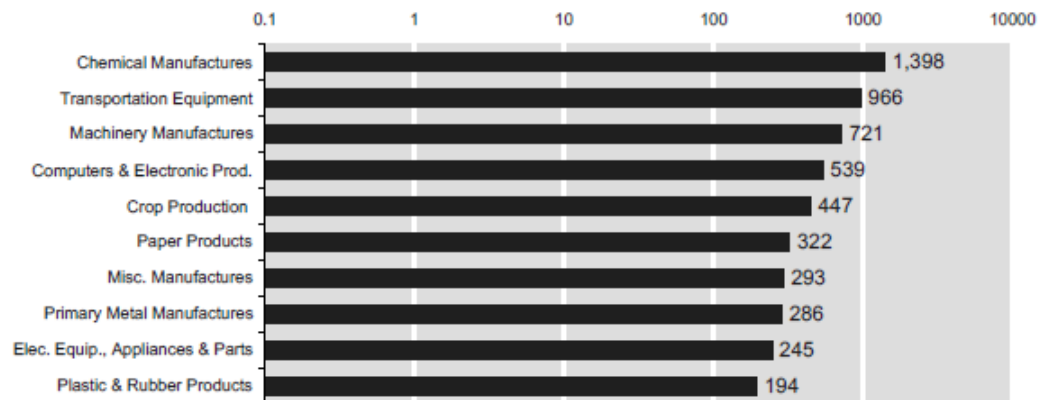
Sources of FDI within North Carolina, 2007	
Country	FDI (\$ Millions)
Germany	5,528
United Kingdom	5,243
Canada	3,741
Japan	3,510
France	1,257

Trade

In 2008, Europe purchased \$6.3 billion worth of goods from North Carolina. Exports include such goods as chemicals, transportation equipment and machinery manufactures.

Top European Export Markets, 2008	
Country	Exports (\$ Millions)
United Kingdom	1,045
Germany	1,040
France	1,001
Netherlands	902
Belgium	459

Top Ten Exports to Europe (\$ Millions)



Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis; Foreign Trade Division, U.S. Census Bureau

*European investment includes France, Germany, Netherlands, Switzerland, and the United Kingdom

Due to a need to align resources with current funding levels, the Bureau of Economic Analysis has reduced its coverage to major investing countries.