

Poland & the United States Investment and Trade Figures

Investment

As one of the largest markets in Central Europe, Poland has attracted significant sums of market-seeking U.S. foreign direct investment. At \$30.5 billion, the U.S. asset base in Poland is larger than America's asset base in small developed nations like Finland or Greece. The U.S. affiliate work force of 132,900 workers is the largest among EU12 countries. Polish affiliates in the U.S. have yet to make significant investments in the country.

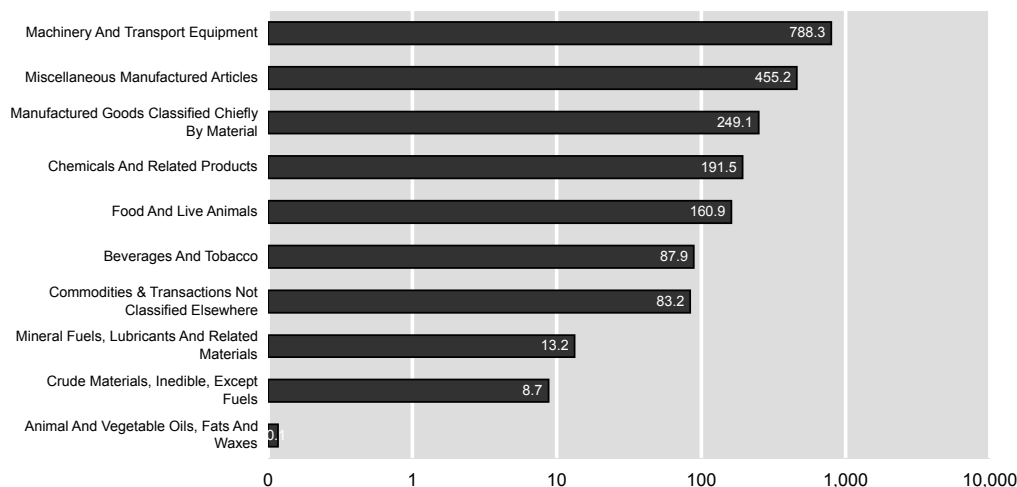
Poland - U.S. Global Linkages, 2008		
(\$ billions)		
	U.S. in Poland	Poland in U.S.
Foreign Direct Investment* (2009)	14.0	-
Total Assets of Affiliates	30.5	-
Foreign Affiliate Sales	34.7	-
Value Added of Affiliates	8.4	0.007
Affiliate Employees	132,900	100

*Based on a historic-cost basis, data for 2009; all data for majority-owned nonbank affiliates

Trade

U.S. imports from Poland have increased sharply over the past few years, clearing \$2 billion in 2006 from just \$680 million in 1997 and reaching \$2.5 billion in 2009. Imports run the gamut - from heavy machinery, to chemicals, to agricultural products. U.S. exports to Poland totaled \$2.1 billion in 2009, a share of 1.4% and rising to 5.1% excluding intra-EU trade.

Top Ten U.S. Imports from Poland, 2009 (in \$ millions)



Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis, International Monetary Fund; Office of Trade and Industry Information