

Alabama and Europe

Employment, Investment, and Trade Linkages

Employment

European* investment in Alabama supported 33,800 jobs in 2008.

Sources of Employment within Alabama, 2008	
Country	Employment
Japan	13,600
Germany	11,300
United Kingdom	10,400
France	8,000
Canada	7,400

Investment

Of the \$22.9 billion invested in Alabama in 2007, 52%, or \$11.8 billion came from Europe*.

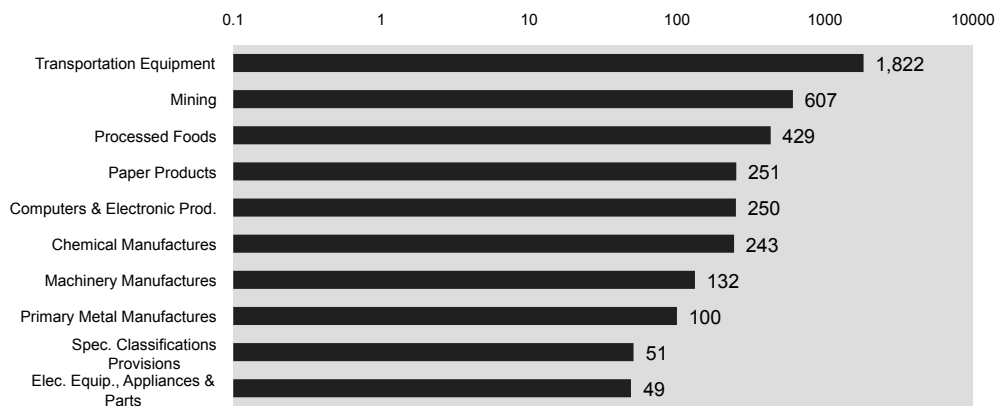
Trade

In 2009, Europe purchased \$4.2 billion worth of goods from Alabama.

Over 43% of total exports represented transportation equipment, reflecting the state's linkages with European auto manufacturers.

Top European Export Markets, 2009	
Country	Exports (\$ Millions)
Germany	1,810
United Kingdom	460
France	302
Netherlands	212
Italy	165

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.