

## **Colorado and Europe** **Employment, Investment, and Trade Linkages**

### **Employment**

European\* investment in Colorado supported 34,700 jobs in 2008.

| <b>Sources of Employment within Colorado, 2008</b> |                   |
|--|-------------------|
| <b>Country</b>                                     | <b>Employment</b> |
| United Kingdom                                     | 13,600            |
| Canada   | 12,600            |
| France   | 7,000             |
| Germany  | 5,800             |
| Switzerland  | 5,100             |

### **Investment**

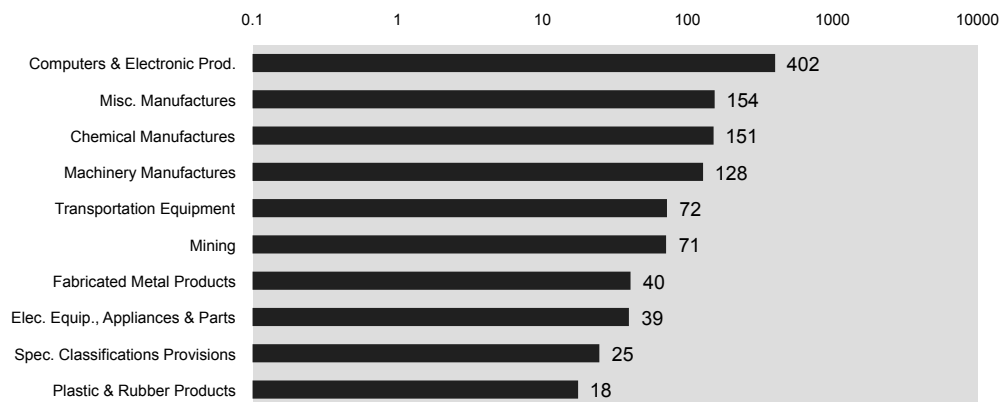
Of the investment in Colorado in 2007, \$8.4 billion came from Europe\*.

### **Trade**

In 2009, Europe purchased \$1.2 billion worth of goods from Colorado. Almost 34% of the state's exports consist of high-tech goods like computers and electronic products.

| <b>Top European Export Markets, 2009</b> |                              |
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| <b>Country</b>                           | <b>Exports (\$ Millions)</b> |
| Germany                                  | 220                          |
| Netherlands                              | 175                          |
| Switzerland                              | 159                          |
| Belgium                                  | 146                          |
| United Kingdom                           | 142                          |

### **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.