

## Louisiana and Europe

### Employment, Investment, and Trade Linkages

#### Employment

European investment in Louisiana supported 31,800 jobs in 2004; 22% of the jobs were in manufacturing.

#### Investment

Of the \$28.0 billion invested in Louisiana in 2004, 48%, or \$13.3 billion came from Europe.

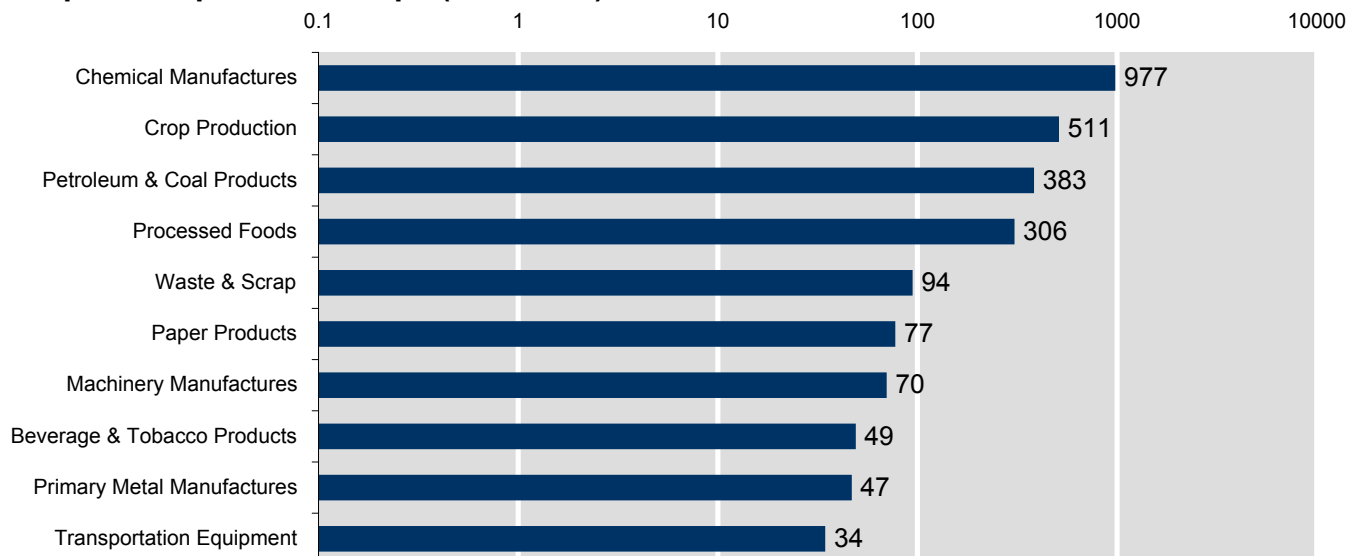
<b>Sources of FDI within Louisiana, 2004</b>	
<b>Country</b>	<b>FDI (\$ Millions)</b>
Netherlands	4,951
United Kingdom	2,758
Germany	2,671
France	1,670
Canada	1,639

#### Trade

In 2005, Europe purchased \$2.7 billion worth of goods from Louisiana. Chemicals constituted nearly one-third of merchandise exports to Europe.

<b>Top European Export Markets, 2005</b>	
<b>Country</b>	<b>Exports (\$ Millions)</b>
Netherlands	632
Belgium	471
United Kingdom	340
Germany	333
Spain	216

#### Top Ten Exports to Europe (\$ Millions)



Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis; Office of Trade and Industry Information