

## North Carolina and Europe Employment, Investment, and Trade Linkages

### Employment

European investment in North Carolina supported 158,200 jobs in 2004; 33% of the jobs were in manufacturing.

### Investment

Of the \$23.9 billion invested in North Carolina in 2004, 69%, or \$16.6 billion came from Europe.

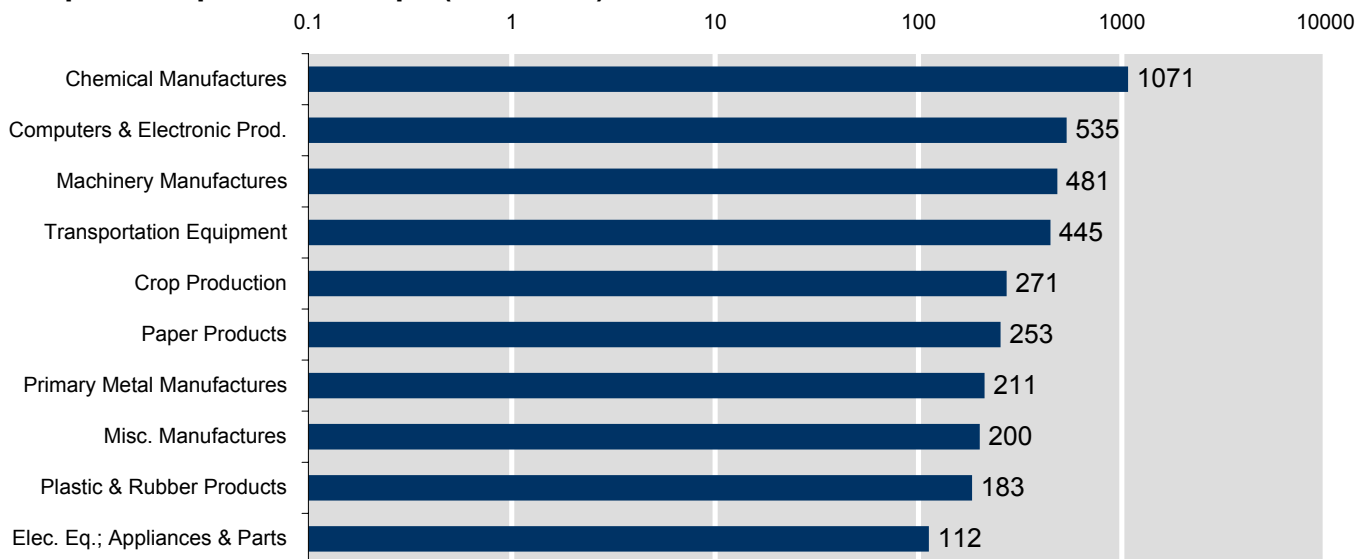
<b>Sources of FDI within North Carolina, 2004</b>	
<b>Country</b>	<b>FDI (\$ Millions)</b>
United Kingdom	5,242
Germany	4,483
Japan	2,805
Canada	2,231
Netherlands	1,475

### Trade

In 2005, Europe purchased \$4.3 billion worth of goods from North Carolina. Exports include such high-tech goods as chemicals, computers and machinery.

<b>Top European Export Markets, 2005</b>	
<b>Country</b>	<b>Exports (\$ Millions)</b>
United Kingdom	931
Germany	685
France	604
Italy	556
Netherlands	393

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



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