

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

### Employment

European investment in Colorado supported 47,100 jobs in 2006; 62% of the jobs were in manufacturing. This is significantly up from 27% in 2002.

### Investment

Of the \$24.7 billion invested in Colorado in 2006, 33%, or \$8.3 billion came from Europe. Europe's share of investment in the state is down substantially from more than 60% in 2000, this reflects, in part, soaring FDI from Canadian energy and mining companies.

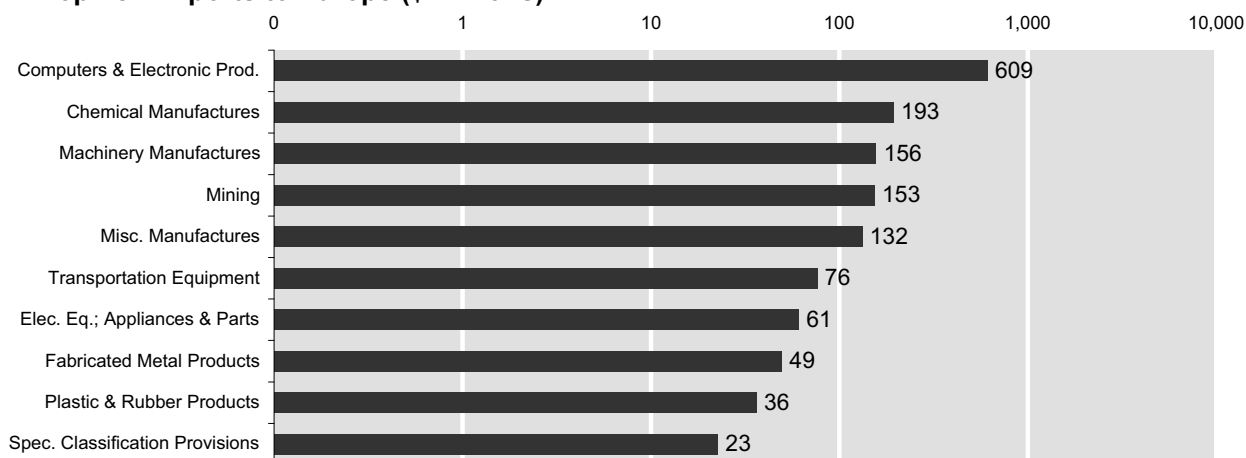
<b>Sources of FDI within Colorado, 2006</b>	
<b>Country</b>	<b>FDI (\$ Millions)</b>
Canada	13,974
United Kingdom	3,802
Switzerland	1,703
Netherlands	933
Japan	654

### Trade

In 2007, Europe purchased nearly \$1.6 billion worth of goods from Colorado. While exports of high-tech goods like computers and electronic products are the state's top export to Europe, exports in this category have fallen 63% since 2000. Mining and misc. manufactures have been the fastest growing export categories since 2000.

<b>Top European Export Markets, 2007</b>	
<b>Country</b>	<b>Exports (\$ Millions)</b>
Germany	315
Netherlands	294
United Kingdom	254
France	183
Switzerland	137

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



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