

# VIRGINIA AND EUROPE

## JOBS



### Employment within Virginia, 2023

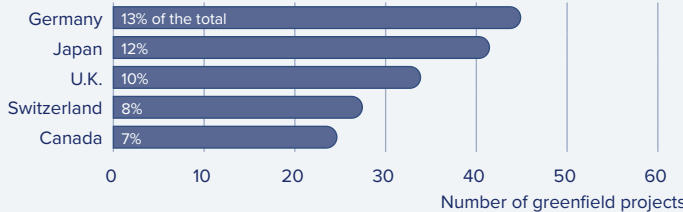
Country	Employment
United Kingdom	38,000
Netherlands	32,500
Germany	27,200
France	22,400
Canada	17,300

On a country basis, UK companies operating in Virginia represented 18% of total foreign affiliate employment in Virginia, with UK multinationals supporting approximately 13,900 more jobs in 2023 than in 2012.

Jobs directly supported by European investment. Total European-related jobs are likely to be higher, because these figures do not include jobs created by trade flows, indirect employment effects through distributors or suppliers, or via non-equity arrangements such as strategic alliances, joint ventures, or other deals.

## INVESTMENT

### Sources of Greenfield Foreign Direct Investment (FDI)



**350**

Greenfield projects (July 2015 - June 2025)

Number of projects does not directly translate to value of projects or jobs added. Greenfield FDI is investment in new assets.

## TRADE

### Virginia Goods Exports to Europe, 2024

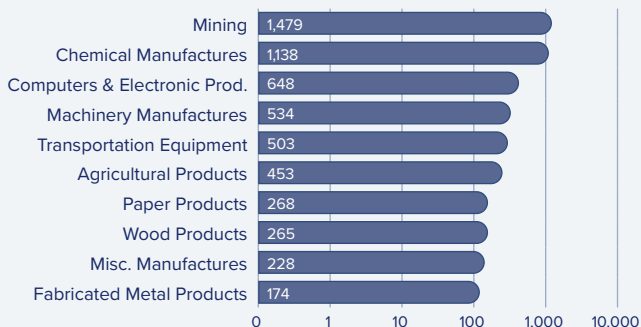
**\$6.7 bn**

Minerals & ores were the top export from Virginia to Europe, accounting for more than one-fifth of total exports to the region.

#### Top European Export Markets, 2024

Country	Exports (\$Millions)
Germany	1,119
Netherlands	952
Belgium	712
United Kingdom	708
Italy	428

#### Top Ten Exports to Europe, 2024 (\$Millions)



### Virginia Goods Imports from Europe, 2024

**\$12.6 bn**

Imports from Europe in 2024 were dominated by transportation equipment and machinery in 2024, which accounted for a combined 42% of imports from the region.

#### Top European Import Markets, 2024

Country	Imports (\$Millions)
Germany	2,814
United Kingdom	2,188
Italy	1,320
France	1,213
Austria	682

#### Top Ten Imports from Europe, 2024 (\$Millions)



Sources: Bureau of Economic Analysis; U.S. Census Bureau; U.S. Department of Commerce; SelectUSA.