

## Washington and Europe



**83,100**

Since 2012: +24,800  
(+42.5%)



European companies account for **58%** of foreign affiliate jobs

### Employment within Washington, 2019

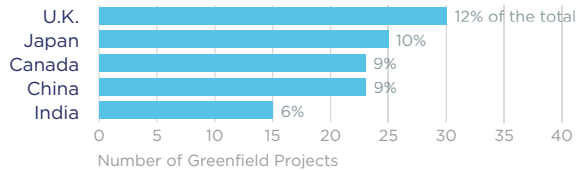
Country	Employment
Canada	27,500
United Kingdom	22,300
Germany	20,500
Japan	14,400
France	11,000

On a country basis, U.K. companies operating in Washington represented 16% of total foreign affiliate employment in Washington, with U.K. multinationals supporting approximately 7,400 more jobs in 2019 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.



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



**253**  
Greenfield Projects  
(July 2011 - June 2021)

Number of projects does not directly translate to value of projects or jobs added. Greenfield FDI is investment in new assets. Greenfield projects listed on the right hand side are Greenfield projects in the state from all countries.



### Washington Goods Exports to Europe, 2020

**\$6.9 bn**

Transportation equipment dominates Washington's exports to Europe, making up over 50% of total exports.

#### Top European Export Markets, 2020

Country	Exports (\$ millions)
Turkey	1,622
United Kingdom	1,480
Germany	1,418
Netherlands	763
France	319

### Washington Goods Imports from Europe, 2020

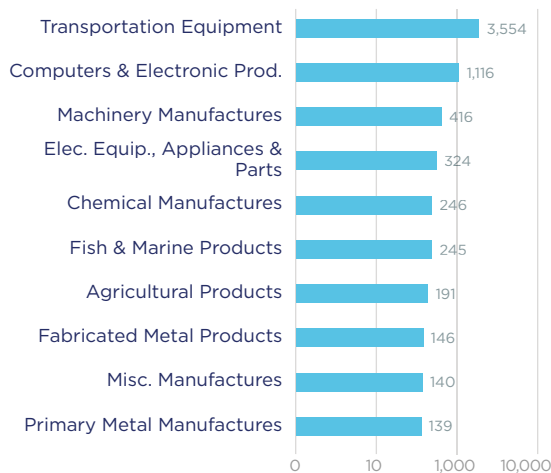
**\$4.8 bn**

Imports from Europe are less concentrated than exports. The state's top import, machinery, makes up only 14% of total goods imports from Europe.

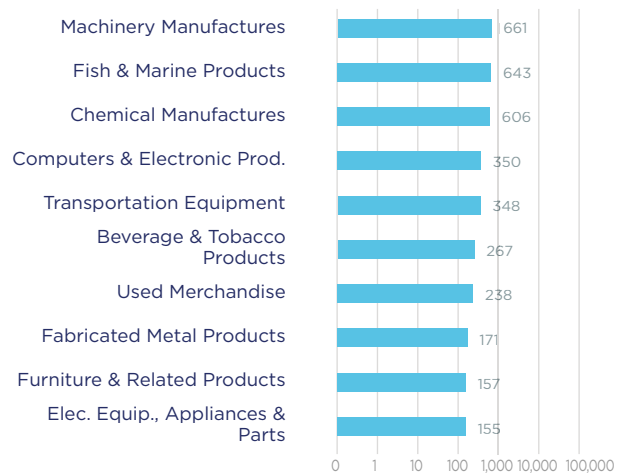
#### Top European Import Markets, 2020

Country	Imports (\$ millions)
Russia	891
Germany	852
France	501
United Kingdom	495
Italy	479

#### Top Ten Exports to Europe, 2020 (\$ millions)



#### Top Ten Imports from Europe, 2020 (\$ millions)



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