

# PENNSYLVANIA GETS IT DONE.

## France and PA Connections

### Office of International Business Development



#### Investment in Pennsylvania

French companies have 481 locations and 48,191 employees in Pennsylvania.

- 125 or 26% of these companies are manufacturers providing 26,568 jobs.
- France ranks 4th for the total number of firms and 2nd for the total number of jobs in Pennsylvania.

Country	# of Firms	# of Jobs	Rank # of Firms	Rank # of Jobs
United Kingdom	856	54,316	1	1
Germany	744	37,289	2	3
Canada	637	33,725	3	4
France	481	48,191	4	2

*Data represents a minimum of 50% foreign ownership. Total number of firms may include multiple locations, but excludes retail establishments.  
Source: Dun & Bradstreet, October 2023.*

#### Top 10 French-Owned Firms in PA

Airgas USA, LLC

Mayer Electric Supply Company, Inc.

Cooperfriedman Electric Supply Co., Inc.

Geodis Logistics, LLC

Schneider Electric USA, Inc.

Quadient, Inc.

Capital Lighting & Supply, LLC

Rexel USA, Inc

The Wood Company

Suez Water Pennsylvania, Inc.

#### Import & Export

##### PA Imports from France Annually (in USD)

Pharmaceutical Products	\$442,004,273
Electric Machinery	\$234,587,834
Industrial Machinery	\$204,672,993
Plastics	\$101,710,241
Essential oils, perfumery	\$86,212,670
<b>TOTAL ALL COMMODITIES</b>	<b>\$1,630,264,298</b>

##### PA Exports to France Annually (in USD)

Pharmaceutical Products	\$615,393,870
Mineral Fuel, Oil etc	\$222,930,748
Organic Chemicals	\$89,993,264
Electrical Machinery	\$81,452,484
Nickel	\$80,443,354
<b>TOTAL ALL COMMODITIES</b>	<b>\$1,461,732,275</b>

*Source: Wisner Trade Database, data from U.S. Census Bureau Foreign, Trade Division, 2023.*

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### Pennsylvania's Strategic Location & Infrastructure

#### AN ECONOMIC POWERHOUSE

Our economy is the 19th largest in the world, with a GDP that's comparable to the Netherlands, and larger than Turkey, Saudi Arabia or Switzerland. Exports account for more than 5 percent of our GDP.

#### MOVING AT THE SPEED OF BUSINESS

We have the infrastructure to keep business moving with 6 international airports, 3 Class I railroads, 8 Foreign Trade Zones, 3 ports to the Atlantic Ocean, Gulf of Mexico, & Great Lakes.

#### PERFECTLY LOCATED

We are only a day away from nearly 40 percent of the U.S. population and 60 percent of the Canadian population and 4 of the 10 largest U.S. markets.

#### WORKFORCE & EDUCATION

Our 6.5 million-strong workforce and 13+ million consumer base is ready for you. We foster partnerships between businesses and our workforce training programs, colleges, and universities, and are among the nation's top 10 STEM job leaders. Our nearly 250 postsecondary and higher education institutions are among the best in the world, and we are home to four of the country's top 50 universities — including the nation's top-ranked business school.

### Key Facts

- ✓ \$965 Billion Gross Domestic Product
- ✓ Customers in 209 countries
- ✓ Exports Support 1.6 million PA jobs
- ✓ 5,628 foreign-owned business locations employing 365,000+ people
- ✓ \$1 trillion+ goods & services moving through PA infrastructure
- ✓ 120+ state parks that feature our great outdoors



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For more information on locating a business operation in Pennsylvania, please contact the Pennsylvania Office of International Business Development at: +1-717-787-7190

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