

Denmark

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Investments from Danish companies were chiefly in production activities (55%). The profile of Danish investors was varied, both in terms of business

activities and the geographic distribution of investment.

France as a recipient in Europe of Danish investment

In 2009, France was the third largest recipient of job-creating investment from Denmark, receiving 12% of the country's projects in Europe. The United Kingdom was the leading recipient (28%), followed by Germany (13%).

Selected investment projects in 2010

- **LEO PHARMACEUTICAL PRODUCTS:** Danish pharmaceutical group Leo Pharma specializes in dermatology and critical care. After successful growth in Europe and France, the group decided to expand production capacities at its French facility in Vernouillet (Centre region). It is expected to make an initial investment to build a new 2,000 m² plant and reorganize the premises. The site will be equipped with a third processing line and the investment will create jobs for around 50 people.
- **ALK ABELLO:** this Danish company specializes in allergy immunotherapy and decided to expand its facility in Vandeuil (Champagne-Ardenne region) as part of plans to turn Vandeuil into a European production hub for sublingual treatments. Plans for the facility include the creation of 15 jobs.

FLOW

Number of projects (IFA):

11

Number of jobs (IFA):

210

STOCK

Number of investment sites in France (Orbis):

578

Number of employees (Orbis):

60,335

Stock of FDI in France as of Dec 31, 2009:
(Banque de France)

€73.2 billion
6th place

Number of companies in the Forbes 2000:

49

(1) Data extracted February 17, 2011

DISTRIBUTION OF PROJECTS BY BUSINESS ACTIVITY

BUSINESS ACTIVITIES	2007	2008	2009	2010	SHARE OF TOTAL	SHARE OF THIS ACTIVITY*
Production / Manufacture	2	1	3	6	55%	3%
Decision-making center	1	1	3	2	18%	1%
Retail outlets			7	1	9%	3%
Business-to-business services	2	2	1	1	9%	1%
Business-to-consumer services				1	9%	2%
Logistics			2		-	-
R&D, engineering, design of which R&D	1 1		2 2		- -	- -
Total	6	4	18	11	100%	1%

* Share of Danish investments in the total number of investments for each activity.

DISTRIBUTION OF PROJECTS BY BUSINESS SECTOR

BUSINESS SECTORS	2007	2008	2009	2010	SHARE OF TOTAL	SHARE OF THE SECTOR*
Agri-food, agriculture and fishing	1		1	3	27%	7%
Energy, recycling and other concessions <i>of which renewable energy</i>			3	3	27%	3%
Medications and applied biotechnologies			2	2	18%	8%
Furnishings, household goods	1		7	1	9%	9%
Hotels, tourism and catering				1	9%	5%
Machinery and mechanical equipment	1			1	9%	2%
Chemicals, plastics		1	1		-	-
Consulting, engineering and business services		1			-	-
Medical/Surgical equipment & devices			2		-	-
Software and IT services	1	2	1		-	-
Textiles, industrial textiles, clothing and accessories	2				-	-
Transport, storage			1		-	-
Total	6	4	18	11	100%	1%

* Share of Danish investments in the total number of investments in each business sector.

Key: In 2010, 27% of Danish investment projects in France were in the agri-food, agriculture and fishing sector. 7% of foreign investments in the agri-food, agriculture and fishing sector were made by Danish companies.

DISTRIBUTION OF PROJECTS BY HOST REGION

HOST REGION	2007	2008	2009	2010	SHARE OF TOTAL	SHARE OF REGIONAL INVESTMENT*
Centre				3	27%	15%
Champagne-Ardenne			1	2	18%	8%
Nord-Pas de Calais	1		6	2	18%	6%
Basse-Normandie				1	9%	7%
Pays de la Loire	1		1	1	9%	5%
Picardie				1	9%	8%
Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur	1		2	1	9%	2%
Alsace			1		-	-
Auvergne	1				-	-
Ile-de-France (Paris region)		2	5		-	-
Lorraine	1		1		-	-
Midi-Pyrénées		1	1		-	-
Poitou-Charentes	1				-	-
Rhône-Alpes		1			-	-
Total	6	4	18	11	100%	1%

* Share of total Danish investment in the total number of investments in each region.

NB: The IFA and France's regional development agencies have not recorded any job-creating Danish investment projects in 2007-2010 for the following regions: Limousin, Aquitaine, Bretagne (Brittany), Bourgogne (Burgundy), Franche-Comté, Haute-Normandie, Languedoc-Roussillon, Corse (Corsica) and the "DOM-TOM" overseas territories.

Key: In 2010, 27% of Danish investment projects in France were located in the Centre region. Danish investments accounted for 15% of job-creating foreign investment projects in the Centre region.

DISTRIBUTION OF PROJECTS BY INVESTMENT TYPE (%)

