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# Foreign Direct Investment Strengthens **ILLINOIS' ECONOMY**

## HIGH-QUALITY JOBS

**384,400** workers in Illinois are employed as a result of international investment.

## MANUFACTURING

**126,400** workers in Illinois - **33 percent** of all FDI jobs in the state - are in the manufacturing sector.

## GLOBALLY CONNECTED

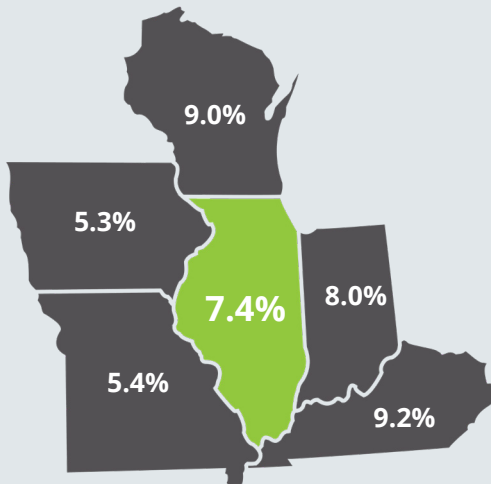
Among all international employers, those from the **United Kingdom, Germany** and **Japan** support the largest number of jobs in Illinois.

## MANY EMPLOYERS

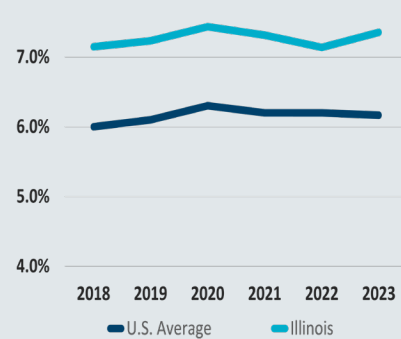
**1,724** international employers have operations in Illinois.

## INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT CONTRIBUTES TO ILLINOIS' ECONOMY

**Illinois vs. Its Neighbors**  
FDI Jobs as a % of Total Employment



**Illinois vs. USA**  
FDI Jobs as a % of Total Employment



Illinois trails the national average in its percentage of jobs supported by international investment.

**From 2013 to 2023, Illinois' FDI employment...**



while the state's overall private-sector employment



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