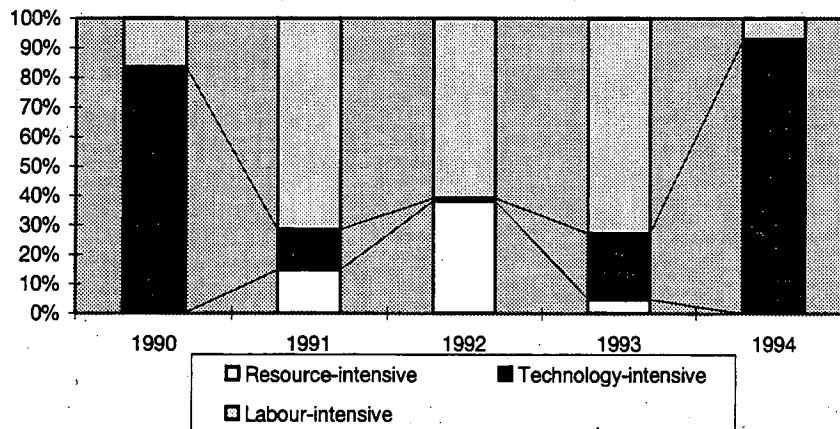


for the Netherlands were incomplete because of the confidentiality requirements associated with the Investment Canada Act but were extrapolated for the purposes of Figure S-3.<sup>2</sup>

**Figure S-3 Foreign Investment from the Netherlands**

Source: Industry Canada, The Conference Board of Canada



Dutch DIA in Canada has tended to be focused on investments in labour-intensive industries during the study period, in contrast to the resource-intensive focus globally. In 1992, the proportion of investments flowing to Canadian labour-intensive industries from the Netherlands reached almost 50 per cent of the total Dutch inflows to Canada. That year (1992) was also the only year during which there was substantial investment from the Netherlands in resource-intensive industries. Figure S-3 also suggests that Dutch investment in technology-intensive industries was a substantial proportion of the total Dutch DIA in 1990 and in 1994. However, the inflow of investment from the Netherlands to Canada in those years was substantially less than in 1992, resulting in an overall tendency over the study period for investments from the Netherlands to be targeted at labour-intensive industries. Other data suggest that inflows of Dutch DIA to Canada represented almost 6 per cent of total Dutch DIA in 1990. By 1993, Canada's relative share of total Dutch DIA has increased to almost 7 per cent. Based on this data, derived by comparing the data obtained from

<sup>2</sup> The data should be interpreted with caution as it was in effect extrapolated by estimating individual figures by examining the totals by years and by industry.