

that country's exports to Europe. Furthermore, the two countries are the largest source of investments of foreign capital for each other; and, each year, more than 60 million people cross the longest undefended border in the world.

Such varied and complex relations cannot help but bring differences of opinion from time to time, since Canada's interests are not always identical to those of the United States. However, relations between the two peoples and governments are generally cordial, and a continual effort is made at mutual understanding and co-operation.

Europe

While geographical proximity has brought Canada into close relationship with the United States, history has given us deep roots in Europe. Canada's mother countries are Britain and France. The majority of Canadians have European roots - about 12 per cent of the present population was born in Europe and, among the most recent immigrants

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