How USMCA Helps America's Manufacturers

American manufacturing jobs rely on certainty in the North American market, the biggest U.S. export market in the world. Manufacturers support the USMCA because it gives them needed certainty while protecting the 2 million jobs that are dependent on exports to our North American trading partners. The National Association of Manufacturers (NAM), the largest manufacturing association in the nation, supports the quick consideration and implementation of the USMCA.

NEW PROTECTIONS SUPPORT U.S. MANUFACTURING



The USMCA will keep manufacturing in the United States through improved rules of origin, including requiring 75% of auto content to be made in North America.



This requirement will prevent manufacturing jobs from being outsourced to Mexico for cheaper labor.



The USMCA will prevent Mexico from undercutting American manufacturing workers—under the agreement, 40-50% of auto content must be made by higher-earning workers, earning at least \$16 per hour.



The USMCA will modernize NAFTA to open up additional access for manufactured goods.

USMCA AND MANUFACTURING BY THE NUMBERS







By maintaining free trade with Mexico and Canada, the USMCA will support more than **2 million manufacturing jobs**.

More than **43,000 manufacturers** export to Canada and Mexico—and 94% of those are small or medium-sized enterprises.

Canada or Mexico is the number one foreign country purchaser for a significant majority of manufacturing sectors—

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Trade Works for America is a coalition comprised of businesses and workers from across the country who are advocating for the approval of the U.S.-Mexico-Canada Agreement (USMCA).