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Made in America

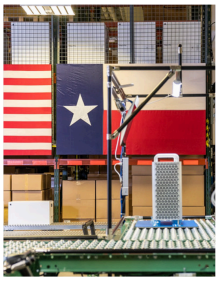
Buying and hiring American is the key to building economic prosperity and guaranteeing our national security.

Economic and national security go hand in hand. Relying on foreign suppliers creates dangerous vulnerabilities that can be exploited during national emergencies — from global pandemics to natural disasters. Buying and hiring American will help rebuild our industrial base and ensure greater resilience in any future crises. When critical industries including defense, healthcare, and manufacturing invest in American companies instead of foreign competitors,

How can we improve this site?

they create high-paying jobs, enrich American communities, and guarantee the future will be Made in America.

With that in mind, we provide relevant market intelligence and resources to those interested in doing business with the U.S. government. Our goal is to maximize opportunities for American producers to supply goods and services to the federal government.



Domestic Preferences Support Agency Missions for the American Public

Various laws and regulations establish requirements for U.S. government procurement and assistance to support American manufacturing. Exceptions to these laws and regulations are allowable under certain conditions. For example, a waiver or exception from the obligation to “Buy American” will be allowed if a needed product is not made in the U.S. in sufficient and reasonably available commercial

quantities of a satisfactory quality or if it is made domestically, but not available at a reasonable cost. To ensure that waivers from Made in America laws apply clearly, consistently, and transparently, agencies will submit proposed waivers along with justification to the Made in America Office for review.

Learn More

See all submitted waivers

See a list of all submitted waivers by federal agencies. The list includes filtering options for waivers that are still under review.

See All Waivers

Find links to federal agencies

See a list of federal agency websites where comments on Federal Financial Assistance waivers can be made. Please note that some agencies do not have FFA pages

listed. Please reach out to the specific agency for more information.

See Federal Agencies

Doing Business with the U.S. Government

U.S. Small Business Administration

Become a Federal Contractor

The U.S. government seeks to maximize opportunities for small and disadvantaged businesses. There are a host of resources and free websites with information to help contractors complete the registration process and navigate the federal marketplace.

The Small Business Administration (SBA.gov) website has lots of information for small businesses.

Visit SBA.gov

SAM.GOV®

Registration at the System for Award Management (SAM.gov) is required to do business with the U.S. government.

- Update, renew, or check the status of your entity registration
- Search for entity registration and exclusion records

Visit SAM.gov

How to Get Started with GSA Schedules

The GSA Schedules program is one of the most popular platforms for small and large businesses to reach federal, state, and local government agencies. It supports tens of billions in sales of commercial products and services annually.

Learn More

Already a Federal Contractor?

Have questions about waivers from Made in America laws? Please reach out to the Made in America Office.

Frequently Asked Questions

What is the policy behind "Made in America"?

What if I want to make comments about a waiver?

Where can I go to find out more about getting a government contract to offer these products?

I saw a nonavailability waiver issued for a product I know is Made in America. What should I do?

What is federal procurement and what does it have to do with American manufacturing?

How will the Made in America initiative impact global supply chains, especially where we do not make certain products in America?

Are Buy America and Buy American the same?

I heard that 55% is no longer the threshold to determine if a product qualifies under the Buy American rules. Is this true?

What is the Hollings Manufacturing Extension Partnership (MEP) and where can I find out more about it?

As a Federal Financial Assistance award recipient, where can I find more information about the Build America, Buy America provision of the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act?

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