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## **Manufacturing in America - The Challenge**

Business in America is fighting against multiple constraints to survive, including inflation, supply chain interruptions, foreign competition, governmental regulation, capital formation, and worker shortage. Fortunately, industries have champions with the courage and leadership to fight back. The mission is to rebuild an American production system premised on entrepreneurship, applied technologies, and environmental stewardship.

Rebuilding requires coordination, cooperation, perseverance, and old-fashioned hard work. But, joined by champions from education, government, the media, and service industries, victory is achievable. We are Americans, and we can do it.

Manufacturing Day is an industry effort involving manufacturers, educational institutions, and community/regional economic development groups that coordinate education, shop tours, and information to instruct the public about the importance of production to America. Participating companies provide tours and work closely with education and industry. All make a case for acquiring the technical skills to take advantage of the current job openings for advanced jobs and prepare students for the rapidly expanding technological workplace.

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The primary focus of these groups is manufacturing, but technology is pervasive. As a result, the need for qualified people extends to the environment, resource management, construction, health care, agriculture, and utilities everywhere humans and machines interact.

Most new jobs will occur in small, highly automated businesses or startups, and most will require STEM training.



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