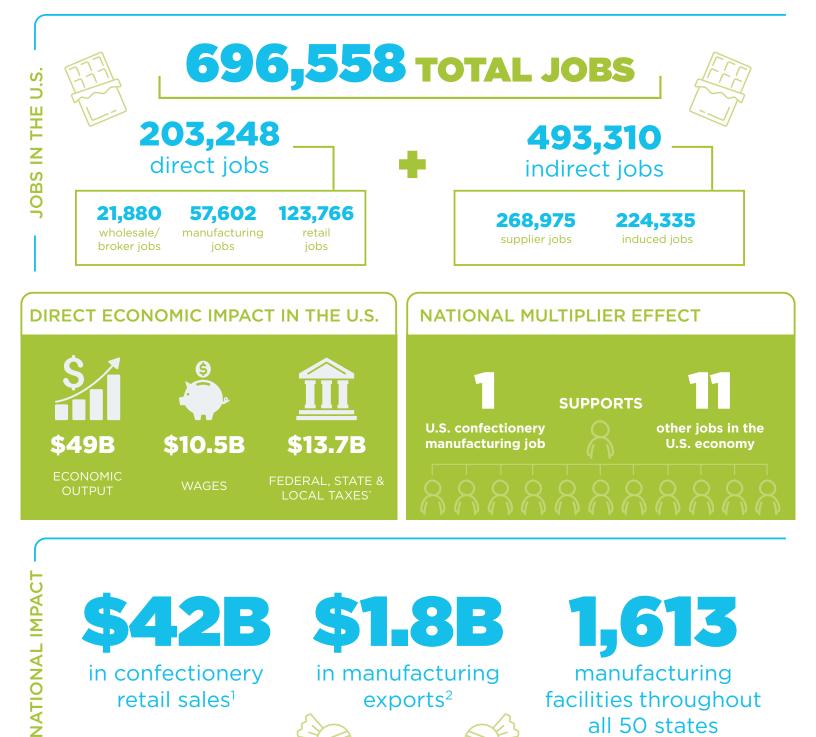


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OUR STRONG ECONOMIC IMPACT

Our industry plays an important role in the U.S. economy. We create good-paying jobs manufacturing chocolate, candy, gum and mints and support thousands of additional American jobs through the sourcing of our raw materials and distribution and sale of finished products. Additional jobs, known as induced jobs, are supported by re-spending wages throughout the supply chain.





Primary Source: John Dunham & Associates 2021, New York, NY ¹Euromonitor International, 2022 ² 2019, Trade Data Monitor

*Figure includes business taxes paid in direct, supplier, and induced industries.