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# Manufacturing Output is at an All-time High

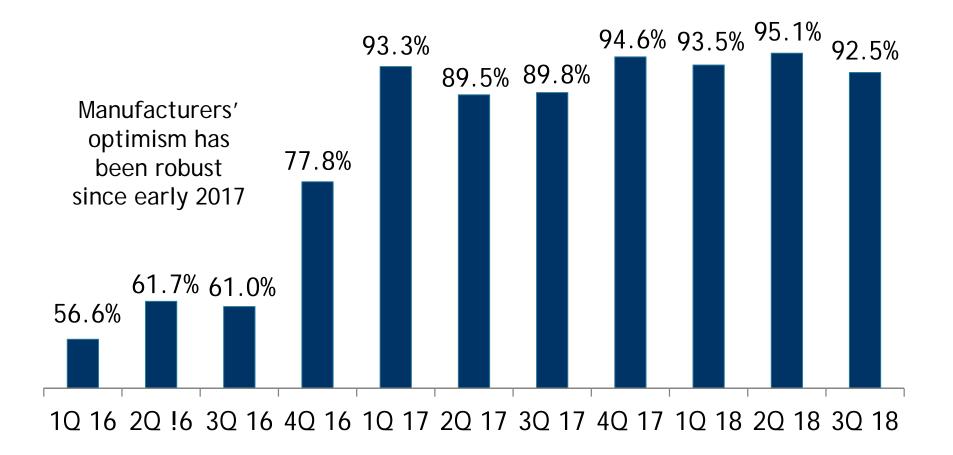




Source: BEA

# NAM Manufacturers' Outlook Survey by Quarter

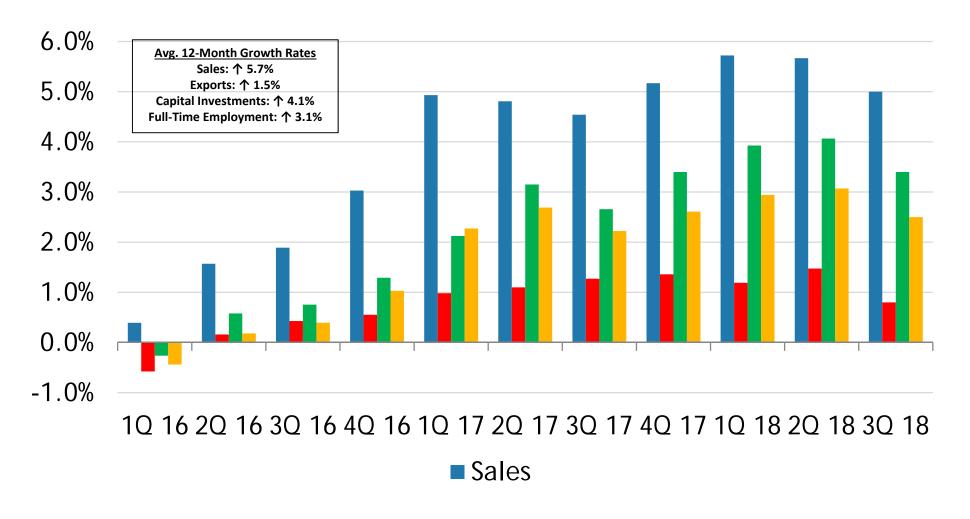
(First Quarter 2016 - Third Quarter 2018)



Source: NAM Manufacturers' Outlook Survey

Note: Percentage of respondents who characterized the current business outlook as somewhat or very positive.

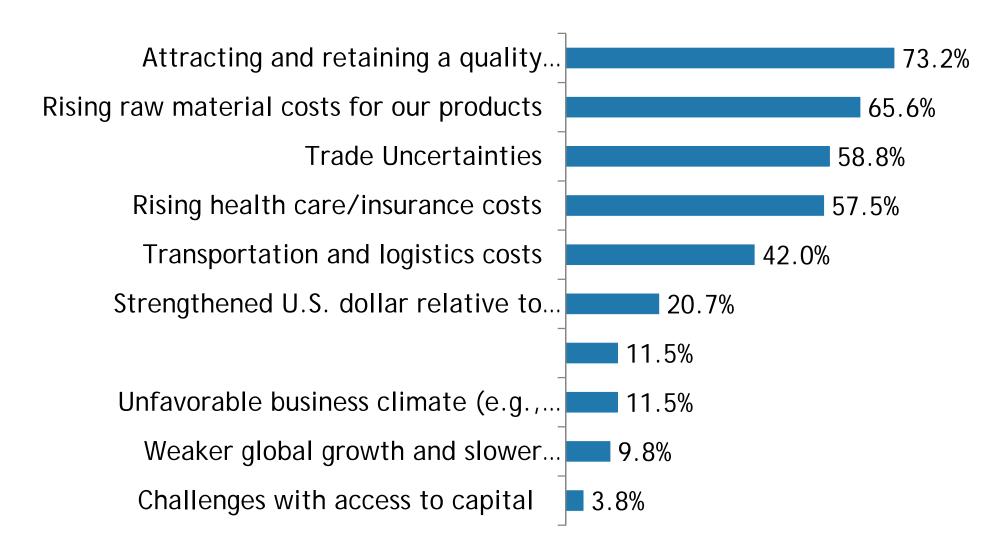
# Expected Manufacturing Growth Over Next 12 Months (First Quarter 2016 - Third Quarter 2018)



Source: NAM Manufacturers' Outlook Survey Note: Expected growth rates are annual averages.

## **Primary Current Business Challenges**

(Third Quarter 2018)



Source: NAM Manufacturers' Outlook Survey

Note: Respondents were able to check all that apply. Therefore, responses exceed 100 percent.

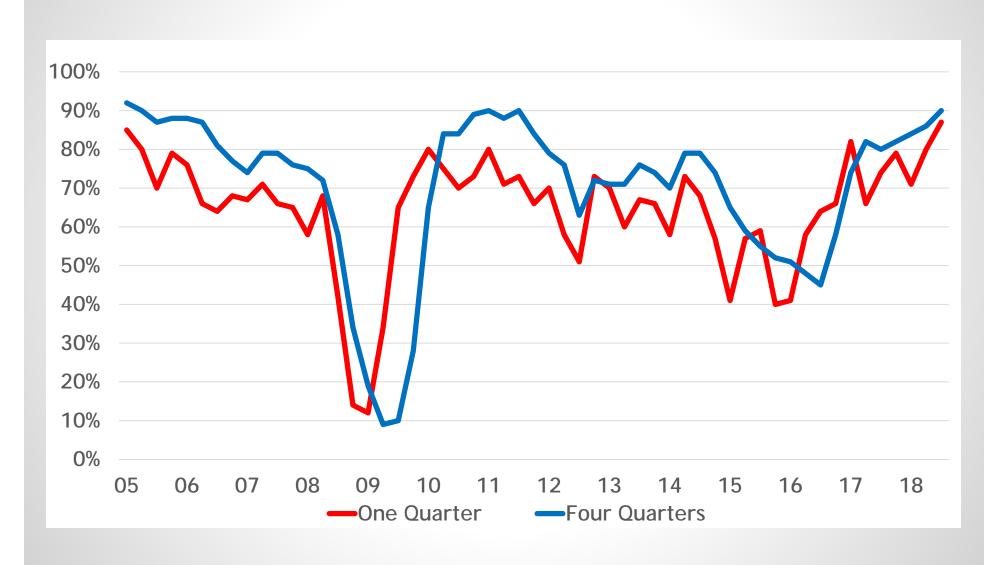
# US Industrial and Commercial Gross Output Recovers from Soft Oil & Gas Soft Patch

US Economic Sector Heat Map (Y/Y Growth)																							
	10 13	20 13	3Q 13	40 13	10 14	20 14	30 14	40 14	10 15	2Q 15	3Q 15	40 15	10 16	20 16	3Q 16	40 16	10 17	20 17	30 17	40 17	10 18	20 18	3Q 1
Gross Output - All industries	2.7%	3.3%	3.5%	3.5%	4.0%	5.2%	5.0%	3.8%	1.2%	0.5%	-0.1%	-0.6%	0.4%	0.7%	1.5%	3.1%	5.3%	4.9%	4.9%	6.1%	5.6%	6.3%	6.6
Private Industries	3.0%	3.7%	4.0%	3.9%	4.3%	5.5%	5.3%	3.9%	1.1%	0.3%	-0.3%	-0.9%	0.2%	0.5%	1.4%	3.2%	5.6%	5.1%	5.2%	6.3%	5.8%	6.5%	6.8
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing & Hunting	11.2%	8.3%	8.7%	2.3%	-2.1%	5.7%	1.8%	5.4%	-5.5%	-12.2%	-8.3%	-11.1%	-4.0%	-2.7%	-6.6%	-4.3%	-2.3%	-3.3%	-1.2%	0.5%	-0.6%	2.0%	4.0
Mining	-0.5%	10.6%	17.0%	8.2%	14.9%	16.6%	7.6%	2.1%	-25.0%	-31.4%	-36.9%	-38.8%	-35.6%	-29.4%	-16.8%	1.0%	36.2%	30.1%	24.7%	31.2%	18.6%	21.9%	23.
Utilities	5.8%	9.1%	4.3%	9.2%	18.8%	9.1%	6.4%	3.7%	-4.3%	-6.3%	-2.5%	-9.0%	-11.7%	-4.9%	0.1%	3.0%	3.8%	7.0%	-0.2%	4.2%	7.6%	2.7%	6.
Construction	4.8%	6.8%	10.0%	9.2%	10.4%	10.1%	8.4%	9.7%	10.0%	12.6%	12.1%	8.3%	10.3%	6.2%	5.5%	8.4%	6.0%	3.8%	2.3%	2.8%	3.6%	5.1%	6.
Manufacturing	2.2%	1.8%	2.3%	2.5%	2.1%	3.3%	2.4%	-1.4%	-5.5%	-5.9%	-6.8%	-6.7%	-5.3%	-4.6%	-3.5%	0.1%	4.1%	4.2%	5.5%	7.8%	7.6%	8.3%	7.
Durable Goods	2.5%	2.1%	3.7%	4.4%	3.0%	3.3%	6.4%	3.3%	1.9%	0.3%	-1.9%	-3.3%	-2.9%	-3.3%	-3.3%	-0.5%	2.1%	4.1%	5.3%	7.4%	7.5%	7.6%	6.
Non-Durable Goods	2.0%	1.6%	1.1%	0.9%	1.4%	3.2%	-1.0%	-5.6%	-11.9%	-11.3%	-11.5%	-10.0%	-7.7%	-5.9%	-3.7%	0.8%	6.2%	4.4%	5.7%	8.1%	7.6%	9.1%	8.
Wholesale Trade	3.3%	2.5%	2.9%	3.6%	2.5%	5.2%	4.9%	1.5%	-3.2%	-4.5%	-5.3%	-5.5%	-3.7%	-2.8%	-1.0%	2.5%	8.0%	6.0%	7.0%	8.5%	6.6%	10.0%	8
Retail Trade	3.7%	4.0%	3.3%	3.2%	2.2%	4.8%	4.6%	4.1%	2.4%	1.6%	1.9%	1.6%	2.5%	2.1%	2.1%	3.5%	5.0%	4.3%	4.5%	5.9%	4.7%	5.7%	5
Transportation and Warehousing	3.1%	3.2%	3.9%	3.2%	4.4%	6.3%	6.9%	8.1%	3.9%	1.3%	0.6%	-2.8%	-1.8%	-2.1%	-1.6%	0.8%	3.2%	5.5%	3.6%	3.7%	4.9%	4.8%	7
Information	3.9%	3.3%	4.6%	3.6%	5.5%	5.9%	4.8%	4.8%	3.9%	4.5%	4.0%	4.9%	5.4%	3.6%	4.7%	3.1%	3.2%	4.6%	4.6%	5.7%	6.1%	6.3%	5
Finance and Insurance	4.0%	6.7%	4.3%	5.9%	5.5%	7.0%	8.0%	6.2%	6.6%	6.8%	5.0%	4.4%	2.4%	2.4%	5.2%	3.8%	6.9%	7.1%	5.8%	7.2%	8.9%	6.9%	7
Real estate and Rental & Leasing	3.9%	4.8%	5.4%	4.6%	6.9%	6.9%	7.0%	6.8%	5.0%	3.9%	3.2%	3.1%	4.0%	4.9%	5.3%	5.3%	5.5%	4.9%	4.5%	5.1%	4.9%	2.7%	5
Professional and Business Services	0.1%	3.7%	4.1%	3.9%	7.0%	5.4%	6.3%	6.9%	6.4%	5.6%	4.6%	2.9%	3.1%	3.8%	3.7%	4.2%	4.5%	4.1%	3.8%	4.7%	4.3%	5.1%	6
Professional, Scientific & Technical Services	-1.1%	1.3%	3.5%	4.3%	4.2%	4.8%	6.1%	6.2%	5.9%	4.7%	3.8%	2.2%	4.3%	3.6%	2.7%	4.5%	2.7%	3.1%	2.6%	2.9%	3.7%	4.3%	5
Management of Companies and Enterprises	4.1%	9.3%	7.0%	0.5%	10.9%	4.1%	4.9%	6.9%	6.9%	7.7%	4.7%	3.8%	-1.4%	2.5%	3.2%	-1.2%	3.3%	0.8%	1.4%	5.7%	4.5%	5.8%	7
Administrative and Waste Management Services	0.3%	5.6%	3.4%	5.6%	10.7%	7.8%	7.7%	8.4%	7.1%	6.1%	6.6%	3.8%	3.8%	5.1%	6.3%	7.3%	9.4%	8.7%	8.2%	8.1%	5.7%	6.3%	6
Educational Services	1.0%	2.7%	3.3%	3.6%	3.4%	3.3%	3.3%	3.5%	3.5%	3.7%	3.5%	4.0%	3.8%	3.9%	2.8%	2.3%	3.1%	3.3%	6.2%	5.8%	5.0%	5.0%	4
Health Care and Social Assistance	1.6%	2.8%	3.0%	3.4%	2.3%	3.2%	5.0%	5.5%	7.1%	6.5%	6.2%	4.9%	5.1%	5.5%	4.0%	5.1%	5.9%	4.8%	5.8%	5.3%	4.5%	5.4%	5
Arts, Entertainment & Recreation	4.5%	2.7%	3.9%	5.3%	7.5%	5.9%	5.0%	3.5%	5.4%	7.9%	6.4%	5.6%	3.4%	2.4%	5.4%	8.1%	6.8%	9.4%	9.9%	4.0%	3.0%	1.7%	-0
Food and Hospitality	5.1%	3.5%	3.5%	4.4%	3.4%	7.0%	8.1%	8.7%	9.2%	8.3%	6.9%	5.9%	5.9%	5.2%	5.1%	4.4%	4.9%	3.2%	2.3%	1.5%	1.1%	3.7%	5
Other Services	2.7%	2.3%	2.7%	1.7%	5.2%	6.1%	7.4%	7.8%	4.6%	4.5%	2.1%	1.2%	4.7%	3.2%	5.5%	6.0%	5.3%	6.3%	6.5%	7.3%	5.7%	5.4%	5
Government	-0.2%	-0.1%	-0.4%	-0.2%	1.0%	1.7%	2.8%	2.5%	1.9%	2.3%	1.8%	2.4%	2.1%	2.0%	2.2%	1.8%	2.8%	2.6%	2.8%	3.8%	3.8%	4.2%	4
Federal	-3.6%	-4.3%	-5.7%	-5.0%	-1.8%	-0.8%	1.5%	0.2%	0.4%	0.9%	-0.7%	1.2%	0.3%	0.3%	1.1%	0.4%	0.6%	0.8%	1.1%	2.6%	3.4%	4.8%	6
State and Local	1.6%	2.1%	2.3%	2.2%	2.4%	3.0%	3.4%	3.6%	2.7%	3.0%	2.9%	3.0%	2.9%	2.8%	2.8%	2.5%	3.8%	3.4%	3.5%	4.3%	4.0%	3.9%	3
Addenda:																							
Business-to-Business (B2) Spending	3.3%	4.5%	4.7%	4.3%	4.8%	6.1%	5.5%	3.5%	-0.5%	-1.6%	-2.5%	-3.1%	-1.6%	-1.1%	0.2%	2.6%	6.0%	5.5%	5.8%	7.3%	6.5%	7.4%	7
Non-Goods (Services) Sectosr	2.7%	3.4%	3.5%	3.6%	4.2%	5.3%	5.5%	4.8%	3.2%	2.7%	2.1%	1.4%	2.0%	2.1%	2.8%	3.7%	5.3%	4.8%	4.7%	5.6%	5.2%	5.8%	6
Goods Sectors	2.6%	3.0%	3.9%	3.0%	2.9%	4.6%	2.9%	-0.6%	-7.4%	-8.9%	-9.9%	-9.9%	-7.6%	-6.3%	-4.6%	-0.2%	5.4%	5.2%	6.2%	8.7%	7.8%	8.9%	8
Goods & Construction Sectors	2.9%	3.5%	4.7%	3.8%	3.9%	5.4%	3.6%	0.8%	-4.9%	-5.8%	-6.7%	-7.2%	-4.7%	-4.2%	-2.9%	1.4%	5.5%	4.9%	5.5%	7.6%	7.0%	8.2%	8
Gross Output Less Mining	2.6%	3.3%	3.5%	3.5%	4.1%	5.2%	5.1%	3.8%	1.3%	0.7%	0.0%	-0.5%	0.4%	0.7%	1.6%	3.2%	5.4%	4.9%	5.0%	6.1%	5.7%	6.3%	6
Gross Output Less Mining & Manufacturing	2.6%	3.5%	3.7%	3.7%	4.4%	5.5%	5.6%	4.7%	2.6%	1.9%	1.2%	0.6%	1.4%	1.6%	2.5%	3.7%	5.6%	5.1%	4.9%	5.9%	5.3%	6.0%	6.

Sources: BEA, Census, EIA, various trade associations and ACC analysis

# **Gross Output Diffusion Indexes**

(% of 128 Industries/Sectors Expanding)



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# **US Non-Durables Industrial Activity**

				US	Non-D	)urable	Goods	Gross (	Output	Heat N	\ap (Y/	Y Grow	/th)										
	10 13	20 13	30 13	40 13	10 14	20 14	30 14	40 14	10 15	20 15	30 15	40 15	10 16	20 16	30 16	40 16	10 17	20 17	30 17	40 17	10 18	20 18	30 1
Food Products	4.5%	3.6%	2.9%	2.2%	4.9%	5.1%	3.5%	3.1%	-1.4%	-3.1%	-2.1%	-3.5%	-2.6%	-1.6%	-1.6%	0.1%	3.0%	5.4%	5.7%	4.2%	2.8%	1.7%	2.0
Grain & Oilseed Milling	12.1%	2.5%	-1.9%	-2.4%	-4.0%	-2.8%	-4.9%	-10.5%	-10.1%	-7.5%	-6.6%	-4.0%	-5.3%	-4.3%	-3.7%	-2.8%	2.0%	1.9%	3.3%	5.3%	5.8%	8.3%	8.
Dairy Products	-0.3%	5.8%	7.3%	3.7%	17.1%	13.9%	7.1%	8.4%	-10.1%	-12.4%	-9.9%	-9.1%	-1.8%	-2.6%	0.0%	1.2%	6.1%	7.6%	3.6%	1.1%	-2.4%	-1.4%	0.
Meat, Poultry, and Seafood Products	1.8%	1.9%	4.7%	6.0%	7.5%	8.5%	7.5%	6.4%	3.1%	-1.3%	-2.7%	-6.9%	-6.1%	-3.6%	-4.4%	-0.9%	2.2%	5.4%	7.0%	3.8%	2.0%	1.2%	1.
Other Food Products	5.7%	4.2%	1.7%	0.8%	2.2%	2.4%	2.1%	3.3%	1.4%	0.4%	2.4%	1.1%	0.2%	0.8%	0.3%	1.2%	2.8%	5.6%	6.2%	5.1%	4.3%	1.3%	1
Beverages	4.6%	4.0%	6.7%	4.7%	3.5%	3.0%	1.5%	3.2%	3.9%	3.3%	3.8%	1.4%	-0.2%	-0.8%	0.4%	-3.5%	-4.2%	-6.8%	-12.3%	-8.8%	-5.6%	-0.1%	3
Tobacco	-1.1%	2.8%	-0.5%	-1.6%	-9.4%	-13.2%	-7.5%	1.3%	14.3%	16.2%	5.7%	8.9%	1.0%	-2.9%	6.4%	6.8%	12.9%	9.6%	7.4%	-2.9%	3.9%	-4.6%	-6
Textile Mills	1.1%	4.7%	6.4%	6.9%	1.5%	1.0%	-0.8%	-5.1%	-5.0%	-7.2%	-6.7%	-5.5%	-6.5%	-5.0%	-5.0%	-1.4%	3.9%	3.8%	4.9%	3.6%	1.3%	3.1%	2
Textile Products	-2.7%	0.8%	5.5%	12.4%	9.2%	13.0%	12.1%	5.9%	6.6%	-2.3%	-3.4%	-5.8%	-4.7%	-0.1%	-0.8%	2.4%	2.4%	2.2%	1.8%	3.7%	5.0%	7.4%	6
Apparel	0.0%	2.5%	-3.0%	-4.8%	-8.7%	-6.3%	-6.2%	1.6%	-0.2%	-6.7%	-2.7%	-7.4%	-7.3%	-0.9%	-4.0%	-4.7%	2.2%	2.1%	2.7%	5.5%	6.2%	6.3%	5
Leather & Allied Products	1.2%	-0.9%	4.1%	5.8%	-0.8%	0.4%	-0.1%	2.6%	1.2%	-0.4%	-1.7%	-9.9%	-6.2%	-4.4%	-1.7%	6.3%	4.8%	1.5%	0.5%	-3.0%	-4.6%	2.7%	2
Paper & Products	4.2%	3.4%	3.2%	1.3%	-2.1%	1.1%	1.1%	2.1%	1.7%	-0.9%	-2.0%	-1.9%	-1.3%	-2.2%	-3.0%	-2.2%	-0.6%	-0.3%	2.3%	5.6%	5.4%	6.5%	5
Pulp, Paper & Paperboard Mills	2.5%	2.9%	3.5%	0.8%	0.0%	1.3%	-1.4%	-1.3%	-0.5%	-3.2%	-4.3%	-3.4%	-6.0%	-5.8%	-4.8%	-4.3%	-1.7%	-0.1%	2.2%	3.0%	2.6%	3.5%	2
Paperboard Containers	8.6%	10.1%	8.3%	4.4%	-2.8%	2.8%	7.6%	8.9%	5.7%	0.9%	-2.3%	-1.5%	5.1%	1.6%	-0.6%	0.7%	3.1%	2.7%	4.5%	6.6%	4.5%	5.7%	4
Other Paper Products	2.3%	-3.4%	-3.4%	-1.6%	-5.2%	-1.4%	-2.9%	-0.5%	1.0%	1.0%	2.6%	0.3%	-1.1%	-0.7%	-3.2%	-2.6%	-3.8%	-4.9%	-0.7%	8.8%	11.9%	13.1%	- 11
Printing	4.1%	0.5%	-2.1%	-2.5%	-2.6%	-0.7%	0.2%	-0.7%	-1.9%	-1.5%	-0.7%	1.2%	2.1%	2.6%	2.6%	0.0%	-3.2%	-6.5%	-7.3%	-5.2%	-2.0%	1.8%	1
Petroleum and coal products	1.9%	0.1%	-2.2%	-2.0%	-3.6%	1.9%	-7.8%	-22.2%	-36.9%	-32.0%	-38.0%	-34.9%	-31.9%	-23.7%	-11.1%	11.1%	40.4%	15.7%	22.1%	25.4%	22.4%	32.3%	23
Petroleum Refineries	2.3%	0.7%	-2.2%	-1.7%	-3.2%	2.3%	-8.1%	-23.5%	-38.8%	-33.8%	-40.0%	-37.1%	-34.3%	-25.6%	-11.5%	12.4%	44.5%	17.3%	23.4%	26.9%	24.1%	34.7%	24
Paving, Roofing & Other products	-3.1%	-7.9%	-1.7%	-7.3%	-10.1%	-4.7%	-1.7%	1.0%	-2.7%	0.3%	-5.6%	-4.8%	-4.2%	-1.7%	-7.3%	-0.5%	8.0%	1.6%	9.3%	10.7%	4.8%	7.0%	
Pharmaceuticals	-8.7%	-5.1%	3.3%	6.8%	8.5%	12.1%	5.6%	2.4%	4.2%	2.7%	13.6%	13.0%	8.9%	5.3%	-4.4%	-2.0%	1.2%	4.5%	10.7%	13.8%	10.6%	8.7%	6
Chemicals (excluding pharmaceuticals)	1.1%	1.6%	0.8%	-0.1%	3.9%	1.9%	-2.1%	-5.5%	-12.1%	-13.1%	-11.3%	-9.7%	-5.9%	-4.3%	-4.2%	-3.8%	-2.4%	1.7%	0.7%	7.2%	7.5%	7.2%	11
Basic Chemicals	1.5%	0.9%	0.5%	-0.3%	1.9%	-1.0%	-4.5%	-7.7%	-15.8%	-16.4%	-15.2%	-12.9%	-8.2%	-6.9%	-7.1%	-6.8%	-2.8%	3.3%	1.0%	9.7%	5.4%	4.2%	10
Inorganics	-4.6%	-6.0%	-5.6%	-4.2%	-4.1%	-3.0%	-2.4%	-2.4%	0.0%	-0.8%	-1.9%	-3.5%	-6.2%	-5.6%	-7.9%	-7.5%	-7.1%	-7.9%	-3.2%	-3.7%	1.7%	5.5%	
Petrochemicals & Organics	2.7%	2.1%	1.0%	-0.7%	0.7%	-2.8%	-6.6%	-10.0%	-19.7%	-20.1%	-18.3%	-15.9%	-10.6%	-9.1%	-9.7%	-9.5%	-2.5%	6.8%	2.7%	13.6%	5.8%	1.2%	10
Synthetic Materials	2.2%	2.1%	2.5%	2.4%	7.1%	3.5%	-1.1%	-5.7%	-15.3%	-16.5%	-15.5%	-11.9%	-4.7%	-3.7%	-1.9%	-1.4%	-1.3%	3.0%	0.3%	9.6%	6.4%	9.1%	14
Specialty Chemicals	0.8%	1.5%	4.3%	4.9%	3.6%	5.0%	3.1%	2.9%	1.2%	-1.1%	-0.2%	-2.3%	-1.1%	-0.8%	-2.2%	-0.8%	0.7%	3.7%	7.3%	8.8%	11.4%	11.1%	
Coatings & Adhesives	0.5%	1.6%	7.8%	9.2%	4.3%	8.3%	5.3%	6.1%	4.3%	-0.2%	2.3%	-2.0%	1.4%	1.8%	-1.2%	1.7%	0.8%	4.1%	6.8%	7.2%	8.8%	8.1%	
Other Specialty Chemicals	0.9%	1.4%	1.6%	1.6%	3.1%	2.3%	1.3%	0.3%	-1.2%	-1.9%	-2.3%	-2.4%	-3.1%	-3.1%	-3.0%	-3.0%	0.6%	3.4%	7.8%	10.2%	13.7%	13.8%	11
Agricultural Chemicals	22.7%	25.6%	-0.8%	-11.8%	-3.3%	-3.8%	-14.0%	-20.8%	-19.8%	-20.7%	-10.3%	-12.4%	-11.2%	-5.6%	-2.7%	-2.6%	-13.0%	-14.7%	-18.8%	-8.6%	-0.7%	9.4%	14
Consumer Chemistry	-10.2%	-5.9%	-0.7%	3.5%	19.2%	16.2%	10.6%	4.6%	-4.7%	-6.7%	-6.2%	-3.1%	0.2%	2.7%	4.1%	3.4%	-0.3%	0.4%	0.7%	3.0%	13.7%	12.9%	12
Plastics & Rubber Products	3.8%	3.4%	3.1%	3.6%	2.2%	4.2%	4.2%	4.6%	3.4%	1.1%	1.1%	-2.0%	-1.3%	-0.7%	-0.5%	0.3%	-0.4%	-1.4%	-2.0%	0.0%	1.4%	2.3%	3

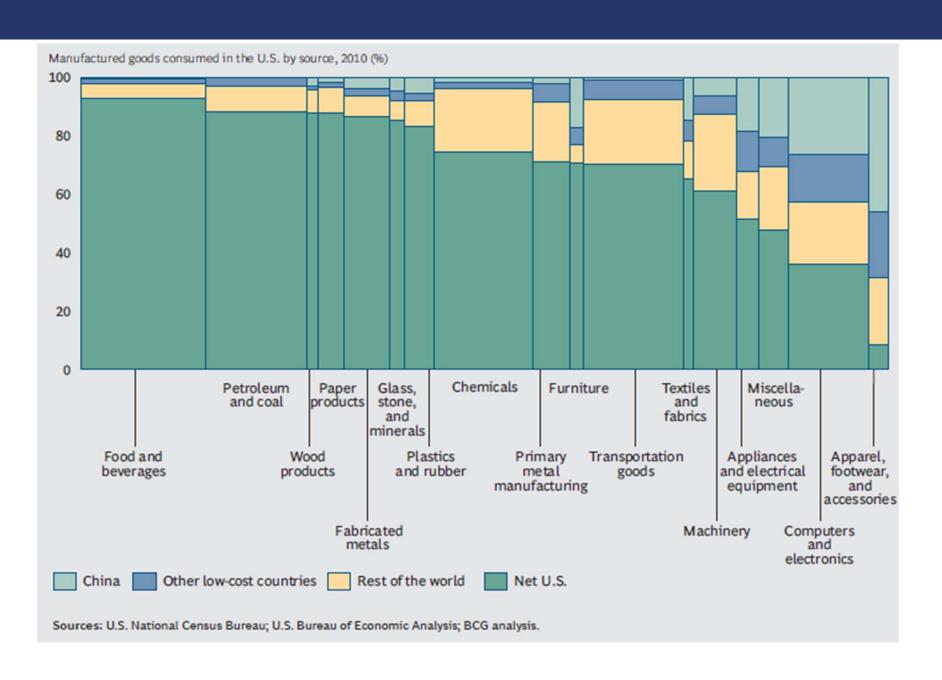
Sources: BEA and ACC analysis

# **US Durables Industrial Activity**

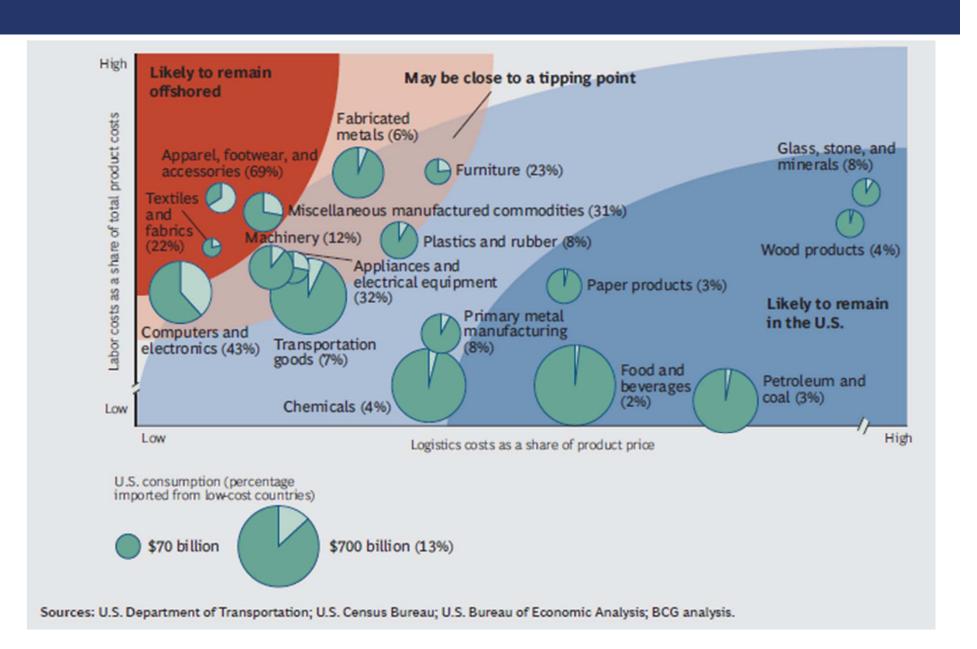
#### US Durable Goods Gross Output Heat Map (Y/Y Growth)

	10 13	20 13	30 13	40 13	10 14	20 14	30 14	40 14	1Q 15	20 15	3Q 15	40 15	10 16	2Q 16	30 16	40 16	10 17	20 17	30 17	40 17	1Q 18	2Q 18	3Q 18
Wood Products	17.1%	15.4%	10.5%	10.4%	-0.8%	9.6%	10.8%	7.5%	10.0%	-0.6%	1.2%	2.8%	4.1%	4.1%	3.0%	5.8%	8.4%	7.8%	6.3%	6.6%	2.8%	4.4%	4.6%
Non-Metallic Mineral Products	6.8%	8.1%	8.2%	5.3%	5.4%	6.1%	6.7%	8.4%	6.5%	3.2%	4.4%	4.1%	6.3%	5.5%	2.1%	2.7%	1.9%	2.2%	2.8%	4.7%	2.7%	4.2%	4.9%
Primary Metals	-6.8%	-4.3%	2.3%	2.0%	-1.1%	1.9%	2.8%	0.0%	-4.8%	-12.5%	-17.7%	-20.4%	-17.7%	-11.6%	-7.2%	-0.4%	6.9%	7.1%	7.4%	10.2%	11.6%	16.8%	16.6%
Iron and Steel Mills	-8.1%	-8.3%	-0.4%	2.2%	0.8%	3.0%	2.9%	-0.4%	-9.9%	-16.9%	-21.6%	-25.6%	-19.0%	-12.5%	-8.2%	-0.2%	9.1%	11.4%	10.8%	13.6%	12.2%	18.0%	18.9%
Ferrous Foundries	-2.5%	-2.9%	-1.1%	0.9%	0.6%	8.0%	11.2%	5.9%	-2.6%	-11.1%	-10.6%	-10.8%	-11.6%	-9.8%	-11.8%	-11.9%	-4.4%	-2.4%	-0.7%	4.1%	3.7%	3.6%	4.7%
Aluminum & Other Nonferrous Metals	-6.0%	0.6%	6.3%	2.0%	-3.6%	-0.4%	1.2%	-0.6%	1.1%	-7.5%	-14.4%	-15.9%	-17.3%	-11.1%	-5.2%	1.5%	6.5%	4.2%	5.2%	7.6%	12.3%	17.6%	16.1%
Fabricated Metal Products	0.8%	2.8%	2.5%	3.0%	1.9%	2.2%	4.2%	3.5%	1.8%	-0.8%	-3.9%	-6.4%	-6.4%	-5.5%	-3.9%	0.0%	4.1%	6.9%	9.3%	10.6%	9.8%	10.4%	9.2%
Machinery	1.9%	-3.0%	-3.9%	-0.8%	-0.8%	1.6%	9.4%	0.1%	-3.7%	-4.5%	-9.4%	-8.8%	-8.0%	-9.4%	-9.0%	-4.8%	0.6%	5.7%	8.5%	10.7%	8.6%	6.9%	7.4%
Farm Machinery	14.0%	2.1%	1.1%	38.0%	1.0%	-7.3%	39.7%	-19.2%	-17.0%	-7.1%	-30.1%	-33.8%	-29.2%	-24.3%	-24.0%	-10.2%	1.1%	5.4%	15.3%	22.0%	21.0%	24.2%	23.5%
Construction Machinery	5.0%	-8.3%	-32.3%	-26.6%	-8.6%	5.7%	17.3%	5.8%	-5.6%	-16.9%	-19.7%	-17.5%	-17.9%	-6.0%	-8.8%	0.2%	11.3%	9.4%	19.6%	17.5%	13.3%	13.2%	21.7%
Mining & Oilfield Machinery	4.9%	-5.4%	-2.9%	-0.3%	-0.1%	9.6%	4.0%	-10.6%	-20.9%	-35.8%	-39.2%	-34.2%	-32.3%	-36.5%	-25.2%	-27.9%	-4.0%	23.8%	28.6%	44.0%	11.0%	7.8%	1.9%
Industrial Machinery	7.6%	-4.4%	3.7%	-2.0%	1.3%	3.9%	3.5%	-12.5%	-21.2%	-1.0%	-5.4%	18.5%	22.9%	-3.1%	-7.8%	-8.9%	-2.2%	1.4%	4.2%	1.6%	-1.8%	-1.0%	-0.1%
Photographic Equipment	-9.5%	-3.3%	1.8%	-5.8%	-11.3%	-19.2%	-15.7%	-3.3%	-4.0%	10.4%	8.0%	8.7%	12.4%	5.2%	4.5%	-4.1%	-3.1%	1.8%	-8.6%	-7.9%	-1.2%	-3.1%	6.2%
HVAC & Refrigeration equipment	5.2%	3.5%	3.6%	0.9%	0.3%	-2.7%	-2.8%	-1.2%	0.8%	3.4%	6.6%	4.9%	2.9%	-4.5%	-3.5%	-3.7%	-0.1%	5.6%	1.2%	4.0%	2.4%	5.3%	7.6%
Metalworking Machinery	2.2%	-1.9%	5.5%	4.8%	2.8%	3.2%	1.3%	5.7%	1.8%	0.0%	3.9%	-2.8%	-1.7%	-5.1%	-8.9%	-2.7%	-0.5%	6.3%	7.6%	8.6%	12.9%	6.1%	7.0%
Turbines, Generators & Other Power Equipment	-11.1%	-11.7%	-7.6%	-11.3%	-11.6%	-5.7%	21.7%	23.1%	19.6%	7.8%	-8.6%	-20.6%	-17.1%	-14.9%	-16.3%	-0.7%	-3.3%	4.6%	15.2%	13.3%	14.1%	4.8%	1.4%
Material Handling Equipment	-5.0%	-9.8%	-7.3%	-4.7%	2.2%	6.7%	6.2%	0.4%	-8.1%	-5.6%	-4.2%	0.8%	7.5%	1.9%	-1.1%	-0.6%	0.8%	4.0%	5.2%	6.6%	8.2%	9.1%	11.0%
Other Machinery	3.2%	2.6%	1.9%	1.9%	4.4%	5.3%	6.0%	3.9%	0.6%	-0.8%	-2.4%	-1.5%	-6.5%	-6.6%	-3.5%	-3.2%	2.0%	4.4%	4.9%	8.9%	6.7%	4.8%	4.2%
Computers & Electronics	-1.5%	-2.0%	5.3%	4.0%	1.8%	0.9%	0.1%	-2.3%	-0.5%	0.1%	-0.2%	-0.6%	-5.2%	-4.8%	-2.9%	-0.6%	5.9%	7.7%	11.3%	15.9%	13.4%	12.4%	6.7%
Computers, Storage Devices & Peripherals	-9.3%	-8.6%	5.1%	5.9%	1.5%	6.8%	-9.2%	-18.3%	-9.2%	-12.3%	1.5%	4.3%	-4.5%	-6.1%	-9.6%	-6.9%	-0.6%	-1. <b>2</b> %	-0.6%	-11.0%	-16.5%	-13.2%	-10.4%
Communications Equipment	5.6%	5.0%	1.5%	-5.3%	-8.8%	-12.5%	-11.4%	-14.3%	-8.6%	-5.0%	-4.5%	1.0%	-8.2%	-5.2%	-1.5%	-2.7%	3.9%	2.4%	2.2%	12.0%	10.3%	12.9%	11.1%
Audio and Video Equipment	-2.6%	-11.3%	6.6%	2.9%	15.3%	20.6%	-0.9%	-24.9%	-38.5%	-17.6%	20.3%	47.4%	60.1%	15.6%	-24.8%	-18.8%	-5.2%	-2.7%	15.2%	7.4%	-13.9%	-9.8%	-10.2%
Electronic Components	0.5%	1.7%	10.5%	12.1%	10.3%	6.2%	7.2%	4.3%	9.2%	8.6%	-0.1%	-3.9%	-12.6%	-11.9%	-5.9%	1.2%	11.0%	17.8%	24.9%	29.5%	26.8%	21.4%	7.8%
Search and Navigation Equipment	-3.5%	-4.1%	-2.8%	-1.4%	-4.6%	-2.4%	-2.4%	-3.9%	-6.0%	-1.9%	0.4%	1.8%	5.3%	3.9%	5.4%	4.5%	10.2%	10.4%	7.7%	11.0%	7.1%	3.9%	4.3%
Electromedical, Measuring, and Control Instruments	-2.5%	-4.7%	6.5%	2.3%	1.1%	0.8%	1.0%	0.9%	-2.6%	-2.8%	-0.9%	-1.4%	-1.5%	-0.4%	-1.0%	-1.8%	1.5%	0.9%	5.1%	11.2%	11.5%	13.6%	9.8%
Other Electronics	-14.9%	-13.6%	-9.6%	-2.9%	-0.3%	8.5%	16.1%	19.4%	43.7%	34.9%	23.8%	14.0%	-1.8%	-3.7%	-3.0%	-0.7%	2.2%	2.5%	1.6%	-0.4%	-1.3%	-1.6%	-0.9%
Electrical Equipment, Appliances & Components	0.6%	0.2%	0.6%	-0.4%	-0.6%	0.2%	4.9%	4.9%	2.4%	0.2%	-2.3%	-3.3%	-4.7%	-1.8%	-0.2%	2.2%	5.2%	4.5%	2.2%	2.8%	4.4%	5.2%	6.4%
Electric Lighting Equipment	-11.4%	-9.9%	9.8%	16.9%	8.6%	6.9%	-0.9%	-5.0%	-5.9%	-3.0%	2.6%	4.0%	8.3%	8.6%	5.8%	2.2%	3.1%	3.8%	-3.1%	-3.3%	-3.6%	-1.5%	3.1%
Household Appliances	2.0%	-1.8% -0.3%	-3.4%	-4.5%	-3.0%	2.2%	9.0%	12.5%	8.9% -2.5%	7.0%	2.4%	2.6%	4.2%	2.1% -3.5%	3.8%	3.9%	-0.3%	-1.8% -1.5%	-5.0%	-6.8% -3.2%	-5.1%	-3.8%	-1.7%
Electrical Equipment Batteries	-0.5%	-1.6%	2.6%	3.6%	4.0% 6.3%	1.0%	3.2% 19.5%	12.6%	5.4%	-5.3% 4.2%	-6.5%	-7.9% -1.5%	-8.2% -3.6%	-5.3%	-3.6% -4.0%	-7.5%	0.6%	-1.8%	-4.4% 2.7%	4.1%	1.4%	3.1% 4.8%	6.5% 3.7%
Other Electrical	-5.4% 6.3%	5.0%	-0.2%	-5.7%	-7.6%	-4.4%	2.7%	5.3%	5.7%	1.9%	-5.4% -1.1%	-4.4%	-9.7%	-4.2%	0.1%	6.8%	15.7%	14.9%	13.0%	14.2%	14.3%	12.8%	11.3%
Transportation equipment	6.7%	6.0%	6.9%	8.7%	8.5%	6.9%	11.6%	7.7%	6.1%	6.0%	4.0%	1.0%	2.3%	-0.9%	-2.5%	-0.3%	-0.8%	1.4%	1.2%	2.9%	5.4%	4.7%	3.9%
Light Vehicles	13.2%	3.6%	10.0%	17.9%	7.7%	11.6%	17.3%	8.6%	7.2%	8.9%	7.2%	5.3%	11.5%	2.3%	0.6%	3.0%	-1.4%	1.3%	-1.7%	1.5%	6.3%	6.0%	4.9%
Medium- and Heavy-Duty Trucks	-9.4%	-2.4%	7.0%	3.0%	0.2%	-5.9%	6.3%	12.9%	17.3%	19.1%	8.4%	-1.6%	-10.2%	-18.1%	-24.8%	-21.6%	-13.3%	1.4%	21.1%	27.7%	23.9%	9.7%	2.6%
Motor Vehicle Parts	5.9%	6.9%	4.1%	6.0%	9.9%	7.4%	12.2%	9.6%	6.8%	6.1%	4.7%	1.1%	2.1%	0.1%	-1.7%	1.3%	0.7%	2.4%	1.3%	1.9%	3.0%	4.2%	4.5%
Aerospace	2.2%	9.7%	9.4%	4.8%	12.4%	5.4%	8.2%	3.4%	2.7%	2.8%	-1.1%	-1.8%	-3.3%	-1.4%	-1.2%	-1.7%	-1.2%	-1.0%	2.0%	1.1%	4.9%	-0.4%	-2.1%
Ships and Boats	6.4%	10.1%	1.6%	1.6%	5.8%	-6.9%	-2.0%	2.3%	-5.6%	7.0%	7.6%	0.8%	6.0%	-7.0%	-4.6%	-5.1%	-6.5%	1.2%	-3.7%	-0.5%	2.5%	6.0%	7.1%
Other Transportation	9.2%	3.9%	2.2%	4.2%	0.0%	4.2%	6.6%	9.9%	10.2%	-1.9%	-0.2%	-8.0%	-13.1%	-6.7%	-13.1%	-6.5%	4.9%	5.2%	8.4%	13.3%	7.9%	14.8%	15.6%
Furniture & Related Products	1.7%	2.7%	2.8%	2.4%	0.9%	0.2%	1.8%	5.7%	4.7%	7.6%	8.3%	3.7%	4.7%	0.7%	-1.9%	-0.3%	1.0%	1.1%	2.8%	3.5%	3.3%	4.7%	4.0%
Miscellaneous Durable Goods	4.4%	4.8%	5.2%	3.7%	-0.1%	-3.2%	-4.4%	-3.0%	-0.6%	0.2%	1.3%	3.3%	1.5%	4.3%	0.6%	-2.1%	0.3%	0.1%	3.9%	7.6%	6.1%	5.2%	4.6%

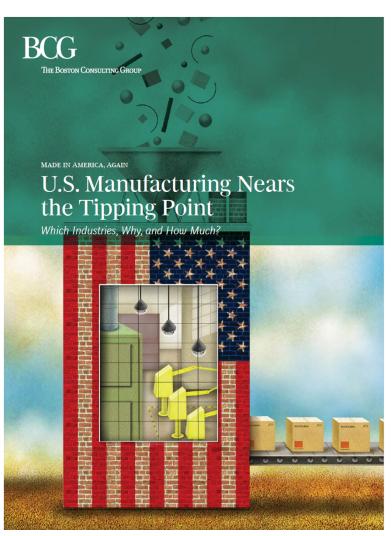
## The US Manufactures 75% of what it Consumes



# Seven US Clusters Near a Tipping Point



# Boston Consulting Group "Tipping Point" Study



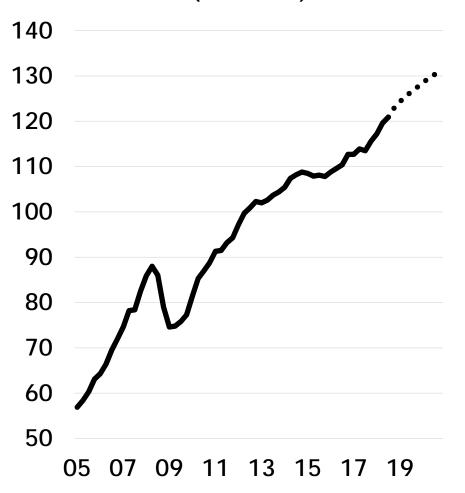
A Boston Consulting Group study examined labor content and logistics costs along with projected productivity differences (falling from 4.6X to 2.3X), challenge of extended supply chains, and high risk of cost volatility in China...and uncovered a "tipping point" in cost-risk among seven key industries:

- Computers and electronics
- Appliances and electrical equipment
- Machinery
- Furniture
- Fabricated metal products
- Plastic & rubber products
- Transportation goods

...and that as these industries "re-shore" to the USA, the USA will gain \$80 billion to \$120 billion in added annual output and 2.0 million to 3.0 million jobs

# **US Computers & Electronics**

## Production Index (2012=100)



### % Change in Output Volume Year-over-Year

	16	17	18	19	20
Total	2.1	3.2	5½	5	3
Computers	-0.1	18.9	8¾	3½	31/4
Communications Equipment	3.3	-0.6	-1¾	2	2¾
Consumer Electronics	-3.0	-9.1	-3	5¼	1
Electronic Components	8.2	2.2	8¾	7	41⁄4
Instrumentation	-0.7	3.0	5	5½	3

# **US Appliances & Electrical Equipment**

#### Production Index (2012=100)

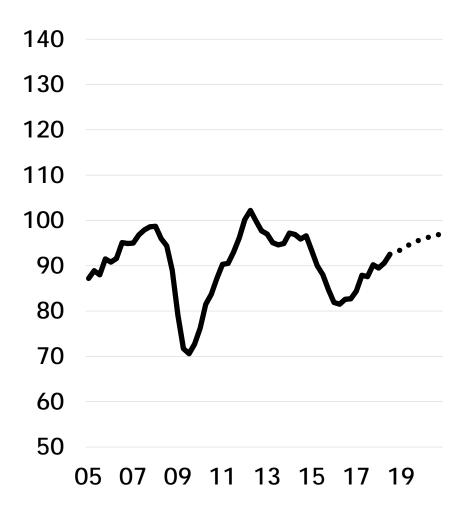


#### % Change in Output Volume Year-over-Year

	16	17	18	19	20
Total	-0.3	1.1	2½	3¾	1¾
Household Appliances	3.9	0.9	-1	1/2	21/4
Lighting Equipment	5.5	2.2	11/4	1½	11/4
Electrical Equipment	-4.0	-5.6	1¼	41⁄4	1¼
Other	-0.8	5.2	4¾	5¼	21⁄4

# **US Machinery**

### Production Index (2012=100)

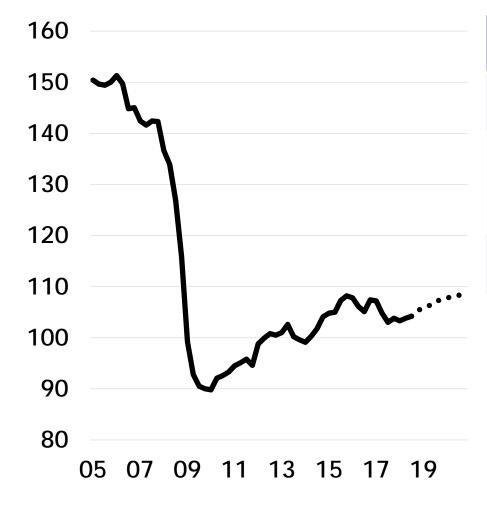


## % Change in Output Volume Year-over-Year

	16	17	18	19	20
Total	-7.7	6.5	6	2	2
Agricultural	-21.1	11.5	3¾	1/2	1½
Construction	-9.1	28.0	1½	1	1½
Mining/Oil & Gas	-30.2	28.8	23½	12½	7¾
Industrial	-2.8	5.7	3	1/2	4
HVAC	-3.4	1.5	3¾	2¾	11/4
Metalworking	-4.4	0.8	4	1	2½
Engines, Turbines & Power	-11.5	1.0	9¼	31/4	0
Other	-3.4	4.7	6¼	2	1¾

## **US Furniture**

## Production Index (2012=100)

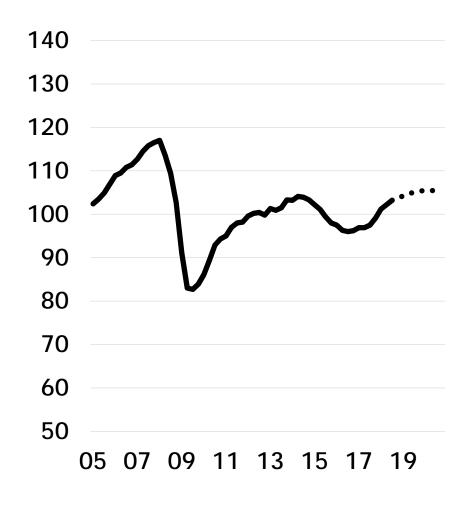


## % Change in Output Volume Year-over-Year

	16	17	18	19	20
Total	0.3	-1.8	0	1¾	1½
Household/ Institutional	1.5	0.0	2¾	2½	1¼
Office & Other	-1.1	-3.6	-2½	3/4	1½

## **US Fabricated Metal Products**

### Production Index (2012=100)



## % Change in Output Volume Year-over-Year

	16	17	18	19	20
Total	-3.7	1.2	5	21⁄4	1/2
Forging/ Stamping	-5.7	2.8	7½	2½	0
Cutlery/ Handtools	-5.6	2.7	15	-1½	-1/4
Architectural/ Structural Metals	0.2	-1.6	3¼	3	1
Hardware	1.5	0.2	6	31/4	3/4
Spring/Wire	-0.3	1.0	6¼	3	1/4
Fasteners, etc.	-5.7	2.4	6	2½	0
Coating, Heat Treating, etc.	-5.1	3.0	7½	3½	0
Other	-4.5	1.5	2	11/4	3/4

## **US Plastic & Rubber Products**

### Production Index (2012=100)



### % Change in Output Volume Year-over-Year

	16	17	18	19	20
Total	1.3	1.9	1/4	3	2¾
Plastic Products	2.4	2.7	1/4	3	3
Tires	-7.0	-2.3	-1/2	11/4	1½
Other Rubber Products	-1.4	-2.0	-3/4	2¾	21⁄4

# **US Transportation Goods**

### Production Index (2012=100)

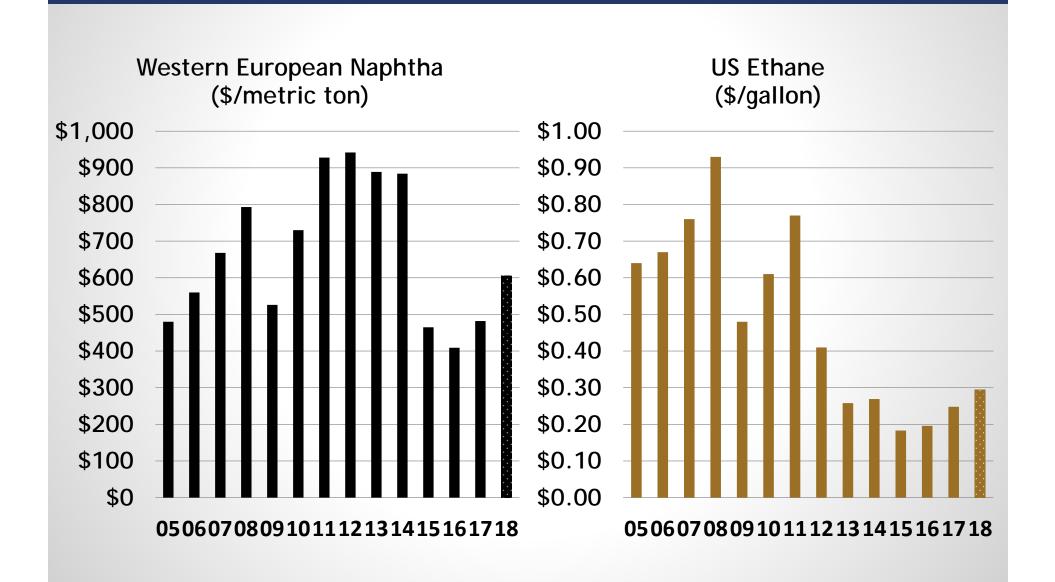


## % Change in Output Volume Year-over-Year

	16	17	18	19	20
Total	-2.5	-0.4	1½	3¾	4
Motor Vehicles & Parts	1.3	-0.9	3½	2½	21/4
Aerospace	-6.9	0.2	-21⁄4	6½	8
Ships & Boatbuilding	-3.9	1.5	4¾	-1	-21⁄4
Other	-10.9	-2.1	2½	4	1



## **US Feedstock Costs Remain Advantaged**



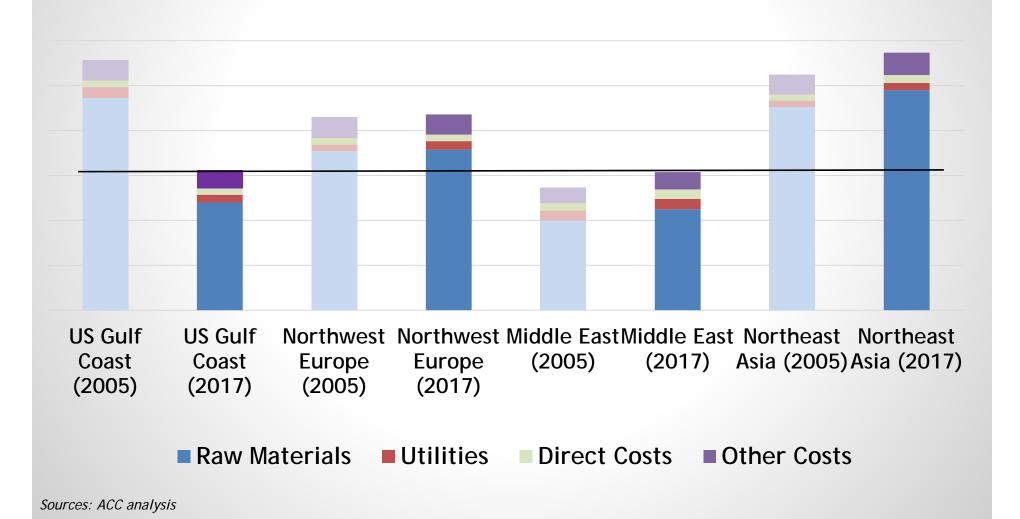
Note: 2018 is YTD

Sources: EIA and ICIS

# Lower US Manufacturing Costs: Case of High Density Polyethylene (HDPE)

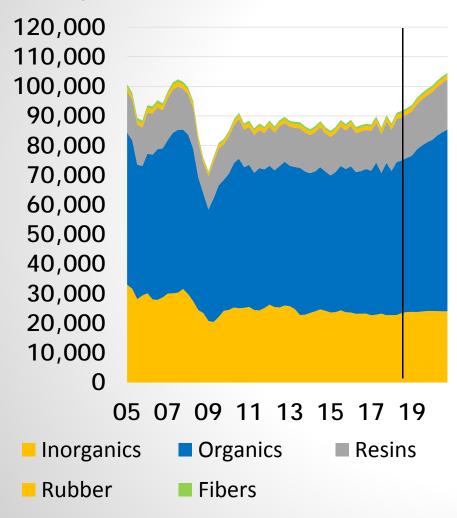
\$ per Metric Ton

By 2017, US among the low cost producers globally, but because of lower falling oil and naphtha prices...a shallower (less steep) cost curve



# US Basic Chemical and Synthetic Materials Production Outlook by Segment

**Quarterly Production (000 MT)** 



Year	Total	Inorganics	Organics	Resins	Rubber	Fiber
2014	-1.2%	0.3%	-2.1%	-1.0%	3.5%	-1.3%
2015	0.2%	-1.0%	0.7%	0.4%	3.5%	0.7%
2016	0.6%	-2.2%	1.9%	1.5%	-2.0%	-0.7%
2017	1.1%	-1.9%	2.6%	1.1%	1.4%	1.5%
2018	11/2%	11⁄2%	2½%	61/2%	11⁄2%	2¼%
2019	51/2%	3¼%	8¼%	7%	2¼%	-2%
2020	6¼%	1/2%	8%%	71⁄2%	2¼%	-21/4%

Sources: ACC, AFPM, AMFA, CI, USGS and ACC analysis

# Positive US Manufacturing Outlook Depends On...

Access to Abundant and Affordable Energy

Strong U.S. Manufacturing Base

**Regulatory Environment** 

State of the U.S. and Global Economy

**Access to Global Supply Chains** 

**Access to Export Markets** 

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