

# The U.S. Sugar Program is ***Not So Sweet*** for Small Business

Higher consumer prices and lost U.S. jobs are the legacy of America's outdated sugar program.

Born during the Great Depression, the sugar program drives up costs for American consumers and businesses and sends American jobs overseas.

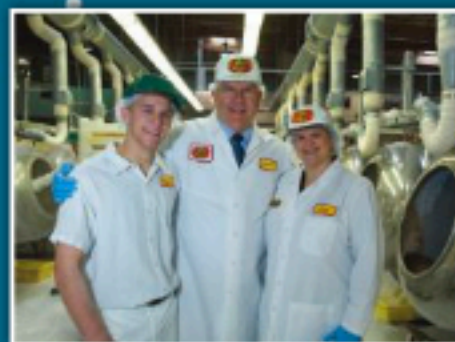
We're America's candy makers – more than two-thirds of which are small- and medium-sized, family-owned businesses that have been in operation for decades. We employ 200,000 Americans, yet these jobs are threatened by the current sugar policy.



First, second and third generation confectioners, Ce De Candy, Inc., Union, NJ



First and second generation confectioners and employees, Adams & Brooks, Inc., Los Angeles, CA



Fourth, fifth and sixth generation confectioners, Jelly Belly Candy Company, Chicago, IL



Fourth and fifth generation confectioners, Goetze's Candy Company, Baltimore, MD



Third and fourth generation confectioners and employees, Spangler Candy Company, Bryan, OH

Congress should stop picking winners and losers.  
Reform the sugar program and create jobs in America.

Learn more about the need for reform at [candyusa.com](http://candyusa.com)  
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