## **INDUSTRY CHALLENGES & TRENDS** IN 2023

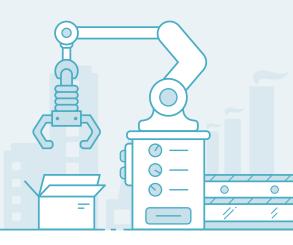
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Tap into the challenges faced by leading manufacturers, and the strategies embraced by leading companies to overcome these issues.

## What are your top manufacturing challenges faced by your company today?

47% Skilled workforce shortage 45% Supply chain disruptions 40% Pressure to reduce production costs





Advanced manufacturers use the following strategies to address the challenges mentioned above.

57% Adopt new manufacturing processes 52% Increase automation 42% Improve inventory control

What are your company's most important business objectives for the next 3 years?

	Increase production throughput
	Automate data entry
	Increase environmental sustainability
	Reduce material waste and use of expired materials
	Add new manufacturing processes
	Improve quality control
	Increase trained workforce
	Automate manufacturing processes
	Add robotics/automation
	Localize supply chain
	Add artificial intelligence (AI)
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