



## FOREIGN TRADE

Through our foreign trade program, we make sure that the importing and exporting of company merchandise complies with all applicable laws and regulations, as well as the payment of duties needed for foreign trade transactions.

As part of this program, our import process maintains a safe and protected chain of supply, in addition to making sure Walmart neither engages in business nor markets any products from countries that do not meet the interests of the company.

In the aim of ensuring that all standards and controls are correctly followed, we conduct a monitoring process. There is a specific program for imports with digital recording of product additions, whereby the country of origin is identified. Moreover, there is a monitoring protocol for exports and customs agents, which is applicable to the entire company, including eCommerce.



In compliance with applicable regulations on foreign trade, with the collaboration of the Imports area, in Mexico we were able to achieve that 98% of import logistics service providers have government certification in safety, such as: the Customs Trade Partnership Against Terrorism (CTPAT); the Authorized Economic Operator (AEO); and Partners in Protection (PIP), with the purpose of maintaining a secure and protected supply chain, preventing the trafficking of drugs, weapons, and people, among others.

