

Fight Counterfeiting

There's no Debate, Don't buy Fake!

Counterfeiting may seem like a victimless crime, but that's not true. Negative impacts are far reaching; from the loss of tax revenue, business income and jobs, to threatening public health and the support of organized crime. There are serious economic, health and safety implications when you purchase a counterfeit good.

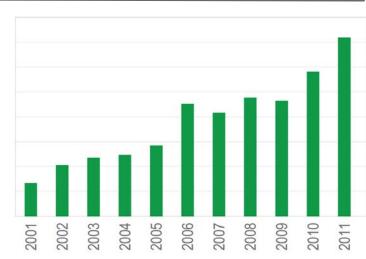
WORLD ECONOMY

counterfeits & piracy

This is like sending ALL of L.A. to college FREE for 4 years



U.S CUSTOM SEIZURES



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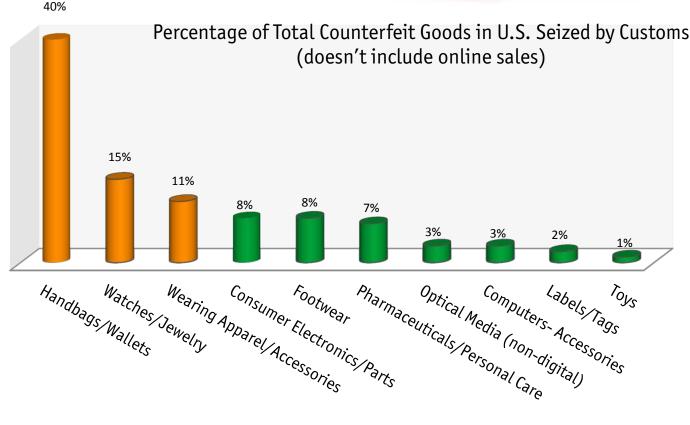
COST TO OUR ECONOMY from counterfeit & pirated products per year

ROGUE WEBSITES

MILLION VISITS

per year to websites that sell counterfeits

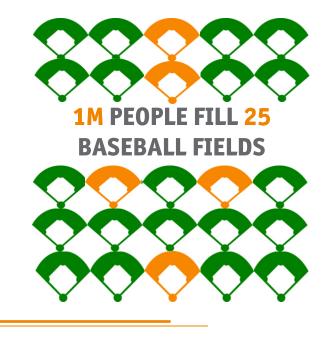
Top 10 Counterfeited Goods





JOBS ARE LOST DUE TO COUNTERFEITS

Global economies have lost **2.5 million jobs** to counterfeiting and piracy, with 1 million in the United States alone. Not only have we lost 1 million jobs, our goods are more expensive as businesses try to recoup their losses and taxes go up. These costs are born by you, me, our loved ones, and our community.





WATCH OUT! **ONLINE DEALS** TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE

Increasingly, counterfeit goods are being bought and sold online. If a deal is too good to be true, it probably is! You've seen the headlines about fake baby formula or phony pharmaceuticals; these fakes can have serious negative effects on you and your family's health and safety.

COUNTERFEIT PRODUCTS ARE WIDE-RANGING

- Pharmaceuticals
- Health & personal care
- Eyewear & parts
- - Electronic articles Food & beverage
- Critical technology
 - components
- Perfumes & colognes
- Cigarettes

Batteries

- Exercise equipment
- Transportation & parts
- ...almost anything you can think of

*All figures are for 2012

Sources:

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