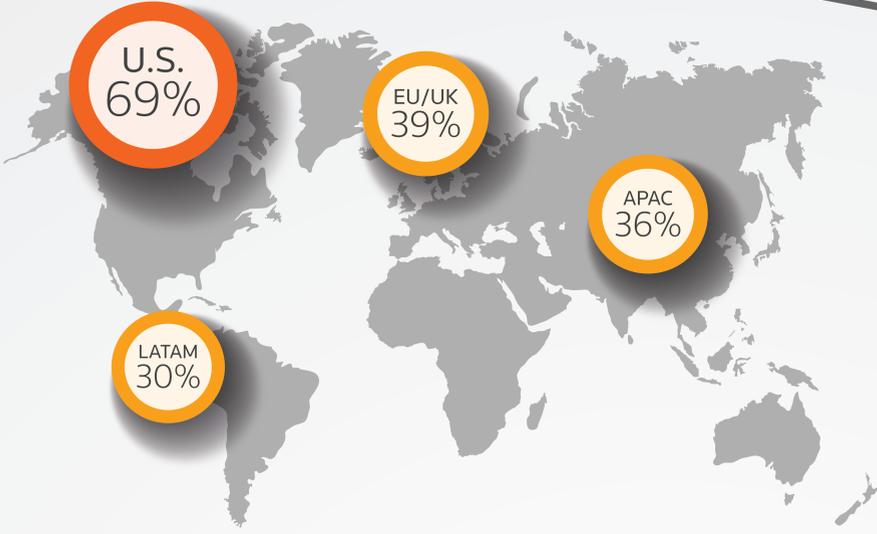
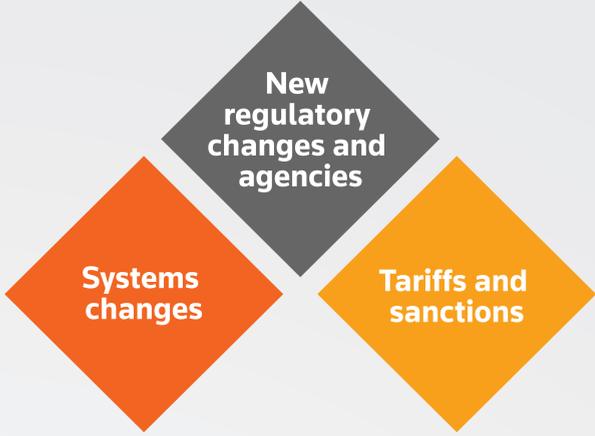


Current challenges and their impacts on global trade management

Thomson Reuters® recently surveyed more than 200 global trade professionals to find out their biggest challenges, what they are doing to meet these challenges, and the role global trade technology plays in their strategic plans.

Top business trade challenges

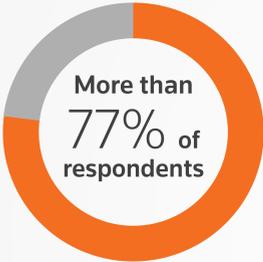
Interviews with executives around the world indicate that the top factors affecting global trade management business operations today are:



Retaliatory tariffs: U.S. companies suffer more

By a wide margin, companies in the United States are affected by retaliatory tariffs more than companies in other parts of the world.

Impact 1: Filling the growing skills gap



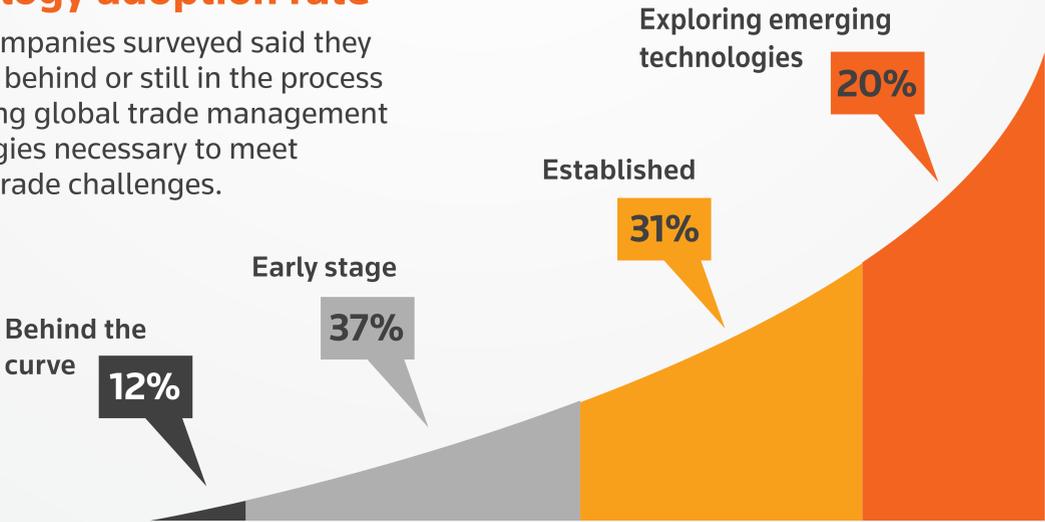
agreed that the rapidly evolving trade environment is making it harder for companies to find new talent with the skills necessary to excel in the profession.

Executives say they are looking for new hires with skills in these top five areas:

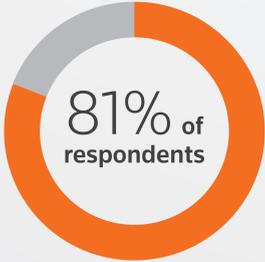
- Communication and leadership
- Legal, regulatory, and compliance
- Negotiation and problem-solving
- Business acumen
- Information technology and automation

Impact 2: Global trade technology adoption rate

49% of companies surveyed said they are either behind or still in the process of adopting global trade management technologies necessary to meet modern trade challenges.

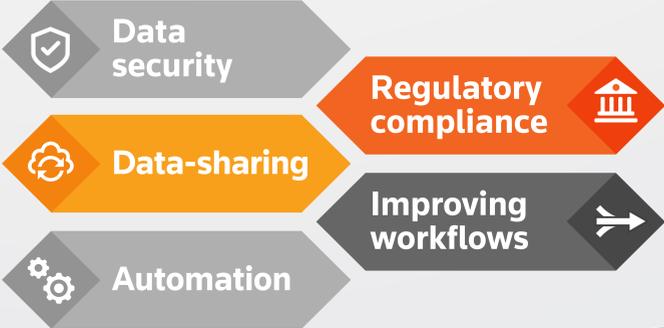


Impact 3: Technology software investment priorities can address these challenges



agreed that the solution to rapidly changing customs environments lay in adopting more capable global trade technologies.

Top priorities for investment in global trade management technology are:



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