

## FEATURE

# "Your Home Without China,"

The New York Times

<https://www.nytimes.com/interactive/2025/04/27/world/asia/china-products-us-tariffs-trump.html>

The New York Times has made this nice webpage called "Your Home Without China," mainly to showcase the extent of American households' reliance on Chinese manufacturing. This is a straightforward demonstration. Some Americans may not understand how international trade works, but they should have a clear idea of what they have in their homes, right?

include raw materials and components, the proportion will be even higher. It can be seen that if the US wants to "decouple" from China under the influence of tariffs, there will be very little left in American households besides the walls.

As for China, the examples of Brazilian soybeans and Canadian oil show that if you don't buy goods from the US, there are plenty of other



"It's hard to imagine an American home without Chinese products. Many essentials are imported almost entirely from China — and with new tariffs, they're likely to become more expensive," it says.

This is still a very conservative estimate, and it only calculates the finished products. If we

sellers. China will certainly be affected, but not to the extent that the US will. Some may ask, what about high-end products from the US? Well, ask companies like NVIDIA, Intel, and Apple - if the government doesn't allow them to sell their products to Chinese consumers, will they agree?