



## BMW & Toyota plans for plants

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BMW will build its X1 SUV at a Dutch contract manufacturer that also produces some of the automaker's Mini models.

The new X1 production will begin in August at the VDL Nedcar plant in Born, Netherlands, and global markets will be served from here and Regensburg, German plant.

Meanwhile, Toyota will add 400 jobs to build more SUVs at one of its US plants, highlighting its expansion plans just as US President Donald Trump calls on manufacturers to build more cars in the country.

The Japanese automaker said the jobs were part of a \$600 million upgrade of its plant in Princeton, Indiana, and were included in its plans announced earlier this month to invest \$10 billion in its U.S. operations over the next five years.