

Illinois

GLOBAL CHALLENGES, CHEMISTRY SOLUTIONS

Chemistry is essential to the U.S. economy and plays a vital role in driving innovations that make our world safer, more sustainable and more productive.

- Chemistry supports over 25% of the U.S. GDP and 9% of U.S. goods exports – a \$486 billion enterprise.
- 529,000 skilled American jobs are provided by the business of chemistry.
- The U.S. is the 2nd largest global producer, providing 13% of the world's chemicals.



Illinois chemistry...



At **\$29.67B**, is the **3rd largest** manufacturing industry in the state



Is the **4th largest** chemistry producing state



Provides **25,009** direct jobs and another **38,396** related jobs



Pays **\$2.19B** in wages



Has an average wage of **\$87,754**, **11%** higher than the average manufacturing wage in Illinois



Generates **\$523M** in state & local taxes, and **\$775M** in federal taxes



Invests **\$656M** across Illinois to build & update equipment and facilities



Ships **\$6.55B** in products to customers around the world



Generates an additional **42,893 jobs** in plastics & rubber products