

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 10% of U.S. goods exports – a \$639 billion enterprise.
- 555,000 skilled American jobs are provided by the business of chemistry.
- The U.S. is the 2nd largest global producer, providing 11% 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 **24,785** direct jobs and another **35,097** related jobs



Pays **\$2.36B** in wages



Has an average wage of **\$95,247**, **13%** higher than the average manufacturing wage in Illinois



Generates **\$782M** in state & local taxes, and **\$796M** in federal taxes



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



Ships **\$7.53B** in products to customers around the world



Generates an additional **44,430 jobs** in plastics & rubber products