

Washington

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.



Washington chemistry...



At **\$2.72B**, is the **10th largest** manufacturing industry in the state



Is the **34th largest** chemistry producing state



Provides **3,923** direct jobs and another **5,236** related jobs



Pays **\$336M** in wages



Generates **\$47M** in state & local taxes, and **\$69M** in federal taxes



Invests **\$80M** across Washington to build & update equipment and facilities



Ships **\$1.03B** in products to customers around the world



Generates an additional **8,151 jobs** in plastics & rubber products