

The Business of Chemistry

By The Numbers

Nearly all manufactured goods are touched by the business of chemistry. Chemistry is essential to our economy & plays a vital role in the creation of ground-breaking products that make our lives and our world healthier, safer, more sustainable and more productive.



\$639 Billion
Industry



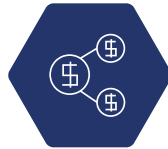
Supports **Over 25%** of U.S. GDP



\$25 Billion in
Capital Investment



555,000 Skilled,
Good Paying Jobs



\$97,000 Average
Annual Pay

22% > Average Manufacturing Jobs



Supports **4.1 Million**
Jobs in Other Areas



10% of U.S.
Goods Exports
Equaling **\$179 Billion**



26% of Construction
Spending by Sector



\$13 Billion+ in
R&D Spending



1 Billion Tons of
Products Transported
Largest U.S. Shippers



Provides **11%** of the
World's Chemicals
2nd Largest Chemical Producer

