

California

Snapshot of the Chemistry Industry in California

Over 96% of all manufactured goods are directly touched by the business of chemistry, making this industry an essential part of every facet of our nation's economy. Chemistry provides significant economic benefits in every state.

Chemistry companies in California directly employ 76,081 people, and indirectly contribute 454,235 jobs to the economy. For every chemistry industry job in California, an additional 4.8 jobs are created within the state's economy.

Chemistry industry jobs are high-paying. The average wage of a chemistry industry employee in California is \$111,390, which is 63% higher than the average manufacturing wage. These jobs generate \$8,475 million in earnings and \$6,086 million in federal, state and local taxes on personal income and \$5,110 million in Social Security and Medicare contributions. State and federal income taxes on these industries' payrolls support government programs for California residents.

The people of American chemistry provide solutions that point the way toward responsible stewardship of our planet through sustainable energy, cleaner air and safe, clean water. Chemistry is new products, new materials and a new hope for the future.



Jobs

Chemistry Industry	76,081
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Payroll (wages & salaries) in \$ millions

Chemistry Industry	8,475
Chemistry Dependent Industries	
Agriculture	9,106
Mining and Utilities	5,250
Construction	34,720
Nondurable Manufacturing	38,977
Durable Manufacturing	51,134
Wholesale Distribution	3,331
Services	32,035
Health Care	76,973
Total Dependent	251,526
Total	260,001

Taxes in \$ millions

Federal Income Tax on Payroll	34,613
State Income Tax on Payroll	11,224
Social Security and Medicare Contributions (FICA)	38,483

