

*The chemical industry faces rising costs,
increased competition, political change
and new regulations...*
learn what **SOCMA** members know.

SOCMA



Did you know that SOCMA is the recognized voice of the small and mid-sized batch chemical manufacturer?

We have found time and again that both regulators and others in the chemical industry turn to SOCMA for advice on how to manage issues facing smaller, batch manufacturers. Getting DHS's approval of SOCMA's vulnerability assessment methodology, which was designed specifically for its members, is just one key example. Our membership in SOCMA has proven invaluable because of the benefits we have gained as a result of the association's constant efforts on our behalf.

[Larry Brotherton, President & Chief Executive Officer, Ortec Inc., Easley, SC, SOCMA member since 1987]

work smarter. 

Did you know that as a result of SOCMA's advocacy, federal regulators now know that a one-size-fits-all approach often results in excessive and impractical policies?

As a small company, we simply don't have the resources to visit Washington every time a new regulatory issue arises. We rely on SOCMA, with its widely recognized and valued voice, to make certain that policy makers take into consideration the specific concerns and needs of smaller producers. So far, the return on our investment in a SOCMA membership has been incalculable.

[Chuck Hinton, Vice President, Ethox Chemicals, LLC, Greenville, SC, SOCMA member since 1989]

Did you know that a SOCMA Membership will help you to understand and deal with the new laws and regulations about to impact your business?

SOCMA has been great in helping us ensure that we stay in compliance with all agencies and at alerting us to new items needing to be addressed. Help is a phone call away.

[Belinda Adamé, HSE Manager, South Coast Terminals LP, Houston, TX, SOCMA member since 1990]

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Every year, there is a constant stream of new legislation under development that can have a tremendous impact on our ability to do business. Whether the issues are related to trade relations, security practices, or environmental, health and safety procedures, SOCMA makes certain its members stay abreast of the activities in Washington and around the world, too. We rely on SOCMA as a key resource in this area.

[Bob Quinn, President & CEO, Montgomery Chemicals LLC, Conshohocken, PA, SOCMA member since 2008]

Did you know that SOCMA's ChemStewards® program improves members EHS&S practices and strengthens their abilities to comply with regulations?

For many years, our company worked hard and did a lot of things to try to achieve "World Class" EHS&S performance. ChemStewards® membership and implementation of the ChemStewards® Management System has enabled us to take our programs to the next level."

[Bryan Shaffer, Production Manager, McGean Chemical, Cleveland, OH, SOCMA member since 1999]

work safer. 

With SOCMA's ChemStewards® program, we know that we are continually improving our EHS&S performance and that we have a highly functioning system designed specifically for our company and our batch production operations that is recognized by the key regulatory agencies.

And, the use of independent audits makes us all that more confident of our ongoing compliance.

[John Wetzel, Vice President, WeylChem Corporation, Elgin, SC, SOCMA member since 2006]

Did you know that SOCMA's ChemStewards® program can help you reduce costs associated with unplanned releases and lost revenue from operational disruptions and delays?

Implementing the ChemStewards® program requirements has provided us with numerous financial benefits, from lower workers comp and legal costs to reduced resources spent on managing non-compliance issues. We have also derived many advantages that can't be measured in direct dollar terms, such as improved relationships with customers, employees, the community and regulatory agencies. Just this aspect of our SOCMA membership has proved invaluable.

[Chuck Gavin, President, MFG Chemical, Inc., Dalton, GA, SOCMA member since 1992]

work safer.

While we have always had a safety-minded culture, ChemStewards® has helped us improve our environmental and security programs. While we are aiming for quality, longer-term improvement, we have already identified and implemented shorter-term gains, such as reducing solvent waste and improving recycling. We have also found the SOCMA ChemStewards® team to be very helpful with providing tools for supporting our continuous improvement."

[Deron Neukomm, QA/EHS&S Manager, Synthetech, Inc., Albany, OR, SOCMA member since 1986]

Did you know that a SOCMA membership can help you stay ahead of your fierce competition?

Throughout the year, SOCMA presents its members with a wide range of face to face events and online networking opportunities which allow us to see our customers, partners and competitors in a very efficient way. It is crucial for us to be involved in these offerings and keep our fingers on the pulse of the industry.

[Nicholas Shackley, Director, Business Management, Pharmaceutical Ingredients/Services, BASF Corporation, SOCMA member since 1986]

get connected. 

Being a SOCMA member has definitely been one of the wisest ways we have invested our limited resources. At various conferences and meetings, we have been able to do real business with key customers we would not have had access to otherwise. Many members have freely shared best practices that have helped us improve our operations. The support on legislative and regulatory issues is tremendous as well. All of these benefits of membership add up to competitive advantage, which is the name of the game.

[Slaton Fry, Business Director, FutureFuel Chemical Company, Batesville, AR, SOCMA member since 2006]

Did you know that SOCMA's diverse membership of 300 small, medium and large companies can provide you with unrivaled access to innovative ideas and new business opportunities?

In the specialty chemical, custom and toll manufacturing business, it's important to know everyone. By attending SOCMA luncheons, dinners and other events, we establish contacts that often result in referrals for new business.

[Dave Swallow, President, ChemOrganics, Houston, TX, SOCMA member since 2000]

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Globalization is a fact of life today, and having access to international contacts is critical for success. We have found that being able to interact with the diverse membership at SOCMA has made it possible to effectively stay abreast of changes in the marketplace. SOCMA takes seriously its role of bringing the right people together in the right venue. That support has paid off for us in terms of valuable exhibition opportunities as well as finding reliable suppliers, distributors, service providers and customers from around the world at all SOCMA events.

[Doug Cochran, Synthesis Business Director, FMC Lithium, Charlotte, NC, SOCMA member since 1986]

**SOCMA's efforts are driven by its members' needs
and you'll never have to fight to have your voice heard.
Did you know that through SOCMA you can help shape your industry?**

**members in the know,
make an impact.** 

SOCMA takes an active role in keeping me informed about the changes that will affect my business, and takes seriously my suggestions on how to manage those changes. Through participation on various committees I feel as though I've had a unique opportunity to contribute to my industry. Participation in the organization's Washington Fly-in presented members with the opportunity to meet with 26 Congressional offices and communicate face to face with their representatives. This organization truly cares about the issues and fights for the interests of its members with direct involvement from its members.

[Garrett Dille, Director, Business Development, Albany Molecular Research Inc. (AMRI), Denver, CO, SOCMA member since 1996]

A Tremendous Return on Investment

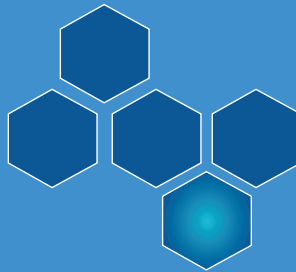
Forty years of working in the chemical industry taught me that its challenges are never ending. Whether it's implementing a new regulation, overseeing environmental, health, safety and security or finding new customers and marketplaces, this industry is as demanding as it is exciting and rewarding.

Along the way, I learned that SOCMA is an invaluable resource for the specialty, batch and custom chemical industry. SOCMA's programs and services are specifically designed to meet the needs of its members because members drive the agenda. You won't find "inside the Beltway" thinking or a top-down mentality here because, above all, SOCMA listens.

The result is an organization run for and driven by the industry it serves, one that provides a tremendous return on investment. A SOCMA membership opens doors to new marketplaces, provides an industry specific continuous performance improvement program and gives members direct input into their regulatory bodies. While SOCMA's programs and activities serve a wide spectrum of industry needs, they are all characterized by a commitment to excellence and innovation.

On behalf of SOCMA's Board of Governors, 300 member-companies and our excellent staff, I invite you to take a look at what this vibrant organization has to offer and become a member of our community.

Sincerely,
Joe Acker,
SOCMA President



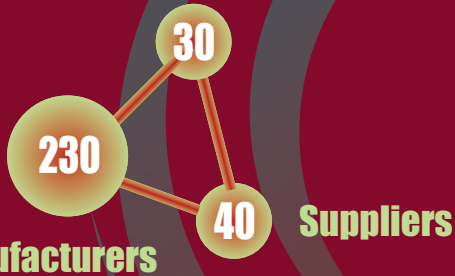
About SOCMA Members

SOCMA members encompass every segment of the industry –
from small specialty producers to large multinational corporations:

Member Companies: 300 • Manufacturing Sites: 2,000 • Employees: 100,000

Products: 50,000 (manufactured annually) • Value: \$60 Billion (products manufactured)

Resellers/Distributors



success. 

Small and large batch chemical manufacturers are discovering the formula to business success is a SOCMA membership. As the recognized voice for batch chemical manufacturers, SOCMA promotes innovative, safe and environmentally responsible operations, which are internationally competitive and contribute to a healthy, productive economy.

Formula for Success

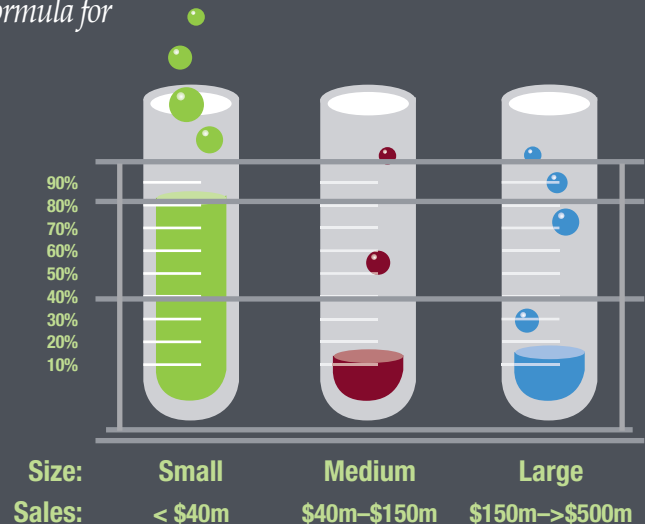
SOCMA helps you in countless ways: developing entrepreneurial attributes, innovative initiatives and constructive impact on regulatory and legislative decisions. SOCMA accelerates the potential for your business growth by maximizing commercial and networking opportunities and providing resources and economics of scale that create value for your company.

Performance improvement is one of the greatest values of your SOCMA membership: responsible manufacturing processes and safety standards provide quality assurance for your business and increase public confidence in the chemical industry.

Discover, as many other chemical manufacturers have, the secret formula for your business and operational success is SOCMA membership.

Top 10 Markets Served

- Polymers & Monomers
- Pharmaceuticals
- Paints and Coatings
- Agriculture
- Genetics
- Flavors, Fragrances
- Cosmetics
- Electronics and Photography
- Dyes and Pigments
- Biotechnology



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