

Who We Are

SOCMA – the Society of Chemical Manufacturers & Affiliates – represents 140 specialty chemical companies. **80% are U.S. small businesses deeply rooted in their communities.** Many are led by executives who cut their teeth at major corporations but chose a more entrepreneurial path—where they can move fast, bypass bureaucracy, and make a real impact.

We make specialty chemicals that provide a purpose in the final product. We are the engine behind America's innovation economy, supplying essential ingredients and advanced materials that power everything from 3D printing and consumer products to oil and gas, semiconductors, crop protection, and military applications.

What Makes Us Different

SOCMA members are ready now. We don't need permits or new construction to act. Our companies have 10–30% open capacity today in facilities that are already permitted, compliant, and operating.

Reshoring is happening—real projects are underway, and we're driving them forward.

How We Align with the White House Vision

SOCMA's Vision 2030 is to position the U.S. as the epicenter of specialty chemical manufacturing by the end of the decade. **This aligns directly with the Administration's goals to strengthen supply chains, advance manufacturing, and bolster economic security.**

We're not asking for handouts—we're offering immediate, high-impact solutions that can fuel economic growth, accelerate innovation, and deliver national resilience.

Our Message

SOCMA members are here to contribute. Our stories are proof that the U.S. already has a powerful, underutilized asset in contract manufacturing. With the right visibility and support, we can scale up quickly and be a cornerstone of America's economic and strategic future.

You won't find a more aligned, under-leveraged asset. Our stories are compelling — we are reshore-ready, results-driven.