

The Life Sciences Industry in S.C.

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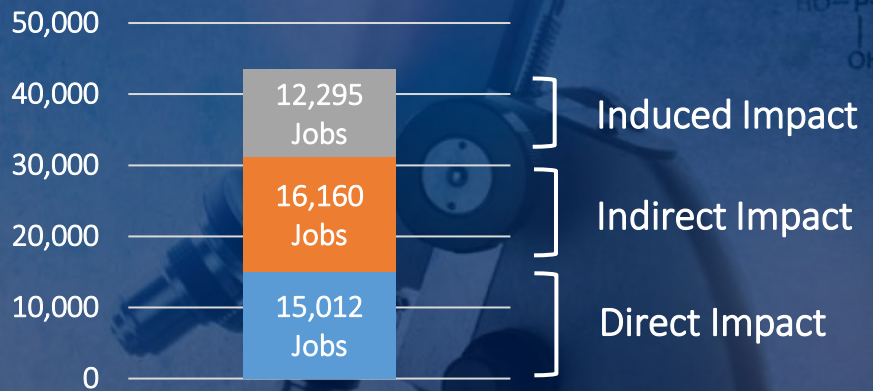
billion

Annual economic impact in S.C.

402

Total Firms

Employment Multiplier Effect



Advantages of a Strong Life Sciences Industry



Introduces a significant demand for high-wage, high-skill jobs in various STEM fields



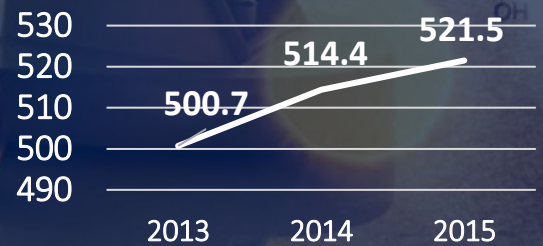
Contributes to the development of the state's knowledge economy



The knowledge economy is critical toward improving a region's rate of productivity growth

Average annual employment growth since '05
1.7%

Natl. Science Found. & Natl. Institutes of Health Research Funding in S.C. (in Millions)



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Just right for business.