

Chemical sector

Join a thriving chemical cluster



Opportunity

Join one of the largest fine and speciality chemicals clusters in the UK with over 200 manufacturers:



- Join a leading agritech cluster, developing and manufacturing world leading crop protection and yield enhancement products



- Recruit from a large and highly skilled workforce supported by an annual talent pipeline of 15,000 STEM graduates from our nine universities



- Collaborate with world leading research institutes such as the Green Chemistry Centre of Excellence and the Biorenewables Development Centre, based at the University of York



- Partner with the Polymer Interdisciplinary Research Centre at the University of Bradford, a leading development and scale up centre for polymer engineering in medtech, pharmaceuticals and precision manufacturing at the nano-scale



- Join a region recognised as a central UK location for biopharmaceutical companies to establish large-scale manufacturing facilities

Company insight

Solenis

- One of the company's largest and most productive sites in the UK, where its bio-acrylamides were discovered and developed. The site now produces over 250,000 tonnes per year for the global market

Syngenta

- Manufactures crop protection products for the global agriculture market from its Huddersfield site

Stada

- One of the largest over-the-counter pharmaceutical manufacturers in the UK, exporting to over 80 countries worldwide

Belzona

- Global designer and manufacturer of repair composite materials and industrial protective coatings with a distribution network spanning 120 countries

Millers Oils

- Developed the world's first commercially available nanotech performance lubricants

PPG Industries

- Operates the largest decorative coatings plant in Europe and the second largest supplier of decorative coatings in Europe