

Semiconductors in California

\$41.3 billion

wage impact of semiconductor manufacturers

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in the U.S. with 63,251 total semiconductor jobs

\$11.2 billion

semiconductors are California's top export by value

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in the U.S. with 627 semiconductor establishments

National Data

The semiconductor industry directly employs over a quarter of a million workers in the U.S. and supports more than 1.6 million additional jobs in the U.S., with major manufacturing operations in 18 states.

Semiconductors are America's fourth-largest export after aircraft, refined oil, and crude oil.

The U.S. has a positive trade balance in semiconductors with virtually all our major trading partners, including China, and provided a **net surplus of \$13.2 billion** to the overall trade balance in 2020.

The U.S. semiconductor industry annually invests approximately one-fifth of revenue in research and development, amounting to approximately \$44 billion in 2020. This is among the **highest R&D investment** rates of any industry.