

# 2022 Supplier Diversity Economic

# Impact Report

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## **Company Overview**

U. S. Steel is a global steel producer that combines integrated blast furnace, basic oxygen furnace and mini mill steel process technologies along with significant taconite mining operations to produce the steel products that are the building blocks of a sustainable future.

We are a leading steel producer serving the automotive, construction, appliance, energy, containers, and packaging industries with high-value-added steel products.

Our Best for All® strategy provides our customers with profitable steel solutions while creating a more sustainable future for all stakeholders—our customers, investors, employees and communities where we work and live.





## Our Commitment to Supplier Diversity

Our Supplier Diversity mission is to support U. S. Steel's vision to be an industry leader in delivering high-quality, value-added products and innovative solutions that address our customers' most challenging needs now and in the future. Supplier Diversity is a key competitive advantage that aligns with our core values and strategic objectives. Our Supplier Diversity Program also exists because we know our inclusive supply chain has a positive impact for U. S. Steel, our customers, and the communities where we operate.

We define Supplier Diversity as minority-owned business, women-owned business, LGBTQ-owned business, veteran-owned business, disability-owned business, service-disabled veteran-owned business, and/or SBA-defined small business (in HUB Zones only) that support the mission of U.S. Steel's Supplier Diversity Program.



**David B. Burritt** *President & Chief Executive Officer* 



**John M. Foody Jr.** *Vice President & Chief Procurement Officer* 

U. S. Steel's Best for All® strategy is all about delivering profitable steel solutions for people and planet, and having a diverse supplier portfolio is an integral part of that. Supplier Diversity is a key competitive advantage that aligns with our core values and strategic objectives. U. S. Steel's diverse network of suppliers is powering our business forward as we work to get to the future faster.

This Supplier Diversity Program exists because we know our inclusive supply chain has a positive impact for U. S. Steel, our customers, and the communities where we operate. We are committed to continuing to diversify our supply chain, deliver high-quality, value-added products and innovative solutions for our customers' current and future needs. We aim to bring strategic value to all our stakeholders in a way that is Best for All<sup>®</sup>.



# **Continuous Growth, Continuous Impact**



U. S. Steel launched its Supplier Diversity program in 1999, and over the years has leveraged its economic and social influence to support diverse businesses that are essential to the fabric of the U.S. economy.

In late 2020, a renewed focus was put on the program to increase awareness and the importance of doing business with diverse companies. With our Procurement team leading the way, we surpassed expectations by achieving nearly \$400 million in diverse spend by the end of 2022. We were able to accomplish this by increasing accountability, dedicating resources, and investing in tools to identify and build relationships with diverse suppliers, certifying entities and local chambers of commerce.

Furthering our impact, we are determined to do even better throughout 2024. To achieve this goal, we plan to expand our pool of suppliers in our request for proposals and bid distributions; continue our Tier II reporting program to increase engagement within our supply chain; and work with internal business organizations and Employee Resource Groups, and our customers, to continuously engage in solutions that increase innovation and support all businesses.





CONCESSIONS

United States Steel Corporation



### <u>Toyota Event</u>

**U. S. Steel Employees Attend Supplier Diversity Event** - *On October 19-20, 2022*, six employees from the Sales, Procurement and Product Innovation teams, as well as members of our LEAD (Leveraging and Enhancing All Diversity) Employee Resource Group, attended Toyota's 33rd Annual Opportunity Exchange event in Novi, Michigan. The event helps companies connect directly with diverse suppliers.

This year's theme was "Building Partnerships for Innovation and Inclusion." It focused on finding new and better ways that we can work together towards greater growth, success, and mobility for all.

Participating in the Toyota Opportunity Exchange was just one way the U. S. Steel Supplier Diversity Program is working toward the company's Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) goals. The mission of the U. S. Steel Supplier Diversity program is to support our company's vision to be the industry leader in delivering high-quality, value-added products and innovative solutions that address our customers' most challenging needs now and in the future.



# Supplier Diversity Economic Impact



## How We Measure Economic Impact

#### **ECONOMIC IMPACT METRICS**

Economic impact reports communicate the impact on the economy using these standard measures: Output, Jobs, Incomes, and Tax Revenues.

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#### OUTPUT

Measures the cumulative revenues of all businesses impacted through the program: **Direct, Indirect,** and **Induced.** 



#### JOBS

Created within U. S. Steel's supply chain and in the supplier's communities.



#### INCOMES

Measures the cumulative earnings of the employees in the jobs supported through supplier diversity purchases.



#### **TAX REVENUES**

Measures the federal, state and local tax revenues that are generated through economic activity.



U. S. STEEL'S 2022 Total Supplier Diversity Economic Impact







TOTAL JOBS SUPPORTED **2,676** 



total incomes supported \$210.6M



TOTAL TAXES GENERATED



TOTAL DIVERSE \$389.2M

IMPLAN's input-output model was used to develop estimates of spend, income and employment impacts. (See Appendix: Economic Impact Modeling)



### ECONOMIC Impact Channels

U. S. Steel's spending with its diverse suppliers generates economic activity in its supply chain and their communities. These impacts can be categorized into three types. First, the direct impacts are the jobs and payroll directly supported at the U.S. Steel's diverse suppliers. Next, there are additional spin-off impacts. Indirect impacts occur in the lower tier suppliers and induced impacts occur at the local businesses that supply products to the employees and their families in the jobs supported in the supply chain.



#### **Economic Impact Channels**

U. S. Steel's purchases with diverse suppliers have a ripple effect on the supply chain. The total economic impact is comprised of three components: Direct, Indirect, and Induced.



#### DIRECT

Direct economic impact is all direct expenditures by a corporation (operation, capital, and pay/benefit expenditures).



### Indirect economic impact is the impact of local industries buying goods and

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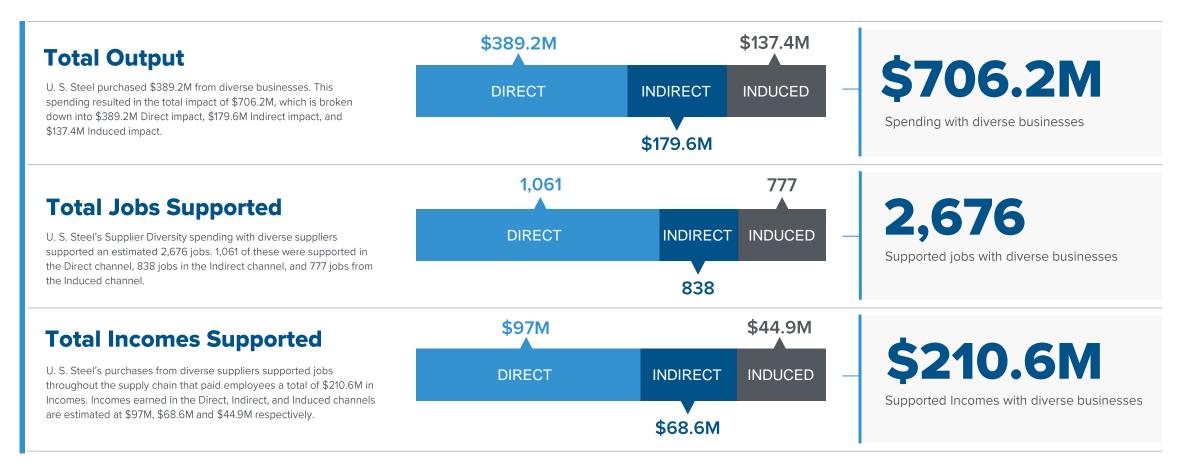
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#### INDUCED

Induced economic impact is the impact of re-spending of earnings of the organization and its suppliers.



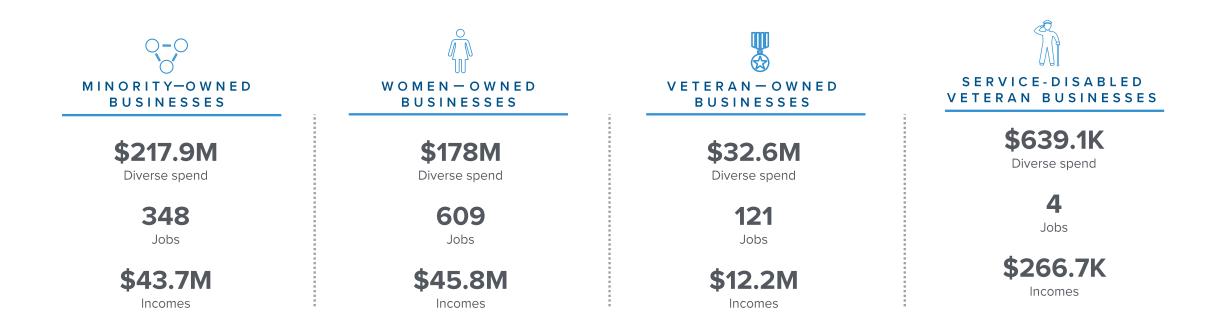
## **Economic Impact Channels**



Note: Direct, Indirect and Induced numbers may not add up to the total due to rounding. Direct economic impact is all direct expenditures by a corporation (operation, capital, and pay/benefit expenditures); indirect economic impact is the impact of local industries buying goods and services from other local industries; and induced economic impact is the impact of re-spending of earnings of the organization and its suppliers.



## **Impact of Direct Spend with Diverse Suppliers**





# **TOP 5 Industries**

#### with supported jobs

	Utilities					
1.	1,125					
	Construction					
2.	400					
	Professional, scientific, and technical services					
3.	312					
	Retail trade					
4.	186					
	Other services*					
5.	120 * Commercial and Industrial Machinery and Equipment (exc and Electronic) Repair and Maintenance & All Other Perso					

Note: Jobs are assigned to industries included in the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) that was developed by the federal government.



### OUR IMPACT By State

#### IMPACT FROM DIVERSE SUPPLIERS Direct, Indirect, Induced

State	Diverse & Small Business Spend	Total Output	Total Jobs	Total Incomes
ТХ	\$80.1M	\$159.7M	461	\$46.2M
NC	\$68.7M	\$123.3M	343	\$26.9M
OK	\$42.7M	\$78M	222	\$18.9M
PA	\$38.2M	\$67.9M	415	\$24.3M
IL	\$36.8M	\$66.4M	273	\$24.2M
IN	\$36.7M	\$65.9M	397	\$26.8M
VA	\$24.3M	\$38.9M	88	\$8.4M
MI	\$13.6M	\$27.4M	180	\$11.7M
NY	\$12.6M	\$21.6M	52	\$6.6M
ОН	\$10.9M	\$15M	37	\$2.6M
DE	\$7.4M	\$12.6M	68	\$4.8M
MO	\$4.6M	\$8.4M	40	\$2.6M
LA	\$2.1M	\$3.2M	15	\$913.7K
AL	\$2.1M	\$3.2M	15	\$912.9K
AR	\$1.9M	\$3.1M	17	\$978.5K
GA	\$1.8M	\$3.7M	20	\$1.3M



Note: State output, jobs and incomes may not add up to the total due to rounding.



### OUR IMPACT By State

#### IMPACT FROM DIVERSE SUPPLIERS Direct, Indirect, Induced

State	Diverse & Small Business Spend	Total Output	Total Jobs	Total Incomes
TN	\$1.2M	\$1.9M	6	\$463.5K
MN	\$801.9K	\$1.4M	6	\$388.5K
NJ	\$687.4K	\$1.2M	5	\$443.6K
WV	\$639.5K	\$956.3K	5	\$315.1K
СА	\$226.3K	\$446.6K	2	\$221.2K
MD	\$168.2K	\$287.7K	2	\$107.9K
OR	\$162.7K	\$287.5K	1	\$99.6K
WI	\$160.3K	\$259.6K	1	\$84.4K
NE	\$147K	\$225.1K	1	\$57.3K
FL	\$117.5K	\$230.7K	1	\$85.2K
WA	\$111.2K	\$190.2K	1	\$72.9K
KY	\$109.8K	\$187.8K	1	\$56.7K
MS	\$43.3K	\$51.3K	0	\$5,389
AZ	\$20.9K	\$40.8K	0	\$13K
СО	\$569	\$712	0	\$108



Note: State output, jobs and incomes may not add up to the total due to rounding.



### **APPENDIX: ECONOMIC IMPACT MODELING**

Economic impact modeling is a standard tool used to quantify the economic contribution of an investment or company. This modeling uses an "Input-Output" economic model to estimate the number of times each dollar of "input," or direct spend, cycles through the economy in terms of "indirect and induced output," or additional spend, personal income, and employment.

There are several Input-Output models used by economists to estimate multiplier effects. Supplier.io employed the IMPLAN input-output model in developing estimates of spend, income and employment impacts. This model, initially developed by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, examines inter-industry relationships in local, regional, and national economies.

The Input-Output multipliers are derived from a comprehensive and complex set of inputs based on the collection of business and employment data. Indirect impacts of economic activity in a targeted geographic area are calculated by applying multiplier coefficients to the direct impact spending. Since most of the businesses in the study are considered as local businesses, each supplier was assumed to have operations primarily in one state. These multipliers consider an amount of "leakage" from the state economy because some Incomes and expenditures will be spent outside of the state. The economic activity is calculated by state and these state-level results are aggregated to determine the national totals.

#### Analysis performed by supplier io

#### Assumptions

This analysis relies on the following assumptions:

For suppliers that have multiple locations, all impact is evaluated at the headquarters location. This may overestimate the impact in the headquarters state and underestimate the impact in other states.

For suppliers that provide services in multiple NAICS code, unless otherwise indicated, all impact is calculated using the supplier's primary NAICS code.

A supplier impact is assumed to be localized within a state.

The model predicts impact results based on industry averages and is an aggregate across all companies. The calculations cannot be applied to individual companies and may differ from actual jobs and incomes at specific companies.

#### References

This report is based on an analysis of data provided by the customer and information from the following sources:

US Government Revenues

Office and Administrative Support Occupations: Occupational Outlook Handbook: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

United States GDP

What is NAICS

#### <u>IMPLAN</u>

Multipliers Changing Over Time – IMPLAN - Support

Generation and Interpretation of IMPLAN's Tax Impact Report

Taxes: How the Pandemic Ruined My Tax Results – IMPLAN - Support

Pandemic: Analyzing the Economic Impacts of the Coronavirus – IMPLAN - Support



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