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SusChem’s Mission:
“To initiate and inspire European chemical and biotechnological innovation to respond effectively to society’s challenges”.

SusChem’s Vision:
“A competitive and innovative Europe where sustainable chemistry and biotechnology together provide solutions for future generations, based upon pre-eminent knowledge levels in Europe, coming together in a collaborative public-private, pre-competitive collaboration framework”.

Building on the vision and mission of SusChem Europe, the European Technology Platform for Sustainable Chemistry initiated in 2004 and enveloped by Cefic, SusChem Switzerland embodies the 12th National Technology Platform (NTP), driving a sustainable and sharing Swiss economy.

The Swiss platform facilitates industry and SME partnerships, validates value chain potential, initiates topical R&I, provides direct access to European and national project funding, animates networking in clean chemistry and energy, encourages education, knowledge exchange and life-long training through workshops, one-to-one meetings and roundtables, draws roadmaps for resource efficiency, tackles the grand societal challenges in process industry, drives the sharing economy.

SusChem Switzerland invigorates the objective to inspire European and Swiss industrial research and innovation in a sustainable way, in all stages of the value chain. Carbon, energy and resource efficient manufacturing are addressed as specific challenges, with industrial symbiosis as leading motive: shaping solutions together. Supported by INEOS and Lonza, hosted by the Swiss Chemical Society and operated by CimArk, SusChem Switzerland aims at bringing synergies to industry, academia, government and the wider society.

Within the context of the Swiss withdrawal from nuclear, a national strategy is mapped out focusing on carbon and greenhouse gas reduction. Resource efficiency and clean technologies are considered key enabling themes for all stakeholders, thus drawing the priorities of SusChem Switzerland in line with today’s global challenges.

As a portal to eco-industrial development, innovation and networking, SusChem offers a fertile ground for negotiation and dialogue over the real needs of the industry.

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