The Role of Chemistry in Nigerian Industries for Sustainable Development of the Nation

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***Abstract*— Nigeria like any nation in the world is facing challenges in the field of chemical technology in industries. To address the challenge chemistry is actually central to many of the environmental and resources use, issues at the heart of sustainable development. An emerging approach in this challenge known as Green Chemistry seeks to end the diverse set of environmental perspective and interests in every day practice of chemists who are mostly responsible for using and creating new materials or chemicals. The approach intends to eliminate the intrinsic hazard itself, rather than focusing on reducing risks by minimizing exposure thereby leading to a more environmentally acceptable chemical processes and products. As the feedstock industry for modern society, the chemical industry plays a major role in advancing science and technology to support the design, creation, processing, use, and disposal of chemical substances that provide a foundation for sustainability.**

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