Chattanooga, Tennessee

ADDRESS | 2120 Polymer Drive, Chattanooga, Tennessee 37421
32 Lost Mound Drive, Chattanooga, Tennessee 37406

START OF OPERATIONS | 1964 (Polymer Drive)
1971 (Lost Mound Drive - Amnicola)

LOCATION | Polymer Drive: The site is located near Highway 153 and Shallowford Road. The site is within one mile of the Chattanooga Airport.
Lost Mound Drive: The site is located near Amnicola Highway on the banks of the Tennessee River, within four miles of downtown Chattanooga.

SITE MANAGER | Shelly King

Site overview:
At BASF Chattanooga, we produce a range of water based high-quality polymer dispersions and ship to customers worldwide. Our products are used in formulations for construction chemicals, adhesives, printing/packaging products. With our comprehensive product portfolio and its extensive knowledge of the industry, our products provide customers with innovative and sustainable solutions. Both Chattanooga facilities have a long history of sustained safety and environmental performance receiving many TN State and National awards. The site is also home to the Chattanooga “TRACER” team. The team is trained and equipped to respond to incidents associated with the transportation and use of chemical products. The team regularly participates in joint emergency practice sessions with the Chattanooga Fire Department. The Lost Mound production facility sits adjacent to the Tennessee River and beside the Tennessee River Park. The River Park walkway traverses the length of the site in a demonstration of the successful coexistence of the chemical industry and community recreational assets.

Products/uses:
- Styrene-butadiene and styrene-butyl acrylate polymer dispersions used in adhesives, carpet backing, foams, paper coatings, and asphalt modifiers.

Economic Impact
- Annual payroll of $15M+*
- Annual capital investment of $3M*

*Year-end 2023 data

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