

Fact Sheet



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Freeport, Texas

ADDRESS: 602 Copper Road, Freeport, Texas 77541

START OF PRODUCTION: Founded in 1958 as BASF's first manufacturing site in the U.S.

LOCATION: Located off Highway 332 and 288 in Freeport, Texas

SITE MANAGER: Chris Witte

NUMBER OF PLANTS: 27

NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES: 904 employees and approximately 793 contractors

Home to: More than 5 worldscale manufacturing facilities

BASF Freeport manufactures products which can be found in more than a thousand different end-use products.

Products such as:

- Ammonium sulfate used in fertilizer
- Polyamide-6 used in fiber for carpeting and apparel, food packaging film to improve shelf life and light-weight parts for vehicles
- Acrylic monomers are used to produce paints, adhesives, caulks and sealants
- Super absorbent polymers which can be found in baby diapers
- Oxo Alcohol/Polyalcohol products are used to make wood finishes, PVC siding, oils, plastic coatings, and herbicides
- The Dispersions plant produces architectural coatings, construction chemicals, and adhesives

Community Relations:

BASF along with local industry neighbors participate in a Community Advisory Panel (CAP) with more than 20 informed citizens representing environmental and community leaders from the Brazosport area. BASF supports more than 75 organizations including United Way, Brazosport College, the Brazoria Wildlife Refuge, the Brazosport Chamber of Commerce, Boys and Girls Club and Brazosport ISD.

Economic Impact:

- Payroll for employees and contractors is more than \$227 million *
- Taxes – State and Local Use Taxes \$8.3 Million; Property Taxes - \$ 11.2 Million *
- Spent locally more than \$790 Million *

*Year-end 2021 data