

News Release

BASF in South Carolina receives two Best in Business Awards

MAULDIN, SOUTH CAROLINA, December 15, 2023 – South Carolina Business Magazines' readers awarded BASF sites across the Upstate South Carolina region with two Best in Business Awards.

BASF received the Gold Award/First place in both the Best Manufacturer or Exporter and Best Advanced Manufacturer categories. This is the third straight year that BASF was featured in the Magazines' Best in Business Awards. In 2022, BASF took home silver honors in the Best Manufacturer or Exporter and Best Advanced Manufacturer categories, and in 2021, BASF earned an Advanced Manufacturer honorable mention.

The Best in Business awards recognize companies and individuals from around the state that bring success to South Carolina's business community. Winners were announced in the December issue of Greenville Business Magazine, Columbia Business Monthly and Charleston Business Magazine.

BASF has sites in Central (Clemson), White Stone, Mauldin and Seneca. The South Carolina sites employ approximately 750 people and invest nearly \$85 million in the state through annual payroll, purchases, investments, taxes and charitable contributions.

The BASF sites in South Carolina produce materials that are vital to the sustainability of our economy and quality of life. Employees are committed to producing safe, clean and reliable products that are essential ingredients in many consumer items used in homes around the world every day.

For more information about BASF in South Carolina, visit www.basf.us/sc.

About BASF

BASF Corporation, headquartered in Florham Park, New Jersey, is the North American affiliate of BASF SE, Ludwigshafen, Germany. BASF has approximately 16,000 employees in North America and had sales of \$25.7 billion in 2022. For more information about BASF's North American operations, visit www.basf.com/us.

At BASF, we create chemistry for a sustainable future. We combine economic success with environmental protection and social responsibility. More than 111,000 employees in the BASF Group contribute to the success of our customers in nearly all sectors and almost every country in the world. Our portfolio comprises six segments: Chemicals, Materials, Industrial Solutions, Surface Technologies, Nutrition & Care and Agricultural Solutions. BASF generated sales of €87.3 billion in 2022. BASF shares are traded on the stock exchange in Frankfurt (BAS) and as American Depositary Receipts (BASFY) in the United States. Further information at www.basf.com.