



The Alsip, Ill. plant manufactures a range of latex emulsion products that we supply to a variety of markets including coatings, adhesives, building & construction, and transportation infrastructure.

Key building blocks include vinyl acetate, styrene and acrylic monomers, such as butyl acrylate and methyl methacrylate. We use them to produce water-based specialty polymers which are critically important raw materials for leading manufacturers of architectural paints, industrial coatings, road markings, construction adhesives, sealants/caulks and pressure sensitive adhesives for labels and tapes. Visit the <a href="Coating Resins website">Coating Resins website</a> for more information.



### **COMMITMENT TO SAFETY AND THE ENVIRONMENT**

- → A daily safety review during every shift
- → **Improvement Idea Tool** that allows for safety suggestions as well as other improvement ideas
- → Review of every safety suggestion during monthly team meetings
- → Hazardous waste operations emergency response (HAZWOPER) and confined space rescue trained employees
- → Personnel trained in First Aid, CPR, AED (Automated External Defibrillation)
- → Member of CHEMTREC® (Chemical Transportation Emergency Center)
- → Employee led teams that enhance safety include Behavioral Based Safety (BBS) training, process safety, winterization, recognition team and 5S

## **COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**

- → Chemical Industry Council of Illinois (CICI)
- → Community support The plant supports the local community through donations and participation in community programs such as food drives and National Night Out event for drug and crime prevention.
- → Emergency response drill

### **KEY FIGURES 2023**

45 employees

\$7.5 million in local impact (includes payroll/utility/property taxes)

\$900,000 investment in health, environment, and safety

11 years without a lost-time injury

Celebrated 50 years continuous operation

# AWARDS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- ISO 9001:2015 certification
- ISO 45001:2018 certification
- RCMS
- American Coatings Association Safety Award of Excellence
- American Chemistry Council Responibility Care® Certificate of Excellence

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