

Section 1. Registration Information

Source Identification

Facility Name:	Albemarle Corporation South Plant
Parent Company #1 Name:	Albemarle Corporation
Submission Type:	Resubmission
Receipt Date:	March 2023

Facility Identification

Facility ID:	1000 0011 1425
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Dun and Bradstreet Numbers (DUNS)

Facility DUNS:	N/A
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Facility Location Address

Street 1:	2270 Highway 79 South
Street 2:	N/A
City:	Magnolia
State:	AR
ZIP:	71753
ZIP4:	N/A
County:	Columbia

Facility Latitude and Longitude

Latitude (decimal):	33.174778
Longitude (decimal):	-093.215750

Local Emergency Planning Committee and Regulations

LEPC:	Columbia County LEPC
OSHA PSM:	Yes
EPCRA 302:	Yes
CAA Title V:	Yes

Process Chemicals

Program Level:	Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name:	Bromine
CAS Number:	7726-95-6
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic
Program Level:	Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name:	Dimethylamine [Methanamine, N-methyl-]
CAS Number:	124-40-3
Flammable/Toxic:	Flammable
Program Level:	Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name:	Hydrogen
CAS Number:	1333-74-0
Flammable/Toxic:	Flammable
Program Level:	Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name:	Bromine
CAS Number:	7726-95-6
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic
Program Level:	Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name:	Ammonia (anhydrous)
CAS Number:	7664-41-7
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic
Program Level:	Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name:	Bromine
CAS Number:	7726-95-6
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic
Program Level:	Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name:	Chlorine
CAS Number:	7782-50-5
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic
Program Level:	Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name:	Bromine
CAS Number:	7726-95-6
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic
Program Level:	Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name:	Methyl mercaptan [Methanethiol]
CAS Number:	74-93-1
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic

Program Level:	Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name:	Bromine
CAS Number:	7726-95-6
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic
Program Level:	Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name:	Ethylenediamine [1,2-Ethanediamine]
CAS Number:	107-15-3
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic
Program Level:	Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name:	Sulfur dioxide (anhydrous)
CAS Number:	7446-09-5
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic
Program Level:	Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name:	Sulfur trioxide
CAS Number:	7446-11-9
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic
Program Level:	Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name:	Bromine
CAS Number:	7726-95-6
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic
Program Level:	Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name:	Oleum (Fuming Sulfuric acid) [Sulfuric acid, mixture with sulfur trioxide]
CAS Number:	8014-95-7
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic
Program Level:	Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name:	Propylene [1-Propene]
CAS Number:	115-07-1
Flammable/Toxic:	Flammable

Process NAICS

NAICS Code:	32519
NAICS Description:	Other Basic Organic Chemical Manufacturing
NAICS Code:	325199
NAICS Description:	All Other Basic Organic Chemical Manufacturing
NAICS Code:	32599
NAICS Description:	All Other Chemical Product and Preparation Manufacturing

NAICS Code:	32518
NAICS Description:	Other Basic Inorganic Chemical Manufacturing

Section 6. Accident History

Accident History ID: Accident 1

Date of Accident:	January 2023
Time Accident Began (HH:MM):	16:30
NAICS Code of Process Involved:	325199
NAICS Description:	All Other Basic Organic Chemical Manufacturing
Release Duration:	003 Hours 00 Minutes

Release Event

Gas Release:	Yes
Liquid Spill/Evaporation:	Yes
Fire:	N/A
Explosion:	N/A
Uncontrolled/Runaway Reaction:	N/A

Release Source

Storage Vessel:	Yes
Piping:	N/A
Process Vessel:	N/A
Transfer Hose:	Yes
Valve:	N/A
Pump:	N/A
Joint:	N/A
Other Release Source:	N/A

Weather Conditions at the Time of Event

Wind Speed:	N/A
Units:	N/A
Direction:	N/A
Temperature:	N/A
Atmospheric Stability Class:	N/A
Precipitation Present:	N/A
Unknown Weather Conditions:	Yes

On-Site Impacts

Employee or Contractor Deaths:	0
Public Responder Deaths:	0
Public Deaths:	0
Employee or Contractor Injuries:	0
Public Responder Injuries:	0
Public Injuries:	0
On-Site Property Damage (\$):	0

Known Off-Site Impacts

Deaths:	0
Hospitalizations:	0
Public Deaths:	0
Other Medical Treatments:	0
Evacuated:	0
Sheltered-in-Place:	0
Off-Site Property Damage (\$):	0

Environmental Damage

Fish or Animal Kills:	N/A
Tree, Lawn, Shrub, or Crop Damage:	N/A
Water Contamination:	N/A
Soil Contamination:	N/A
Other Environmental Damage:	N/A

Initiating Event

Initiating Event:	Equipment Failure
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Contributing Factors

Equipment Failure:	N/A
Human Error:	Yes
Improper Procedures:	N/A
Overpressurization:	Yes
Upset Condition:	N/A
By-Pass Condition:	N/A
Maintenance Activity/Inactivity:	N/A
Process Design Failure:	N/A
Unsuitable Equipment:	N/A
Unusual Weather Condition:	N/A
Management Error:	N/A
Other Contributing Factor:	N/A

Off-Site Responders Notified

Off-Site Responders Notified:	Notified and Responded
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Changes Introduced as a Result of the Accident

Improved or Upgraded Equipment:	Yes
Revised Maintenance:	N/A
Revised Training:	Yes
Revised Operating Procedures:	Yes
New Process Controls:	N/A
New Mitigation Systems:	N/A
Revised Emergency Response Plan:	N/A
Changed Process:	Yes
Reduced Inventory:	N/A
None:	N/A
Other Changes Introduced:	N/A

Chemicals in Accident History

Quantity Released (lbs):	26
Percent Weight:	100
Chemical Name:	Sulfur trioxide
CAS Number:	7446-11-9
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic

Accident History ID: Accident 2

Date of Accident:	December 2022
Time Accident Began (HH:MM):	05:00
NAICS Code of Process Involved:	325199
NAICS Description:	All Other Basic Organic Chemical Manufacturing
Release Duration:	000 Hours 05 Minutes

Release Event

Gas Release:	Yes
Liquid Spill/Evaporation:	N/A
Fire:	N/A
Explosion:	N/A
Uncontrolled/Runaway Reaction:	N/A

Release Source

Storage Vessel:	N/A
Piping:	Yes
Process Vessel:	N/A
Transfer Hose:	N/A
Valve:	N/A
Pump:	N/A
Joint:	N/A
Other Release Source:	N/A

Weather Conditions at the Time of Event

Wind Speed:	N/A
Units:	N/A
Direction:	N/A
Temperature:	N/A
Atmospheric Stability Class:	N/A
Precipitation Present:	N/A
Unknown Weather Conditions:	Yes

On-Site Impacts

Employee or Contractor Deaths:	0
Public Responder Deaths:	0
Public Deaths:	0
Employee or Contractor Injuries:	0
Public Responder Injuries:	0
Public Injuries:	0
On-Site Property Damage (\$):	0

Known Off-Site Impacts

Deaths:	0
Hospitalizations:	0
Public Deaths:	0
Other Medical Treatments:	0
Evacuated:	0
Sheltered-in-Place:	0
Off-Site Property Damage (\$):	0

Environmental Damage

Fish or Animal Kills:	N/A
Tree, Lawn, Shrub, or Crop Damage:	N/A
Water Contamination:	N/A
Soil Contamination:	N/A
Other Environmental Damage:	N/A

Initiating Event

Initiating Event:	Equipment Failure
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Contributing Factors

Equipment Failure:	N/A
Human Error:	N/A
Improper Procedures:	N/A
Overpressurization:	N/A
Upset Condition:	N/A
By-Pass Condition:	N/A
Maintenance Activity/Inactivity:	N/A
Process Design Failure:	N/A
Unsuitable Equipment:	N/A
Unusual Weather Condition:	N/A
Management Error:	N/A
Other Contributing Factor:	N/A

Off-Site Responders Notified

Off-Site Responders Notified:	No, not notified
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Changes Introduced as a Result of the Accident

Improved or Upgraded Equipment:	N/A
Revised Maintenance:	Yes
Revised Training:	N/A
Revised Operating Procedures:	N/A
New Process Controls:	N/A
New Mitigation Systems:	N/A
Revised Emergency Response Plan:	N/A
Changed Process:	N/A
Reduced Inventory:	N/A
None:	N/A
Other Changes Introduced:	N/A

Chemicals in Accident History

Quantity Released (lbs):	55
Percent Weight:	90
Chemical Name:	Sulfur dioxide (anhydrous)
CAS Number:	7446-09-5
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic

Accident History ID: Accident 3

Date of Accident:	February 2022
Time Accident Began (HH:MM):	05:20
NAICS Code of Process Involved:	325199
NAICS Description:	All Other Basic Organic Chemical Manufacturing
Release Duration:	000 Hours 02 Minutes

Release Event

Gas Release:	Yes
Liquid Spill/Evaporation:	N/A
Fire:	N/A
Explosion:	N/A
Uncontrolled/Runaway Reaction:	N/A

Release Source

Storage Vessel:	N/A
Piping:	N/A
Process Vessel:	N/A
Transfer Hose:	N/A
Valve:	N/A
Pump:	N/A
Joint:	N/A
Other Release Source:	Heat Exchanger

Weather Conditions at the Time of Event

Wind Speed:	N/A
Units:	N/A
Direction:	N/A
Temperature:	N/A
Atmospheric Stability Class:	N/A
Precipitation Present:	N/A
Unknown Weather Conditions:	Yes

On-Site Impacts

Employee or Contractor Deaths:	0
Public Responder Deaths:	0
Public Deaths:	0
Employee or Contractor Injuries:	0
Public Responder Injuries:	0
Public Injuries:	0
On-Site Property Damage (\$):	0

Known Off-Site Impacts

Deaths:	0
Hospitalizations:	0
Public Deaths:	0
Other Medical Treatments:	0
Evacuated:	0
Sheltered-in-Place:	0
Off-Site Property Damage (\$):	0

Environmental Damage

Fish or Animal Kills:	N/A
Tree, Lawn, Shrub, or Crop Damage:	N/A
Water Contamination:	N/A
Soil Contamination:	N/A
Other Environmental Damage:	N/A

Initiating Event

Initiating Event:	Equipment Failure
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Contributing Factors

Equipment Failure:	N/A
Human Error:	Yes
Improper Procedures:	N/A
Overpressurization:	Yes
Upset Condition:	Yes
By-Pass Condition:	Yes
Maintenance Activity/Inactivity:	N/A
Process Design Failure:	Yes
Unsuitable Equipment:	N/A
Unusual Weather Condition:	Yes
Management Error:	N/A
Other Contributing Factor:	N/A

Off-Site Responders Notified

Off-Site Responders Notified:	No, not notified
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Changes Introduced as a Result of the Accident

Improved or Upgraded Equipment:	Yes
Revised Maintenance:	N/A
Revised Training:	Yes
Revised Operating Procedures:	Yes
New Process Controls:	N/A
New Mitigation Systems:	N/A
Revised Emergency Response Plan:	N/A
Changed Process:	N/A
Reduced Inventory:	N/A
None:	N/A
Other Changes Introduced:	Valve Addition

Chemicals in Accident History

Quantity Released (lbs):	2
Percent Weight:	100
Chemical Name:	Bromine
CAS Number:	7726-95-6
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic

Accident History ID: Accident 4

Date of Accident:	December 2019
Time Accident Began (HH:MM):	17:30
NAICS Code of Process Involved:	325199
NAICS Description:	All Other Basic Organic Chemical Manufacturing
Release Duration:	002 Hours 30 Minutes

Release Event

Gas Release:	N/A
Liquid Spill/Evaporation:	Yes
Fire:	N/A
Explosion:	N/A
Uncontrolled/Runaway Reaction:	N/A

Release Source

Storage Vessel:	N/A
Piping:	N/A
Process Vessel:	N/A
Transfer Hose:	N/A
Valve:	Yes
Pump:	N/A
Joint:	N/A
Other Release Source:	N/A

Weather Conditions at the Time of Event

Wind Speed:	N/A
Units:	N/A
Direction:	N/A
Temperature:	N/A
Atmospheric Stability Class:	N/A
Precipitation Present:	N/A
Unknown Weather Conditions:	Yes

On-Site Impacts

Employee or Contractor Deaths:	0
Public Responder Deaths:	0
Public Deaths:	0
Employee or Contractor Injuries:	1
Public Responder Injuries:	0
Public Injuries:	0
On-Site Property Damage (\$):	600

Known Off-Site Impacts

Deaths:	0
Hospitalizations:	0
Public Deaths:	0
Other Medical Treatments:	0
Evacuated:	0
Sheltered-in-Place:	0
Off-Site Property Damage (\$):	0

Environmental Damage

Fish or Animal Kills:	N/A
Tree, Lawn, Shrub, or Crop Damage:	N/A
Water Contamination:	N/A
Soil Contamination:	N/A
Other Environmental Damage:	N/A

Initiating Event

Initiating Event:	Equipment Failure
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Contributing Factors

Equipment Failure:	N/A
Human Error:	N/A
Improper Procedures:	N/A
Overpressurization:	N/A
Upset Condition:	N/A
By-Pass Condition:	N/A
Maintenance Activity/Inactivity:	N/A
Process Design Failure:	N/A
Unsuitable Equipment:	N/A
Unusual Weather Condition:	N/A
Management Error:	N/A
Other Contributing Factor:	N/A

Off-Site Responders Notified

Off-Site Responders Notified:	No, not notified
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Changes Introduced as a Result of the Accident

Improved or Upgraded Equipment:	Yes
Revised Maintenance:	Yes
Revised Training:	N/A
Revised Operating Procedures:	N/A
New Process Controls:	N/A
New Mitigation Systems:	N/A
Revised Emergency Response Plan:	N/A
Changed Process:	N/A
Reduced Inventory:	N/A
None:	N/A
Other Changes Introduced:	N/A

Chemicals in Accident History

Quantity Released (lbs):	8
Percent Weight:	100
Chemical Name:	Bromine
CAS Number:	7726-95-6
Flammable/Toxic:	Toxic

Section 9. Emergency Response

Written Emergency Response (ER) Plan

Community Plan (Is facility included in written community emergency response plan?):	Yes
Facility Plan (Does facility have its own written emergency response plan?):	Yes
Response Actions (Does ER plan include specific actions to be taken in response to accidental releases of regulated substance(s)?):	Yes
Public Information (Does ER plan include procedures for informing the public and local agencies responding to accidental release?):	Yes
Healthcare (Does facility's ER plan include information on emergency health care?):	Yes

Local Agency

Agency Name (Name of local agency with which the facility ER plan or response activities are coordinated):	Columbia County LEPC (Primary)
Agency Phone Number (Phone number of local agency with which the facility ER plan or response activities are coordinated):	(870) 234-6010