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# **Section 1. Registration Information**

Source Identification

Facility Name: Hopewell Plant
Parent Company #1 Name: AdvanSix Inc.
Submission Type: Resubmission
Receipt Date: August 2022

**Facility Identification** 

Facility ID: 1000 0006 1755

**Dun and Bradstreet Numbers (DUNS)** 

Facility DUNS: 79738645

**Facility Location Address** 

Street 1: 905 East Randolph Road

 Street 2:
 N/A

 City:
 Hopewell

 State:
 VA

 ZIP:
 23860

 ZIP4:
 N/A

County: Prince George

Facility Latitude and Longitude

Latitude (decimal): 37.304167 Longitude (decimal): -077.272500

Local Emergency Planning Committee and Regulations

LEPC: Hopewell Ind. Safety Council

OSHA PSM: Yes
EPCRA 302: Yes
CAA Title V: Yes

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#### **Process Chemicals**

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: Acetaldehyde
CAS Number: 75-07-0
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

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: Ammonia (conc 20% or greater)

CAS Number: 7664-41-7 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: Flammable Mixture

CAS Number: 00-11-11 Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Flammable Mixture Chemical Components

Chemical Name: Methane
CAS Number: 74-82-8
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Chemical Name: Ethane
CAS Number: 74-84-0
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Chemical Name: Hydrogen
CAS Number: 1333-74-0
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

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#### **Process NAICS**

NAICS Code: 32519

NAICS Description: Other Basic Organic Chemical

Manufacturing

# **Section 6. Accident History**

#### Accident History ID: Accident 1

Date of Accident: October 2023

Time Accident Began (HH:MM): 14:00
NAICS Code of Process Involved: 32519

NAICS Description: Other Basic Organic Chemical

Manufacturing

Release Duration: 000 Hours 10 Minutes

#### Release Event

Gas Release:N/ALiquid Spill/Evaporation:YesFire:N/AExplosion:N/AUncontrolled/Runaway Reaction:N/A

#### Release Source

N/A Storage Vessel: 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: 5.0
Units: Miles/h
Direction: NNE
Temperature: 83
Atmospheric Stability Class: N/A
Precipitation Present: N/A
Unknown Weather Conditions: N/A

## **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 (\$): 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:

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:

# **Contributing Factors**

**Equipment Failure:** Yes 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

## Changes Introduced as a Result of the Accident

Improved or Upgraded Equipment: Yes Revised Maintenance: N/A Revised Training: Yes 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 N/A None: Other Changes Introduced: N/A

## Chemicals in Accident History

Quantity Released (lbs): 158
Percent Weight: 100

Chemical Name: Oleum (Fuming Sulfuric acid) [Sulfuric

acid, mixture with sulfur trioxide]

CAS Number: 8014-95-7 Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

EPA Facility Identifier: 1000 0006 1755 Plan Sequence Number: 1000102131

## Accident History ID: Accident 2

Date of Accident: September 2023

Time Accident Began (HH:MM): 04:10
NAICS Code of Process Involved: 32519

NAICS Description: Other Basic Organic Chemical

Manufacturing

Release Duration: 004 Hours 15 Minutes

## Release Event

Gas Release:N/ALiquid Spill/Evaporation:YesFire:N/AExplosion:N/AUncontrolled/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: 9.0
Units: Miles/h
Direction: N
Temperature: 59
Atmospheric Stability Class: N/A
Precipitation Present: N/A
Unknown Weather Conditions: N/A

## **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: 1
Off-Site Property Damage (\$): 0

# **Environmental Damage**

Fish or Animal Kills:

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:

# **Contributing Factors**

**Equipment Failure:** Yes 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: Notified and Responded

# Changes Introduced as a Result of the Accident

Improved or Upgraded Equipment: N/A Revised Maintenance: Yes Revised Training: N/A 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 N/A None: Other Changes Introduced: N/A

## Chemicals in Accident History

Quantity Released (lbs): 400
Percent Weight: 100

Chemical Name: Oleum (Fuming Sulfuric acid) [Sulfuric

acid, mixture with sulfur trioxide]

CAS Number: 8014-95-7 Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

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## Accident History ID: Accident 3

Date of Accident:

Time Accident Began (HH:MM):

NAICS Code of Process Involved:

32519

NAICS Description: Other Basic Organic Chemical

Manufacturing

Release Duration: 000 Hours 14 Minutes

### Release Event

Gas Release:YesLiquid Spill/Evaporation:N/AFire:N/AExplosion:N/AUncontrolled/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: 8.0
Units: Miles/h
Direction: N
Temperature: 79
Atmospheric Stability Class: N/A
Precipitation Present: N/A
Unknown Weather Conditions: N/A

## **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 (\$): 0

# **Known Off-Site Impacts**

Deaths: 0
Hospitalizations: 0
Public Deaths: 0
Other Medical Treatments: 0
Evacuated: 0
Sheltered-in-Place: 1
Off-Site Property Damage (\$): 0

# **Environmental Damage**

Fish or Animal Kills:

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:

## **Contributing Factors**

**Equipment Failure:** N/A N/A Human Error: Improper Procedures: N/A N/A Overpressurization: **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

# Changes Introduced as a Result of the Accident

Improved or Upgraded Equipment: N/A Yes Revised Maintenance: 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 N/A None: Other Changes Introduced: N/A

## Chemicals in Accident History

Quantity Released (lbs): 5900
Percent Weight: 100

Chemical Name: Ammonia (anhydrous)

CAS Number: 7664-41-7 Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

EPA Facility Identifier: 1000 0006 1755 Plan Sequence Number: 1000102131

## Accident History ID: Accident 4

Date of Accident: March 2022
Time Accident Began (HH:MM): 04:05
NAICS Code of Process Involved: 32519

NAICS Description: Other Basic Organic Chemical

Manufacturing

Release Duration: 006 Hours 54 Minutes

### Release Event

Gas Release:YesLiquid Spill/Evaporation:YesFire:N/AExplosion:N/AUncontrolled/Runaway Reaction:N/A

#### Release Source

Storage Vessel: Yes Piping: N/A 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: 5.4
Units: Miles/h
Direction: NNE
Temperature: 30
Atmospheric Stability Class: D
Precipitation Present: N/A
Unknown Weather Conditions: N/A

EPA Facility Identifier: 1000 0006 1755 Plan Sequence Number: 1000102131

## **On-Site Impacts**

Employee or Contractor Deaths:

Public Responder Deaths:

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Public Deaths:

Employee or Contractor Injuries:

O
Public Responder Injuries:

O
Public Injuries:

O
On-Site Property Damage (\$):

# **Known Off-Site Impacts**

Deaths: 0
Hospitalizations: 0
Public Deaths: 0
Other Medical Treatments: 0
Evacuated: 0
Sheltered-in-Place: 2
Off-Site Property Damage (\$): 0

# **Environmental Damage**

Fish or Animal Kills:

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:

EPA Facility Identifier: 1000 0006 1755 Plan Sequence Number: 1000102131

#### **Contributing Factors**

**Equipment Failure:** N/A N/A Human Error: 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: Accelerated corrosion due to previous

moisture introduction

## Off-Site Responders Notified

Off-Site Responders Notified: Notified and Responded

# Changes Introduced as a Result of the Accident

Improved or Upgraded Equipment: N/A Revised Maintenance: N/A 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: Evaluating improved scrubber line

venting re-design

## Chemicals in Accident History

Quantity Released (lbs): 89813 Percent Weight: 25

Chemical Name: Oleum (Fuming Sulfuric acid) [Sulfuric

acid, mixture with sulfur trioxide]

CAS Number: 8014-95-7 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):

Hopewell Fire Department

Agency Phone Number (Phone number of local agency with which the facility ER plan or response activities are coordinated):

(804) 541-2288