Pensacola Operations

About Pensacola

Pensacola has some characteristics of a bigger city, but with a small-town feel and a family-friendly environment. Known for its beautiful beaches, the Pensacola area provides access to a multitude of outdoor sports and activities with an abundance of beautiful weather to enjoy it all. There are many options for local entertainment, such as watching the Blue Angels practice, attending a minor-league baseball game, checking out the restaurants and galleries downtown, or just enjoying a day at the beach.

Community

Ascend takes its responsibility to the communities in which we operate seriously. The people of Ascend have a deep sense of commitment to make a difference in the lives of others. This is visible through their individual efforts and through their participation in events and community leadership.

The site is consistently one of the area’s largest contributors to the local United Way. Employees at the site serve on local industry boards, participate in food drives, blood drives, wellness events and other events that support the community.

Contact Information

Phone: 850-968-7000

Address
3000 Old Chemstrand Rd.
Cantonment, FL 32533

Closest airport
Pensacola (PNS): 10 mi from plant

Site Information

Production started in 1953.

Site Acreage
2,000

Workforce
Approximately 1,200 employees and contractors

Safety and Environmental Certifications
RCMS® certified

Pensacola is the world’s largest fully integrated PA66 manufacturing facility, occupying approximately 500 acres of a 2,000-acre block, with the remaining 1,500 acres being a federally registered natural wildlife preserve. The site brings in adiponitrile from the Decatur plant to convert to HMD and brings in the raw materials ammonia, cyclohexane and phenol to produce adipic acid. The site also produces specialty chemicals, in addition to hosting operations on behalf of guest companies.
Ascend Performance Materials is a premium provider of high-quality plastics, fibers and chemicals. Ascend is one of the world’s largest integrated PA66 producers, with its own in-house manufacturing facilities, ensuring total security of supply. Ascend’s product range has earned it an unequalled reputation for quality, innovative techniques and an enlightened approach to business that expands the horizons of possibility. With six global locations and more than 3,200 people working at our sites around the world, Ascend has the inspiration, the expertise, the people and the attitude toward innovation to consistently deliver the right solution for customers.