# Swift Chemical Company, Inc. (Office Site)

# STATE PRIORITY LIST SITE ROGERS, ARKANSAS 72756



ADEQ 5301 Northshore Drive North Little Rock, Arkansas 72118



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EPA CERCLA ID No: N/A

AFIN: 04-00634 County: Benton

Arkansas Senate District: 8 Arkansas House District: 96 US Congressional District: 3

### **Current Status**

The investigation for the remediation of this site was initiated by terms and provisions of a November 19, 2003 Consent Administrative order (CAO) entered into by Swift Chemical Company, Inc. (Swift Chemical) and Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ). CAO (LIS 03 - 075) required the facility to remove unlabeled and unmarked drums from the warehouse at the office site. In addition, Swift was required to prevent spillage from the floor drain in the warehouse to the City of Roger's sewer system. It was also noted the bottles of Titanium Tetrachloride had visible corrosion and crystallization on the outside of the containers.

Swift Chemical has removed the drums from the office site and disposed of the drum at an off site permitted disposal facility. This site was removed from the State Priority List in January 2009.

# **State Priority List History**

Swift Chemical Company, Inc. has been in business since 1975 manufacturing industrial cleaners and solvents. The 201 South Arkansas Street location includes one warehouse and manufactures and stores the industrial cleaners and solvents. The site is listed in the Arkansas Pollution Control and Ecology Commission (APC&EC) Regulation No. 30.302. It is stated this site has been designated as eligible for State funded investigation and necessary remedial actions. Investigations' regarding this site was initiated based on the provisions of the 2003 Consent Administrative Order. This site was removed from the State Priority List in January 2009.

# **Site Description**

Location: Located in a highly developed area of downtown Rogers. The facility at 201 South

Arkansas Street, Rogers, Arkansas is surrounded in all directions by commercial and industrial-use properties. The latitude and longitude of the facility are as follows:

Latitude: 36° 19' 54.65" Longitude: 94° 06' 55.13"

Population: About 38,829 residents live in the City of Rogers.

Setting: The approximately 140' X 75' (10,500 square feet), single-story building is built on a

raised concrete slab and essentially occupies the entire property parcel. The surrounding streets, sidewalks, parking areas and alleyways are public domain owned by the City of

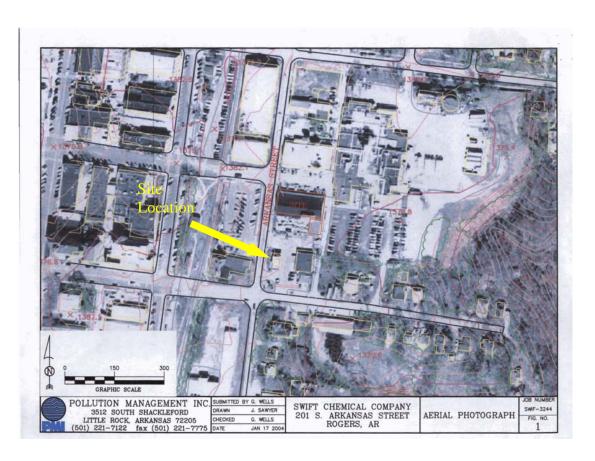
Rogers.

Hydrology: No data pertaining to groundwater is provided since the ground surface inside the building

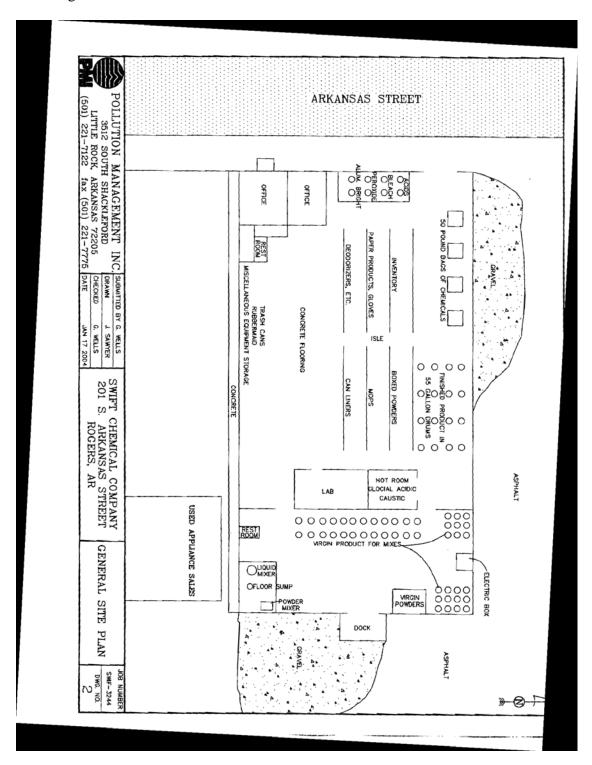
is made of concrete. The ground surfaces surrounding the building consist largely of

asphalt and concrete.

#### Aerial Photo:



#### Site Diagram:



#### **Waste and Volumes**

All the drums referenced in the CAO (LIS 03 – 075) have been removed from the facility and disposed of at an off site permitted disposal facility. A drain near the southeastern interior corner of the building has been filled with concrete and sealed. Additionally, the drain for a sink located in the laboratory area has been permanently disconnected by the City of Rogers to eliminate future discharge to the city's sewer system. Regarding liquid Titanium Tetrachloride spill, a hazardous materials team with the City of Rogers' Fire Department responded and completed clean up of the materials.

#### **Health Considerations**

There are no health considerations at this site. Based on the information provided in the report submitted by the facility on January 19, 2005, Swift Chemical Company implemented initiatives to comply with ADEQ requirements outlined in the CAO. The information indicates that Swift Chemical has fulfilled all the requirements of CAO LIS 03-075 relevant to this site.

### **ADEQ Response Actions**

Investigation of 201 South Arkansas Street location (Office Site) of the Swift Facility revealed unlabeled and unmarked containers. Following the investigation, CAO# LIS 03 – 075 was issued requiring Swift Chemical to remove the drums from the facility. Swift Chemical Company disposed of the drums at a permitted facility and submitted a report on January 19, 2005 to ADEQ explaining the corrective actions that took place at the facility.

# **ADEQ Anticipated Future Activities**

The Department has determined that the requirements of the CAO (LIS 03 – 075) have been met for the Swift Chemical Company (Office Site) and a No Further Action letter was issued for the site on June 25, 2008. This site was removed from the State Priority List in January 2009.

# **Site Contacts**

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Information Repository: None Officially Required

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