

Press release

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Fire at the Symrise production site Colonel Island

- Incident in chemical production for fragrance ingredients
- The fire caused no danger for employees and residents
- Fire brigades were always in control of the situation

Yesterday, a fire had broken out at the Symrise production site Colonel Island. The production facility manufactures fragrance ingredients. No employees got harmed and no danger to residents existed. Local fire brigades and police have obtained control of the situation on site.

The fire broke out during yesterday's early morning hours. The reason will be investigated in detail in the coming days. Firefighters, police, and local authorities promptly arrived at the scene of the incident. As a preventive measure, the employees and neighborhood had been asked to shelter in place.

The fire occurred during the regular production hours for the manufacture of fragrance ingredients. Risks to the health of employees and residents were quickly ruled out. The evacuation has been lifted again and the fire has been completely extinguished. Environmental damage can also be ruled out.

Symrise is collaborating closely with the local authorities and is helping them to determine the cause of the fire.

About Symrise:

Symrise is a global supplier of fragrances, flavors, food, nutrition and cosmetic ingredients. Its clients include manufacturers of perfumes, cosmetics, food and beverages, pharmaceuticals and producers of nutritional supplements and pet food.

Its sales of € 3.8 billion in the 2021 fiscal year make Symrise a leading global provider. Headquartered in Holzminden, Germany, the Group is represented by more than 100 locations in Europe, Africa, the Middle East, Asia, the United States and Latin America.

Symrise works with its clients to develop new ideas and market-ready concepts for products that form an integral part of everyday life. Economic success and corporate responsibility are inextricably linked as part of this process. Symrise – always inspiring more ...

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