

Building Blocks, Strong Foundation

Brandt
Pleasant Plains, Illinois



5 REASONS TO LOVE THIS FACILITY

1 This was the first formulation factory site for Brandt. Today, the company has a global network that spans from Spain to Brazil and five U.S. sites.

2 The overall footprint for manufacturing, formulating, staging and storage now totals 120,000 sq. ft.



3 Today, the Pleasant Plains manufacturing site formulates and packages proprietary liquid and dry nutritional products used in ag and turf markets. The team on-site blends and packages dyes and colorants used in the turf and aquatics markets.

4 Products from this facility have been used in fields all around the world. The company produces more than 1,800 SKUs—of which 1,000 are made at this facility in Pleasant Plains.

5 The next project at this site will be an expansion of the tank farm to better serve bulk customers, a growing area of the business.



DELAYED BUT DONE

The project kicked off in 2021, and with some moderate supply chain delays amplified by harsh weather conditions, the project was completed in July 2022.

GREATER CAPACITY

This project added 40,000 sq. ft. of warehousing space to stage additional raw inputs for manufacturing and have more space to build more finished goods.

SERIES OF EXPANSIONS

This project's goal was to build more storage. Looking back 10 years ago, a project at the site expanded and reconfigured the manufacturing space and layout.

MULTIPURPOSE SITE

Adjacent to the company's 300-acre research farm, which was established in 2004, the facility helps host an annual Brandt Discovery and Innovation field day in August.

PROACTIVE MORE THAN REACTIVE

Tight on space before, the team manufactured to fill orders, but now with the expansion, the site can have increased capacity to make products for inventory replenishment and reduce lead times.

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