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## **SUPREME OIL COMPANY EXPANDS OPERATIONS WITH NASHVILLE ACQUISITION**



Supreme Oil Company's new 200,000 square foot facility in Nashville, Tennessee.

Supreme Oil Company, a world leader in High Quality Vegetable Oil related products announced the acquisition of the former Mike Rose Mayonnaise, Dressing and Sauce facility in Nashville, Tennessee.

The acquisition enhances Supreme Oil's ability to provide more high quality products. This furthers their 65 year promise of "high quality at the best value" and gives them the ability to expand capabilities in the food service industry. The Nashville facility, along with the existing New Jersey and Alabama plants, will produce vegetable oils, mayonnaise, salad dressings, margarine, butter blends, vinegar, bar-beque, and other specialty sauces.

The Nashville Facility will also house the state of the art "Supreme Oil Kitchens" where skilled culinary, R&D and food science professionals develop products that meet the demands of the marketplace in a seamless and cost effective manner.

"This new plant is the jewel in the Supreme Oil crown," said Supreme Oil's President, Michael Leffler.

In step with the strategic goal of delivering the best products under their family brand-names, including Admiration, Piknik, and Garden Fresh, this new facility will allow Supreme Oil to increase production capability of private label brands, in food service sizes as well as in the full range of retail sizes.



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“We have a vertically integrated manufacturing process that creates economy of scale in our operations. With this acquisition, we will also have a much larger bench of skilled professionals, from R&D to customer service, enabling us to deliver the highest quality products the food service industry demands around the world,” Mr. Leffler added.

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Supreme Oil Company was founded in 1945 by the late Seymour Unterman. Its expansion in the South was led by the Company's President Michael Leffler who has made Supreme Oil Company the largest American-owned independent packager of vegetable oil related products in the world.

Supreme Oil Company brands include Admiration Foods, Piknik, and Garden Fresh. Product lines include oils, frying oils, salad dressings including mayonnaise, margarine and butter blends, mustard, barbeque and other specialty sauces, vinegar, and other condiments.

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