

## PRODUCTION PLANT IN **CROSBY**

Texas - USA

**The Crosby, Texas site serves as a logistics depot where Arkema stores organic peroxides to support its Gulf Coast customers. These products are used primarily in the production of plastic resins, polystyrene, polyethylene, polypropylene, PVC and polyester reinforced fiberglass, and acrylic resins.**

Many consumer products that we use every day, ranging from automobiles and food packaging to health and cleaning products, owe their beginnings to organic peroxides. Here are some examples:

- Solid surface countertops
- Acrylic-based paints and coatings for automotive, industrial, and architectural applications
- Key components in the enhancement of hoses, gaskets, and headlight assemblies for the automotive industry
- Expandable polystyrene cups and plates
- PVC for pipes, packaging, and siding



### COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- **Crosby Volunteer Fire Department** - We host annual drills in coordination with the local fire department and emergency medical team to coordinate likely interaction in the event of an emergency. We have also donated land to Harris County to be used as a fire station and an Emergency Medical Dispatch Station.
- **CAER Line** - Neighbors of the plant are encouraged to call the CAER line for information about emergency response incidents in the facilities or off-site incidents that may impact the community. East Harris County Manufacturers Association (ECHMA) established the Community Awareness and Emergency Response line (CAER Line) in 1986 as a free public service. The CAER Line is a source of up-to-the-minute information about any emergency at a local facility, including response actions that are underway and any actions members of the public should take, such as evacuation or shelter-in-place.
- Arkema uses **EMerge Systems**, a web-based multi-media communication tool used to communicate plant emergencies to local authorities. Activation occurs via a 24-hour manned website. Harris County Homeland Security and Emergency Management coordinate community notifications in the event of a plant emergency that may affect our neighbors. EMerge Systems is endorsed by the North Channel Local Emergency Planning Committee (NC LEPC).

### KEY FIGURES 2023

7 employees

\$25 million in local economic impact (includes payroll/utility/property taxes)

\$0.29 million investment in health, environment and safety

Over 2 years without injury (1 lost-time injury in the last 8 years)

### AWARDS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- ISO 9001 CERTIFICATION
- OHSAS 18001 CERTIFICATION
- RESPONSIBLE CARE® MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Building on its unique set of expertise in materials science, Arkema offers a portfolio of first-class technologies to address ever-growing demand for new and sustainable materials. With the ambition to become in 2024 a pure player in Specialty Materials, the Group is structured into 3 complementary, resilient and highly innovative segments dedicated to Specialty Materials - Adhesive Solutions, Advanced Materials, and Coating Solutions - accounting for some 92% of Group sales in 2023, and a well-positioned and competitive Intermediates segment. Arkema offers cutting-edge technological solutions to meet the challenges of, among other things, new energies, access to water, recycling, urbanization and mobility, and fosters a permanent dialogue with all its stakeholders. The Group reported sales of around € 9.5 billion (\$10.3 billion USD) in 2023, and operates in some 55 countries with 21,100 employees worldwide.

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