

## Plant Overview



### Products & Markets

The Rio Claro, Brazil plant produces liquid organic peroxides that are used primarily in the production of plastic resins, polystyrene, polyethylene, polypropylene, PVC and polyester reinforced fiberglass, and acrylic resins. Our plant also produces a variety of crosslinking peroxides that are used primarily in the production of elastomers and benzoyl peroxide used in acne medication and polystyrene. Additionally, we have a gas odorant and refrigerant gas filling station on site. Gas odorant blends are marketed by the Rio Claro plant to odorize odorless

gases such as natural gas and liquefied petroleum gas. Refrigerant gases are marketed by the Rio Claro plant and are used wherever cooling or refrigeration are required, including home air conditioners and heat pumps, automobiles, commercial refrigeration, industrial refrigeration, chillers, and etc.

### Key Figures for 2015

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| <b># of Employees</b>   | <b>49</b>   |
| <b>Local Economic Impact (Payroll/Utility/Property Taxes Paid Annually)</b> | <b>More than \$1.1 million USD in 2015</b>  |
| <b>Investment in the Community</b>  | <b>\$1,700 USD investment in 2015</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Donations</li> </ul>   |
| <b>Investment in Health, Environment and Safety</b>                         | <b>\$60,000 USD in approved capital investments in 2015 for health, safety, and environmental projects</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Groundwater monitoring (install and monitoring 3 more wells)</li> <li>• Clarifier tank repair</li> <li>• Biological reactor repair and waterproofing</li> </ul> |
| <b>Safety Record</b>  | <b>No injuries in the last 8 years that led to lost work time</b>   |
| <b>Awards/Certifications for Safety, Environmental, and Quality</b>         | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ISO 9001:2008</li> <li>• ISO 14001:2004</li> <li>• OHSAS 18001:2007</li> <li>• SA8000™:2008</li> <li>• MSM SCIS Level 8</li> </ul>   |

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