The Houston, Texas plant is a global supplier of linear mercaptans, tertiary mercaptans, and carbon disulfide. These products are key ingredients in the manufacture of cellophane, structured polymers and latex. Our products are also used in the production of synthetic rubber, plastics and corrosion inhibitors.

**Community involvement**

- Donated $20,000 to the Channel Industrial Mutual Aid (CIMA)
- Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC)
- Texas Chemical Council (TCC)
- East Harris County Manufactures Association (EHCMA)
- North Channel Area Chamber of Commerce (NCACC)
- North Channel Assistance Ministries
- Houston Economic Alliance
- Houston Ship Channel Security District
- Toys for Tots
- Partner with Channelview & Cloverleaf Fire Departments

**Investment in health, environment and safety**

- Capacity improvement projects to strengthen and reinforce plant safety systems as we increase production to meet increasing sales demand.
- Investment in environmental control and technology as part of our ongoing commitment to reduce our carbon footprint
- Our emergency response teams receive training at nationally recognized training facilities such as Texas A&M (fire school)
- Emergency response training for in-house Emergency Response Team (ERT) and employees on all operating shifts
- Employee training in hazardous waste operations emergency response (HAZWOPER)
- Personnel trained in First Aid, CPR, AED (Automated External Defibrillation)
- Member of CHEMTREC® (Chemical Transportation Emergency Center)
- Upgraded ERT bunker gear
- Improved warehouse rack protection

$11.2 million in local impact (includes payroll/utility/property taxes)

$1.5 million in approved capital investments in 2018 for health, environment and safety projects

67 employees

8 years without a lost time injury

**Certifications**

ISO 14001, ISO 18001, HSEQ Commitment Statement, Responsible Care Management System, AIMS, National Safety Council Leadership Award, Million Hours Work Award, ACC Responsible Care Facility Safety Award

About Arkema

A designer of materials and innovative solutions, Arkema shapes materials and creates new uses that accelerate customer performance. Our balanced business portfolio spans high-performance materials, industrial specialties and coating solutions. Our globally recognized brands are ranked among the leaders in the markets we serve. Reporting annual sales of €8.8 billion ($10.4 billion USD) in 2018, we employ approximately 20,000 people worldwide and operate in close to 55 countries. We are committed to active engagement with all our stakeholders. Our research centers in North America, France and Asia concentrate on advances in bio-based products, new energies, water management, electronic solutions, lightweight materials and design, home efficiency and insulation.

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