La Porte Polypropylene Plant

History

The largest polypropylene facility in the world, the plant was acquired in 1984 from ARCO Chemicals and has since undergone three major expansions.

Capacity

2.7 billion pounds (1.224 ktons) per year

Differentiation

Low production cost facility and full range polypropylene supplier with specialty products to support customer needs.

Integration

- 849 million pounds (385 ktons) per year propylene provided by captive supply from Mont Belvieu Propylene Splitter.
- 728 million pounds (330 ktons) per year propylene provided from captive supply at BASF FINA Petrochemicals Limited Partnership Naphtha Steam Cracker in Port Arthur, TX (40% Total Petrochemicals USA, Inc. owned).

Product Uses

Food packaging, tapes, carpet yarns, absorbent products, caps and closures, geotextiles, small appliances, housewares, disposables, outdoor furniture and toys.

Safety and Environmental

- RC 14001 certified.
- International Safety Rating System Level 9.
- Excellent safety record.
- Responsible Care® and Advanced Integrated Management System programs.

Community Involvements

- Local Emergency Planning Committee.
- Local Community Advisory Panel.
- San Jacinto Battleground State Historic Site.
- East Harris County Manufacturers Association.
- Houston Regional Monitoring.