



## **BASF TOTAL Petrochemicals, LLC** **Port Arthur, Texas**

**Address:** Highway 366, Gate 99, Port Arthur, Texas

**Ownership:**

BASF Corporation – 60%

TOTAL Petrochemicals & Refining USA, Inc. – 40%

**Location:**

The Port Arthur site is located 15 miles southeast of Beaumont and Interstate 10, and 95 miles east of Houston.

**Site Manager:** Greg Masica, VP & Site Manager

**Plant Description:** The site is an integrated steam cracker with a C4 complex.

**Number of Employees:** 261

**Facts:**

- One of the world's largest steam crackers representing a \$1.5 billion investment by BASF Corporation and Total Petrochemicals & Refining USA, Inc.
- The steam cracker turns a wide range of cracker feedstocks such as ethane, propane, butane and naphtha into ethylene, propylene, butadiene and other chemical raw materials.

**Product/Uses:**

- Ethylene is used for anti-freeze, polyester, plastics and pharmaceuticals.
- Propylene is used for plastics, diapers and adhesives.
- Butadiene is used in the production of rubber and plastics.

**Community Relations:**

The Port Arthur plant and employee volunteers support numerous charitable and community organizations, including United Way, Miracle Match for Life, Be the Match, and area educational programs. Port Arthur employees help to bring a variety of STEM programs to local schools to encourage science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) education and careers. BASF Total Petrochemicals understands the importance of engaging students in science education, realizing that today's students will be the thinkers, innovators and leaders of the future.

**Economic Impact:** (Year-end 2015 data)

- Annual Payroll \$45.7 million
- State & Local Use Taxes – \$2.8 million; Property Taxes – \$9.9 million

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