



# Brazos Midstream

## ABOUT BRAZOS MIDSTREAM

Brazos Midstream, headquartered in Fort Worth TX, is a natural gas transmission and crude oil system spanning over 30 miles in the Ward and Reeves Counties, TX.

Brazos Midstream employees and its pipeline system and facilities are located Barstow TX.

The Brazos Midstream Barstow Area system is comprised of numerous Gathering Pipelines used to collect Natural Gas and Crude Oil from production operations and transport to central points for delivery to associated markets. Compressor stations and pumping stations are located along transmission and gathering pipeline routes and help push energy products through the line.

Brazos monitors its pipeline system with a SCADA system that alarms employees when the system operates outside normal parameters. Field personnel patrol the system daily and respond to alarms 24 hours a day.

## WHAT DOES BRAZOS MIDSTREAM DO IF A LEAK OCCURS?

To prepare for the event of a leak, pipeline companies regularly communicate, plan and train with local emergency responders. Upon the notification of an incident or leak

the pipeline company will immediately dispatch trained personnel to assist emergency responders.

Pipeline operators and emergency responders are trained to protect life, property, environment and facilities in the case of an emergency.

Pipeline operators will also take steps to minimize the amount of product that leaks out and to isolate the pipeline emergency. Brazos personnel will restrict the flow of product and implement other operating actions as needed to minimize the impact of the emergency. Public safety officials and other non-company personnel should not attempt to operate pipeline valves. Improper operation of pipeline valves can cause other accidents to occur.

## MAINTAINING SAFETY AND INTEGRITY OF PIPELINES

Brazos Midstream primary concern is safe and reliable delivery of product. According to the National Transportation and Safety Board, pipelines are the safest and most economical way to transport products. We are committed to the safe operation of our pipelines in your community. Brazos invests significant time and capital maintaining the quality and integrity of their pipeline systems. Most active pipelines are monitored 24 hours a day via manned control centers. Brazos Midstream also utilizes aerial surveillance and/or on-

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PRODUCTS/DOT GUIDEBOOK ID#/GUIDE#:		
Crude Oil	1267	128
Natural Gas	1971	115

## TEXAS COUNTIES OF OPERATION:

Culberson	Ward
Loving	Winkler
Reeves	

*Changes may occur. Contact the operator to discuss their pipeline systems and areas of operation.*

ground observers to identify potential dangers. Control center personnel continually monitor the pipeline system and assess changes in pressure and flow. They notify field personnel if there is a possibility of a leak. Automatic shut-off valves are sometimes utilized to isolate a leak.

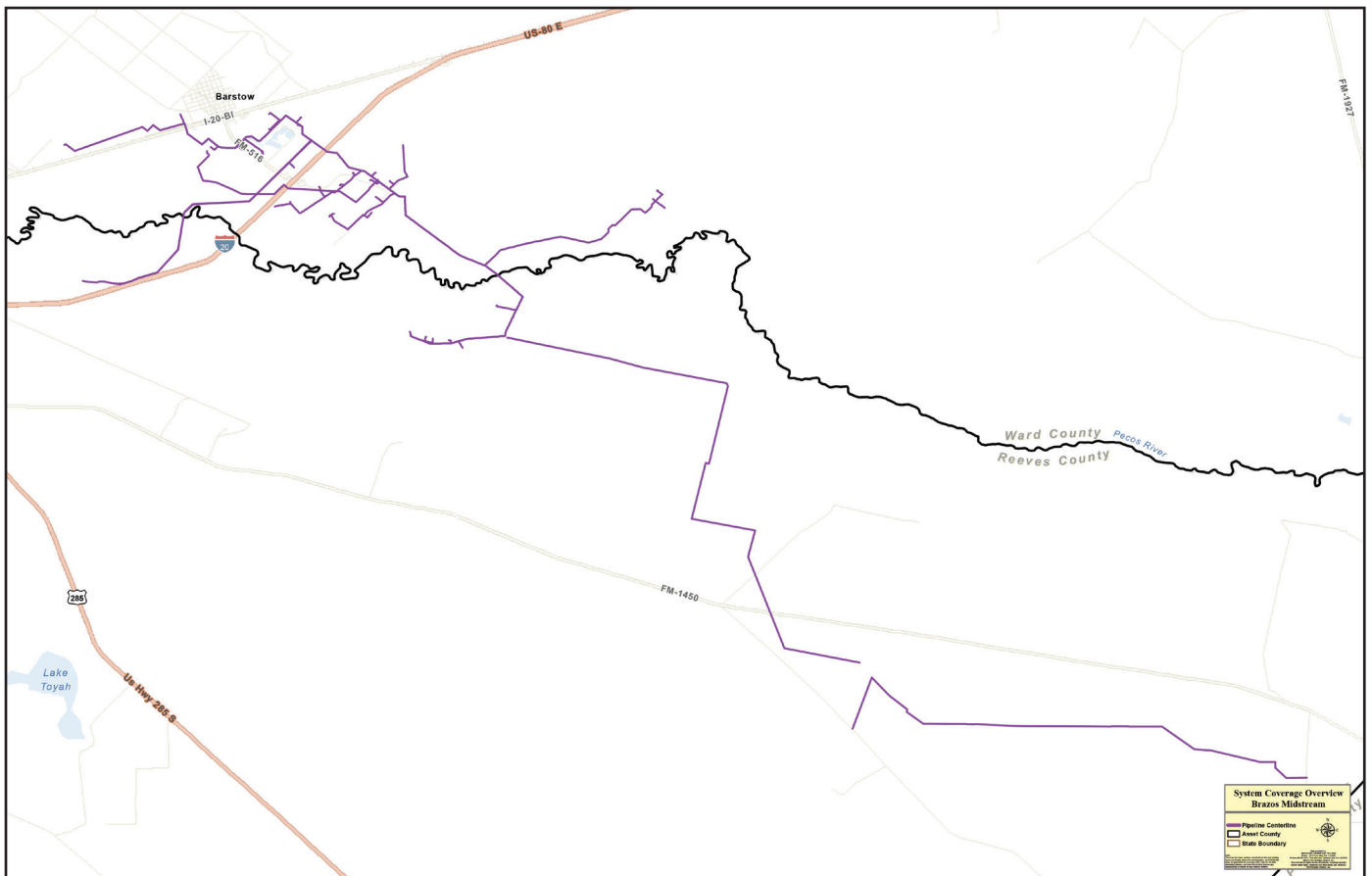
Gas transmission and hazardous liquid pipeline operators have developed supplemental hazard and assessment programs known as Integrity Management Programs (IMPs). Specific information about Brazos Midstream's program may be found on our Web site, or by contacting us directly at 817-332-6800



## PRODUCTS TRANSPORTED IN YOUR AREA

PRODUCT	LEAK TYPE	VAPORS
HAZARDOUS LIQUIDS [SUCH AS: CRUDE OIL]	Liquid	Initially heavier than air and spread along ground and collect in low or confined areas. Vapors may travel to source of ignition and flash back. Explosion hazards indoors, outdoors or in sewers.
HEALTH HAZARDS		Inhalation or contact with material may irritate or burn skin and eyes. Fire may produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases. Vapors may cause dizziness or suffocation. Runoff from fire control or dilution water may cause pollution.
NATURAL GAS AND NATURAL GAS LIQUIDS	Gas	Lighter than air and will generally rise and dissipate. May gather in a confined space and travel to a source of ignition.
HEALTH HAZARDS		Will be easily ignited by heat, sparks or flames and will form explosive mixtures with air. Vapors may cause dizziness or asphyxiation without warning and may be toxic if inhaled at high concentrations. Contact with gas or liquefied gas may cause burns, severe injury and/or frostbite.

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There is a 12" Natural Gas pipeline operating at 285# and a 6" Natural Gas Liquids line operating at 1200#. Once the system is complete it will range in size from 4" to 16" pipelines.