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ABOUT OCI BEAUMONT

OCI Beaumont operates the OCI Methanol facility (located within Du Pont Beaumont Works) that includes three pipelines. A 4-inch and 6-inch in diameter used for safely transporting methanol and a 12-inch in diameter used in the transportation of natural gas. All pipelines are in Jefferson County. OCI Methanol pipelines are safe, well-maintained and have been designed, built and located to minimize public impacts.

WHAT DOES OCI BEAUMONT DO IF A LEAK OCCURS?

To prepare for the event of a leak, OCI Beaumont regularly communicates, plans and trains with local emergency responders. Upon the notification of an incident or leak, OCI Beaumont will immediately dispatch trained personnel to assist emergency responders. OCI Beaumont has contracted the services of OMI Environmental Solutions to assist in response to pipeline leaks.

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

OCI Beaumont operators will also take steps to minimize the amount of product that leaks out and to isolate the pipeline emergency.



MAINTAINING SAFETY AND INTEGRITY OF PIPELINES

OCI Beaumont invests significant time and capital maintaining the quality and integrity of their pipeline systems. All of OCI Beaumont's pipelines are monitored 24 hours a day via manned control centers. OCI Beaumont also utilizes aerial surveillance and/or on-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.

OCI Beaumont's hazardous liquid pipeline operators have developed supplemental hazard and assessment programs known as Integrity Management Programs (IMPs). Specific information about OCI Beaumont's program may be found by contacting us directly.

PRODUCTS TRANSPORTED

PRODUCT	LEAK TYPE	VAPORS
METHANOL	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 and poison hazards indoors, outdoors or in sewers.
HEALTH HAZARDS		Toxic, may be fatal if inhaled, ingested or absorbed through skin. Inhalation or contact will irritate or burn skin and eyes. Fire will produce irritating, corrosive and/or toxic gases. Vapors may cause dizziness or suffocation. Runoff from fire control or dilution water may cause pollution. Runoff to sewer may create fire or explosion hazard.
NATURAL GAS	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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PRODUCTS / DOT GUIDEBOOK ID# / GUIDE#:		
Methanol	1230	131
Natural Gas	1971	115

**TEXAS
COUNTIES OF OPERATION:**

Jefferson

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

HOW TO GET ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For an overview of OCI's IMP or additional information, go to www.ocibeau.com or email pipelinemanagement@ocibeau.com.

