

# Chocolate Bayou Operations

## About the Alvin/ Chocolate Bayou Area

Alvin is a growing city with a small-town feel and friendly neighbors. Residents have close proximity to both downtown Houston and Galveston Island, providing a wealth of entertainment and recreational opportunities. There are community gardens, farmers' markets, bakeries, coffee shops, art galleries, live music and miles of beachfront in Galveston. A short drive to Houston offers the cultural, entertainment and sporting opportunities of the country's fourth-largest city.

Pearland is another nearby residential community that is great for families. With a reasonable commute to both the plant and downtown Houston, Pearland is a great option for families, offering good schools, cultural diversity and plenty of recreation options.



## Community

Ascend takes its responsibility to the communities in which we operate seriously. The people of Ascend have a deep sense of commitment to make a difference in the lives of others. This is visible through their individual efforts and through their participation in events and community leadership.

Employees at the site participate in food drives, wellness events and other events that support the community. They recently built a house through the Habitat for Humanity program. Other projects include partnering with the United Way to build wheelchair ramps and cleaning up a local highway.



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### Closest airports

Hobby (HOU): 20 mi from plant  
Houston (IAH): 54 mi from plant

## Site Information

Production started in 1962.

### Site Acreage

2,500

### Workforce

Approximately 925 employees and contractors

### Safety and Environmental Certifications

OSHA VPP Star Site  
Responsible Care® 14001 certified

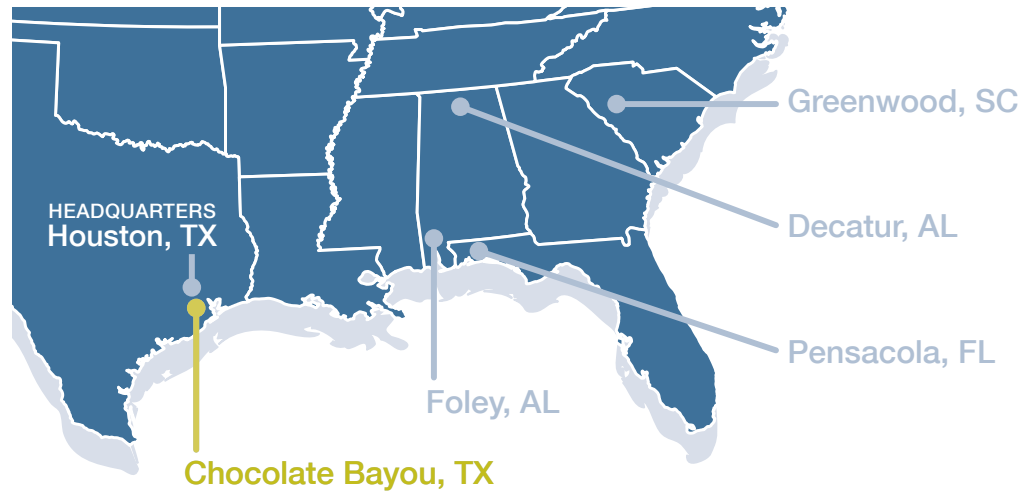
## Products

- Acrylonitrile (AN)
- Hydrogen cyanide (HCN)
- Nitritotriacetic acid (NTA)
- Formalin
- Linear alkylbenzene (LAB)
- Methionine (MHBA)
- Diphenyl oxide (DPO)
- Sodium cyanide (NaCN)
- Disodium iminodiacetic acid (DSIDA) for Monsanto

## About Ascend

Ascend Performance Materials Operations LLC is a global leader in proprietary technologies central to the production of chemicals, plastics and synthetic fibers. We are the world's second-largest integrated producer of nylon 6,6.

Headquartered in Houston, Texas, the company has five manufacturing facilities and sales offices throughout the world with approximately 3,500 employees and contractors.



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### Our Mission

To provide primary products and services that inspire the success of the company, our team members, our customers and our community.

### Our Values

**Setting** high standards

*Preparing to win*

**Collaborating** across boundaries

*Encouraging others*

**Meeting** our commitments

*Delivering results*

**Ensuring** great leadership

*Uniting the team*

**Learning** to be better

*Thinking beyond*

**inspiring** everyday