

# MONUMENT CHEMICAL Custom Manufacturing Showcase

SOCMA, February 19, 2025 C. William Gundlach, R&D Director Every day, our customers bring us



# Their toughest chemistry challenges.



## Monument is the go-to, leading chemical industry partner for...

- Challenging distillations, high purity fractionations, large-scale esterification, hydrolysis, batch and continuous hydrogenation, and amination
- Flexible scale-ups of ethylene oxide and propylene oxide derivatives
- Cutting-edge solutions for new and challenging chemistries while operating at industry-leading HSE performance record



## Monument At A Glance

## American, family-owned company

- Headquartered in Indianapolis
- 650 employees in the US (800 globally)
- Highly focused on HSE
- Demonstrated expertise and scale
  - ✓ Distillation and fractionation
  - Challenging chemistries
  - SAF and Biodiesel



**Related Ownership:** 







Challenging Chemistries / Broad Applications Chemicals, Fuels, Electronics, Personal Care, Pharma, Defense, Additives, Coatings, and More

Brandenburg, KY

Antwerp, Belgium

Baytown, TX

Bayport, T.

Houston, T

Port Arthur, TX







**Port Arthur, TX** Located on the Sabine River intercoastal waterway - just two miles from the Gulf of Mexico – an ideal location between manufacturing hubs in TX and LA

## **Our Locations**

Houston, Bayport, and Baytown, TX Conveniently located on the Houston ship channel, our Texas facilities are close to our customers — and close to their customers



#### Brandenburg, KY Located just outside of Louisville, our Brandenburg facility offers one-day truck service to most U.S. customers

We operate in the heart of the manufacturing hubs of the U.S. and Europe.

Antwerp, Belgium Located in the heart of the Rotterdam/Antwerp petrochemical center, our Antwerp facility is easily accessible to our customers and their customers.



## **Our Businesses**

## **Monument Solvents**

Monument Solvents is a leading global provider of organic solvents, intermediates and specialty custom manufacturing services.

Locations: Houston TX, Pasadena TX

#### **Monument Oxides**

Monument Oxides is a leading global provider of polyether polyols, alkoxylated surfactants, glycols, glycol ethers and specialty custom manufacturing services.

Locations: Brandenburg KY

## **Renewables & Fuels**

Monument Renewables & Fuels serves as a key partner in the transformative shift towards renewables and fuels – and offers a wide range of specialty fluids products and custom manufacturing services

Locations: Port Author TX, Baytown TX

## **Monument Europe**

Monument Europe provides custom manufacturing services for several of the world's largest producers of fine and specialty chemicals – and supplies high purity oxygenated solvents into various industries

**Locations: Antwerp Belgium** 



## Monument Solvents, Houston Area, TX



HOUSTON



#### Large distillation and fixed bed reactors:

- Continuous and reactive distillation
- Hydrogenation
- Hydrolysis, isomerization, esters, ethers and many more!

BAYPORT



Specialty distillation, hydrogenation, amine chemistries:

- Continuous and batch distillation
- High pressure capabilities (800 psi)
- Cyanoethylation, reductive amination and alkylation, hydroformylation

BAYTOWN



Aromatics based chemistries:

- Distillation
- Alkylation, Friedel Crafts, and isomerization

#### Modes of Delivery:





## **Monument Solvents Distillation Solutions**



Leader in complex separations, reactive distillation, solvent recycling, and hazardous secondary materials (HSM) processing

- Largest distillation capacity of any custom manufacturer
- Continuous and batch capabilities
- Majority stainless steel
- 2'-8' (0.6-2.5 m) diameter
- Steam or hot oil heated up to 550 °F (290 °C)
- Theoretical stages ranging from 25-100
- Rated for full vacuum to 100 psi (~7 bar)

We can supply the product you need where and when you need it.



## **Monument Solvents Reactor Capabilities**



## Multi-purpose fixed bed and batch reactors

- Up to 800 psi (55 bar)
- Continuous (trans)esterification, hydrolysis, isomerization & hydrogenation
- Experienced in specialty amines production, including handling of acrylonitrile, ammonia, and other RMP raw materials
- Alkylation and reductive alkylation
- Aldol, hydroformylation, aromatics refining and many more?

Interested in a different capability? We can help!

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## Monument Oxides, Brandenburg, KY



## Largest, most flexible site for EO/PO chemistry in the Midwest and Eastern US

- Alkoxylates/surfactants, polyether polyol, glycols, amination, and specialty chemicals
- On-site pilot plant and customer applications testing lab
- Auxiliary equipment including filtration, dryers, batch distillation and WFE, and more!

#### Modes of Delivery:







## **Monument Oxides Capabilities**



## Alkoxylation (EO/PO)

- 21 reactors (2,000-25,700 gal.) with 155 MM lb (70 kt) capacity
- Caustic Filtration capabilities

## Polymer Polyol Production ("Graft Polyols")

- Styrene/acrylonitrile co-polymer dispersed in polyether polyol
- One (1) 3,600 gallons (304SS) Reactor

## **Aminated Polyol Production**

- -OH groups of a polyether polyol converted to amine groups via reductive amination
- Process capable of high MW products
- One (1) 2,600-gallon (304SS) reactor

## **Glycols & Glycol Ethers**

- PO and EO chemistries and distillation capabilities
- 3 Flexible Glycol Ether Trains with 55 MM lb (25 kt) capacity

#### **Custom Electronic Materials Manufacturing**

- Glass lined and stainless-steel batch reactors
- Centrifuge filtration; ability to handle a wide range of chemistries including formaldehyde, phenol and xylene

#### **Pilot Plant**

- Multipurpose reactors from 10 to 850 gallons
- Vast know-how on PO/EO chemistry process development and scale up



## Monument Renewables & Fuels Port Arthur, TX

## Unrivaled distillation capacity and multipurpose reactors

- Continuous & batch distillation
- Multipurpose reactors:
- SAF, esters, ethers, alkylation, hydrolysis, acetylation, dehydration, and more!
- >100 tanks, 585 bbl of storage

#### Modes of Delivery:







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PRODUCTION SITES



## **Our Commitments**



## QUALITY

- Onsite and 24/7 Lab capabilities
- ISO 9001, Kosher, Halal, cGMP
- First Pass Quality (FPQ) focus
- World-class R&D for simulation science and rapid scale-up



## **ENVIRONMENT**

- 100% compliance in all operating and environmentally-related permits and requirements
- Industry-leading waste management programs (Heritage Environmental Services)



## COMMUNITY

Volunteerism / Philanthropy Programs
focusing on STEM education



## SAFETY

- Top tier safety performance (OSHA rate and KPI's) across all 5 sites
- Risk Management Program for Hazardous Chemical Handling
- OSHA Process Safety Management

#### RECOGNITION Member of SOCMA and CPI



2024 SOCMA Awards for all US sites



EcoVadis Company-wide Silver Rating







## **Custom Manufacturing Key Processes**

- Largest distillation capacity of any custom manufacturer
- Largest EO/PO consumer in the Midwest
- Industry leading technical expertise and scale-up support
- Flexible assets

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 Dedicated logistics and customer service support

	HOUSTON (U.S.)	BAYTOWN (U.S.)	BAYPORT (U.S.)	PORT ARTHUR (U.S.)	BRANDENBURG (U.S.)	ANTWERP (BE)
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Alkylation	$\odot$	$\odot$	$\odot$	$\odot$		$\odot$
Alkoxylation (EO and PO)					$\bigcirc$	
Amination			$\oslash$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	
Cyanoethylation			$\oslash$			
Dehydration	$\odot$			$\bigcirc$		$\oslash$
Distillation	$\odot$	$\odot$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	$\oslash$
Esterification	$\odot$		$\odot$	$\odot$		$\odot$
Etherification	$\bigcirc$			$\bigcirc$		$\oslash$
Hydrolysis						$\oslash$
Hydrogenation	$\bigcirc$		$\oslash$			
Isomerization	$\bigcirc$			$\bigcirc$		$\oslash$
Melt crystallization		$\odot$				
Oligomerization	$\odot$			$\bigcirc$		$\oslash$
Transesterification	$\odot$			$\bigcirc$		$\oslash$
Free Radical Polymerization					$\odot$	
Novolak Synthesis					$\odot$	

CAPABILITIES



# Visit us at

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**Griffin Ballroom** 

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