# **Section 1. Registration Information**

#### Source Identification

Facility Name: St. Charles Operations Parent Company #1 Name: **Union Carbide Corporation** 

Submission Type: Resubmission Receipt Date: February 2021

**Facility Identification** 

Facility ID: 1000 0009 4211

**Dun and Bradstreet Numbers (DUNS)** 

Facility DUNS: 801038019

**Facility Location Address** 

Street 1: La. Highways 18 and 3142

Street 2: 355 Hwy 3142 City: Hahnville State: LA ZIP: 70057 ZIP4: N/A County: St. Charles

Facility Latitude and Longitude

Latitude (decimal): 29.984300 Longitude (decimal): -90.446311

Local Emergency Planning Committee and Regulations

LEPC: St. Charles Parish LEPC

OSHA PSM: Yes **EPCRA 302:** Yes CAA Title V: Yes

#### **Process Chemicals**

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: Acetaldehyde
CAS Number: 75-07-0
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name: Ethylene oxide [Oxirane]

CAS Number: 75-21-8 Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: Methyl mercaptan [Methanethiol]

CAS Number: 74-93-1 Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: Ethylenediamine [1,2-Ethanediamine]

CAS Number: 107-15-3
Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: Vinyl methyl ether [Ethene, methoxy-]

CAS Number: 107-25-5
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name: Propylene [1-Propene]

CAS Number: 115-07-1 Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: Methane
CAS Number: 74-82-8
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: Ethane
CAS Number: 74-84-0
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: Propane
CAS Number: 74-98-6
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: 1-Butene
CAS Number: 106-98-9
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: 1,3-Butadiene
CAS Number: 106-99-0
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: 2-Butene
CAS Number: 107-01-7
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: 1-Pentene
CAS Number: 109-67-1
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name: Propylene [1-Propene]

CAS Number: 115-07-1 Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name: 2-Methylpropene [1-Propene,

2-methyl-]

CAS Number: 115-11-7 Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: Butene
CAS Number: 25167-67-3
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name: Ethylene [Ethene]

CAS Number: 74-85-1
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: Ethylenediamine [1,2-Ethanediamine]

CAS Number: 107-15-3 Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

Facility Name: St. Charles Operations

EPA Facility Identifier: 1000 0009 4211 Plan Sequence Number: 1000091506

Program Level: Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name: Ammonia (anhydrous)

CAS Number: 7664-41-7 Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

Program Level: Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name: Ethylene oxide [Oxirane]

CAS Number: 75-21-8 Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: Methane
CAS Number: 74-82-8
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name: Ethylene [Ethene]

CAS Number: 74-85-1
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name: Isopentane [Butane, 2-methyl-]

CAS Number: 78-78-4
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: 1-Butene
CAS Number: 106-98-9
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name: Ethylene [Ethene]

CAS Number: 74-85-1 Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: Methyl mercaptan [Methanethiol]

CAS Number: 74-93-1 Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

Program Level: Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name: Acrolein [2-Propenal]

CAS Number: 107-02-8 Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: Vinyl methyl ether [Ethene, methoxy-]

CAS Number: 107-25-5 Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: Acetaldehyde
CAS Number: 75-07-0
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Program Level: Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name: Acrolein [2-Propenal]

CAS Number: 107-02-8 Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

Program Level: Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name: Ammonia (anhydrous)

CAS Number: 7664-41-7 Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

Program Level: Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name: Ethylene oxide [Oxirane]

CAS Number: 75-21-8 Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

Program Level: Program Level 3 process
Chemical Name: Ethylene oxide [Oxirane]

CAS Number: 75-21-8 Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

## **Process NAICS**

NAICS Code: 32511

NAICS Description: Petrochemical Manufacturing

NAICS Code: 325199

NAICS Description: All Other Basic Organic Chemical

Manufacturing

NAICS Code: 325211

NAICS Description: Plastics Material and Resin

Manufacturing

# **Section 6. Accident History**

### Accident History ID: Accident 1

Date of Accident: February 2023

Time Accident Began (HH:MM): 22:45
NAICS Code of Process Involved: 325211

NAICS Description: Plastics Material and Resin

Manufacturing

Release Duration: 000 Hours 01 Minutes

#### Release Event

Gas Release:N/ALiquid Spill/Evaporation:N/AFire:YesExplosion:N/AUncontrolled/Runaway Reaction:N/A

### Release Source

Storage Vessel: N/A Piping: N/A Process Vessel: Yes Transfer Hose: N/A Valve: N/A Pump: N/A Joint: N/A Other Release Source: N/A

### Weather Conditions at the Time of Event

Wind Speed: 3.6

Units: Meters/second

Direction:NTemperature:49Atmospheric Stability Class:APrecipitation Present:N/AUnknown Weather Conditions:N/A

Facility Name: St. Charles Operations EPA Facility Identifier: 1000 0009 4211 Plan Sequence Number: 1000091506 **On-Site Impacts** 0 Employee or Contractor Deaths: Public Responder Deaths: 0 Public Deaths: 0 Employee or Contractor Injuries: 5 Public Responder Injuries: 0 Public Injuries: 0 On-Site Property Damage (\$): 0 Known Off-Site Impacts Deaths: 0 Hospitalizations: 0 Public Deaths: 0 Other Medical Treatments: 0 Evacuated: 0 Sheltered-in-Place: 0 Off-Site Property Damage (\$): 0

# **Environmental Damage**

Fish or Animal Kills:

Tree, Lawn, Shrub, or Crop Damage:

N/A

Water Contamination:

N/A

Soil Contamination:

N/A

Other Environmental Damage:

N/A

## **Initiating Event**

Initiating Event:

Human Error

### **Contributing Factors**

**Equipment Failure:** Yes N/A Human Error: Improper Procedures: Yes N/A Overpressurization: **Upset Condition:** N/A By-Pass Condition: N/A Maintenance Activity/Inactivity: N/A Process Design Failure: N/A Unsuitable Equipment: N/A Unusual Weather Condition: N/A Management Error: N/A Other Contributing Factor: N/A

### Off-Site Responders Notified

Off-Site Responders Notified: Notified and Responded

# Changes Introduced as a Result of the Accident

Improved or Upgraded Equipment: N/A Revised Maintenance: Yes Revised Training: Yes Revised Operating Procedures: Yes New Process Controls: N/A New Mitigation Systems: N/A Revised Emergency Response Plan: N/A Changed Process: N/A Reduced Inventory: N/A N/A None: Other Changes Introduced: N/A

### Chemicals in Accident History

Quantity Released (lbs): 1
Percent Weight: N/A

Chemical Name: Ethylene [Ethene]

CAS Number: 74-85-1
Flammable/Toxic: Flammable

Quantity Released (lbs):1Percent Weight:N/AChemical Name:EthaneCAS Number:74-84-0Flammable/Toxic:Flammable

Quantity Released (lbs):1Percent Weight:N/AChemical Name:MethaneCAS Number:74-82-8Flammable/Toxic:Flammable

# **Section 9. Emergency Response**

## Written Emergency Response (ER) Plan

Community Plan (Is facility included in written community emergency response plan?):

Facility Plan (Does facility have its own

written emergency response plan?): Response Actions (Does ER plan include specific actions to be taken in

include specific actions to be taken in response to accidental releases of regulated substance(s)?):

Public Information (Does ER plan Yes include procedures for informing the

public and local agencies responding to accidental release?):

Healthcare (Does facility's ER plan include information on emergency health care?):

Yes

Yes

Yes

Yes

### Local Agency

Agency Name (Name of local agency with which the facility ER plan or response activities are coordinated):

Agency Phone Number (Phone number of local agency with which the facility ER plan or response activities are coordinated):

St. Charles Parish OHSEP

(985) 783-5050