Home to Shell USA and businesses that are Powering Progress

Shell USA has proudly called Texas home for decades. The heart of our US operations is based in Houston, including our US corporate headquarters and many core businesses. The state is also a showcase for our culture of innovation, with Shell Technology Center Houston one of three research and development hubs for Shell globally.

At Deer Park Chemicals, we have been a neighbor and community partner since 1929, today producing the important building blocks for products used by consumers around the world, from pharmaceuticals to paint to cleaning solutions. With wind and solar projects, Shell USA and affiliated companies boast renewable generation in Texas. The Lone Star State is also the first market in the US where residents in eligible areas of the state can choose Shell Energy for 100% renewable electricity plans to power their homes. Shell’s recent acquisition of Volta Charging brings ownership of more than 3,100 electric vehicle (EV) charging stations across the country with almost 400 of those stations located in Texas helping EV drivers charge their adventures across Texas.

Respecting Nature

Gulf-Houston Regional Conservation Plan

The Gulf-Houston Regional Conservation Plan (Gulf-Houston RCP) is a long-term collaborative of environmental, business, and governmental entities working together to implement an ecosystem resilience plan for the Eight-County Gulf-Houston region*. Shell helps fund this initiative annually, which aims to increase protected land in the region. It’s also working to support demonstrations of new nature-based techniques, such as low-impact development, living shorelines, and stormwater runoff systems that boost resilience to flooding. The third goal of the plan is to increase carbon sequestration annually through the use of native soils, plants, trees, and oyster reefs throughout the region.

Powering Lives

Deer Park Education Foundation Fun Run

At Shell Deer Park, generations of area residents have built fulfilling careers, supported families, and strengthened our community. We are deeply committed to the communities surrounding our site. Our goal is to be an employer of choice for individuals and believe our workforce should reflect the communities where we operate. We do this by supporting STEM (science, technology, engineering, mathematics) education with the Deer Park Education Foundation Fun Run, partnering with local colleges for scholarships and career fairs, and through our established intern program aimed at developing our next generation of employees.

* Brazoria, Chambers, Galveston, Fort Bend, Harris, Liberty, Montgomery, and Waller Counties
Shell in Texas

Social investment

2022 ($)  
Environment 725,000  
Community Development 3,284,000  
Education 4,589,175  
TOTAL 8,598,175

Taxes, royalties and fees

2022 ($)  
Income Tax (‘20) 18,669,814  
Franchise Tax (‘20)  
Royalties 59,356,775  
Severance 543,917,731  
Motor Fuels Tax 10,561,805  
Environmental Tax  
Sales and Tax Use 18,572,028  
Property Tax 50,082,825  
TOTAL 701,150,997

Renewables and Energy Solutions

Wind and Solar
- Shell purchases power generated by the Prospero Wind Project in West Texas  
- Shared ownership of a wind farm in Brazos, TX

Shell Energy
- Shell Energy, launched in June 2022, provides 100% renewable electricity plans to residential consumers in parts of Texas  
- Providing renewable power to commercial and industrial customers seeking to meet decarbonization goals  
- For electric vehicle drivers that are Shell Energy customers, free charging during offpeak hours and a fixed electricity rate in parts of Texas  
- For homeowners with solar panels, Shell Energy offers a solar buyback plan that gives customers credit for the excess solar power they export to the grid  
- Shell Energy is the exclusive energy provider of Houston’s men’s and women’s professional soccer clubs – the Houston Dynamo FC and the Houston Dash – and is the official naming sponsor of Shell Energy Stadium

Petrochemicals
- Deer Park Chemicals Petrochemical complex in Deer Park, located along the Houston Ship Channel, manufacturing base or raw material chemicals sold to global customers to turn into thousands of consumer products.  
- Numerous product transportation advantages as located near major pipelines, roads, docks and rails  
- Unique combination of processing equipment, control rooms, storage tanks, environmental protection equipment, office buildings, shops and warehouses

Lubricants
- Plants where lubricants are blended and packaged for sale  
  - Galena Park, TX

Research and Development

Shell Technology Center Houston
- For over five decades, a pivotal role in delivering technology breakthroughs to complex energy and chemical problems  
- Currently undergoing improvements to bolster research capabilities for the global energy transition, including upgrading lab technology and fostering a more vibrant, collaborative environment for delivering innovative technology solutions to the market

Partnerships
- Provided $10 million in funding to the University of Houston to create the Energy Transition Institute in 2022, dedicated to advancing the production of reliable, affordable, and cleaner energy  
- The Shell–Prairie View A&M University partnership is anchored on the Nature Based Solutions research program that started in early 2022 and is investing at least $5 million over five years in joint R&D projects. The two organizations will work together to build a state-of-the-art research facility, conduct cutting-edge research and strengthen the talent and recruitment pipeline for the industry  
- Committed $10 million to support Rice University’s Carbon Hub. Shell also supports Rice’s Baker Institute Center for Energy Studies which plays an important role in providing policymakers, corporate leaders, and the public with high-quality, data-centric analyses of energy-related issues.
Shell in Texas

Mobility, Trading and Supply

Shell-branded retail stations
- Approx. 1,500 retail stations
- 184 Shell-owned retail convenience stores
- 396 EV charging stations across Texas

Jiffy Lube®
- 166 locations providing oil changes, tire rotations and other preventive vehicle maintenance

LNG fuel stations
- San Antonio, Dallas, Baytown

Pipelines
- Approximately 418 miles of crude oil, refined product, and liquids pipelines and associated facilities

Shell Trading US Company (STUSCO):
STUSCO is made up of businesses that include acquisition, sales and trades of domestic crude oil and products; lease crude oil acquisition and marketing; marine chartering; and risk management services.
- Office – Houston, TX
- Portfolio includes buying and selling of physical crude, products, feedstocks and financial products in several exchanges
- Customers along the whole hydrocarbon supply chain: involved in the acquisition of crude from producers, transporting oil by pipeline, vessels, barges, rail and truck
- Sells crude to refineries, trades with most market participants and provides risk management services
- Shipping & Maritime provides maritime expertise, including marine chartering and assurance, commercial development and technology services to customers and partners across the industry from shipping companies to ports and beyond

Shell Energy North America:
- Trades and markets natural gas, wholesale and retail power, as well as environmental and risk management products
- Natural gas sales volume of 8.5 billion cubic ft/day in North America
- 300 million MWh – annual wholesale and retail power sales in North America
- Consistently ranked one of top three gas and power marketers in North America
- Manages more than 13 GW of power generation across North America, with over 37% coming from renewable sources, including wind and solar
- Office – Houston, TX
- Power supply and tolling plants:
  - Phoebe – Winkler County, TX, Solar
  - Gateway – Rusk County, TX, Combined Cycle
  - Shell Technology Center Houston – Harris County, TX, Microgrid
  - Texas Friendswood – Friendswood, TX
  - Victoria City – Victoria, TX
  - Victoria Port 21 & 22 – Victoria, TX
  - SJRR Power Station – Harris County, TX

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- Franchise Tax (‘20) 12,685,773
- Royalties 59,356,773
- Severance 543,917,751
- Motor Fuels Tax 10,561,805
- Environmental Tax 18,575,024
- Sales and Tax Use 50,082,223
TOTAL 701,150,997

Staff counts

2022 
- Employees 7,715
- Retirees 12,464