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[X]	ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
	For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012
	OR
[]	TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT
	OF 1934
	For the transition period from to

Commission file number 1-12626

A. Full Title of the plan and the address of the plan, if different from that of the issuer named below:

EASTMAN INVESTMENT AND EMPLOYEE STOCK OWNERSHIP PLAN

B. Name of issuer of the securities held pursuant to the plan and the address of its principal executive office:

EASTMAN CHEMICAL COMPANY

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Eastman Investment and Employee Stock Ownership Plan

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Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

To the Participants and Administrator of the Eastman Investment and Employee Stock Ownership Plan

In our opinion, the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits present fairly, in all material respects, the net assets available for benefits of Eastman Investment and Employee Stock Ownership Plan (the "Plan") at December 31, 2012 and 2011, and the changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Plan's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits of these statements in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, and evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplemental Schedule of Assets (Held at Year-End) is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. This supplemental schedule is the responsibility of the Plan's management. The supplemental schedule has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audits of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

/s/PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP Raleigh, North Carolina July 1, 2013

Eastman Investment and Employee Stock Ownership Plan Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits December 31, 2012 and 2011 (in thousands)

	Participant Directed	2012 Non- participant Directed	Total	Participant Directed	2011 Non- participant Directed	Total
Assets						
Investments at fair value	\$1,795,212	\$165,660	\$1,960,872	\$1,544,516	\$99,486	\$1,644,002
Receivables:						
Plan sponsor contributions	30,721	5,332	36,053	30,738	4,405	35,143
Notes receivable from participants	41,633	_	41,633	37,240	_	37,240
Other receivables	2,258	_	2,258	2,941	653	3,594
Total assets	1,869,824	170,992	2,040,816	1,615,435	104,544	1,719,979
Liabilities						
Accrued expenses	15	14	29	21	17	38
Other liabilities	2,109	416	2,525	3,380	1,093	4,473
Total liabilities	2,124	430	2,554	3,401	1,110	4,511
Adjustment from fair value to contract value for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts	(24,824)	_	(24,824)	(23,935)	_	(23,935)
Net assets available for benefits	\$1,842,876	\$170,562	\$2,013,438	\$1,588,099	\$103,434	\$1,691,533

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Eastman Investment and Employee Stock Ownership Plan Statements of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits For the Years Ended December 31, 2012 and 2011 (in thousands)

	Participant Directed	2012 Non- participant Directed	Total	Participant Directed	2011 Non- participant Directed	Total
Additions to net assets:						
Investment income Interest Dividends Net appreciation	\$13,148 32,293	\$— 2,680	\$13,148 34,973	\$13,320 22,384	\$— 2,560	\$13,320 24,944
(depreciation) in fair value of investments	166,951	71,530	238,481	(35,313)	(18,476)	(53,789)
Net investment gain (loss)	212,392	74,210	286,602	391	(15,916)	(15,525)
Interest income from notes receivable	1,810	_	1,810	1,597	_	1,597
Participant contributions	63,958	_	63,958	75,897	_	75,897
Plan sponsor contributions	34,620	5,332	39,952	33,315	4,405	37,720
Total additions	312,780	79,542	392,322	111,200	(11,511)	99,689
Deductions from net assets:						
Distributions to and withdrawals by participants	107,107	5,417	112,524	156,349	6,400	162,749
Administrative expenses	220	_	220	168	_	168
Total deductions Net increase (decrease)	107,327	5,417	112,744	156,517	6,400	162,917
in net assets	205,453	74,125	279,578	(45,317)	(17,911)	(63,228)
Transfers from non-participant directed	6,997	(6,997)	_	_	_	_
Plan transfer - Sterling/Genovique Net assets available for	42,327	_	42,327	8,376	_	8,376
benefits at beginning of year	1,588,099	103,434	1,691,533	1,625,040	121,345	1,746,385
Net assets available for benefits at end of year	\$1,842,876	\$170,562	\$2,013,438	\$1,588,099	\$103,434	\$1,691,533

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Eastman Investment and Employee Stock Ownership Plan Notes to Financial Statements

1.DESCRIPTION OF PLAN

The Eastman Investment and Employee Stock Ownership Plan (the "Plan") is a defined contribution plan of a controlled group of corporations consisting of Eastman Chemical Company and certain of its wholly-owned subsidiaries operating in the United States ("Eastman", the "Company" or the "Plan Sponsor"). The Plan is organized pursuant to Sections 401(a) and (k) and Section 4975(e) (7) of the Internal Revenue Code ("IRC"). All United States employees of Eastman, with the exception of certain limited service and special program employees, and employees covered by a collective bargaining agreement with the Company, unless the collective bargaining agreement or the Plan specifically provides for participation, are eligible to participate in the Plan on their first day of employment with Eastman. The Plan was adopted by Eastman, the Plan Sponsor, on January 1, 1994 and is subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA"). The Plan is administered by the Investment Plan Committee ("IPCO"), which is the Plan Administrator and is comprised of Eastman employees. The Plan has trusts which are administered by the Fidelity Management Trust Company (the "Trustee"). The trusts include the Eastman Chemical Trust and the Eastman Stock Ownership Plan ("ESOP") Trust.

Money in the forfeiture account of the Plan is available to be used both to offset future Company contributions and for various administrative expenses of the Plan. The balance of the forfeiture account at December 31, 2012 and 2011 was \$41,192 and \$46,104, respectively. Forfeitures used in 2012 were \$39,402. There were no forfeitures used in 2011.

On or after January 1, 2007, each eligible employee hired by the Company will, in addition to the Retirement Savings Contribution ("RSC"), be automatically enrolled as a participant in the Eastman Investment Plan ("EIP") portion of the Plan. The participants will be deemed to have elected to defer 7% of their qualifying compensation each pay period to the EIP portion of the Plan, unless they affirmatively decline or they elect to contribute a percentage other than 7%. Each participant will also be eligible to receive a matching contribution from the Company equal to 50% of the first 7% of their pay that they contribute to the Plan each pay period. Plan participants may elect to enroll in an automatic annual increase program with an increase to deferral rates each year until the participant's deferral reaches 40%. Their contributions will be invested in Fidelity Freedom K® Fund that has a target retirement date closest to the year in which the participant reaches age 65 until changed by the participant.

Effective January 1, 2011, Eastman will make a "true-up" contribution for those participants who are eligible to receive a matching contribution under the Eastman Investment & Employee Stock Ownership plan. Matching contributions made during the plan year will go through a year-end "true-up" to ensure that the matching contribution is based on the employee's total deferrals made to the Plan during the year. The true-up match ensures that the employee will receive 50% for each pre-tax dollar contributed on the first 7% of pay on qualified compensation up to the 401(a)(17) limit in effect.

For additional information regarding the Plan, see the complete Plan documents.

Contributions and vesting

Contributions to the Plan are made through two separate provisions: (1) deferral of qualifying compensation and (2) contributions by the Plan Sponsor of cash or its common stock to the participants' accounts as determined by the Compensation and Management Development Committee of the Board of Directors of Eastman.

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The Plan includes a salary deferral provision allowing eligible employees to defer up to 40% of qualifying compensation, as defined in the Plan, up to the statutory limit of \$17,000 for 2012 as permitted by the IRC. For the catch-up salary deferral, an eligible employee who attained age 50 before the close of the calendar year was allowed to defer up to an additional 35% of qualifying compensation, as defined in the Plan, for 2012 up to certain IRC limitations. Plan Sponsor contributions are also subject to certain other limitations. Participants' salary deferrals are contributed to the Plan by Eastman on behalf of the participants. The Plan's Trustee invests amounts contributed to the Plan, as designated by the participant, in common stock of Eastman, various growth and income mutual funds, and/or interest in a guaranteed investment contract fund (see Notes 6 and 7). Generally, participants may transfer amounts among the funds on any business day. Additionally, participants may diversify amounts from their ESOP Fund account within the Plan (see Note 10). Each participant is at all times 100% vested in their account, with the exception of amounts transferred from other plans, which continue to be subject to the former plans' vesting requirements.

The Plan requires for the RSC to be contributed either to the ESOP Fund for employees' first five RSC contributions or into other Plan funds, as directed by the participant, for participants with more than five RSC contributions. For participants with more than five RSC contributions, the RSC is allocated to participant-directed funds in accordance with each participant's investment elections at such time as the RSC is made.

For employees hired on or after January 1, 2007, each participant is eligible to receive a matching contribution from the Company equal to 50% of the first 7% of their pay that they contribute to the Plan each pay period. Contributions are invested into other Plan funds, as directed by the participants.

Plan Sponsor contributions may be paid at any time during the plan year and subsequent to such plan year through the due date for filing the Company's federal income tax return, including any extensions. Contributions may be paid to the ESOP Fund in cash or shares of Eastman common stock and are deposited in the Company contribution account. Allocations to the participants' accounts from the Company contribution account will be made each plan year to participants who are eligible employees on the date designated by the Company. Participants are not permitted to make contributions to the ESOP Fund.

Employees may elect to transfer, into any of the Plan's fund options, balances received from (1) lump sum payouts from the Eastman Retirement Assistance Plan, a qualified defined benefit plan also sponsored by Eastman Chemical Company, (2) a former employer's 401(a) and 401(k) plan, or (3) an employee's individual retirement account containing amounts received from a qualified defined contribution plan under Section 401(a) and 401(k) of the IRC. All rollover contributions into the Plan must meet the applicable IRC requirements.

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Notes receivable from participants

The IPCO may grant a note receivable (loan) of at least \$1,000 to a participant provided that the aggregate of the participant's notes receivable does not exceed the lesser of (1) \$50,000 reduced by the excess, if any, of (a) the participant's highest notes receivable balance from the preceding 12 months over (b) the outstanding total notes receivable balance from the Plan on the date on which the notes receivable was made, or (2) 50% of the non-forfeitable portion of the participant's account. In accordance with the Plan provisions, the rate of interest on new participant notes receivable approximates current market rates. The term of any notes receivable from participants is determined by IPCO and shall not exceed five years. Notes receivable from participants transferred to the Plan from the Eastman Resins, Inc. Employees' Growth Sharing Plan carry terms applicable under that Plan. No allowances for credit losses has been recorded as of December 31, 2012 or 2011. If a participant ceases to make loan repayments and the Plan Administrator deems the participant loan to be in default, the participant loan is reduced and a benefit payment is recorded. At December 31, 2012, \$41.6 million in notes receivable from participants were outstanding for terms of 1 to 64 months and interest rates ranging from 4.25% to 10.50%. At December 31, 2011, \$37.2 million in notes receivable from participants were outstanding for terms from 3 to 62 months and interest rates ranging from 4.25% to 10.50%.

Distributions

Distributions from the Plan require the approval of IPCO or its designee and are made under the following circumstances:

Upon attaining age 59½, a participant may elect to receive a lump sum cash distribution of their total or partial account value while still actively employed.

Upon separation of service from Eastman for any reason except death, the full value of a participant's account is distributed in a lump sum payment for those participants whose account value is less than or equal to \$1,000. Separated participants with accounts in excess of \$1,000 may elect either (1) to defer distribution until a later date but, in no event, later than April 1 of the calendar year following the year a participant attains age 70½ or (2) an immediate lump-sum distribution of the participant's account or, at the election of the participant, distributions in monthly or annual installments. Participants in the Eastman Stock Fund or ESOP Fund may elect a lump sum distribution in Eastman common stock.

In the event of death, the value of a participant's account is paid in a lump sum if the designated beneficiary is not the surviving spouse or if the account value is less than or equal to \$1,000. If the beneficiary is a surviving spouse and the participant account value exceeds \$1,000, payment will be made in either a lump-sum amount or, at the election of the surviving spouse, in monthly or annual installments.

Distributions to participants shall commence in the year following the year a participant attains age 70½, unless the participant is still actively employed with the Company.

Approval of hardship withdrawals will only be granted in order to meet obligations relating to the payment of substantial out-of-pocket medical expenses, the purchase of a primary residence, the payment of tuition or other post-secondary educational expenses, or payments to prevent eviction or foreclosure. They are also granted for payment of funeral expenses for a deceased parent, spouse or child of the participant, or payment of expenses for repair or damage to the participants' principal residence. Hardship withdrawals may not exceed the value of the participant's accounts in the Plan on the date of withdrawal.

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The Trustee is authorized to honor qualified domestic relation orders issued and served in accordance with Section $^{\circ}414(p)$ of the IRC.

Investment of ESOP Fund Assets

ESOP Fund assets are invested primarily in Eastman common stock. However, at IPCO's discretion, funds may also be invested in other securities or held in cash.

Investment assets can be acquired by the ESOP Fund in three ways:

The Company may make a direct contribution of cash to the ESOP Fund, which would then be used to purchase Eastman common stock or other securities.

The Company may contribute shares of Eastman common stock directly to the ESOP Fund.

The Company may direct the Trustee to obtain a loan to purchase securities (i.e., leveraged ESOP). Until the loan is repaid, securities acquired with the respective loan proceeds are not available to be allocated to participants' accounts and are maintained in a "Loan Suspense Account". On the last day of each plan year, a proportionate share of securities relating to loan amounts which have been repaid will be transferred out of the Loan Suspense Account and allocated to the accounts of ESOP Fund participants. The ESOP Fund currently is not a leveraged ESOP.

Dividends attributable to the ESOP Fund

IPCO may direct that Eastman common stock dividends attributable to the non-participant directed ESOP Fund be (a) allocated to the accounts of participants, (b) paid in cash to the participants on a nondiscriminatory basis, or (c) paid by the Company directly to participants. Alternatively, dividends received from Eastman common stock maintained in the Loan Suspense Account may be applied to reduce the related loan balance.

Allocations to participants' ESOP Fund accounts

Separate participant accounts are established to reflect each participant's interest in the ESOP Fund and are maintained under the unit value method of accounting. The ESOP Fund account maintained for each participant consists of:

Plan Sponsor contributions made or invested in shares of Eastman common stock.

Shares of Eastman common stock purchased with assets transferred to the ESOP Fund pursuant to the spin-off from Eastman Kodak Company and/or acquired with the proceeds of a loan released from the Loan Suspense Account.

An allocable share of short-term interest and money market funds held in the ESOP Fund for purposes of payment of expenses and similar purposes.

After-tax contributions transferred to the ESOP Fund pursuant to the spin-off from Eastman Kodak Company (such after-tax contributions are no longer permitted under the ESOP provisions).

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The number of units allocated to a participant's account in any year is based on the ratio of the participant's compensation to the total compensation of all eligible employees entitled to share in the allocation for that plan year. In any year in which a Company contribution is made, a participant's allocation will not be less than one share of stock.

Federal law limits the total annual contributions that may be made on a participant's behalf to all defined contribution and defined benefit plans offered by the Company. Participants will be notified if their total annual contribution is limited by this legal maximum.

2. SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The following accounting policies, which conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("USGAAP"), have been used consistently in the preparation of the Plan's financial statements.

Basis of accounting

The Plan's financial statements are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

As described by USGAAP, investment contracts held by a defined-contribution plan are required to be reported at fair value. However, contract value is the relevant measurement attribute for that portion of the net assets available for benefits of a defined-contribution plan attributable to fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because contract value is the amount participants would receive if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the plan. As required by USGAAP, the Statement of Net Assets Available for Benefits presents the fair value of the investment contracts as well as the adjustment of the fully benefit-responsive investment contracts from fair value to contract value. The Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits is prepared on a contract value basis.

Use of estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with USGAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and changes therein, and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Investment policy and valuation

The Plan's investments are stated at fair value. If available, quoted market prices are used to value investments. Investments in regulated investment companies are valued at the net asset value per share on the valuation date. Accrued interest, if any, on the underlying investments is added to the fair value of the investments for presentation purposes. The Plan's Committee determines the Plan's valuation policies utilizing information provided by Fidelity Investments and the Director of Benefits Finance and Investments. See Note 8 for discussion of fair value measurements.

For investments in the ESOP fund and the Eastman Stock Fund, the Trustee may keep any portion of participant and Plan Sponsor contributions temporarily in cash or liquid investments as it may deem advisable. All dividends, interest or gains derived from investment in each fund are reinvested in the respective fund by the Trustee.

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The Managed Income Fund is reported at fair value as determined by the contract issuers. The Managed Income Fund is comprised of synthetic investment contracts that include interests in commingled trusts or individual fixed income securities that are held in trust for the Plan. The Plan then enters into a benefit responsive wrapper contract with a third party such as a financial institution or an insurance company which guarantees the Plan a specific value and rate of return. The underlying securities are valued at quoted market prices. The wrap contracts are valued using the market value method (see Note 7).

Purchases and sales of investments are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is accrued when earned. Dividend income is recorded at the ex-dividend date.

The Plan presents in the Statements of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits the net appreciation (depreciation) in the fair value of its investments which consists of the realized gains or losses and the unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on those investments.

Notes receivable from participants

Notes receivable from participants are valued at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest.

Payments to participants

Benefit payments to participants are recorded when paid.

Recent Accounting Pronouncements

In May 2011, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued guidance, "Amendments to Achieve Common Fair Value Measurement and Disclosure Requirements". The guidance is intended to improve the comparability of fair value measurements presented and disclosed in financial statements. The amendments are of two types: (1) those that clarify the Board's intent about the application of existing fair value measurement and disclosure requirements and (2) those that change a particular principle or requirement for measuring fair value or for disclosing information about fair value measurements. The update was effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2011. Plan management has concluded that the new guidance did not have a material impact on the Plan's financial statements.

3. RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

Investment securities are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate risk, market risk, and credit risk. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participant account balances and the amounts reported in the financial statements. Included in investments at December 31, 2012 and 2011 are shares of the sponsor's common stock amounting to \$312 million and \$259 million, respectively. This investment represents 15.9% and 15.8% of total investments at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively. A significant decline in the market value of the sponsor's stock would significantly affect the net assets available for benefits.

Eastman Investment and Employee Stock Ownership Plan Notes to Financial Statements

4. CONTRIBUTIONS

Participant contributions represent qualifying compensation and other qualifying employee bonuses withheld from participating employees by Eastman and contributed to the Plan. Contributions are invested in the Plan's funds as directed by the participants, with the exception of the ESOP Fund, subject to ERISA funding limitations. The Plan has accrued Company contributions for participant-directed funds of \$30.7 million in both periods and for the non-participant-directed ESOP Fund of \$5.3 million and \$4.4 million at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

5. NOTES RECEIVABLE FROM PARTICIPANTS

The Plan Trustee makes loans to participants in accordance with Plan provisions. The loans are reflected as notes receivable from participants. Notes receivable from participants are accounted for as a transfer from the fund directed by the participant to the Notes Receivable from Participants Fund. The principal portion of participant repayments reduces the Notes Receivable from Participants Fund receivable. The principal and interest repaid are directed to funds to which the participant's current contributions are directed; the principal is accounted for as a transfer and the interest accounted for as income in the fund to which the participant's current contributions are directed. The Notes Receivable from Participants Fund's net assets and other changes in net assets are included in the participant-directed funds in the Statements of Net Assets and Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits, respectively. Notes receivable from participants are valued at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest.

Unless otherwise specified by the participant, the proceeds of new notes receivable will be withdrawn from the investment funds on a pro-rata basis. Outstanding notes receivable from participants at December 31, 2012 and 2011 were approximately \$41.6 million and \$37.2 million, respectively. Interest income earned on notes receivable from participants is credited directly to the participants' accounts and was approximately \$1.8 million and \$1.6 million for 2012 and 2011, respectively.

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6.INVESTMENTS

At December 31, 2012 and 2011, the Plan's assets were invested in Eastman Chemical Company common stock, mutual funds, and synthetic investment contracts (see Note 7). Subject to certain limitations, participants are provided the option of directing their contributions among the investment options. The Plan also holds an interest in the non-participant directed Eastman ESOP Fund, which invests in Eastman Chemical Company common stock and short-term interest funds. The following table presents the fair value of investments by type at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

(in thousands)	2012	2011
Cash	\$4,307	\$4,166
Eastman Chemical Company common stock	311,966	259,151
Mutual funds	842,613	690,435
Managed income fund	781,360	672,791
Self-directed brokerage account	20,626	17,459
Total	\$1,960,872	\$1,644,002

The following investment options, which invest primarily in common stock of the Plan Sponsor, were available to participants in 2012 and 2011:

Eastman Stock Fund

This participant-directed fund consists primarily of Eastman Class A common stock. Purchases and sales of Eastman common stock are generally made on the open market on behalf of and as elected by Plan participants. During 2012, the Trustee purchased 1,402,500 shares of Eastman common stock for the fund at an average price of \$49.51 per share, and sold 3,319,200 shares of Eastman common stock for the fund at an average price of \$52.54 per share. During 2011, the Trustee purchased 6,316,400 shares of Eastman common stock for the fund at an average price of \$44.35 per share and sold 4,470,800 shares at an average price of \$46.31 per share. Dividends paid from the Eastman Stock Fund totaled \$3.1 million and \$3.3 million in 2012 and 2011, respectively.

Eastman ESOP Fund

This non-participant directed fund consists primarily of Eastman Class A common stock. Purchases and sales of Eastman common stock are generally made on the open market, on behalf of its participants and as directed by the Plan's guidelines. During 2012, the Trustee purchased 107,800 shares of Eastman common stock for the fund at an average price of \$54.39 per share, and sold 200,300 shares of Eastman common stock for the fund at an average price of \$53.91 per share. During 2011, the Trustee purchased 93,800 shares of Eastman common stock for the fund at an average price of \$45.86 per share, and sold 307,900 shares at an average price of \$46.71 per share. Participants can elect to have the dividends paid in cash or reinvested back into the Eastman ESOP fund.

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At December 31, 2012 and 2011, the following investments represented 5% or greater of ending net assets:

(in thousands)		December 31, 2012				
		Shares	Fair value	3		
Eastman Chemical Company Common Stock, Participant Directed		2,174	\$147,911			
Eastman Chemical Company Common Stock, Non-Participant Directed		2,411	164,055			
Fidelity Contrafund K		1,564	121,194			
PIMCO Total Return Institutional Class		12,605	141,677			
USTN 1.75% 7/31/15		_	106,692			
(in thousands)		December 31, 2011				
		Shares	Fair value	3		
Eastman Chemical Company Common Stock, Participant Directed		4,110	\$160,520)		
Eastman Chemical Company Common Stock, Non-Participant		2,525	98,631			
Directed		•				
Fidelity Contrafund K		1,639	110,461			
PIMCO Total Return Institutional Class		8,135	88,426			
During 2012 and 2011, the Plan's investments appreciated (depreciated) as follows:						
(in thousands)						
(in thousands)	2012		2011			
Eastman Chemical Company Common Stock, Non-Participant Directed	\$71,530		\$(18,476)		
Eastman Chemical Company Common Stock, Participant Directed	93,309		(7,717)		
Mutual Funds	73,642		(27,596)		
Total	\$238,481		\$(53,789)		

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7. INSURANCE CONTRACTS

The Plan invests in the Managed Income Fund (the "Fund"), which invests in synthetic investment contracts. The term "synthetic" investment contract is used to describe a variety of investment contracts under which a Plan retains ownership of the invested assets, or owns units of an account or trust which holds the invested assets. A "synthetic" investment contract, also referred to as a "wrap" contract, is negotiated with an independent financial institution. Under the terms of these investment contracts, the contract issuer ensures the Plan's ability to pay eligible employee benefits at book value. The investment performance of a synthetic investment contract may be a function of the investment performance of the invested assets.

A wrap contract is an agreement by another party, such as a bank or insurer, to make payments to the Fund in certain circumstances. Wrap contracts are designed to allow a stable value fund, such as the Fund, to maintain a constant net asset value ("NAV") and to protect the Fund in extreme circumstances. In a typical wrap contract, the wrap issuer agrees to pay the Fund the difference between the contract value and the market value of the covered assets once the market value has been totally exhausted. Though relatively unlikely, this could happen if the Fund experiences significant redemptions (redemption of most of the Fund's shares) during a time when the market value of the Fund's covered assets are below their contract value, and market value is ultimately reduced to zero. If that occurs, the wrap issuer agrees to pay the Fund an amount sufficient to cover shareholder redemptions and certain other payments (such as fund expenses), provided all the terms of the wrap contract have been met. Purchasing wrap contracts is similar to buying insurance, in that the Fund pays a relatively small amount to protect against a relatively unlikely event (the redemption of most of the shares of the Fund). Fees paid by the Fund for wrap contracts are a component of the Fund's expenses.

Wrap contracts accrue interest using a formula called the "crediting rate." Wrap contracts use the crediting rate formula to convert market value changes in the covered assets into income distributions in order to minimize the difference between the market and contract value of the covered assets over time. Using the crediting rate formula, an estimated future market value is calculated by compounding the Fund's current market value at the Fund's current yield to maturity for a period equal to the Fund's duration. The crediting rate is the discount rate that equates the estimated future market value with the Fund's current contract value. Crediting rates are reset quarterly. The wrap contracts provide a guarantee that the crediting rate will not fall below zero percent.

The crediting rate, and hence the Fund's return, may be affected by many factors, including purchases and redemptions by shareholders. The precise impact on the Fund depends on whether the market value of the covered assets is higher or lower than the contract value of those assets. If the market value of the covered assets is higher than their contract value, the crediting rate will ordinarily be higher than the yield of the covered assets. Under these circumstances, cash from new investors will tend to lower the crediting rate and the Fund's return, and redemptions by existing shareholders will tend to increase the crediting rate and the Fund's return.

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The Fund and the wrap contracts purchased by the Fund are designed to pay all participant-initiated transactions at contract value. Participant-initiated transactions are those transactions allowed by the underlying defined contribution plan (typically this would include withdrawals for benefits, loans, or transfers to non-competing funds within the Plan). However, the wrap contracts limit the ability of the Fund to transact at contract value upon the occurrence of certain events. These events include:

The Plan's failure to qualify under Section 401(a) or Section 401(k) of the IRC.

The establishment of a defined contribution plan that competes with the Plan for employee contributions.

Any substantive modification of the Plan or the administration of the Plan that is not consented to by the wrap issuer. Complete or partial termination of the Plan.

Any change in law, regulation or administrative ruling applicable to the Plan that could have a material adverse effect on the Fund's cash flow.

Merger or consolidation of the Plan with another plan, the transfer of Plan assets to another plan, or the sale, spin-off or merger of a subsidiary or division of the Plan Sponsor.

Any communication given to participants by the Plan Sponsor or any other Plan fiduciary that is designed to induce or influence participants not to invest in the Fund or to transfer assets out of the Fund.

Exclusion of a group of previously eligible employees from eligibility in the Plan.

Any early retirement program, group termination, group layoff, facility closing, or similar program.

• Any transfer of assets from the Fund directly to a competing option.

At this time, the occurrence of any of these events is not considered probable by IPCO.

The average yields for the Fund for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011 are as follows:

Average yields:	2012		2011	
Based on actual earnings	1.57	%	1.91	%
Based on interest rate credited to participants	1.71	%	2.13	%

The weighted average crediting interest rate for the Fund was 1.77% and 2.21% at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

The value of the Fund reflected in these financial statements is based upon the principal invested and the interest credited. The fair value of the Fund, by investment type, as of December 31, 2012 and 2011 was as follows:

(in thousands) 2012 2011

Security backed investments: