

Dow Achieves ISCC PLUS Certification for Acrylates Manufacturing in Deer Park, Texas

Acrylates manufacturing in Deer Park, Texas earns ISCC PLUS certification for circular and bio-based monomer solutions

MIDLAND, Mich. – March 31, 2025 – <u>Dow</u> (NYSE: DOW) is proud to announce it received International Sustainability and Carbon Certification (ISCC) PLUS certification at its Acrylate manufacturing plant in Deer Park, Texas. An ISCC PLUS certification recognizes Dow's implementation of decoupling fossil feedstocks by using waste sourced or bio-based feedstocks, following a full independent, external audit.

ISCC is a world leading international certification standard for fully traceable and environmentally, socially and economically sustainable supply chains. As Dow continues to manufacture products with circular and bio-circular feedstocks, this verification qualifies the tracking of alternative feedstocks through the mass balance approach.

"ISCC PLUS certification is a key part of our sustainability strategy to advance a more circular economy in the Coatings & Performance Monomers business," said Joanne Sekella, vice president, Dow Coatings and Performance Monomers. "It enables us to not only meet our own goal of producing monomers with certifiable sustainable content via mass balance approach, but also helps our customers achieve their sustainability goals through incorporation of sustainable raw materials."

Sustainability through the coatings value chain

As a part of the Company's commitment to sustainability, Dow continues to innovate and seek ways to incorporate more sustainable content, specifically feedstock from bio-based origin or post-industrial consumer waste, into its products through the mass balance approach with independent external verification playing a key role.

"The replacement of fossil-based feedstocks with those that are bio-based helps lower the carbon footprint of the biomass-balanced monomers and ultimately the polymers they make," said Ramesh Iyer, global business sustainability director, Dow Coatings and Performance Monomers. "This carbon footprint reduction then cascades into many architectural and industrial applications, thereby helping decarbonize the entire paint and coatings value chain."

Achieving ISCC PLUS certification is yet another milestone for Dow on its sustainability journey and is an important step for the Coatings & Performance Monomers business to deliver sustainable solutions to its customers.

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